

# **FINANCIAL AND OPERATING SUMMARY**

(\$000s except per share amounts)

	Thre	ee Months Ende	d	Six Mon	ths Ended J	une 30,
	Jun 30, 2025	Mar 31, 2025	% Change	2025	2024	% Change
Financial highlights						
Oil sales	137,145	157,206	(13)%	294,351	318,750	(8)%
NGL sales	2,182	1,129	93 %	3,311	7,507	(56)%
Natural gas sales	1,888	2,387	(21)%	4,275	5,083	(16)%
Total petroleum and natural gas revenue	141,215	160,722	(12)%	301,937	331,340	(9)%
Cash flow from operating activities	56,344	83,470	(32)%	139,814	140,389	<b>-</b> %
Per share - basic (\$)	0.57	0.83	(31)%	1.40	1.40	<b>-</b> %
Per share - diluted (\$)	0.56	0.82	(32)%	1.39	1.37	1 %
Adjusted funds flow <sup>(1)</sup>	72,756	80,107	(9)%	152,863	145,292	5 %
Per share - basic (\$) <sup>(1)</sup>	0.73	0.80	(9)%	1.53	1.44	6 %
Per share - diluted (\$) <sup>(1)</sup>	0.73	0.79	(8)%	1.52	1.42	7 %
Net income (loss)	31,907	8,246	287 %	40,153	(68,323)	nm
Per share - basic (\$)	0.32	0.08	300 %	0.40	(0.68)	nm
Per share - diluted (\$) <sup>(2)</sup>	0.32	0.08	300 %	0.40	(0.68)	nm
Expenditures on property, plant and equipment	30,830	54,399	(43)%	85,229	85,465	<b>-</b> %
Net acquisitions and dispositions	(60)	44	nm <sup>(3)</sup>	(16)	(33,501)	(100)%
Net capital expenditures	30,770	54,443	(43)%	85,213	51,964	64 %
Net debt <sup>(1)</sup> , end of period	229,139	246,003	(7)%	229,139	234,707	(2)%
Operating highlights						
Production:						
Oil (bbls per day)	20,332	20,673	(2)%	20,502	20,124	2 %
NGLs (bbls per day)	554	248	123 %	402	858	(53)%
Natural gas (mcf per day)	16,217	15,877	2 %	16,048	19,672	(18)%
Total (boe per day) (6:1)	23,589	23,567	<b>–</b> %	23,579	24,261	(3)%
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Average realized price (excluding hedges):						
Oil (\$ per bbl)	74.12	84.49	(12)%	79.32	87.03	(9)%
NGL (\$ per bbl)	43.29	50.53	(14)%	45.51	48.06	(5)%
Natural gas (\$ per mcf)	1.28	1.67	(23)%	1.47	1.42	4 %
Netback (\$ per boe)						
Petroleum and natural gas revenue	65.79	75.77	(13)%	70.75	75.04	(6)%
Realized gain (loss) on commodity and FX contracts	2.83	0.67	322 %	1.76	(0.68)	nm
Royalties	(11.25)	(13.42)	(16)%	(12.32)	(13.06)	(6)%
Net operating expenses (1)	(17.08)	(18.78)		(17.93)	(21.08)	(15)%
Transportation expenses	(1.00)	(1.16)		(1.08)	(1.20)	(10)%
Operating netback (1)	39.29	43.08	(9)%	41.18	39.02	6 %
G&A expense	(2.61)	(2.64)		(2.62)	(2.33)	12 %
Interest expense	(2.78)	(2.68)	4 %	(2.73)	(3.79)	(28)%
Adjusted funds flow <sup>(1)</sup>	33.90	37.76	(10)%	35.83	32.90	9 %
Common shares outstanding end of period	99.092	99 523	<b>–</b> %	99.092	100 460	(1)%
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	854	1,263	(32)%	1,005	1,899	(47)%
Weighted average diluted shares outstanding	100,174	101,242	(1)%	100,652	102,455	(2)%
Common shares outstanding, end of period Weighted average basic shares outstanding Stock-based compensation dilution (2) Weighted average diluted shares	99,092 99,320 854	99,523 99,979 1,263	— % (1)% (32)%	99,092 99,647 1,005	100,460 100,556 1,899	

<sup>(1)</sup> This is a non-GAAP and other financial measure which is defined in the Non-GAAP and Other Financial Measures section of this document.

<sup>(2)</sup> Dilution is not reflected in the calculation of net loss for the six months ended June 30, 2024.

<sup>(3)</sup> The Company views this change calculation as not meaningful, or "nm".



### **MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS**

This Management's Discussion and Analysis ("MD&A") of the financial position and results of operations of Surge Energy Inc. ("Surge" or the "Company"), is for the three months and six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024. For a full understanding of the financial position and results of operations of the Company, the MD&A should be read in conjunction with the documents filed on the Company's profile on SEDAR+, including historical financial statements, MD&A and the Annual Information Form dated March 5, 2025 for the year ended December 31, 2024 ("AIF"). These documents are available at <a href="https://www.sedarplus.ca">www.sedarplus.ca</a>.

Surge's management is responsible for the integrity of the information contained in this report and for the consistency between the MD&A and condensed interim financial statements. In the preparation of the condensed interim financial statements, estimates are necessary to make a determination of future values for certain assets and liabilities. Management believes these estimates have been based on careful judgments and have been properly presented. The condensed interim financial statements have been prepared using policies and procedures established by management and fairly reflect Surge's financial position and results of operations. The Company's condensed interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards ("IFRS") as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board.

This MD&A contains references to the following financial measures that do not have a standardized meaning as prescribed under IFRS ("non-GAAP and other specified financial measures"): "adjusted funds flow", "adjusted funds flow per share", "net debt", "net operating expenses", "net operating expenses per boe", "operating netback", "operating netback per boe", and "adjusted funds flow per boe". Refer to the "Non-GAAP and other financial measures" section of this MD&A for a full discussion on management's use of non-GAAP and other specified financial measures, including, where applicable, reconciliations to the most directly comparable IFRS measure.

Surge's board of directors (the "Board") and Audit Committee have reviewed and approved the condensed interim financial statements and MD&A. This MD&A is dated July 28, 2025.

### **DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS**

Surge is a Company existing under the laws of Alberta and is based in Calgary. The Company is engaged in the exploration, development and production of oil and gas from properties in western Canada. The Company's common shares are traded on the Toronto Stock Exchange ("TSX") under the symbol SGY.

#### CASH FLOW FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES AND ADJUSTED FUNDS FLOW

	Т	hree Months Ende	Six Months E	nded Jun 30,	
(\$000s except per share and per boe)	Jun 30, 2025	Mar 31, 2025	Jun 30, 2024	2025	2024
Cash flow from operating activities	56,344	83,470	73,604	139,814	140,389
Per share - basic (\$)	0.57	0.83	0.73	1.40	1.40
Per share - diluted (\$)	0.56	0.82	0.72	1.39	1.37
\$ per boe	26.25	39.35	34.25	32.76	31.79
Adjusted funds flow	72,756	80,107	82,805	152,863	145,292
Per share - basic (\$)	0.73	0.80	0.82	1.53	1.44
Per share - diluted (\$)	0.73	0.79	0.81	1.52	1.42
\$ per boe	33.90	37.76	38.51	35.83	32.90

Cash flow from operating activities and adjusted funds flow for the three months ended June 30, 2025 decreased 32 percent and 9 percent respectively, when compared to the immediately preceding quarter. This is primarily a result of a decrease in revenue as a result of lower realized commodity pricing, partially offset by lower operating and transportation expenses.



Cash flow from operating activities and adjusted funds flow for the three months ended June 30, 2025 decreased 23 percent and 12 percent respectively, when compared to the same period of the prior year. This is primarily a result of a decrease in revenue as a result of lower realized commodity pricing and lower production volumes following the disposals of certain non-core assets during 2024, partially offset by lower operating and transportation expenses.

Cash flow from operating activities for the six months ended June 30, 2025 was comparable to the same period of the prior year.

Adjusted funds flow for the six months ended June 30, 2025 increased 5 percent when compared to the same period of the prior year, primarily due to lower royalty, operating, and transportation expenses, partially offset by a decrease in revenue as a result of lower realized commodity pricing and lower production volumes following the disposals of certain non-core assets during 2024.

See the following Operations section for additional information regarding the cash flow and operating results of the Company for the three and six months ended June 30, 2025 and see the Non-GAAP and Other Financial Measures section of this MD&A for further information regarding adjusted funds flow.

#### **OPERATIONS**

#### **Drilling**

	Dril	Drilling		
	Gross	Net	Working interest (%)	
Q1 2025	24.0	21.0	88 %	
Q2 2025	5.0	5.0	100 %	
Total	29.0	26.0	90 %	

During the period ended June 30, 2025, the Company drilled 5 gross (5.0 net) wells in Southeast Alberta ("Sparky").

### **Production**

	Three Months Ended			Six Months Ended Jun 30,			
	Jun 30, 2025	Mar 31, 2025	Jun 30, 2024	2025	2024		
Oil (bbls per day)	20,332	20,673	19,628	20,502	20,124		
NGL (bbls per day)	554	248	856	402	858		
Oil and NGL (bbls per day)	20,886	20,921	20,484	20,904	20,982		
Natural gas (mcf per day)	16,217	15,877	18,805	16,048	19,672		
Total (boe per day) (6:1)	23,589	23,567	23,618	23,579	24,261		
% Oil and NGL	89 %	89 %	87 %	89 %	86 %		

Surge averaged production of 23,589 boe per day in the second quarter of 2025 (89 percent oil and natural gas liquids ("NGLs")), more than 1,000 boe per day ahead of the Company's budgeted average 2025 production level of 22,500 boe per day. This outperformance is primarily due to better than anticipated drilling results in the Company's core assets in Sparky and Southeast Saskatchewan.

The Company's average production in the second quarter of 2025 is comparable to the average production rate in the first quarter of 2025 and the same period of the prior year. During the six months ended June 30, 2025, Surge achieved production of 23,579 boe per day (89 percent oil and NGLs), which decreased slightly compared to the same period of the prior year, mainly due to the disposals of certain non-core natural gas weighted assets in 2024.

The second quarter of 2025 represents the fourth full quarter following the disposals of certain non-core assets in Central Alberta and Southwest Saskatchewan. Additionally, the second quarter of 2025 represents the second full quarter following the disposal of certain non-core assets in Northwest Alberta. These disposals during 2024 accounted for production of 2,240 boe per day in the second quarter of 2024 and 1,885 boe per day in the first half of 2024.



Of the wells drilled during the second quarter of 2025, 3 gross (3.0 net) of the 5 gross (5.0 net) wells were on stream as at June 30, 2025. 2 gross (2.0 net) wells from the second quarter drilling program are expected to be completed and brought on stream in the third quarter of 2025.

Petroleum and Natural Gas Revenue, Realized Prices and Benchmark Pricing

	Ti	nree Months Ende	ed	Six Months I	Ended Jun 30,
(\$000s except per amount)	Jun 30, 2025	Mar 31, 2025	Jun 30, 2024	2025	2024
Petroleum and Natural Gas Revenue					
Oil	137,145	157,206	168,034	294,351	318,750
NGL	2,182	1,129	3,572	3,311	7,507
Oil and NGL	139,327	158,335	171,606	297,662	326,257
Natural gas	1,888	2,387	1,567	4,275	5,083
Total petroleum and natural gas revenue	141,215	160,722	173,173	301,937	331,340
Realized Prices					
Oil (\$ per bbl)	74.12	84.49	94.07	79.32	87.03
NGL (\$ per bbl)	43.29	50.53	45.85	45.51	48.06
Oil and NGL (\$ per bbl)	73.31	84.09	92.06	78.67	85.43
Natural gas (\$ per mcf)	1.28	1.67	0.92	1.47	1.42
Total petroleum and natural gas revenue before realized commodity and FX contracts (\$ per boe)	65.79	75.77	80.57	70.75	75.04
Benchmark Prices					
WTI (US\$ per bbl)	63.88	71.72	80.57	67.59	78.76
CAD/USD exchange rate	1.38	1.43	1.37	1.41	1.36
WTI (C\$ per bbl)	88.15	102.56	110.38	95.30	107.11
Edmonton Light Sweet (C\$ per bbl)	84.24	95.29	105.32	89.77	98.77
WCS (C\$ per bbl)	74.03	84.32	91.71	79.15	84.73
AECO Daily Index (C\$ per mcf)	1.69	2.16	1.18	1.92	1.84

Total petroleum and natural gas revenue for the second quarter of 2025 decreased 12 percent and 18 percent respectively, when compared to the immediately preceding quarter and the same period of 2024. The decrease correlates to a 14 percent and 20 percent decrease respectively, in WTI (C\$ per bbl), partially offset by the tightening of WCS and Edmonton light sweet differentials during the period.

Total petroleum and natural gas revenue for the six months ended June 30, 2025 decreased 9 percent when compared to the same period of 2024. The decrease correlates to an 11 percent decrease in WTI (C\$ per bbl), partially offset by the tightening of WCS and Edmonton light sweet differentials during the period.



### **ROYALTIES**

	Th	ree Months End	Six Months Ended Jun 30,		
(\$000s except per boe)	Jun 30, 2025	Mar 31, 2025	Jun 30, 2024	2025	2024
Royalties	24,139	28,457	27,501	52,596	57,645
% of petroleum and natural gas revenue	17.1 %	17.7 %	15.9 %	17.4 %	17.4 %
\$ per boe	11.25	13.42	12.80	12.32	13.06

As royalties are sensitive to both commodity prices and production levels, the corporate royalty rates will fluctuate with commodity prices, well production rates, production declines of existing wells, and performance and geographic location of new wells drilled.

Royalties as a percentage of revenue for the three months ended June 30, 2025 decreased from 17.7 percent to 17.1 percent when compared to the immediately preceding quarter, primarily due to a lower crude oil pricing environment. Royalties as a percentage of revenue for the three months ended June 30, 2025 increased from 15.9 percent to 17.1 percent when compared to the same period of the prior year, primarily due to certain newly drilled wells coming off royalty holiday during the period, partially offset by a lower crude oil pricing environment.

Royalties as a percentage of revenue for the six months ended June 30, 2025 was comparable to the same period of the prior year.

#### **NET OPERATING EXPENSES**

	Th	ree Months End	Six Months Ended Jun 30,			
(\$000s except per boe)	Jun 30, 2025	Mar 31, 2025	Jun 30, 2024	2025	2024	
Operating expenses	38,573	41,996	45,896	80,569	97,833	
Less processing income	(1,900)	(2,162)	(2,254)	(4,062)	(4,758)	
Net operating expenses	36,673	39,834	43,642	76,507	93,075	
\$ per boe	17.08	18.78	20.31	17.93	21.08	

Total net operating expenses for the second quarter of 2025 decreased 8 percent when compared to the immediately preceding quarter, primarily due to lower operating costs typically associated with spring weather conditions, such as fuel and repairs and maintenance, in addition to lower workover costs in the period.

Total net operating expenses for the three and six months ended June 30, 2025 decreased 16 percent and 18 percent respectively, when compared to the same periods of the prior year, primarily attributable to costs associated with the disposals of certain non-core assets during 2024.

#### TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES

	Th	ree Months End	Six Months E	inded Jun 30,	
(\$000s except per boe)	Jun 30, 2025	Mar 31, 2025	Jun 30, 2024	2025	2024
Transportation expenses	2,155	2,458	2,630	4,613	5,293
\$ per boe	1.00	1.16	1.22	1.08	1.20

Transportation expenses for the three months ended June 30, 2025 decreased 12 percent when compared to the immediately preceding quarter, primarily due to lower trucking costs as a result of a strategic effort to pipeline connect wells drilled in Southeast Saskatchewan during the first half of 2025.

Transportation expenses for the three and six months ended June 30, 2025 decreased 18 percent and 13 percent respectively, when compared to the same periods of the prior year, primarily due to the disposals of certain non-core assets during 2024, which were more reliant on trucking oil production than the Company's core operating areas.



### **GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES (G&A)**

	Th	ree Months End	Six Months E	nded Jun 30,	
(\$000s except per boe)	Jun 30, 2025	Mar 31, 2025	Jun 30, 2024	2025	2024
G&A expenses	7,303	7,343	7,059	14,646	14,067
Recoveries and capitalized amounts	(1,706)	(1,745)	(1,902)	(3,451)	(3,784)
Net G&A expenses	5,597	5,598	5,157	11,195	10,283
\$ per boe	2.61	2.64	2.40	2.62	2.33

Total net G&A expenses for the second quarter of 2025 was comparable to the immediately preceding quarter. Total net G&A expenses for the three and six months ended June 30, 2025 increased 9 percent when compared to the same periods of the prior year. The net increase is primarily a result of expenditures on the Company's head office lease commencing in 2025, in addition to the continued impact of inflationary pressures.

# TRANSACTION AND OTHER COSTS (INCOME)

	Th	ree Months End	Six Months I	nded Jun 30,	
(\$000s except per boe)	Jun 30, 2025	Mar 31, 2025	Jun 30, 2024	2025	2024
Transaction and other costs (income)	(82)	233	702	151	1,477
\$ per boe	(0.04)	0.11	0.33	0.04	0.33

The Company had other income in the second quarter of 2025 compared to costs in the immediately preceding quarter and the same period of the prior year, primarily due to the recovery of bad debt provisions in the period.

Total transaction and other costs for the six months ended June 30, 2025 decreased 90 percent when compared to the same period of 2024, primarily attributable to debt settlement costs related to the one-time option for early repayment of the Company's non-revolving second-lien term facility and costs related to the disposals of certain non-core assets incurred during the first half of 2024.



### **FINANCE EXPENSES**

	Three Months Ended			Six Months E	Ended Jun 30,
(\$000s except per boe)	Jun 30, 2025	Mar 31, 2025	Jun 30, 2024	2025	2024
Interest on bank debt and term debt	685	568	7,232	1,253	14,583
Interest on senior unsecured notes	3,748	3,749	_	7,497	_
Interest on convertible debentures	1,027	1,026	1,006	2,053	2,032
Interest on lease and other obligations	501	352	490	853	1,009
Realized gain on interest contracts	_	_	(439)	_	(884)
Total interest expense	5,961	5,695	8,289	11,656	16,740
\$ per boe	2.78	2.68	3.86	2.73	3.79
Accretion expense	3,297	3,916	3,249	7,213	6,255
Unrealized loss on interest contracts	_	_	296	_	705
Other finance expenses	_	4,139	_	4,139	_
Total finance expense	9,258	13,750	11,834	23,008	23,700
\$ per boe	4.31	6.48	5.51	5.39	5.37
Average principal amount					
Bank debt	_	_	42,755	_	42,769
Senior unsecured notes	175,000	175,000	_	175,000	_
Term debt	6,434	6,791	154,007	6,672	163,513
Convertible debentures	48,300	48,300	48,300	48,300	48,300
Average total principal amount of debt outstanding	229,734	230,091	245,062	229,972	254,582

Total interest expense for the second quarter of 2025 increased 5 percent when compared to the immediately preceding quarter primarily due to the Company's operating loan facility being drawn more during the period, resulting in higher interest on bank debt, in addition to higher interest on lease and other obligations.

Total interest expense for the three and six months ended June 30, 2025 decreased 28 percent and 30 percent respectively, when compared to the same periods of the prior year due to lower outstanding net debt between the periods as a result of net debt reduction throughout 2024.

Total finance expense includes accretion, representing the change in the time value of the decommissioning obligations, term debt, convertible debentures ("Debentures") and senior unsecured notes ("Notes") as well as unrealized gains and losses on financial interest contracts and other finance expenses. For the six months ended June 30, 2025, the Company had a \$4.1 million finance expense relating to the modification and extension of an other obligation.



### **NETBACKS**

	Th	ree Months End	ed	Six Months Ended Jun 30,		
(\$ per boe, except production)	Jun 30, 2025	Mar 31, 2025	Jun 30, 2024	2025	2024	
Average production (boe per day)	23,589	23,567	23,618	23,579	24,261	
Petroleum and natural gas revenue	65.79	75.77	80.57	70.75	75.04	
Realized gain (loss) on commodity and FX contracts	2.83	0.67	(1.47)	1.76	(0.68)	
Royalties	(11.25)	(13.42)	(12.80)	(12.32)	(13.06)	
Net operating expenses	(17.08)	(18.78)	(20.31)	(17.93)	(21.08)	
Transportation expenses	(1.00)	(1.16)	(1.22)	(1.08)	(1.20)	
Operating netback	39.29	43.08	44.77	41.18	39.02	
G&A expense	(2.61)	(2.64)	(2.40)	(2.62)	(2.33)	
Interest expense	(2.78)	(2.68)	(3.86)	(2.73)	(3.79)	
Adjusted funds flow	33.90	37.76	38.51	35.83	32.90	

Operating netback for the three months ended June 30, 2025 decreased 9 percent and 12 percent respectively, when compared to the immediately preceding quarter and the same period of the prior year, primarily due to lower realized commodity pricing, partially offset by lower royalty and net operating expenses.

Operating netback for the six months ended June 30, 2025 increased 6 percent when compared to the same period of the prior year, primarily due to lower net operating expenses and a realized gain on commodity and FX contracts, partially offset by lower realized commodity pricing and lower average production as a result of the disposals of certain non-core assets in 2024.

Please refer to the respective sections of the MD&A for a detailed explanation of the changes to the netback as compared to prior periods.

### STOCK-BASED COMPENSATION

	Th	ree Months End	Six Months E	nded Jun 30,	
(\$000s except per boe)	Jun 30, 2025	Mar 31, 2025	Jun 30, 2024	2025	2024
Stock-based compensation	4,560	2,998	2,638	7,558	5,231
Capitalized stock-based compensation	(1,444)	(965)	(698)	(2,409)	(1,645)
Net stock-based compensation	3,116	2,033	1,940	5,149	3,586
\$ per boe	1.45	0.96	0.90	1.21	0.81

Net stock-based compensation expense for the second quarter of 2025 increased 53 percent when compared to the immediately preceding quarter, primarily due to an upward performance share award multiplier adjustment for awards that vested during the period.

For the three and six months ended June 30, 2025, net stock-based compensation increased 61 percent and 44 percent respectively, as compared to the same periods of 2024, primarily due to a higher number of awards granted and outstanding during the current period.



### **DEPLETION AND DEPRECIATION**

	Three Months Ended			Six Months E	inded Jun 30,
(\$000s except per boe)	Jun 30, 2025	Mar 31, 2025	Jun 30, 2024	2025	2024
Depletion and depreciation expense	41,657	56,013	44,831	97,670	91,668
\$ per boe	19.41	26.41	20.86	22.89	20.76

Depletion and depreciation are calculated based on total capital expenditures (including acquisitions and dispositions), production rates and proved and probable oil and gas reserves.

Depletion and depreciation expense for the three months ended June 30, 2025 decreased 26 percent when compared to the immediately preceding quarter. This is primarily due to lower capital additions and a \$4.2 million recovery compared to a \$2.5 million expense in the first quarter of 2025, related to changes in the discounted carrying value of estimated decommissioning obligations in respect of properties that had a nil carrying value ascribed.

Depletion and depreciation expense for the three months ended June 30, 2025 decreased 7 percent when compared to the same period of 2024. This is due to a lower depletable base as a result of the disposal of certain non-core assets in the fourth quarter of 2024.

Depletion and depreciation expense for the six months ended June 30, 2025 increased 7 percent when compared to the same period of 2024. This is due to lower depletable reserves as a result of the 2024 reserve evaluation, partially offset by a lower depletable base and lower production volumes, as a result of the disposals of certain non-core assets in 2024.

# **NET INCOME (LOSS)**

	Tł	ree Months End	Six Months I	inded Jun 30,	
(\$000s except per share)	Jun 30, 2025	Mar 31, 2025	Jun 30, 2024	2025	2024
Net income (loss)	31,907	8,246	(64,693)	40,153	(68,323)
Per share - basic (\$)	0.32	0.08	(0.64)	0.40	(0.68)
Per share - diluted (\$) <sup>(1)</sup>	0.32	0.08	(0.64)	0.40	(0.68)

<sup>(1)</sup> Dilution is not reflected in the calculation of net loss for the three and six months ended June 30, 2024.

Please refer to the financial statements and the other applicable sections of this MD&A for further information regarding the changes in net income (loss) over the period.

The Company realized net income for the three and six months ended June 30, 2025 as compared to a net loss for the same periods of 2024, primarily due to a \$96.5 million impairment recognized in the second quarter of 2024.



### **CAPITAL EXPENDITURES**

### **Capital Expenditure Summary**

(\$000s)	Q1 2025	Q2 2025	2025 YTD	2024 YTD	% Change
Land	1,547	6,156	7,703	3,730	107 %
Seismic	393	181	574	846	(32)%
Drilling and completions	41,696	14,524	56,220	57,045	(1)%
Facilities, equipment and pipelines	8,810	7,676	16,486	19,226	(14)%
Other	1,953	2,293	4,246	4,618	(8)%
Expenditures on property, plant and equipment	54,399	30,830	85,229	85,465	<b>–</b> %
Expenditures on acquisitions	100	_	100	3,535	(97)%
Cash from dispositions	(56)	(60)	(116)	(37,036)	(100)%
Net acquisitions & dispositions	44	(60)	(16)	(33,501)	(100)%
Net capital expenditures	54,443	30,770	85,213	51,964	64 %

During the second quarter of 2025, Surge invested a total of \$30.8 million, excluding acquisitions and dispositions, investing \$14.5 million on drilling and completions. Of this amount, \$11.3 million was spent on drilling; \$1.5 million on completions; and \$1.7 million on workovers. \$9.5 million of this total was spent to drill and complete 5 gross (5.0 net) wells in the Sparky region and \$1.1 million was spent to drill and complete 1 gross (1.0 net) disposal well in the Sparky region. Production from 2 gross (2.0 net) wells from the second quarter drilling program will be brought on stream in the third quarter of 2025.

During the second quarter of 2025, Surge invested \$7.7 million on facilities, equipment and pipelines, including equipping and tying in wells drilled in the second quarter and completing scheduled turnarounds on operated facilities. Of this amount, \$6.3 million was spent on facilities and \$1.4 million was spent on equipment and pipelines. An additional \$8.6 million was spent on land, seismic and other capital items during the quarter.

# **FACTORS THAT HAVE CAUSED VARIATIONS OVER THE QUARTERS**

### **Share Capital and Option Activity**

	Q2 2025	Q1 2025	Q4 2024	Q3 2024
Weighted common shares	99,319,449	99,979,139	101,141,510	101,066,498
Dilutive instruments (treasury method)	854,203	1,263,426	744,949	1,471,234
Weighted average diluted shares outstanding	100,173,652	101,242,565	101,886,459	102,537,732
	Q2 2024	Q1 2024	Q4 2023	Q3 2023
Weighted common shares	100,581,954	100,529,046	100,314,111	99,384,440
Dilutive instruments (treasury method)	2,154,779	1,646,316	1,808,477	1,588,786
Weighted average diluted shares outstanding	102,736,733	102,175,362	102,122,588	100,973,226

On July 28, 2025, Surge had 99,092,057 common shares, 2,707,351 performance share awards ("PSAs"), and 1,998,616 restricted share awards ("RSAs") outstanding.



# **Quarterly Financial Information**

Quarterly i manicial information				
(\$000s except per share and per boe)	Q2 2025	Q1 2025	Q4 2024	Q3 2024
Oil, Natural gas & NGL sales	141,215	160,722	163,172	162,191
Net income (loss)	31,907	8,246	(2,656)	17,263
Net income (loss) per share (\$):				
Basic	0.32	0.08	(0.03)	0.17
Diluted (1)	0.32	0.08	(0.03)	0.17
Cash flow from operating activities	56,344	83,470	64,838	73,420
Cash flow from operating activities per share (\$):				
Basic	0.57	0.83	0.64	0.73
Diluted	0.56	0.82	0.64	0.72
Adjusted funds flow	72,756	80,107	76,121	72,710
Adjusted funds flow per share (\$):				
Basic	0.73	0.80	0.75	0.72
Diluted	0.73	0.79	0.75	0.71
Average daily sales				
Oil (bbls/d)	20,332	20,673	20,675	19,988
NGL (bbls/d)	554	248	777	779
Natural gas (mcf/d)	16,217	15,877	17,199	18,168
Barrels of oil equivalent (boe per day) (6:1)	23,589	23,567	24,319	23,795
Average sales price				
Natural gas (\$/mcf)	1.28	1.67	0.88	0.24
Oil (\$/bbl)	74.12	84.49	83.28	86.17
NGL (\$/bbl)	43.29	50.53	47.26	46.50
Barrels of oil equivalent (\$/boe)	65.79	75.77	72.93	74.09

<sup>(1)</sup> Dilution is not reflected in the calculation of net loss for the three months ended December 31, 2024.



#### **Quarterly Financial Information**

Quarterly i mancial information				
(\$000s except per share and per boe)	Q2 2024	Q1 2024	Q4 2023	Q3 2023
Oil, Natural gas & NGL sales	173,173	158,167	168,453	184,475
Net income (loss)	(64,693)	(3,630)	(29,676)	16,583
Net income (loss) per share (\$):				
Basic	(0.64)	(0.04)	(0.30)	0.17
Diluted <sup>(1)</sup>	(0.64)	(0.04)	(0.30)	0.16
Cash flow from operating activities	73,604	66,785	79,712	71,315
Cash flow from operating activities per share (\$):				
Basic	0.73	0.66	0.79	0.72
Diluted	0.72	0.65	0.78	0.71
Adjusted funds flow	82,805	62,487	77,001	86,874
Adjusted funds flow per share (\$):				
Basic	0.82	0.62	0.77	0.87
Diluted	0.81	0.61	0.75	0.86
Average daily sales				
Oil (bbls/d)	19,628	20,620	20,741	20,188
NGL (bbls/d)	856	860	808	659
Natural gas (mcf/d)	18,805	20,539	21,005	19,564
Barrels of oil equivalent (boe per day) (6:1)	23,618	24,903	25,050	24,108
Average sales price				
Natural gas (\$/mcf)	0.92	1.88	2.11	2.15
Oil (\$/bbl)	94.07	80.32	84.24	95.53
NGL (\$/bbl)	45.85	50.25	48.68	52.34
Barrels of oil equivalent (\$/boe)	80.57	69.79	73.09	83.17

<sup>(1)</sup> Dilution is not reflected in the calculation of net loss for the three months ended June 30, 2024, March 31, 2024 and December 31, 2023.

The fluctuations in Surge's revenue and net income (loss) from quarter to quarter are primarily caused by changes in production volumes, changes in realized commodity prices and the related impact on royalties, realized and unrealized gains or losses on derivative instruments, and changes in impairment charges and non-cash items.

Surge has experienced organic production growth over the past two years as a result of its capital expenditure programs. This growth has been slightly offset due to the disposals of certain non-core assets in Central Alberta and Southwest Saskatchewan during the second quarter of 2024, which removed approximately 1,100 boe per day from production and the disposal of certain non-core assets in Northwest Alberta in the fourth quarter of 2024, which removed approximately 1,300 boe per day from production. As a result, the Company has seen a decrease from 24,108 boe per day in the third quarter of 2023 to 23,589 boe per day in the second quarter of 2025. These fluctuations in production volumes and in realized commodity prices have impacted the Company's petroleum and natural gas revenues, cash flow from operating activities and adjusted funds flow. Net income (loss) has fluctuated due to impairments and changes in adjusted funds flow and unrealized risk management gains and losses which fluctuate with the changes in forward benchmark commodity prices and exchange rates.



#### LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

As at June 30, 2025, Surge had nil drawn on its credit facilities, \$175.0 million principal amount of Notes outstanding, excluding unamortized issue costs of \$3.7 million, \$48.3 million principal amount of Debentures outstanding, and total net debt of \$229.1 million. Total net debt decreased 7 percent as compared to the immediately preceding quarter and was comparable to the same period of the prior year. As at June 30, 2025, Surge had approximately \$247.6 million of borrowing capacity in relation to the \$250.0 million Facilities (as defined herein) and had \$2.4 million of outstanding letters of credit (December 31, 2024 - \$2.6 million), which are included within the \$50 million operating loan facility. The following table sets forth the capitalization of Surge:

### **Capitalization**

(\$000s except share amounts)	Outstanding as at June 30, 2025
Common shares outstanding	99,092,057
Shareholder Equity	
Share capital	1,744,640
Debentures - equity	6,375
Debt	
Bank debt	
Total commitment	250,000
Amount drawn	_
Senior unsecured notes	
Total principal	175,000
Unamortized issue costs	(3,692)
Total, net of unamortized issue costs	171,308
Term debt	5,753
Debentures - liability	40,253

#### **Shareholder Returns**

For the three months ended June 30, 2025, the Company returned a total of \$15.1 million to shareholders through the Company's normal course issuer bid ("NCIB") program and dividends. For the six months ended June 30, 2025, the Company returned a total of \$33.1 million to shareholders through the Company's NCIB and dividends.

The NCIB allows for the repurchase for cancellation of up to a maximum of 9,597,280 common shares of the Company. For the three months ended June 30, 2025, the Company repurchased for cancellation 431,100 common shares under its NCIB at a weighted average price of \$5.19 per share and a total cost of \$2.2 million. For the six months ended June 30, 2025, the Company repurchased for cancellation 1,289,900 common shares under its NCIB at a weighted average price of \$5.60 per share and a total cost of \$7.2 million. This represents 1.3% of the Company's common shares outstanding as of June 30, 2025.

In addition, the Company paid \$12.9 million in dividends for the three months ended June 30, 2025 and \$25.9 million in dividends for the six months ended June 30, 2025 (\$0.52 per share annualized).



#### **Convertible Debentures**

	Number of convertible debentures		
Balance at December 31, 2024	48,300	39,401	6,375
Accretion of discount	_	852	_
Balance at June 30, 2025	48,300	40,253	6,375

Surge monitors its capital structure and makes adjustments according to market conditions in an effort to meet its objectives. Currently, Surge anticipates that the future capital requirements will be funded through a combination of internal cash flow, divestitures, and debt and/or equity financing. There can be no guarantees that the Facilities (as defined herein) will be extended or that alternative forms of debt and equity financing will be available on terms acceptable to the Company to meet its capital requirements.

#### **Net Debt**

(\$000s)	As at June 30, 2025
Cash	8,434
Accounts receivable	49,569
Prepaid expenses and deposits	5,349
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(70,883)
Dividends payable	(4,294)
Senior unsecured notes	(171,308)
Term debt	(5,753)
Convertible debentures	(40,253)
Total	(229,139)

#### **Bank Debt**

As at June 30, 2025, the Company had a total commitment of \$250 million, being the aggregate of a committed revolving first-lien term facility of \$200 million and an operating loan facility of \$50 million (the "Facilities"), with a syndicate of banks. A review and redetermination of the borrowing base is scheduled to occur semi-annually on or before May 31 and November 30 of each year. During the period, the Company reconfirmed and extended its Facilities, with the option of the Facilities being extended for a further 364-day period at the request of the Company and subject to the approval of the syndicate. The maturity of the newly reconfirmed Facilities is extended through to May 31, 2027.

As at June 30, 2025, the Company had \$2.4 million of outstanding letters of credit (December 31, 2024 - \$2.6 million), which are included within the \$50 million operating loan facility and reduces the lending capacity available.

#### **Senior Unsecured Notes**

As at June 30, 2025, the Company had \$175.0 million of Notes outstanding. The Notes bear interest at a fixed rate of 8.500% per annum, payable semi-annually, with a due date of September 5, 2029, and rank equally with all other present unsecured and subordinated debt of the Company. The Notes were priced at 100% of par to yield 8.500% per annum.

The Notes are non-callable by the Company prior to September 5, 2026. On or after September 5, 2026, the Company may redeem all or part of the Notes at the redemption prices set forth below, plus any accrued and unpaid interest, for the twelve month period beginning on:

i. September 5, 2026: 104.250%

ii. September 5, 2027: 102.125%

iii. September 5, 2028 and thereafter: 100.000%



### **Emissions Reduction Fund**

As at June 30, 2025, the Company had a \$5.8 million (December 31, 2024 - \$6.2 million) loan repayable relating to the Government of Canada Emissions Reduction Fund ("ERF"), which is included as term debt within these condensed interim financial statements. As at June 30, 2025, the Company had received \$10.9 million (December 31, 2024 – \$10.9 million) of funds from the ERF for the Company's planned gas emissions reduction program, of which a total of \$2.4 million (December 31, 2024 - \$1.7 million) has been repaid.

The next repayment of 33.3 percent of the repayable portion is due on March 31, 2026. As a result, \$2.4 million (December 31, 2024 - \$0.7 million) of the loan repayable has been reflected as current term debt.

A summary of outstanding debt is as follows:

(\$000s)	Bank debt	Senior unsecured notes	Term debt	Total
Balance at December 31, 2024	_	170,872	6,224	177,096
Repayment	_	_	(715)	(715)
Accretion		436	244	680
Balance at June 30, 2025	_	171,308	5,753	177,061
Current liabilities	_	_	2,381	2,381
Non-current liabilities	_	171,308	3,372	174,680

### **RELATED-PARTY AND OFF-BALANCE-SHEET TRANSACTIONS**

Surge was not involved in any off-balance-sheet transactions or related-party transactions during the period ended June 30, 2025.

### **FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS**

The following table summarizes the Company's financial derivatives as at July 28, 2025 by period and by product.

### **West Texas Intermediate Crude Oil Derivative Contracts (WTI)**

	Sv	vaps	Collars		
Period	Volumes (bbls/d)	Average Price (CAD/bbl) (1)	Volumes (bbls/d)	Average Bought Put (CAD/bbl) <sup>(1)</sup>	Average Sold Call (CAD/bbl) (1)
Qtr. 3 2025	4,000	\$99.23	4,500	\$95.35	\$108.97
Qtr. 4 2025	2,500	\$94.11	_	_	_
Qtr. 1 2026	2,000	\$93.19	_	_	_

<sup>(1)</sup> The implied CAD Average Price per bbl was calculated using the June 30, 2025 exchange rate of USD \$1.00 = CAD \$1.3622.



# **Western Canadian Select Differential Derivative Contracts (WCS)**

	Swaps					
Period	Volumes (bbls/d)	Average Price (CAD/bbl) <sup>(1)</sup>				
Qtr. 3 2025	5,000	\$(18.51)				
Qtr. 4 2025	5,000	\$(18.51)				
Qtr. 1 2026	4,000	\$(17.98)				
Qtr. 2 2026	1,500	\$(17.78)				
Qtr. 3 2026	1,500	\$(17.78)				

<sup>(1)</sup> The implied CAD Average Price per bbl was calculated using the June 30, 2025 exchange rate of USD \$1.00 = CAD \$1.3622.

# **Mixed Sweet Blend Differential Derivative Contracts (MSW)**

	Swaps				
Period	Volumes (bbls/d)	Average Price (CAD/bbl) (1)			
Qtr. 3 2025	3,000	\$(4.97)			
Qtr. 4 2025	2,000	\$(5.35)			

<sup>(1)</sup> The implied CAD Average Price per bbl was calculated using the June 30, 2025 exchange rate of USD \$1.00 = CAD \$1.3622.

# **Natural Gas Derivative Contracts**

	AEC	O Swaps	NYMEX Collars			NYMEX - AECO Basis Swaps	
Period	Volumes (GJ/d)		Volumes (MMBtu/d)	Average Bought Put (CAD/MMBtu) (1)	Average Sold Call (CAD/MMBtu) (1)	Volumes (MMBtu/d)	Average Price (CAD/MMBtu) (1)
Qtr. 3 2025	1,700	\$4.41	3,300	\$4.09	\$4.77	5,000	\$(1.42)
Qtr. 4 2025	3,888	\$3.36	1,112	\$4.09	\$4.77	1,685	\$(1.42)
Qtr. 1 2026	5,000	\$3.18	_	_	_	_	_

<sup>(1)</sup> The implied CAD Average Price per GJ and MMBtu, as applicable, was calculated using the June 30, 2025 exchange rate of USD \$1.00 = CAD \$1.3622.

# **Foreign Currency Exchange Derivative Contracts**

Туре	Term	Notional Amount (USD)	Floor	Ceiling
Average Rate Collar	Jan 2025 - Dec 2025	\$5,000,000	1.3300	1.4050
Average Rate Collar	Jan 2025 - Jun 2026	\$5,000,000	1.3850	1.4610
Average Rate Collar	Jul 2025 - Dec 2025	\$5,000,000	1.3900	1.4650
Average Rate Collar	Jan 2026 - Dec 2026	\$5,000,000	1.3800	1.4450



#### **CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES**

#### **Disclosure Controls and Procedures**

Disclosure controls and procedures ("DC&P"), as defined in National Instrument 52-109 - Certification of Disclosure in Issuers' Annual and Interim Filings ("NI 52-109"), are designed to provide reasonable assurance that information required to be disclosed by the Company in its annual filings, interim filings or other reports filed or submitted by it under securities legislation is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the securities legislation and include controls and procedures designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed by the Company in its annual filings, interim filings or other reports filed or submitted under securities legislation is accumulated and communicated to the Company's management, including its certifying officers, as appropriate to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure.

There were no changes in the Company's DC&P during the second quarter of 2025 that materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, the Company's DC&P.

### **Internal Controls Over Financial Reporting**

Internal control over financial reporting ("ICFR"), as defined in NI 52-109, includes those policies and procedures that:

- 1. pertain to the maintenance of records that, in reasonable detail, accurately and fairly reflect transactions and dispositions of assets of the Company;
- 2. are designed to provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and that receipts and expenditures of the Company are being made in accordance with authorizations of management and Directors of Surge; and
- 3. are designed to provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorized acquisition, use, or disposition of the Company's assets that could have a material effect on the financial statements.

The President & Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer are responsible for designing internal controls over financial reporting or causing them to be designed under their supervision in order to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with IFRS. The Company's President & Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer have designed, or caused to be designed under their supervision, disclosure controls and procedures to provide reasonable assurance that: (i) material information relating to the Company is made known to the Company's President & Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer by others, particularly during the period in which the annual and interim filings are being prepared; and (ii) information required to be disclosed by the Company in its annual filings, interim filings or other reports filed or submitted by it under securities legislation is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time period specified in securities legislation.

The Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission ("COSO") 2013 framework provides the basis for management's design of internal controls over financial reporting. Management and the Board work to mitigate the risk of a material misstatement in financial reporting; however, a control system, no matter how well conceived or operated, can provide only reasonable, not absolute, assurance that the objectives of the control system are met and it should not be expected that the disclosure and internal control procedures will prevent all errors or fraud.

There were no changes in the Company's ICFR during the second quarter of 2025 that materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, the Company's ICFR.

### **CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES**

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with IFRS requires management to make certain judgments and estimates. Due to the timing of when activities occur compared to the reporting of those activities, management must estimate and accrue operating results and capital spending. Changes in these judgments and estimates could have a material impact on our financial results and financial condition.



#### **Reserves**

Estimation of recoverable quantities of proved and probable reserves include estimates and assumptions regarding forecasted oil and gas commodity prices, exchange rates, discount rates, forecasted production volumes, forecasted operating costs, royalty costs and future development costs for future cash flows as well as the interpretation of complex geological and geophysical models and data.

Changes in reported reserves can affect the impairment of assets, the decommissioning obligations and the amounts reported for depletion, depreciation and amortization of property, plant & equipment ("PP&E"). These reserve estimates are undertaken by independent third party reserve evaluators, who work with information provided by the Company to establish reserve determinations in accordance with National Instrument 51-101 - Standards of Disclosure for Oil and Gas Activities ("NI 51-101").

#### **Forecasted Oil and Gas Commodity Prices**

Management's estimates of forecasted oil and gas commodity prices are critical as these prices are used to determine the carrying amount of PP&E, assess for indicators of impairment and determine the change in fair value of financial contracts. Management's estimates of prices are based on the price forecast from our independent third party reserve evaluator and the current forward market.

#### **Business Combinations**

Management makes various assumptions in determining the fair values of any acquired company's assets and liabilities in a business combination. The most significant assumptions and judgments made relate to the estimation of the fair value of the oil and gas properties. To determine the fair value of these properties, we estimate (a) proved and probable oil and gas reserves in accordance with NI 51-101 and (b) forecasted oil and gas commodity prices.

#### **Decommissioning Obligation**

Management calculates the decommissioning obligation based on estimated costs to abandon and reclaim its net ownership interest in all wells and facilities and the estimated timing of the costs to be incurred in future periods. The fair value estimate is capitalized to PP&E as part of the cost of the related asset and amortized over its useful life. There are uncertainties related to decommissioning obligations and the impact on the financial statements could be material as the eventual timing and costs for the obligations could differ from our estimates. Factors that could cause our estimates to differ include any changes to laws or regulations, reserve estimates, costs and technology.

## **Derivative Financial Instruments**

Surge utilizes derivative financial instruments to manage its exposure to market risks relating to commodity prices, foreign currency exchange rates and interest rates. Fair values of derivative contracts fluctuate depending on the underlying estimate of future commodity prices, foreign currency exchange rates, interest rates and counterparty credit risk.

### **Stock-based Compensation**

Management makes various assumptions in determining the value of stock based compensation. This includes estimating the forfeiture rate, the expected volatility of the underlying security, interest rates and expected life, and the achievement of certain performance conditions as it relates to the performance multiplier.

#### **Deferred Income Taxes**

Management makes various assumptions in determining the deferred income tax provision, including (but not limited to) future tax rates, accessibility of tax pools and future cash flows.

#### **RISK FACTORS**

Additional risk factors can be found under "Risk Factors" in the Company's AIF for the year ended December 31, 2024, which can be found on <a href="https://www.sedarplus.ca">www.sedarplus.ca</a>. Many risks are discussed below and in the AIF, but these risk factors should not be construed as exhaustive. There are numerous factors, both known and unknown, that could cause actual results or events to differ materially from forecast results.



Oil and natural gas operations involve many risks that even a combination of experience, knowledge and careful evaluation may not be able to overcome. The long-term commercial success of Surge depends on its ability to find, acquire, develop, and commercially produce oil and natural gas reserves. Without the continual addition of new reserves, any existing reserves Surge may have at any particular time and the production therefrom will decline over time as such existing reserves are exploited. A future increase in Surge's reserves will depend not only on the Company's ability to explore and develop any properties it may have from time to time, but also on its ability to select and acquire suitable producing properties or prospects. No assurance can be given that further commercial quantities of oil and natural gas will be discovered or acquired by Surge.

Surge's principal risks include finding and developing economic hydrocarbon reserves efficiently and being able to fund its capital program. The Company's need for capital is both short-term and long-term in nature. Short-term working capital will be required to finance accounts receivable, drilling deposits and other similar short-term assets, while the acquisition and development of oil and natural gas properties requires large amounts of long-term capital. Surge anticipates that future capital requirements will be funded through a combination of internal adjusted funds flow, debt and/or equity financing. There is no assurance that debt and equity financing will be available on terms acceptable to the Company to meet its capital requirements. If any components of the Company's business plan are missing, the Company may not be able to execute its entire business plan.

All phases of the oil and natural gas business present environmental risks and hazards and are subject to environmental regulation pursuant to a variety of federal, provincial, and local laws and regulations. Environmental legislation provides for, among other things, restrictions and prohibitions on spills, releases or emissions of various substances produced in association with oil and natural gas operations. The legislation also requires that wells and facility sites be operated, maintained, abandoned and reclaimed to the satisfaction of applicable regulatory authorities. Compliance with such legislation can require significant expenditures and a breach may result in the imposition of fines and penalties, some of which may be material to the Company. Environmental legislation is evolving in a manner expected to result in stricter standards and enforcement, larger fines and liability and potentially increased capital expenditures and operating costs. The discharge of oil, natural gas or other pollutants into the air, soil, or water may give rise to liabilities to governments and third parties and may require Surge's operating entities to incur costs to remedy such discharge. Although Surge believes that it is in material compliance with current applicable environmental regulations, no assurance can be given that environment laws will not result in a curtailment of production or a material increase in the costs of production, development or exploration activities or otherwise adversely affect Surge's financial condition, results of operations or prospects.

Surge's involvement in the exploration for and development of oil and natural gas properties may result in Surge becoming subject to liability for pollution, blowouts, property damage, personal injury or other hazards. Although, prior to drilling, Surge will obtain insurance in accordance with industry standards to address certain of these risks, such insurance has limitations on liability that may not be sufficient to cover the full extent of such liability. In addition, such risks may not, in all circumstances, be insurable or, in certain circumstances, Surge may elect not to obtain insurance to deal with specific risks due to the high premiums associated with such insurance or other reasons. The payment of such uninsured liabilities would reduce the funds available to Surge. The occurrence of a significant event that was not fully insured against, or the insolvency of the insurer of such event, could have a material adverse effect on Surge's financial position, results of operations or prospects and will reduce income otherwise used to fund operations.

The Company's financial performance and condition are substantially dependent on the prevailing prices of oil and natural gas which are unstable and subject to fluctuation. Fluctuations in oil or natural gas prices could have an adverse effect on the Company's operations and financial condition and the value and amount of its reserves. Prices for crude oil fluctuate in response to global supply of and demand for oil, market performance and uncertainty and a variety of other factors which are outside the control of the Company including, but not limited to, the world economy and the Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries' ability to adjust supply to world demand, government regulation, political stability and the availability of alternative fuel sources. Natural gas prices are influenced primarily by factors within North America, including North American supply and demand, economic performance, weather conditions and availability and pricing of alternative fuel sources.



Decreases in oil and natural gas prices typically result in a reduction of the Company's net production revenue and may change the economics of producing from some wells, which could result in a reduction in the volume of the Company's reserves. Any further substantial declines in the prices of crude oil or natural gas could also result in delay or cancellation of existing or future drilling, development or construction programs or the curtailment of production. All of these factors could result in a material decrease in the Company's net production revenue, cash flows and profitability causing a reduction in its oil and gas acquisition and development activities. In addition, bank borrowings available to the Company will in part be determined by the Company's borrowing base. A sustained material decline in prices from historical average prices could further reduce such borrowing base, therefore reducing the bank credit available and could require that a portion of its bank debt be repaid.

U.S. foreign trade policy continues to remain unstable as a result of actions taken by President Trump's administration and the retaliatory response taken by countries all over the world. Such actions include the imposition of a 10% tariff on "energy and energy resources" from Canada, a 25% tariff on Canadian goods (excluding Canada-United States-Mexico Agreement ("CUSMA") compliant items) and a 50% tariff on steel and aluminum currently in effect. On July 11, 2025, President Trump announced an increase on the tariff on Canadian goods (excluding CUSMA compliant items) to 35%, effective August 1, 2025. Any Canadian reciprocal tariff has been paused while negotiations remain ongoing.

The implementation of such tariffs, including any further or additional retaliatory tariffs imposed by Canada in response, any changes to the existing tariffs including any delay or escalation of such tariffs and any further potential tariff response strategy by either country may create uncertainty, which has permeated the economic and investment outlook, impacting current economic conditions, including such issues as the inflation rate and the global supply chain. Aside from its impact on the global economy, the new tariff conflict may have an adverse effect on the Company's business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects, which adverse effect could prove to be material over time. This tariff conflict may put into perspective many of the top and emerging risks to which the Company is exposed, including credit risk, commodity pricing and market risk, liquidity and funding risk, operational risk, strategic risk and third-party risk. The extent to which the Company's business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects will be affected depends largely on the nature and duration of uncertain and unpredictable events, such as the duration or escalation of the tariffs, the evolution of retaliatory measures, possible fiscal or monetary policy responses, and reactions to ongoing changes by global financial markets.

The Company utilizes financial derivatives contracts to manage market risk. All such transactions are conducted in accordance with the risk management policy that has been approved by the Board.

### **BOE PRESENTATION**

All amounts are expressed in Canadian dollars unless otherwise noted. Oil, natural gas and natural gas liquids reserves and volumes are converted to a common unit of measure, referred to as a barrel of oil equivalent (boe), on the basis of 6,000 cubic feet of natural gas being equal to one barrel of oil. This conversion ratio is based on an energy equivalency conversion method, primarily applicable at the burner tip and does not necessarily represent a value equivalency at the wellhead. It should be noted that the use of boe might be misleading, particularly if used in isolation.

#### **FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS**

This MD&A contains forward-looking statements. The use of any of the words "anticipate", "continue", "could", "estimate", "expect", "may", "will", "project", "should", "believe" and similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements. These statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors that may cause actual results or events to differ materially from those anticipated in such forward-looking statements.

More particularly, this MD&A contains statements concerning: expectation that certain wells will be brought on stream in the third quarter of 2025 and anticipated timing thereof; future availability and borrowing capacity under the Company's Facilities and any renewal thereof; ability of the Company to continue to meet its obligations under its Facilities; ability of the Company to continue to make repurchases under its NCIB; ability of the Company to meet its objectives; estimations in respect of reserves and decommissioning obligations; the Company's ability to fund future capital requirements and the nature and source of such funding; the Company's ability to redeem the Notes; interest rates on the Notes and timing of interest payable thereon; amount and timing with respect to the repayment of the ERF; fair value of forward contracts,



swaps, options and costless collars entered into by the Company; changes with respect to emissions, carbon and other regulations impacting climate and climate related matters; expectations with respect to royalty rates and the conditions which may impact them; and the ongoing assessment of management and the Board of market conditions.

The forward-looking statements are based on certain key expectations and assumptions made by Surge, including: expectations and assumptions concerning the performance of existing wells and success obtained in drilling new wells; anticipated expenses; cash flow and capital expenditures; compliance with and application of regulatory and royalty regimes; prevailing commodity prices and economic conditions; the Company's expectations regarding well production rates, production decline of existing wells and performance and geographic location of new wells drilled; the ability of the Company to achieve its objectives and goals; recoverable and carrying value of certain assets; the impact of any new pandemic or epidemic and other international or geopolitical events, including government responses related thereto and their impact on global energy pricing, oil and gas industry exploration and development activity levels and production volumes; the financial assumptions used by Surge's reserve evaluators in assessing potential impairment of Surge assets; Surge's belief that the majority of cash flow's associated with its proved and probable reserves will be realized prior to the elimination of carbon based energy; the Company's belief in the uncertainty regarding the ultimate period in which global energy markets can transition from carbon based sources to alternative energy; management's expectations as to the cause of fluctuation in corporate royalty rates; management's beliefs regarding the estimates of the future values for certain assets and liabilities of the Company; underlying causes of the fluctuations in Surge's revenue and net income (loss) from quarter to quarter; the Company's estimates with respect to incremental borrowing rates and lease terms; development and completion activities and the costs relating thereto; the performance of new wells and ability of the Company to bring new wells on stream; the successful implementation of waterflood programs; the availability of and performance of facilities and pipelines; the geological characteristics of Surge's properties and any acquired assets; the successful application of drilling, completion and seismic technology; the determination of decommissioning obligations; the ability to obtain approval from the syndicate to increase or maintain its Facilities; the ability to continue borrowing under the Company's Facilities and the syndicate's interpretation of the Company's obligations thereunder; ability of the Company to obtain alternative forms of debt and equity financing on terms acceptable to the Company to meet its capital requirements; anticipated timing with respect to the Company's obligations in respect of the Debentures and the Notes; prevailing weather conditions; exchange rates; licensing requirements; the impact of completed facilities on operating costs; that prevailing regulatory, tax and environmental laws and regulations apply or are introduced as expected, and the timing of such introduction; and the availability, costs of capital, labour and services, and the creditworthiness of industry partners.

Although Surge believes that the expectations and assumptions on which the forward-looking statements are based are reasonable, undue reliance should not be placed on the forward-looking statements because Surge can give no assurance that they will prove to be correct. Since forward-looking statements address future events and conditions, by their very nature they involve inherent risks and uncertainties. Actual results could differ materially from those currently anticipated due to a number of factors and risks. These include, but are not limited to, risks associated with the condition of the global economy, including trade, public health and other geopolitical risks (including the Russian invasion of Ukraine and continued conflict in the Middle East); risks associated with the oil and gas industry in general (e.g., operational risks in development, exploration and production; changes with respect to foreign and domestic trade policy; the imposition, escalation, delay or expansion of tariffs imposed by domestic and foreign governments or the imposition of other restrictive trade measures, retaliatory or countermeasures implemented by such governments, including the introduction of regulatory barriers to trade and the potential effect on the demand and/or market price for Surge's products and/or otherwise may adversely affect Surge; delays or changes in plans with respect to exploration or development projects or capital expenditures; inability of Surge to fund its future capital requirements and business plan; the uncertainty of reserve estimates; the uncertainty of estimates and projections relating to production, costs and expenses, and health, safety and environmental risks); commodity price and exchange rate fluctuations and constraint in the availability of services, adverse weather or break-up conditions; uncertainties resulting from potential delays or changes in plans with respect to exploration or development projects or capital expenditures; changes in laws and regulations that affect the Company; risks related to decommissioning obligations including as a result of changes to laws or regulations, reserves estimates, costs and technology; failure to obtain the continued support of the lenders under Surge's current Facilities; potential decrease in the available lending limits under Surge's Facilities as a result of the syndicate's interpretation of the Company's reserves, commodity prices and decommissioning obligations; or the inability to obtain consent of lenders to increase or maintain the



Facilities. Certain risks are set out in more detail in this MD&A under the heading 'Risk Factors' herein and in Surge's AIF dated March 5, 2025 which has been filed on SEDAR+ and can be accessed at <a href="https://www.sedarplus.ca">www.sedarplus.ca</a>.

The forward-looking statements contained in this MD&A are made as of the date hereof and Surge undertakes no obligation to update publicly or revise any forward-looking statements or information, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, unless so required by applicable securities laws.

#### **NON-GAAP AND OTHER FINANCIAL MEASURES**

Certain secondary financial measures in this document - namely, "adjusted funds flow", "adjusted funds flow per share", "net operating expenses", "net operating expenses per boe", "operating netback", "operating netback per boe", and "adjusted funds flow per boe" are not prescribed by GAAP. These specified financial measures include non-GAAP financial measures and non-GAAP ratios, are not defined by IFRS and therefore are referred to as non-GAAP and other financial measures. These non-GAAP and other financial measures are included because management uses the information to analyze business performance, cash flow generated from the business, leverage and liquidity, resulting from the Company's principal business activities and it may be useful to investors on the same basis. None of these measures are used to enhance the Company's reported financial performance or position. The non-GAAP and other measures do not have a standardized meaning prescribed by IFRS and therefore are unlikely to be comparable to similar measures presented by other issuers. They are common in the reports of other companies but may differ by definition and application. All non-GAAP and other financial measures used in this document are defined below.

### **Adjusted Funds Flow & Adjusted Funds Flow per Share**

Adjusted funds flow is a non-GAAP financial measure. The Company adjusts cash flow from operating activities in calculating adjusted funds flow for changes in non-cash working capital, decommissioning expenditures and cashed settled transaction and other costs (income). Management believes the timing of collection, payment or incurrence of these items involves a high degree of discretion and as such may not be useful for evaluating Surge's cash flows.

Changes in non-cash working capital are a result of the timing of cash flows related to accounts receivable and accounts payable, which management believes reduces comparability between periods. Management views decommissioning expenditures predominately as a discretionary allocation of capital, with flexibility to determine the size and timing of decommissioning programs to achieve greater capital efficiencies and as such, costs may vary between periods. Transaction and other costs (income) represent expenditures associated with property acquisitions and dispositions, debt restructuring and employee severance costs, as well as other income, which management believes do not reflect the ongoing cash flows of the business, and as such reduces comparability. Each of these expenditures, due to their nature, are not considered principal business activities and vary between periods, which management believes reduces comparability.

Adjusted funds flow per share is a non-GAAP ratio, calculated using the same weighted average basic and diluted shares used in calculating income (loss) per share.

The following table reconciles cash flow from operating activities to adjusted funds flow and adjusted funds flow per share:

	Tł	ree Months End	Six Months Ended Jun 30,		
(\$000s except per share)	Jun 30, 2025	Mar 31, 2025	Jun 30, 2024	2025	2024
Cash flow from operating activities	56,344	83,470	73,604	139,814	140,389
Change in non-cash working capital	15,317	(7,718)	6,816	7,599	(2,137)
Decommissioning expenditures	1,086	4,525	1,696	5,611	5,624
Cash settled transaction and other costs (income)	9	(170)	689	(161)	1,416
Adjusted funds flow	72,756	80,107	82,805	152,863	145,292
Per share - basic (\$)	0.73	0.80	0.82	1.53	1.44
Per share - diluted (\$)	0.73	0.79	0.81	1.52	1.42



#### **Net Debt**

Net debt is a non-GAAP financial measure, calculated as bank debt, senior unsecured notes, term debt plus the liability component of the Debentures plus current assets, less current liabilities, however, excluding the fair value of financial contracts, decommissioning obligations and lease and other obligations. This metric is used by management to analyze the level of debt in the Company including the impact of working capital, which varies with timing of settlement of these balances.

		As at	
(\$000s)	Jun 30, 2025	Mar 31, 2025	Jun 30, 2024
Cash	8,434	11,736	_
Accounts receivable	49,569	55,506	56,960
Prepaid expenses and deposits	5,349	2,363	5,803
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(70,883)	(94,749)	(90,791)
Dividends payable	(4,294)	(4,313)	(4,018)
Bank debt	_	_	(33,010)
Senior unsecured notes	(171,308)	(171,090)	_
Term debt	(5,753)	(5,637)	(131,044)
Convertible debentures	(40,253)	(39,819)	(38,607)
Total	(229,139)	(246,003)	(234,707)

### **Operating Netback & Adjusted Funds Flow per boe**

Operating netback is a non-GAAP financial measure, calculated as petroleum and natural gas revenue and processing and other income, less royalties, realized gain (loss) on commodity and FX contracts, operating expenses, and transportation expenses. Operating netback per boe is a non-GAAP ratio, calculated as operating netback divided by total barrels of oil equivalent produced during a specific period of time. This metric is used by management to evaluate the Company's ability to generate cash margin on a unit of production basis.

Operating netback & adjusted funds flow are calculated on a per unit basis as follows:

	Three Months Ended			Six Months Ended Jun 30,	
(\$000s)	Jun 30, 2025	Mar 31, 2025	Jun 30, 2024	2025	2024
Petroleum and natural gas revenue	141,215	160,722	173,173	301,937	331,340
Processing income	1,900	2,162	2,254	4,062	4,758
Royalties	(24,139)	(28,457)	(27,501)	(52,596)	(57,645)
Realized gain (loss) on commodity and FX contracts	6,066	1,427	(3,149)	7,493	(3,012)
Operating expenses	(38,573)	(41,996)	(45,896)	(80,569)	(97,833)
Transportation expenses	(2,155)	(2,458)	(2,630)	(4,613)	(5,293)
Operating netback	84,314	91,400	96,251	175,714	172,315
G&A expense	(5,597)	(5,598)	(5,157)	(11,195)	(10,283)
Interest expense	(5,961)	(5,695)	(8,289)	(11,656)	(16,740)
Adjusted funds flow	72,756	80,107	82,805	152,863	145,292
Barrels of oil equivalent (boe)	2,146,594	2,121,090	2,149,307	4,267,684	4,415,528
Operating netback (\$ per boe)	39.29	43.08	44.77	41.18	39.02
Adjusted funds flow (\$ per boe)	33.90	37.76	38.51	35.83	32.90



### **Net Operating Expenses & Net Operating Expenses per boe**

Net operating expenses is a non-GAAP financial measure, determined by deducting processing income primarily generated by processing third party volumes at processing facilities where the Company has an ownership interest. It is common in the industry to earn third party processing revenue on facilities where the entity has a working interest in the infrastructure asset. Under IFRS this source of funds is required to be reported as revenue. However, the Company's principal business is not that of a midstream entity whose activities are dedicated to earning processing and other infrastructure payments. Where the Company has excess capacity at one of its facilities, it will look to process third party volumes as a means to reduce the cost of operating/owning the facility. As such, third party processing revenue is netted against operating costs in the MD&A.

Net operating expenses per boe is a non-GAAP ratio, calculated as net operating expenses divided by total barrels of oil equivalent produced during a specific period of time.

Net operating expenses and net operating expenses on a per unit basis are calculated as follows:

	Tł	ree Months End	Six Months Ended Jun 30,		
(\$000s except per boe)	Jun 30, 2025	Mar 31, 2025	2025	2024	
Operating expenses	38,573	41,996	45,896	80,569	97,833
Less processing income	(1,900)	(2,162)	(2,254)	(4,062)	(4,758)
Net operating expenses	36,673	39,834	43,642	76,507	93,075
\$ per boe	17.08	18.78	20.31	17.93	21.08