



E3 METALS CORP

Unlocking Alberta Lithium

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Unless otherwise indicated, Chris Doornbos, P. Geo., President and CEO at E3 Metals Corp. and a Qualified Person under National Instrument 43-101, has reviewed and is responsible for the technical information contained in this presentation.

References:

1: Certain scientific and technical information contained herein is derived from the Inferred Minerals Resources outlined in NI 43-101 report for Clearwater Lithium Project PEA (September 17, 2021), Rocky Resource Area (December 22, 2017) and Exshaw Resource Area (September 17, 2021). NI 43-101 Report and accompanying News Releases can be found on E3 Metals’ website (www.e3metalscorp.com) or SEDAR (www.sedar.com). We encourage interested parties to review the NI 43-101 technical report in respect of the Clearwater Lithium Project PEA and our Exshaw and Rocky Inferred Mineral Resource reports in their entirety. (<https://www.e3metalscorp.com/technical-reports>)



E3 Metals' Growth Strategy

Our Vision

Be a global leader in responsibly-sourced lithium, fueling the global transition towards a brighter energy future.

Proprietary Tech

Our Direct Lithium Extraction (DLE) technology has been developed to extract lithium from Alberta brines

Alberta Brines to Battery Grade

E3's technology is engineered for purity to support the production of high-quality lithium products for direct sale to battery manufacturers

Optimized Operations

Our primary goal is to be a producer of high-quality lithium products for the globally expanding battery market. Operating similar to petroleum here in Alberta, we have the advantage a mature industry and stable workforce ideally suited for commercial lithium operations



Robust Resource

We have delineated 7.0 Mt of lithium resources¹, the 7th largest globally and still have significant room for growth in a world-class jurisdiction

Well-Funded

We are well capitalized to accomplish major milestones as we continue to scale up our process towards commercialization

Small Footprint

The simplicity of our design enables minimal tailings, freshwater use and land disturbance. Our goal is to be one of the lowest GHG emitters in the lithium industry

Impressive Team

E3 has assembled a high-performing diverse team and we're still growing. Skills, expertise, and attitude are critical to our success.

¹: Inferred Minerals Resources outlined in NI 43-101 report for Clearwater Lithium Project PEA, Rocky Resource Area and Exshaw Resource Area



Management Team

Award-Winning Team with Diverse Expertise

Chris Doornbos, *P.Geo*



- President | CEO | Director
- Founder of E3 Metals, industry expert specializing in the development of major projects, capital raising and M&A.

Raymond Chow, *CPA, CA*



- CFO
- Over 17 years of finance & accounting experience in entrepreneurial high growth companies, banking and corporate advisory services.

Jonathan Nielsen, *BS MetE*



- Director, Technology
- Over 30 years of experience in Process development and optimization oriented Metallurgical Engineering

Chris Ward, *P.Eng*



- Director, Projects
- Over 25 years of experience operating, trouble-shooting, designing, budgeting, and executing mining and mineral processing projects.

Peter Ratzlaff, *P.Eng*



- Director, Resource Development
- Over 25 years of experience in production & operations engineering and capital project management.



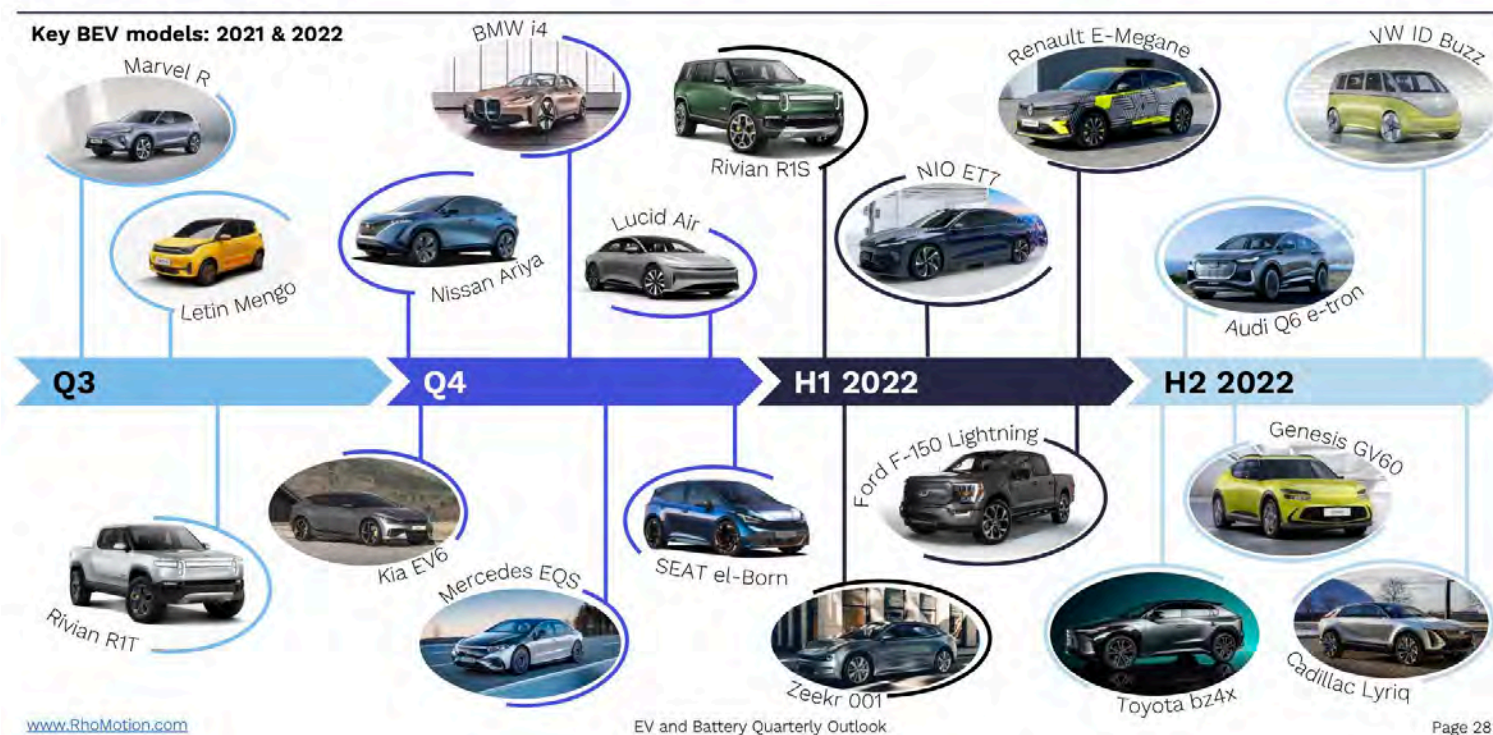
Lithium Essential to the Battery Industry

Recognized Price Drivers for EVs

Growing EVs Market Share is Driving Lithium Demand

- EV battery costs have been steadily declining
- EV sales estimated to surpass ICE sales into early 2030s
- OEMs (Original Equipment Manufacturers) are projected to manufacture more EVs to meet their emission targets due to stricter emission regulations

Lithium Demand Increasing as Price of Battery Electric Vehicles (BEV) Becomes More Competitive with Internal Combustion Engines (ICE)

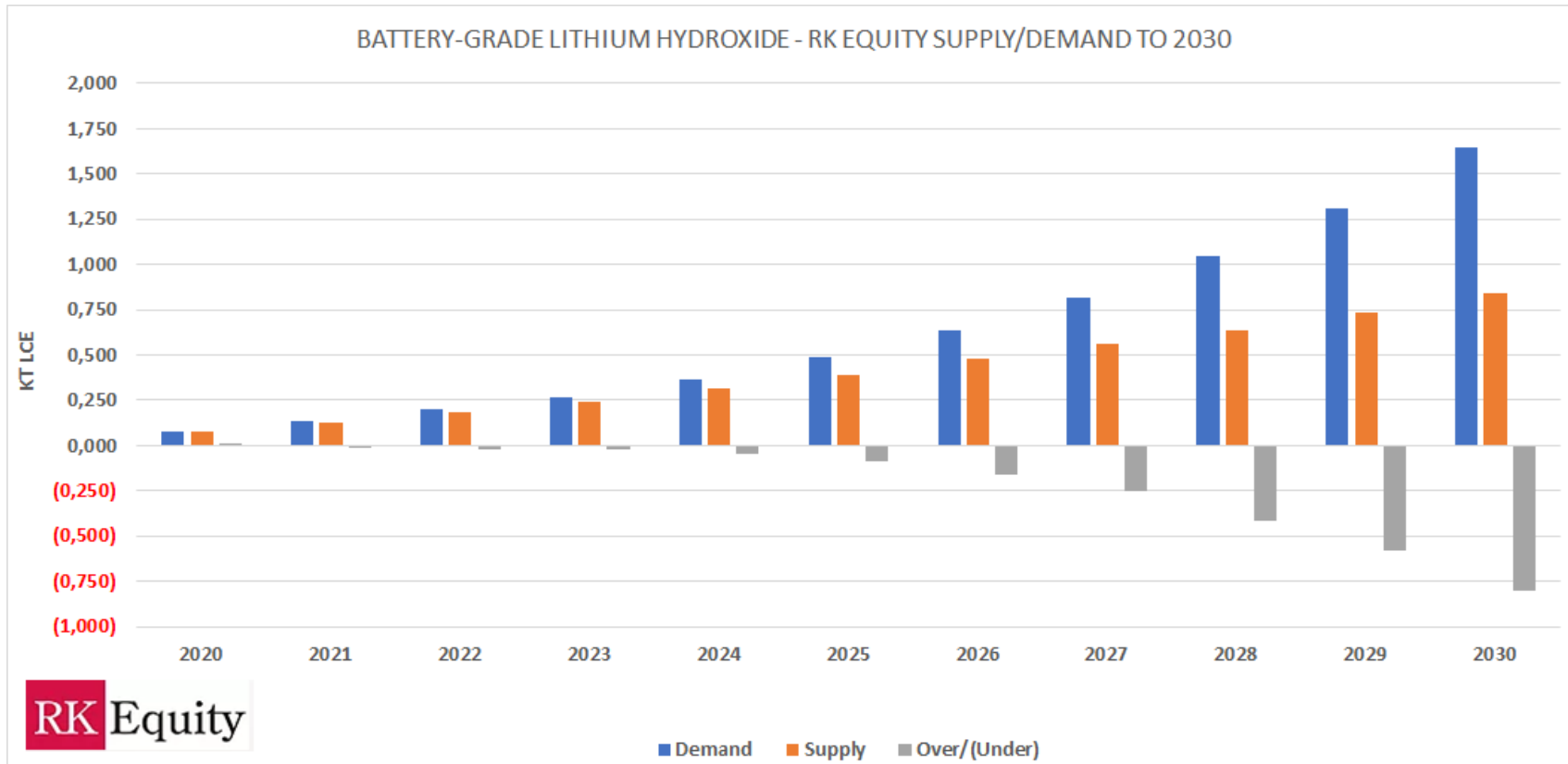


Source: Rho Motion 2021



Increasing Supply-Demand Gap for Lithium Hydroxide

E3's Production Plan In Sync with Demand Increase



Source: RK Equity, 2021

- Strong demand growth expected from EV sales and battery capacity growth
- Lithium pricing set to increase as demand is expected to outstrip supply
- Anticipated supply constraints likely to coincide with E3's planned production



Preliminary Economic Assessment

Clearwater Project

	Unit	Value
Production	Tonnes/year LHM	20,000
Project Life	Years	20
Average Selling Price	USD/tonne LHM	14,079
Average Annual Operating Costs (OPEX)	Million USD/year	73.2
Cash Operating Costs	USD/tonne LHM	3,656
Total Initial Capital Cost (CAPEX)	Million USD	602
Average Annual EBITDA	USD	208.6
Pre-Tax NPV _{8%}	USD	1,123.1
After-Tax NPV _{8%}	USD	819.9
Pre-Tax IRR	%	32
After-Tax IRR	%	27
Payback Period (After-Tax)	Years	3.4

All values in USD

\$1.1B
NPV_{8%}

(Pre-Tax) – 32% IRR

\$820M NPV_{8%} (After-Tax)
27% IRR

\$602M Initial CAPEX

\$3,656/tonne OPEX

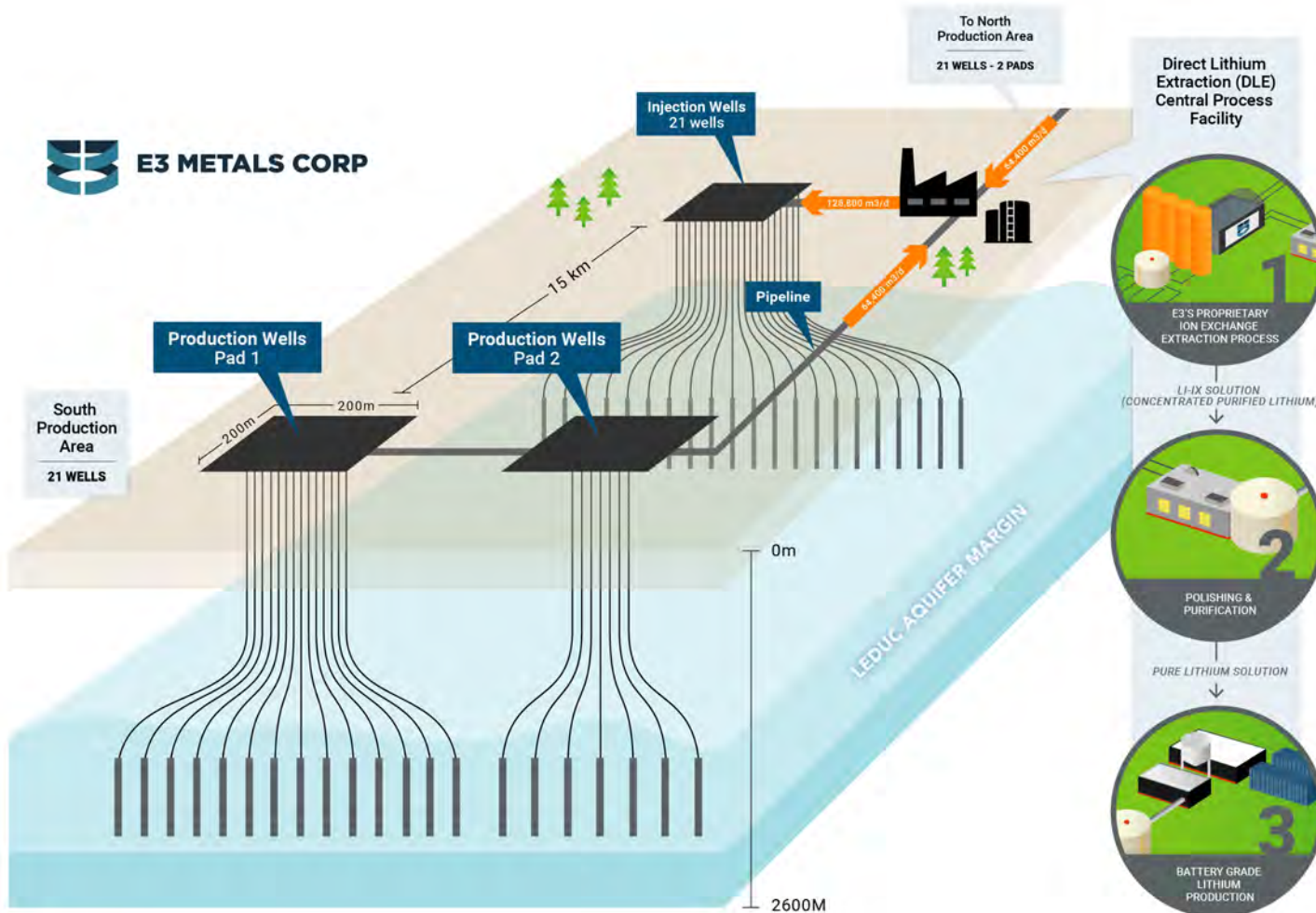
The PEA is preliminary in nature and the cost estimate includes inferred mineral resources. These are considered too geologically speculative to have the economic considerations applied to them that would enable them to be categorized as mineral reserves. There is no certainty the Clearwater Project outlined by the PEA will be realized.

Refer to E3 Metals' News Announcement: November 16, 2020



Preliminary Economic Assessment

Clearwater Project



Brine Production

- 4 well pads, 42 wells for a total of ~130,000m³
- 15km underground pipeline to the central facility
- 100% disposal of lithium void brine

Lithium Extraction

- Pre-treatment for brine conditioning to the DLE plant
- Using E3's DLE technology to create a high purity concentrate solution (Li-IX)

Lithium Polishing and Production

- Refinement of the Li-IX into battery quality products
- Current goal is lithium hydroxide monohydrate



E3's Unique Competitive Advantage

Targeting Highly Efficient Direct Lithium Extraction (DLE) Technology

RAW LITHIUM BRINE

Up to 86 mg/L lithium in the brine



1
Lithium ions are absorbed selectively to solid chemicals highly selective for lithium (acts like a chemical filter).

2
Brine without lithium leaves the system for injection back into the reservoir.

3
Stripping fluid removes the lithium ions to produce a high grade, high purity concentrate.

LITHIUM VOID BRINE

Closed loop system, returned to reservoir



LITHIUM CONCENTRATE

Up to 5000 mg/L with 99% of impurities removed

E3 Metals is developing an industry leading Direct Lithium Extraction (DLE) Technology

Current developments outlining the competitive advantages of the technology include:

- Reduced impurities – by over 99%
- Rapid and High Recovery
- Low Energy Consumption

Enables Battery Quality Lithium Hydroxide

E3's DLE technology is advancing through the pilot stage however, there is no guarantee the technology will work at a commercial level. The major focus is on moving towards successfully piloting its DLE technology.

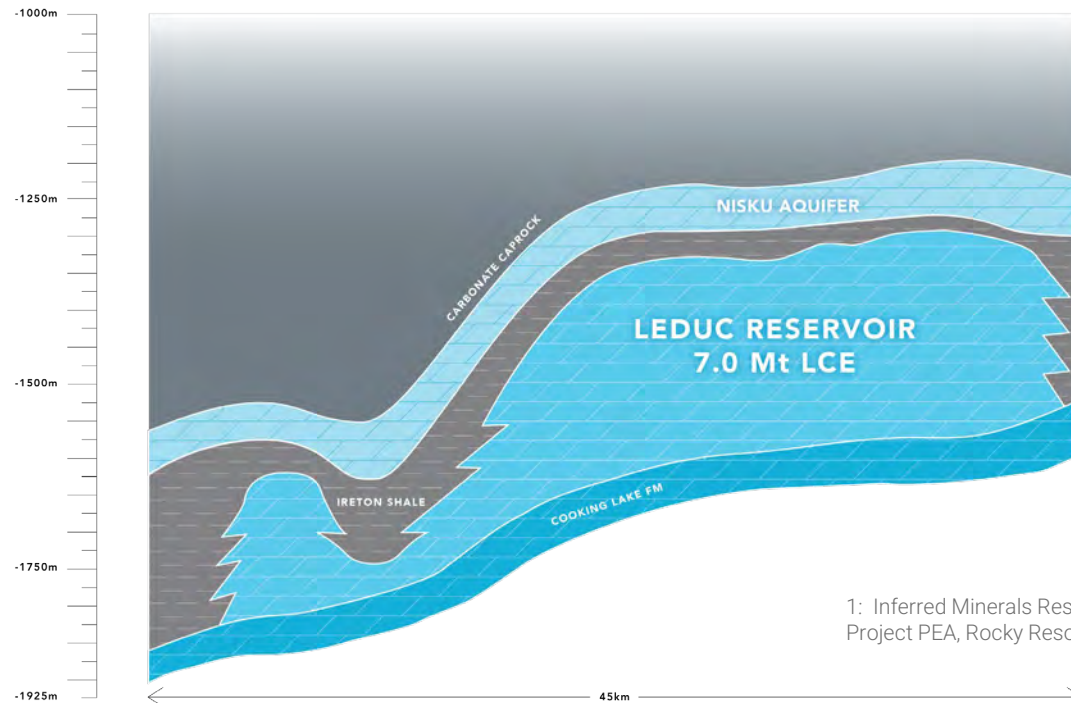


Innovation Combined with Existing Processes

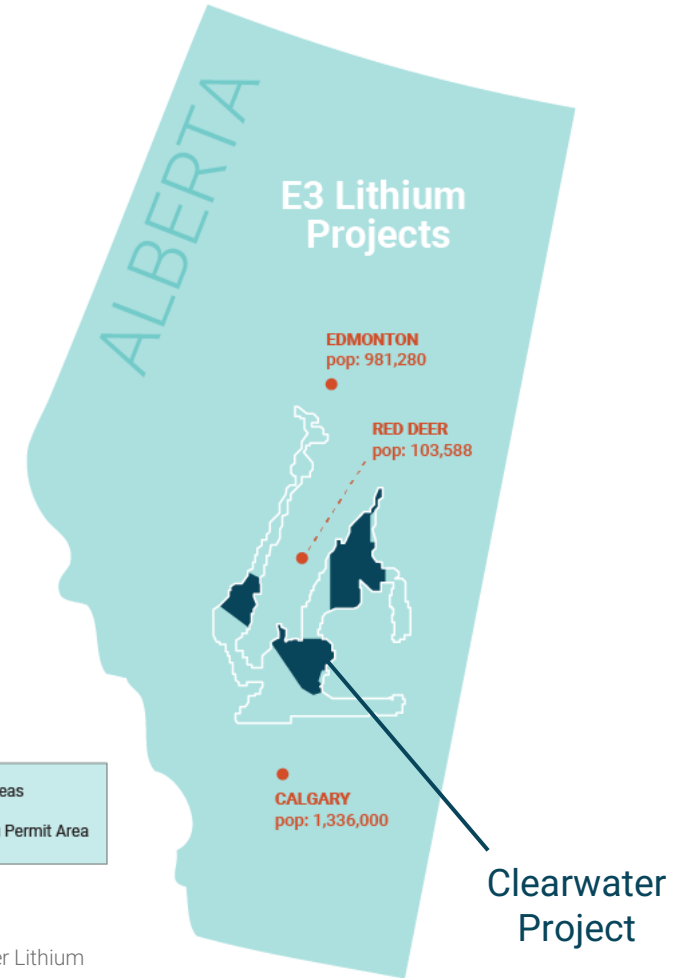
Direct Lithium Extraction (DLE) Technology

7,000,000 Tonnes Inferred LCE¹ already identified
7th Largest Resource Globally

Ability to Expand Resources Across the Leduc and Nisku



1: Inferred Minerals Resources outlined in NI 43-101 report for Clearwater Lithium Project PEA, Rocky Resource Area and Exshaw Resource Area



Sustainable Lithium is Possible with E3' Technology

Goal of producing lithium with the highest standard of ESG

Reduced Carbon Emissions

- By operating a gas fired power facility within the project site, E3 can deploy local technology and expertise to sequester the CO₂ from the exhaust and dispose into the aquifer, and procure low emitting electricity

No Tailings Ponds or Open Pits

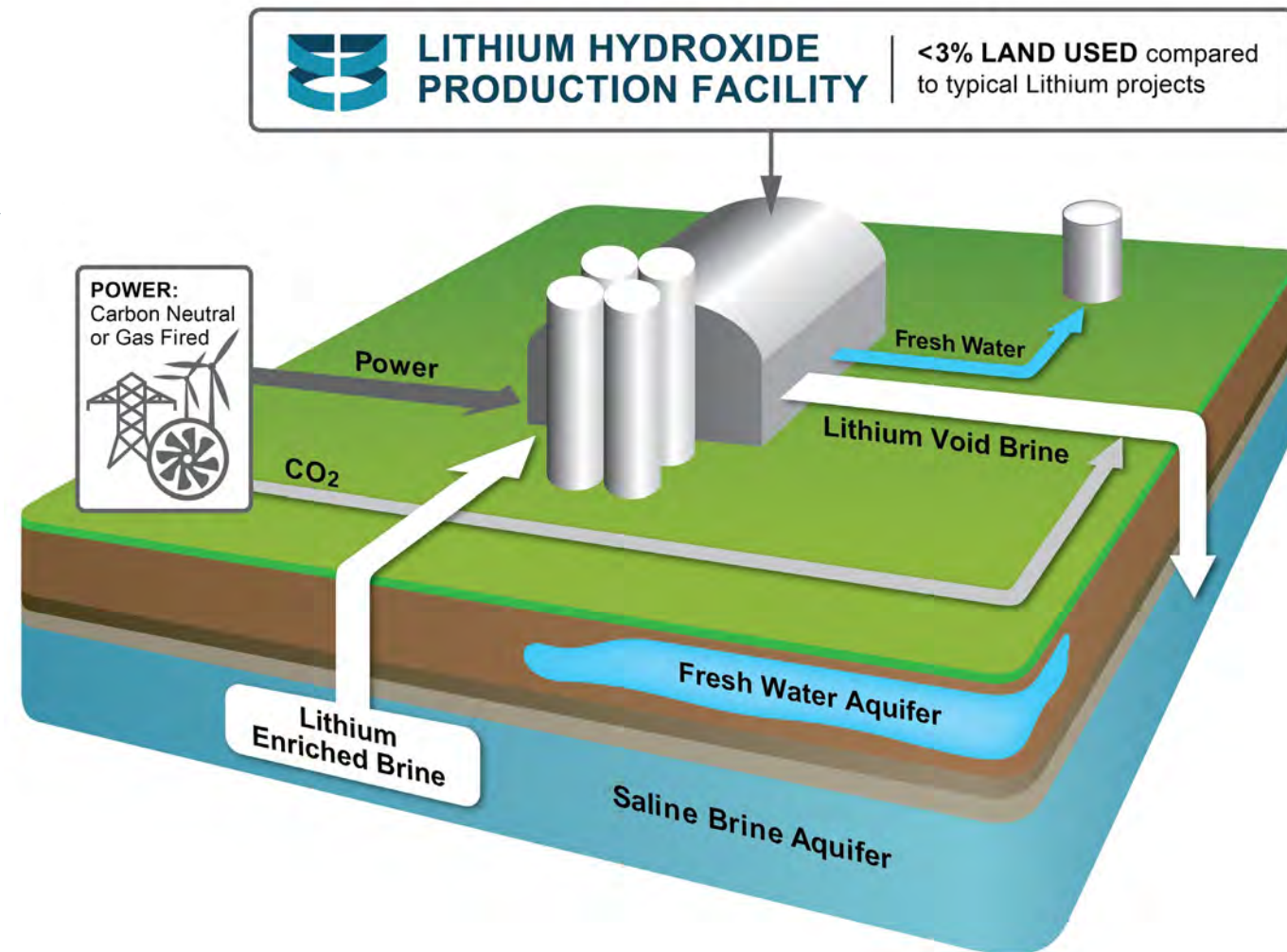
- 100% of the brine brought to the surface for lithium extraction will be placed back into the aquifer.

Not a Fresh Water Aquifer

- The Leduc is too salty to be a source of drinking water. The process design of moving the brine does not interact with fresh water sources.

Minimal Land Use

- Only approximately 3% of land will be required relative to similar sized evaporation and hard rock projects.



Global Lithium Sources

Conventional vs. Direct Lithium Extraction (DLE)

Conventional

Hard Rock Mining

- Energy and capital intensive
- Large environmental footprint



Greenbushes, Australia

Salars (Brines – Evaporative)

- Conventional evaporation process for brine concentration
- Slow process with large environmental footprint

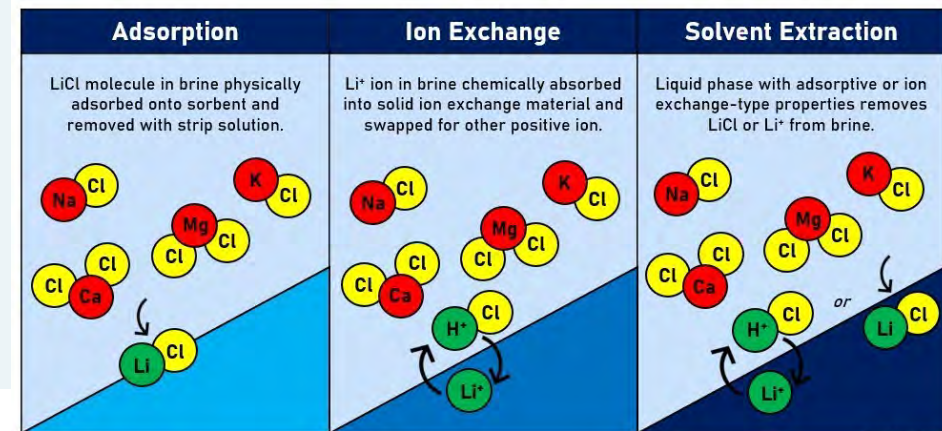


Salar de Atacama, Chile

Next Generation

Direct Lithium Extraction (DLE)

- Faster production with higher recoveries
- Limited to no tailings
- Minimized freshwater use



Source: Jade Cove Partners, 2020



Industry Friendly Jurisdiction

The Alberta Advantage



Stable and Mature Oil & Gas Regulatory Regime

- Lithium brine production is largely similar to oil & gas
- Lithium and oil & gas can operate concurrently
- The regulatory framework for oil & gas is well understood¹

Available Infrastructure and Expertise

- Underutilized workforce with applicable expertise
- Repurposing oil & gas infrastructure could minimize environmental impacts
- Low-cost resource delineation²

Government Supportive of Economic Diversification

- Alberta is industry friendly & entrepreneurially minded
- Lithium production could be supported by a local workforce adding value to Alberta's economy

1. <https://www.aer.ca/regulating-development/rules-and-directives/directives>

2. Based on E3's ability to sample from existing infrastructure. To delineate our resources, there has been no drilling typically required for mineral development



Reflecting on the Major Milestones Achieved in 2021

Since Releasing the Preliminary Economic Assessment in 2020

DLE Technology	Financing	Regulatory	Corporate
Commissioning E3 Metals Lab Facility	\$8.0M Private Placement	Provincial Government introduces Bill 82	270% shareholder YoY return
Commissioning of Lab Pilot Prototype	\$1.8M Alberta Innovates Grant Awarded	Provincial Government passes Bill 82	Graduation to Tier 1 of TSX Venture Exchange Graduation to OTCQX
Lab Pilot Prototype Initial Tests Deliver 97% Lithium Recoveries		Lithium Extraction now falls under the AER who currently oversees the Oil and Gas industry. Provides regulatory certainty and well-established framework	Management Team / Board Additions



Road to Commercialization

2022

- Complete Field-based Pilot Plant
- Drill program to upgrade from Inferred to Measured & Indicated Resource
- Determine optimal location for commercial operations
- Begin Pre-Feasibility Study (“PFS”)

2023

- Detailed Engineering Design
- Complete PFS

2024-2025

- Project Finance
- Commercial Permitting

2025-2026

- Commercial Production (~at 20,000 tonnes LCE per year)

Completion of these milestones are subject to financing and continued success in project development.



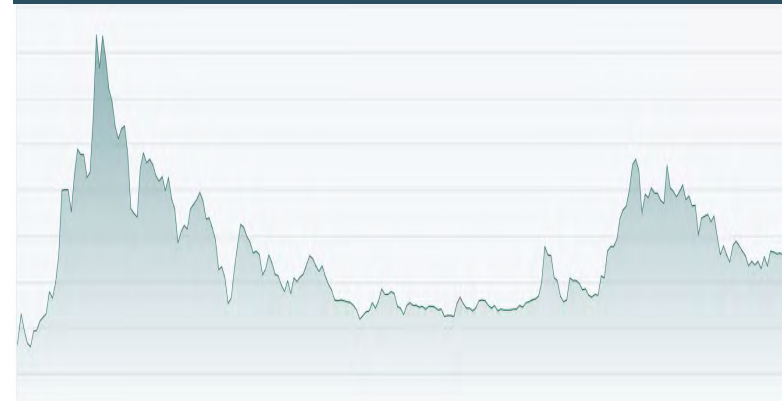
Share Metrics

TSX Venture – Quoted in CAD		ETMC
Share Price (@ January 18)		\$2.82
Cash Balance ¹		\$17.0M
Market Cap		\$163M
Daily Trading Volume		370,000
Shares Outstanding		57.8M
Options & Warrants Outstanding		10.5M
Value of Unexercised Warrants		\$10M
OTCQX – Quoted in USD		EEMMF
Share Price (@ January 18)		\$2.23
Cash Balance		\$13.5
Market Cap		\$129M

TSX.V: ETMC

OTCQX: EEMMF

FSE: OU7A



1. Excludes remaining \$1.3M Alberta Innovates grant funding



Why Invest?

Combines a Massive Lithium Resource with Innovative Technology

- PEA demonstrates USD 1.1B NPV_{8%} with 32% IRR (Pre-Tax)
- 7th Largest Resource in the world
- Developed proprietary Direct Lithium Extraction (DLE) technology Li-IX™, to extract lithium from Alberta brines
- Proposed initial development of 20,000 tonnes lithium hydroxide (LHM)/year, potential to expand up to 150,000 tonnes LHM/year
- Reduced Carbon Emissions: ESG focused project development plan aims for minimal land footprint, no freshwater use and limited carbon emissions
- Global Growth in Electric Vehicle (EV) market means robust market fundamentals for lithium demand and huge potential growth for E3





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Board & Advisors

Decades of expertise in mining, lithium, oil & gas

Board of Directors

Chris Doornbos, <i>P.Geo</i> Director	Founder of E3 Metals, industry expert specializing in the development of major projects, capital raising and M&A.
John Pantazopoulos, <i>CFA, ICD.D</i> Director	Finance and capital markets executive with over 20 years' experience in the energy industry and senior banking.
Kevin Stashin, <i>MBA, P.Eng</i> Independent Director	Oil & gas executive with 40 years' experience with large, sophisticated companies and processes. Former CEO of NAL Resources.
Peeyush Varshney, <i>B.Comm, LLB</i> Independent Director	Capital markets executive with 25 years' experience and has been involved in capital raises with VCC in excess of \$300 million.
Mike O'Hara, <i>P.Eng</i> Independent Director	Oil & gas executive with 35 years' experience in founding, developing and managing profitable, growth-oriented oil and gas companies.

Technical Advisory Board

Dr. Shaun Presow <i>Battery cathodes</i>	Strong background in inorganic chemistry. Experienced in lithium ion battery cathode material specifications. Senior auditor for BASF.
Dr. Wayne Monnery <i>Oil and gas processing and H₂S</i>	Specialist in Chemical Engineering with 30+ years' experience in process engineering development and design in the chemical and petroleum industries.
Dr. Mike Dixon <i>Desalination and water processing</i>	Global expert in desalination and water treatment technology. CTO for WaterNEXT and CEO of IoT company Synauta.

Corporate Advisory Board

Kevin Reinhart	An executive for 20 years at Nexen, a publicly listed major upstream oil and gas company with an enterprise value of over \$20 billion.
Brad Wall	Served as the Premier of Saskatchewan for over 10 years where he brought political and business leaders together as he implemented creative ways to bolster the Province's economic well-being.
Jean Croteau	Financial markets expert with significant experience at large Canadian financial institutions.
Tim Reimer	Calgary based oil and gas expert in project management, joint ventures, operations and commercial optimization of energy facilities.
Paul Reinhart	30 years' experience in providing early-stage project financing and advisory services.
Steven Goldman	President and CEO of Comstock Metals and founding partner of the law firm Goldman Hine.