## 5th Neltume Ports Alignment Meeting

#### **NELTUME PORTS** Empowering Trade

# Welcome & Introduction

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## **Times of Uncertainty**



## **Political Events in the Americas**

USA loe Biden confirmed he will run for re-election. Donald Trump also expects to run in the 2024

#### **MEXICO**

elections despite numerous

investigations against him.

Andrés López Obrador government aims to increase control over strategic sectors. New electoral period begins due to presidential elections in July 2024.

#### **ECUADOR**

The first round of presidential elections was affected by protests and the murder of the opposition candidate, Fernando Villavicencio. The second round will be held in October between Luisa Gonzalez and Daniel Noboa.

#### PERU

After Castillo's failed self-coup, Peru has not found a way out of the biggest political and social crisis of the last years. Social conflicts due to distrust in the government of Dina Boluarte.







#### BRAZIL

Lula da Silva was elected president for the third time with major economic, social and environmental challenges.



#### **ARGENTINA**

Presidential elections will take place in October and a possible ballot will be held in November. Javier Milei, Patricia Bullrich and Sergio Massa were the most voted candidates in primary elections.

#### CHILE

In December 2023, the second proposal for a new constitution will be plebiscite, closing a process after more than 3 years.



## **Global Economic Situation**

A Rocky Recovery

#### **Persistent challenges**

The global recovery is slowing amid widening divergences among economic sectors and regions.



#### Neltume Ports Countries GDP Growth Projections



Source: IMF, World Economic Outlook, July 2023

## **Global Trade**

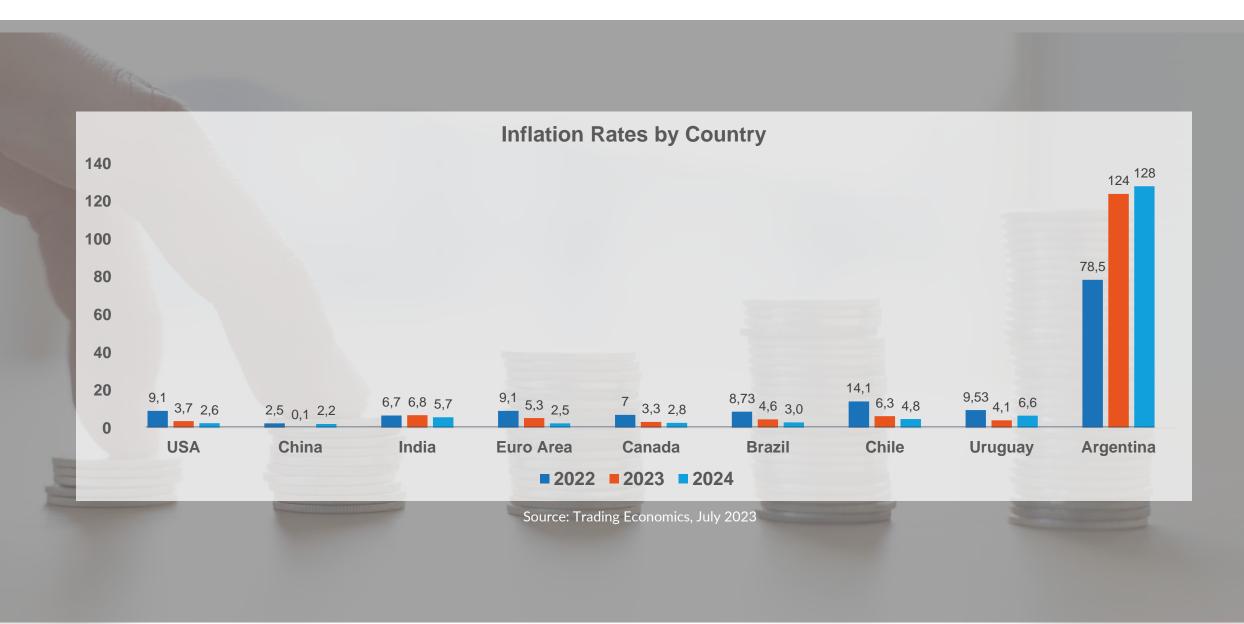
#### For the World it is projected an annual % change of 1,7% for 2023

North America is expected to record the strongest merchandise export growth of any WTO region in 2023 (3,3%), followed by Asia (2,5%). Imports of North America, South America and Europe are all expected to contract in 2023 (-0,1%, -1,6% and -0,6% respectively) due to weaker domestic demand.



Source: WTO, July 2023





## OUR CHALLENGE SUSTAINABILITY

Put **sustainability at the center**, aspiring to be an efficient, profitable business **in balance with society and the care of the ecosystem**.

**Sustainability** 



## **Safety – One of our Core Values**

#### Operational Excellence Culture

Ensure the safety of our people and care for the environment, ensuring operational continuity

#### Proactive Risk Identification

Continuous assessment of risks to safeguard the safety and well-being of our employees and contractors

#### Preventive Measures

The implementation of preventive measures is essential to protect our people's integrity, creating a safe environment, which, in turn, benefits productivity

#### Stop Work

Stop Work emphasizes the importance of halting operations when risks or unsafe conditions are identified, allowing for review and correction od issues before proceeding, thereby reducing accidents and associated costs.

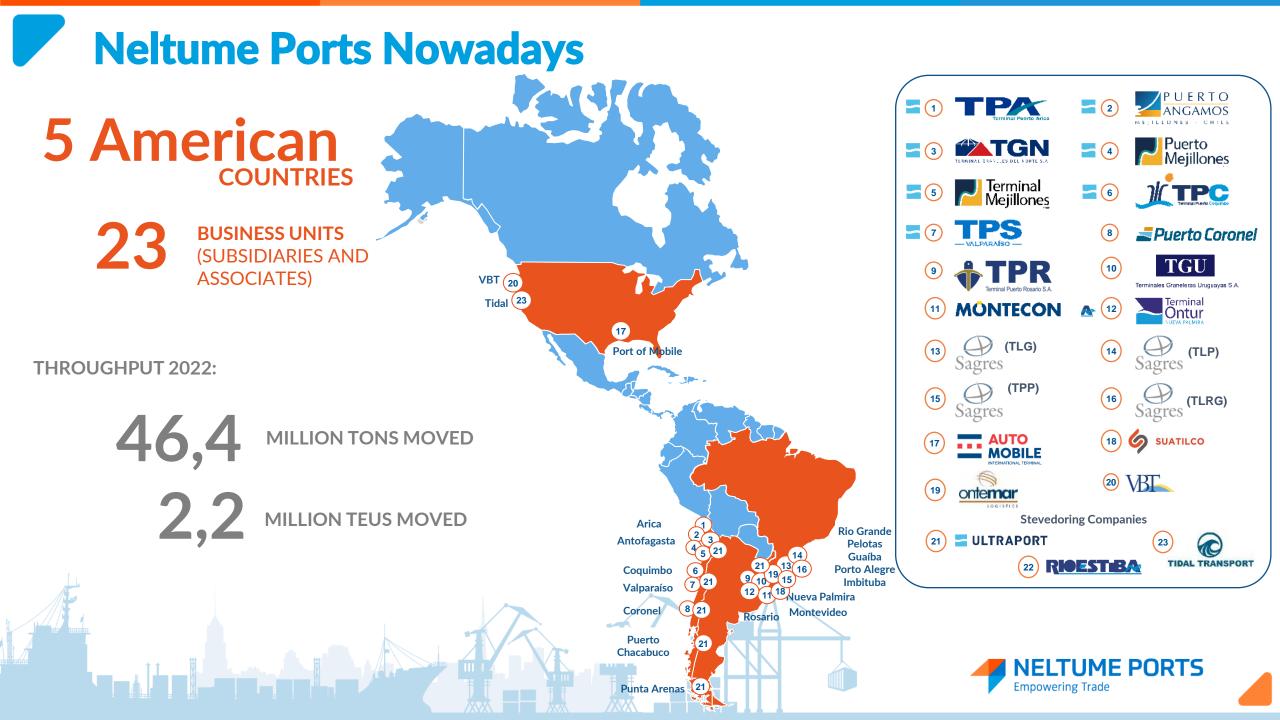
### We have a challenge to improve Safety in our operations

Cultural Transformation Growing need for leadership

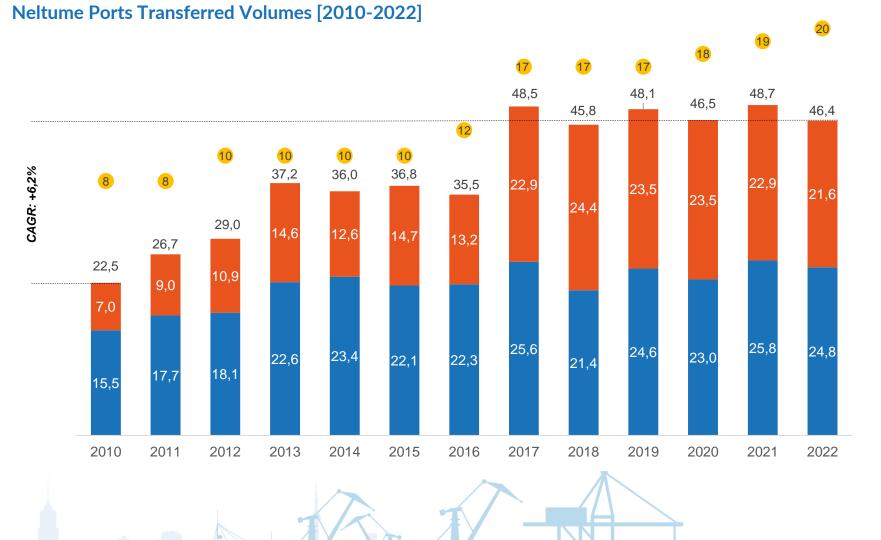


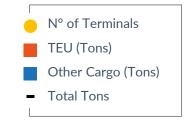
### Incidents Accidents

Our goal



## **Neltume Ports Transferred Volumes**







## **Pointing to the Future**

New Targets? Growth focused in the Americas



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