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A copy of the Investor Presentation for the Conference is attached.

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Commodities for our Future: Nickel-Copper Sulphide Discovery



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Emergence 2020 Presentation – 26 February 2020

Nickel Sulphide

A future facing commodity



Elon Musk, CEO of Tesla on lithium-ion batteries:

"....lithium is 2% of the cell mass of our batteries...... really, our batteries should be called nickel graphite batteries as they are mostly nickel and graphite"



Elon Musk interviewed by Kara Swisher and Walt Mossberg at 2016 Code Conference

<u>Cover photo</u>: Drill core from hole MAD152 that intersected high-grade nickelcopper sulphides at Mt Alexander.

Aluminium

72% 30% 36% 82% 73% NMC (111) NMC (433) NMC (811) NCA NCA+

Manganese

Source: Goldman Sachs – Nickel: The Hope Stock of Metals, June 2019

Nickel-based cathodes are increasingly preferred as they have greater energy density and improve battery performance and range.

NCM (811) and NCA batteries – which contain 70 to 80% nickel – will be in 80% of EV's by 2025.

+75kg of nickel in 2019 Tesla Model S In 2015 BHP, Australia's largest nickel producer, sold no product to the battery sector.

Lithium

Today BHP sells 75% of production to battery manufacturers.

Source: BHP Nickel West Presentation, 8 Aug 2019.

Source: IGO, AGM Presentation, 20 November 2019

Cobalt Nickel

Electric Vehicles

Nickel rich battery chemistry is preferred

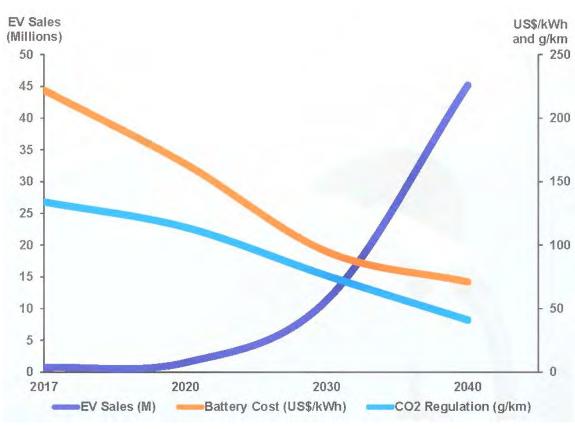


EV Megatrend

Tipping point for mass adoption is approaching



- EV sales accelerating with lower cost and increased regulation
- Disruptive technologies follow a similar growth path several years of nurturing the market followed by exponential growth



Subsidies and regulation are driving strong demand

Lower cost and improved battery life are attracting consumers

Huge investments by vehicle manufacturers continue with new products being brought to market

Source: Goldman Sachs, 2019

Investment Case for Nickel

Mining is the cheapest way to play the EV theme



"One of the most important global trends over the next decade and beyond will be the electrification of mobility, which will have massive ramifications for autos, batteries and the entire upstream battery chain.

"We see the miners as the perfect way to play the EV theme for two reasons:

- 1. Because it is one the few parts of the EV chain where you do not have to pay for exposure to the theme [i.e. the success of the EV theme is not priced into the miners].
- 2. Because it is agnostic to the dynamics of downstream competition. [Whether it will be battery makers or automakers that emerge victorious, everyone will require nickel]."

Bernstein, Electric Revolution 2019: Mining – the Cheapest Way to Play the EV Theme



St George – Value Proposition

St George Mining Limited

Growth Nickel Company

Our Vision:	To create long term shareholder value
Our Strategy:	To deliver a high-margin nickel mine in Western Australia
Our Success:	Standout discovery of nickel-copper-cobalt-PGEs at shallow depth in WA's Goldfields
Our Timing:	Transformative impact on nickel demand from electric vehicle and energy storage markets creates excellent timing for project development

TODO N EJ + and 32 FEDERA NIE NOE 200 9.99 TET WT 1000 E 0.000 FINE CKE 999.9 NET WT 9.9.9 1000 g 999.9 1000 E Above: Drill core from MAD177 at Mt Alexander which intersected 6.15m of massive nickel-copper sulphides with average XRF values 8.1%Ni and 2.69%Cu.

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Primed to Deliver Value

High-grade discoveries in a great location



Mt Alexander – St George's Flagship Nickel-Copper Sulphide Project

Massive sulphide mineralisation discovered 30m from surface and open at depth

Growing nickel inventory - four high-grade discoveries with new targets for drilling in 2020

Potential rapid development pathway with high grades and existing infrastructure

Scoping study initiated with potential to deliver into global nickel deficit

Grade is king Wide intercepts of ickel-copper-cobalt- PGEs	Prospect	Hole	From <i>m</i>	Width <i>m</i>	Ni %	Cu %	Co %	PGE g/t
	Stricklands	MAD71 including and	37.5 39.3 50.6	17.45 5.30 2.02	3.0 4.4 5.1	1.3 1.5 2.0	0.13 0.21 0.21	1.68 2.09 3.31
	Cathedrals	MAD56 including	57.8 61.8	7.50 3.15	3.9 6.4	1.7 2.9	0.12 0.20	3.32 5.03
	Investigators	MAD126 including	184.0 185.0	7.86 5.25	5.7 7.0	2.1 2.7	0.18 0.23	2.65 3.10
	Investigators	MAD127 including	183.9 184.4	8.49 6.39	5.8 6.5	2.6 2.8	0.18 0.21	3.61 3.68
	Investigators	MAD108 including	199.0 206.0	8.40 1.37	2.0 6.8	1.0 2.9	0.06 0.21	2.59 5.58

Wide intercept nickel-copper-co PGFs

Corporate Overview

Listed on the ASX – code SGQ



Market Capitalisation (25 Feb 2020)	Listed Shares	Directors and Management – Vision and Experience for Success					
A\$41m	412,611,265	John PRINEAS, Executive Chairman – founding shareholder with over 25 years experience in mining, and the banking and legal sectors servicing the resources industry.					
Top 20 Shareholders	Listed Options - 20¢ strike, 30 Sep 2020	John DAWSON, Non-Executive Director – over 30 years					
27%	24,576,114	in the finance and mining sectors where he occupied very senior roles with global investment banks Goldman Sachs and Dresdner Kleinwort Wasserstein.					
Directors & Management	Share Price (25 Feb 2020)	Sarah SHIPWAY, Non-Executive Director/Company Secretary – Chartered Accountant with extensive experience in advising listed exploration companies.					
9.2%	A\$0.10	Dave O'NEILL, Exploration Manager – over 20 years					
Cash (31 Dec 2019) A\$4.2m	Debt Nil	experience as a geologist with expertise in nickel exploration gained in senior roles with WMC Resources, BHP, Western Areas; managed exploration programmes at Mt Alexander for BHP and Western Areas.					
Broad Shareholder Base v	vith over 3,500 shareholders overseas institutions, high net	Charles WILKINSON, Technical Consultant – over 32 years' as a geologist with 16 years at WMC including as Exploration Manager - Nickel. Joined Western Areas in 2008 as General Manager Exploration. During his 9 years at WSA, it grew its resource inventory to become Australia's No. 1 independent nickel sulphide producer.					

Share Price Performance

Highly leveraged to nickel price and newsflow





SGQ share price poised for potential increase with exploration news and rising nickel price in 2020

Drilling and exploration programmes for 2020 are now underway

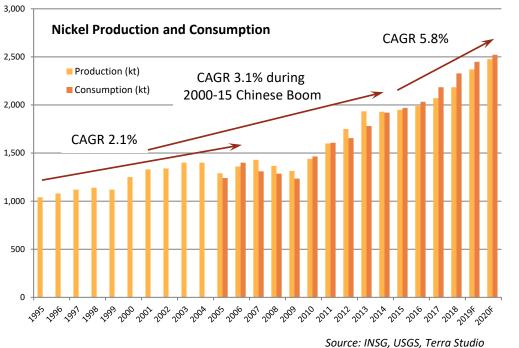
Source: S&P Global, Terra Studio



Nickel Market Dynamics

Nickel Outlook

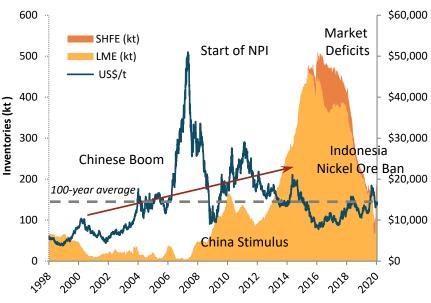
Acceleration of Market Growth



- Boom in 2006 resulted from sharp fall in inventories a mere two days supply
- In 2019 inventories fell rapidly, at a pace not seen since 1998, creating a short-term spike
- Inventories likely to fall further as EV demand grows creating a more sustainable price increase



- Market doubled from 1995 to 2016 over 1 million tonnes added – with demand from Chinese economic boom
- Production and consumption is accelerating *even faster* over the past 5 years – adding 500,000 tonnes
- Battery demand is contributing to growth but not significant yet



Source: LME, SHFE, Terra Studio

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Electric Vehicle Demand

Reshaping the nickel market

- Traditional demand from stainless steel continues to grow at circa. 4-5% p.a.
- Megatrend in EV and energy storage will see unprecedented demand for Class 1 nickel - i.e. from sulphide and high quality HPAL plants
- Forecast nickel demand will far exceed nickel production from existing operations

EV Demand Scenarios in Perspective

+1.1 Mt in 5 years

+650,000 t in 5 years

5,000

4,000

3.000

2.000

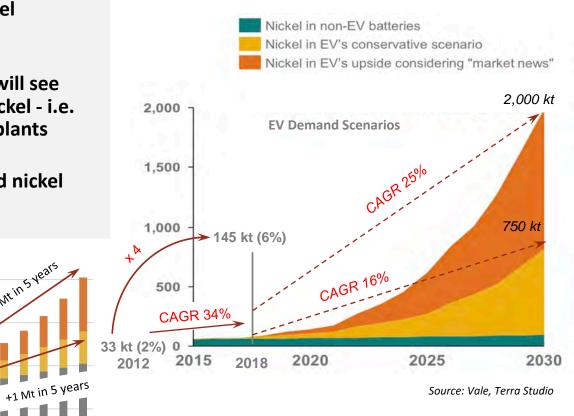
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2010 2011 2012

Nickel Consumption (Thousand tonnes)





Source: INSG, Terra Studio

2030F

+1.8 Mt in 5 vears

2025F

2016

2018 2017

2019F 2020F

2015

Demand ex-EV (+3% p.a.)

EV conservative scenario

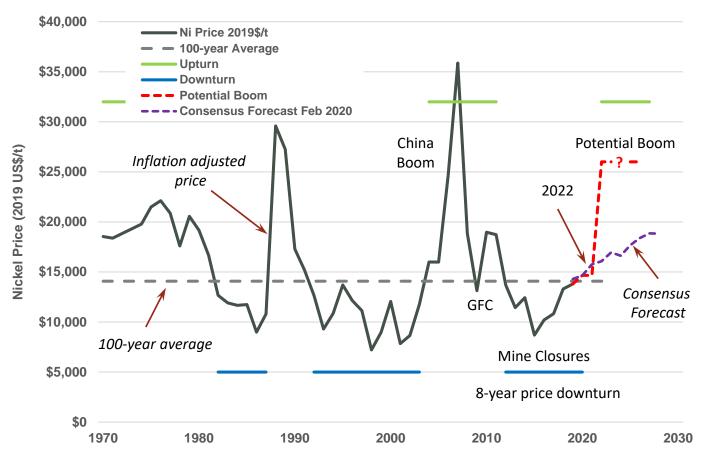
+500,000 t in 5 years

EV Upside Scenario

2013 2014

Nickel Price Outlook

The next boom is forming



 Price history shows boom and bust cycles

- EV is a major disruptive event that will likely trigger a boom and maintain the nickel price at historically high levels
- Consensus forecast recognises strong price growth but not a boom increase - yet

Source: Terra Studio

Price spike likely in 2022 which will be sustained for several years given projected EV demand and lack of new supply





High-Grade Discovery at Mt Alexander

Cathedrals Belt

Exceptional Discovery

Mineralisation from shallow depths

- Massive sulphide mineralisation 30m from surface
- Intrusive system with potential for significant mineralisation at depth – geological setting similar to large North American mines like Raglan and Eagle

High-grade and polymetallic

- Nickel sulphide plus copper, cobalt and PGEs (70-80% Pd)
- High demand battery metals

Electromagnetic (EM) targeting – 100% success

- EM surveys are a reliable exploration tool
- Concurrent drilling and downhole EM is expanding the resource down-plunge

<u>On right</u>: Drill core from MAD56 that returned assays of **7.5m @ 3.90% Ni, 1.74% Cu, 0.12% Co and 3.32g/t total** PGEs from 57.8m, including **3.15m @ 6.36% Ni, 2.92% Cu, 0.20% Co and 5.03g/t total PGEs** from 61.8m



World Class Address

Next to the majors' backyard

Established Nickel Mining Region

Tier 1 mining jurisdiction Western Australia

Near major nickel operations, including BHP's flagship nickel mines

Adjacent to Agnew-Wiluna Belt, the most productive nickel belt in WA

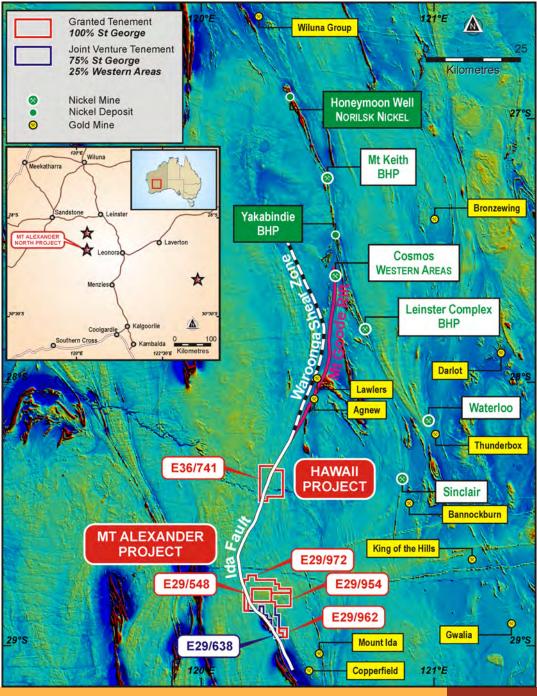
Foundation for Development

Access to existing infrastructure, including roads and power (grid electricity and gas pipeline)

Close to processing plants, mining workforce & service industry

Established route to market

<u>Left</u>: St George Mining Ltd holds 100% of all the Mt Alexander tenements with the exception of E29/638, which is held in Joint Venture: St George Mining Ltd (75%) and Western Areas Ltd (25%). St George is the manager of the Project with Western Areas retaining a 25% non-contributing interest in the Project until decision to mine.



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Large Project Area

+200 sq km tenement package with two proven fertile belts

Cathedrals Belt

East-northeast oriented belt

High-grade discoveries at Investigators, Stricklands, Cathedrals and Radar

Other sections of the +16km belt are underexplored but highly prospective

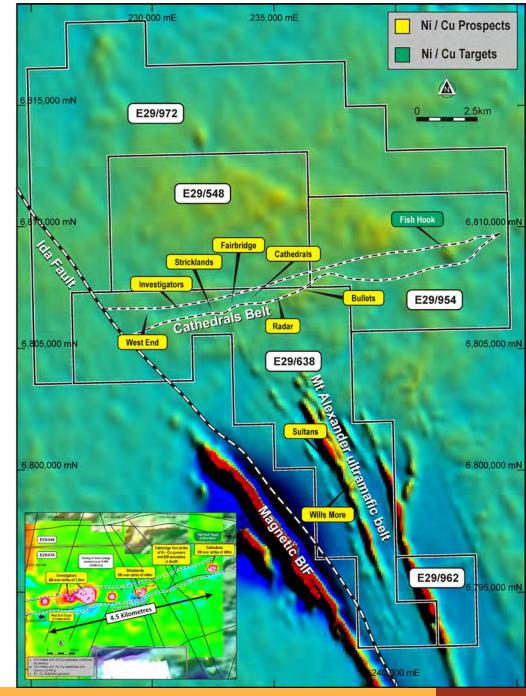
Potential for repetitions of the eastnortheast belt on adjoining tenements

Mt Alexander Belt

+7km ultramafic belt with usual northnorthwest strike

Widespread intersections of nickel sulphides but remains underexplored

<u>*Right*</u>: Mt Alexander tenements against *RTP* magnetics with key prospects highlighted.



Emerging Nickel Camp

Four high-grade nickel-copper sulphide discoveries.... and counting

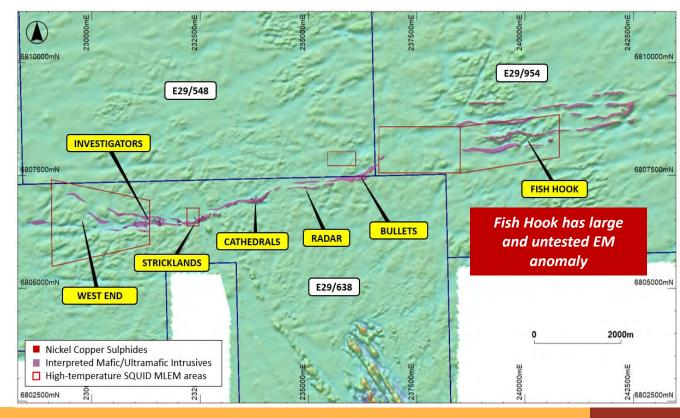


Shallow deposits discovered at Investigators, Stricklands, Cathedrals and Radar over a 5.5km strike length of the Cathedrals Belt – mineralisation remains open down-plunge

EM surveys underway across unexplored areas of the Belt with new EM conductors identified for testing at the unexplored Fish Hook and West End Prospects

100% success rate in converting EM conductors into nickel-copper sulphide discoveries

<u>Right</u>: map of the Mt Alexander tenements (against RTP 1VD magnetic data) with key prospects on the Cathedrals Belt highlighted. New targets generated at Bullets, West End and Fish Hook have potential to significantly extend the strike of mineralisation along the 16km Cathedrals Belt.



2020 Work Programme

Expanding known deposits <u>and</u> making new discoveries

Resource Definition:

Resource drill-out of shallow deposits at Stricklands, Cathedrals and Investigators

Deeper Drilling:

Continue testing targets down-plunge of shallow deposits

Test underneath extensive gossans observed at Fairbridge

New EM Conductors:

Test high priority conductors – including new conductors at Fish Hook

Ongoing EM survey at West End and other underexplored areas

Downhole EM surveys of deeper holes

Strong newsflow throughout 2020





Project Development

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Advancing Towards a Mine

Scoping study initiated

Scoping study to assess a potential mining proposal for Mt Alexander is underway:

- Environmental studies have commenced
- Additional consultants to be appointed soon

Preliminary Metallurgical Testwork:

High Recoveries from Ore:

- >99% recoveries of Ni and Cu to bulk concentrates
- Separate nickel and copper concentrates produced with 89% and 86% recoveries respectively (*on right*: copper being floated in test completed by Strategic Metallurgy Pty Ltd)

Clean Concentrate:

No deleterious elements like MgO, talc or arsenic

Standard Flotation:

Standard re-agents utilised: excellent amenability of ore to flotation process

High Value Concentrate:

Nickel concentrate: 18% Ni <u>plus</u> cobalt of 0.55% Co and PGEs+Au of 13.5 g/t Copper concentrate: 32% Cu <u>plus</u> PGEs+Au of 3.2 g/t





Opportunity for Low Cost/ High Margin Project



Key project features support favourable project economics which will be assessed by scoping/feasibility studies

Shallow Mineralisation:

Low cost drilling

Potential low cost mining (open-pit)

Existing Infrastructure:

Close to roads, power and workforce

Potential lower capex and/or toll treat

High Value Concentrate:

High grade Ni, Cu + credits for Co, PGEs

Clean concentrate amenable to blending

Potential for premium price

<u>Right</u>: Tim King Pit at Spotted Quoll mine at Forrestania (owned 100% by Western Areas Ltd) where high grade nickel sulphides were mined from 60m below surface The location and quality of the Mt Alexander Project presents:

- Multiple potential development & processing options (subject to scoping/feasibility studies)
- Strategic value and corporate M&A



St George Mining Limited



Creating shareholder value through the development of a high-grade nickel-copper sulphide project in the heart of Western Australia's Goldfields.



Competent Person Statement



The information in this report that relates to Exploration Targets, Exploration Results, Mineral Resources or Ore Reserves is based on information compiled by Mr Dave O'Neill, a Competent Person who is a Member of The Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. Mr O'Neill is employed by St George Mining Limited to provide technical advice on mineral projects and holds performance rights in the Company.

This ASX announcement contains information extracted from the following reports which are available on the Company's website at www.stgm.com.au:

- 24 August 2018 Mt Alexander Continues to Deliver Outstanding Results
- 18 September 2018 More Strong Results at Mt Alexander
- 19 October 2018 Extension to High-Grade Mineralisation at Mt Alexander
- 25 October 2018 Best Ever Intercept At Investigators
- 1 November 2018 More Massive Nickel-Copper Sulphides at Investigators
- 20 November 2018 Further Extensions to Nickel-Copper Sulphides at Mt Alexander
- 30 November 2018 Assays Confirm Best Ever Intercepts
- 20 December 2018 Strong Results Continue at Mt Alexander
- 31 January 2019 More Outstanding Nickel-Copper Sulphide targets
- 18 March 2019 Drilling at Mt Alexander Strong Results Continue
- 9 April 2019 Nickel-Copper Sulphide Drilling at Mt Alexander Update

- 13 June 2019 Assays Confirm Thick Nickel-Copper Sulphides
- 13 August 2019 High-Grade Nickel-Copper Sulphide Drilling
- 2 September 2019 New Discovery of Nickel-Copper Sulphides
- 12 September 2019 Thick Nickel-Copper Sulphides Intersected Down-Plunge
- 9 October 2019 Assays Confirm High-Grade Discovery
- 8 November 2019 *More Nickel Sulphide targets at Mt Alexander*
- 12 November 2019 Thich Intercept in Drilling of Deeper Conductors
- 20 November 2019 More Thick Intercepts Down-Plunge of Shallow Deposits
- 23 December 2019 Drilling Success Continues at Mt Alexander
- 28 January 2020 2020 Begins With More Strong Results
- 25 February 2020 More EM Targets at Mt Alexander

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