

ASX RESOURCE SECTOR Projecting 2022 into 2023

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2023 CHALLENGES FROM THE BUSH ECONOMIST From The Blunt End Of His Old G Pick



1 DEALING WITH THE ZERO EMISSION AGENDA -- Encouraging signs are Major Mining Companies admitting --"The Technology is not Commercially Ready yet to Reach Emissions Targets". -

2. TIGHT RESOURCES SUPPLY SIDE & EGS Reports -

"Enforcing targets will see Operations Shut Down. The need for EGS Reports & increasing Social pressures on the Resource Industry will result in Permitting Delays for New Operations to start. Equals Major Supply Side Pressures"

3. DEMAND FOR RESOURCE WILL GROW – Mankind Uses 16kgs Earth Materials/day (57Kgs in developed Countries). "Major Supply Side Pressures will lead to higher prices and hence rampant Inflation. Back to the 17% days?".

THE GREATER THE PUSH FOR ZERO EMISSIONS THE HIGHER THE RATE OF INFLATION

4. HIGHER INFLATION MEANS LOWER LEVELS OF CAPITAL FOR EXPLORATION -

"Higher Inflation means less free cash equals less money for Exploration. Less Exploration means less Discoveries"

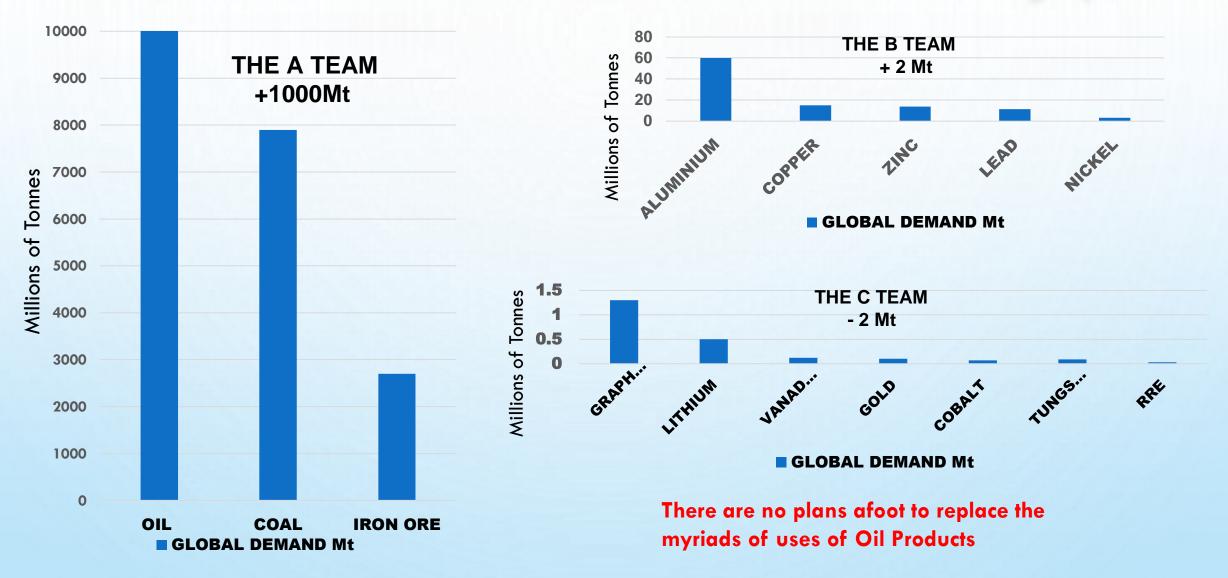
5. DEMONISING EMISSIONS MEANS THE RESOURCES INDUSTRY IS "ON THE NOSE AMONG THE YOUNG"

"Lower numbers of graduates & labour shortage, means low mine productivity & cost pressures"

6. BUT ZERO EMISSIONS WILL NOT CHANGE THE TEMPERATURE – Chief Scientist of Australia & Most Earth Scientists. "Political hysterics Hydrocarbons just benefited China's Resource Industries at the expense of the West"

DESPITE THE CHALLENGED - THE RESOURCE INDUSTRY WILL FIND A WAY.

THE CHALLENGE OF MEETING SOCIETY'S DEMANDS ARE EMORMOUS Global Commodity Demand 2021-2 In Million Tonnes



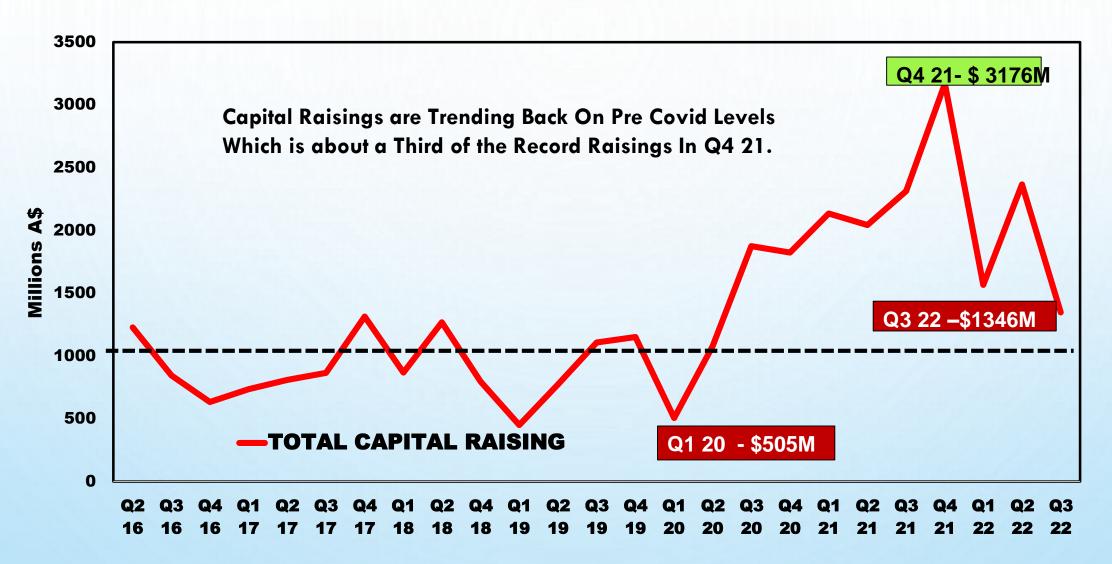
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ASX - APPENDIX 5B - TOTAL CAPITAL RAISING – LAST 6.5 YEARS



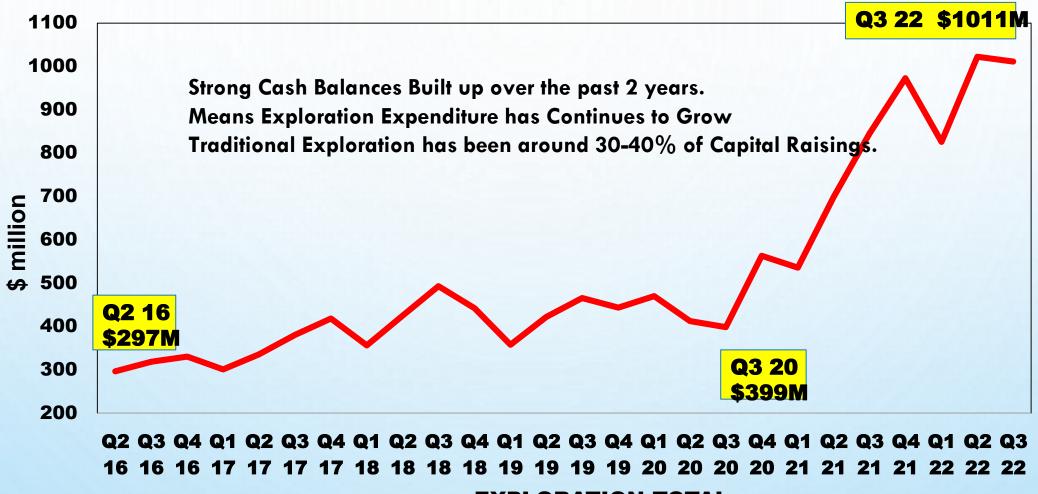
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ASX APPENDIX 5B TOTAL EXPLORATION EXPENDITURE -LAST 6.5 YEARS



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EXPLORATION TOTAL

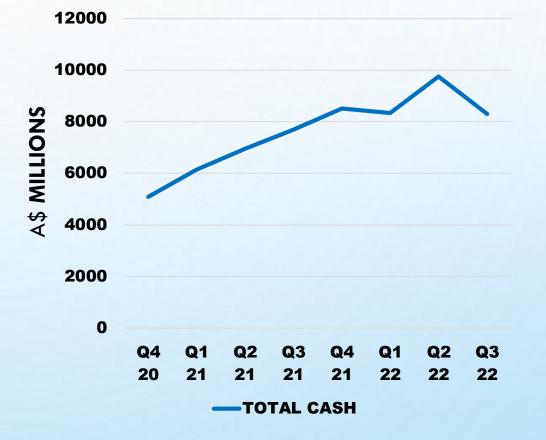
ASX RESOURCES MARKET – CHANGES IN CASH FLOW & TOTAL CASH POSITION



TOTAL CASH GAIN OR BURN 5B COMPANIES \$M

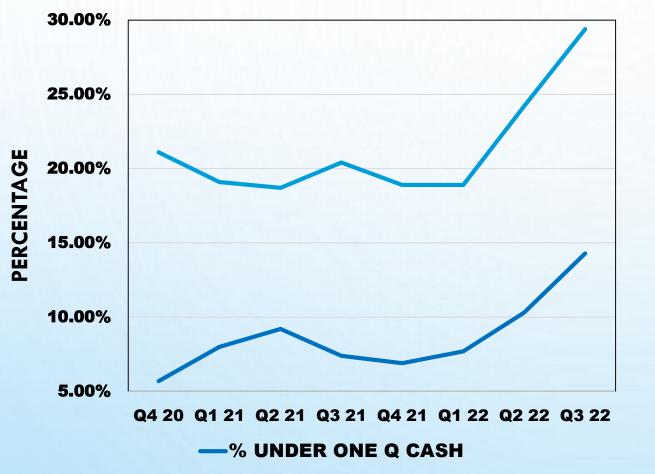
2000 1500 1000 A\$ MILLIONS 500 0 Q2 Q3 **Q**3 **Q4** Q1 Q4 **Q1** Q2 22 21 21 21 22 22 20 21 -500 -1000 -1500 -1.3 Billion Cash Burn Q3 22 TOTAL CASH BURN/GAIN

TOTAL CASH 5B COMPANIES - \$M



NUMBER OF 5B COMPANIES WITH LESS THAN ONE AND TWO Q CASH UP 50% Q3 22





FROM THE DATA

1. AUSTEX expects a slow down in expenditure by Explorers with less cash.

2. Companies with Projects that do not interest the Market, vulnerable

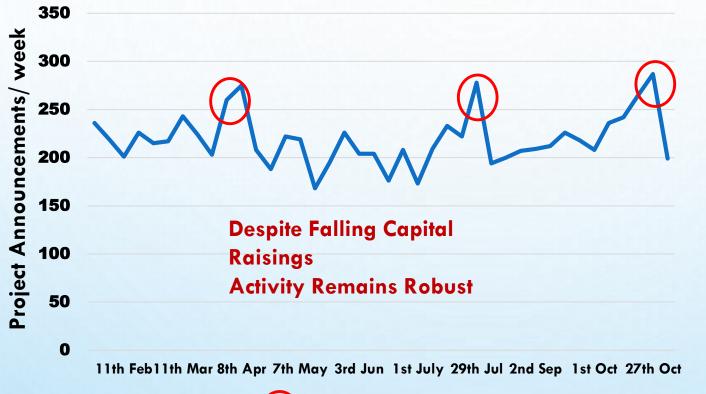
3. May be the odd "Life styler" emerge to sit on the Company's cash.

4. But generally a reasonably active sector in selective Commodities that are interesting the market.

ASX – WEEKLY PROJECT ANNOUNCEMENTS

Per Week 2022 YTD





AUSTEX regularly technically reviews the facts from 200-300 ASX Resource Project Announcements every week.

AUSTEXDATA

Contains well 60,000 Technical review –a great resource in the search for Project Opportunity.

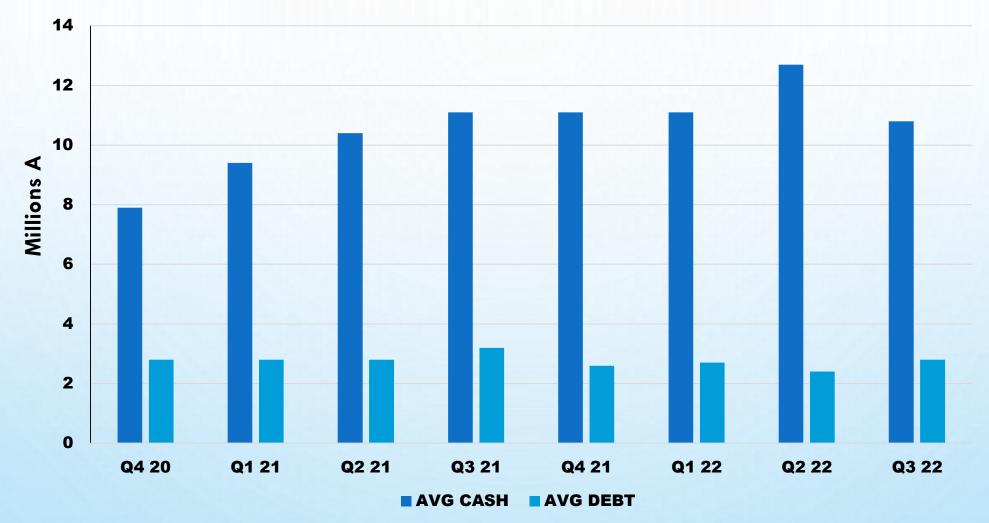
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Quarterly reporting period

AVERAGE CASH AND DEBT – APPENDIX 5B REPORTS



Over the Last 2 Years



DESPITE THE HURDLES ASX RESOURCE COMPANIES FIGHT TO FIND A WAY.

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Companies with < One Month Cash at 30 Sept 2022 – 90% Have Found Some Solution in 1 month

CODE	FOCUS	30/9/22 Cash \$K	Q cash	Solution	CODE	FOCUS	30/9/22 Cash \$K	Q cash	Solution
ENV	RARE EARTH	1	0.02	\$0.3M Placement	GBZ	GOLD	851	0.20	\$0.3M Placement
MEL	OIL & GAS	102	0.03	\$2.7M Placement	MR1	REE	356	0.21	\$2.7M Placement
DTR	GOLD	556	0.1	\$2.2M Placement	AW1	ZINC Cu Au	870	0.23	\$2.2M Placement
OAR	GRAPHITE	94	0.1	New Lithium Project	GSN	GOLD	257	0.24	NO SOLUTION
BEZ	GOLD	136	0.13	\$1M Placement	MYL	NICKEL	7,016	0.27	\$1M Placement
BTR	GOLD	229	0.17	\$0.66M Placement	CZR	IRON ORE	693	0.29	\$0.66M Placement
MKR	GOLD	291	0.20	\$2M added to debt	AL8	COPPER Zn	354	0.30	\$2M added to debt
NES	GOLD	172	0.20	Raising \$1M	EQR	TUNGSTEN	510	0.31	Raising \$1M
PNM	NICKEL	59	0.20	\$5.3M Placement	МТН	GOLD Ag	574	0.34	\$5.3M Placement
CLE	GOLD Cu Ni	126	0.20	NO SOLUTION	CRL	GOLD	167	0.34	NO SOLUTION

AVERAGE SHARE PRICE – ALL ASX RESOURCE COMPANIES



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OVER 2 YEARS 105 100.0 100 Cents 90.0 95 **Share Price in Cents** SHARE PRICE 90 80.0 85 70.0 80 AVERAGE 75 60.0 70 50.0 65 60 101-22 40.0 April Junit AUGI Julia Wathar Joir See Non Jan Wat War Joir J How Jou War Way, Jon Seb How J Sep.21 VG WEEKLY SHARE PRICE - ASX RESOURCE VG SHARE PRICE Linear (AVG WEEKLY SHARE PRICE - ASX RESOURCE) Linear (AVG SHARE PRICE) . . .

INFORMATION FROM – AUSTEXDATA

OVER 1 YEAR

ASX RESOURCE RESULTS – BY MARKET CAP QUARTILE –



Figures based on share Prices 4st Nov 22

QUARTILE BY MARKET CAP	MARKET CAP RANGE \$A	% PRICE CHANGE ALL COMPANIES 12 months	% PRICE CHANGE ALL COMPANIES last 1 months
FIRST	+88M	+334%	+17.2%
SECOND	+24M-88M	+ 97.4 %	-9.2 %
THIRD	+9.5M-24M	+16.9%	-35.6%
FOURTH	-9.5M	-5.1%	-46.5 %
ALL COMPANIES		+136%	-16.6%

The Companies that are now in the First Quartile (Market Cap + \$88M) have been the Best Performers

INFORMATION FROM – AUSTEX LITE – dated 4th Nov 2022

LARGEST SHARE PRICE RISES – WEEK ENDING 4th Nov 2022



First & Second Quartile By Market Cap

FIRST QUARTILE – TOP 10

SECOND QUARTILE - TOP 10

DDE	COMMODITY	% SHARE PRICE CHANGE LAST 12 MONTHS	% SHARE PRICE CHANGE LAST WEEK	CODE	COMMODITY	% SHARE PRICE CHANGE LAST 12 MONTHS
	LITHIUM		57.4%	WA1	RARE EARTHS	
11	LITHIUM		33.6%	ш	LITHIUM	135.8%
25	MANGANESE	-9.8 %	23.7%	MRL	HMS	-17.6%
UR	LITHIUM	-40.5%	22.2%	CNR	NICKEL	-23.5%
RN	COAL	76.0%	22.0%	DKM	GOLD	-12.7%
PQ	GOLD Cu	241.2%	20.8%	EMN	MANGANESE	-37.8%
RN	ZINC Cu Au Ni	-16.7 %	17.6%	QXR	GOLD	179.3%
мн	MANGANESE	-21.8%	17.6%	SXG	GOLD	
AE	GOLD	-54.9 %	15.0%	SGQ	NICKEL Cu Au	20.0%
AN	NICKEL	-21.4%	13.8%	WIN	NICKEL	62.8%

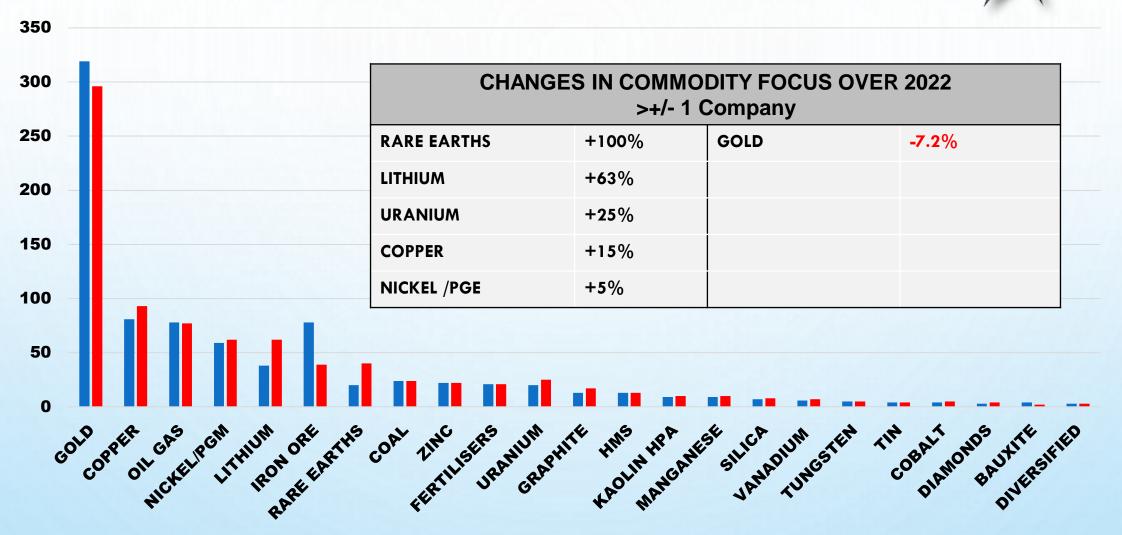


By COMMODITY FOCUS GROUP - ASX RESOURCE MARKET.

AVE	RAGE SHAP	RE PRICE CHANGES		COMMODITY PR	ICES CHANGES
COAL	+152%	ZINC LEAD	-44%	THERMAL COAL	130.4%
OIL & GAS	+30%	RARE EARTHS	-39 %	LITHIUM CARBONATE	102.0%
VANADIUM	+20%	HELIUM/HYDROGEN	-30 %	URANIUM	20.5%
IRON ORE	+13%	KAOLIN	-34 %	OIL (BRENT)	15.9%
LITHIUM	+1%	COPPER	-29 %	NICKEL	6.5%
		MANGANESE	-28 %	MANGANESE ORE (37%)	-3.8%
		GOLD	-27 %	GOLD (USD)	-11.4%
		FERTILISERS	-26 %	IRON ORE	-18.6%
		HMS	-14%	ZINC	-19.1%
		NICKEL PGE	-11%	COPPER	-22.5%
		GRAPHITE	-7%		
		URANIUM	-5%		

COMMODITY FOCUS - ASX RESOURCE MARKET.

From 1st Jan 22 – 21st Oct 22

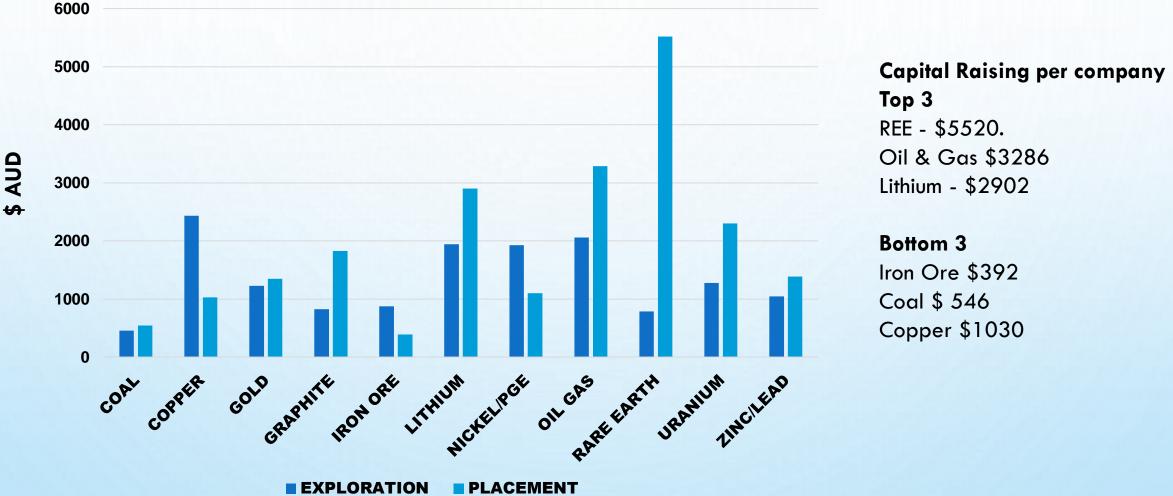


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WHERE MIGHT WE EXPECT EXPLORATION ACTION IN Q4 22

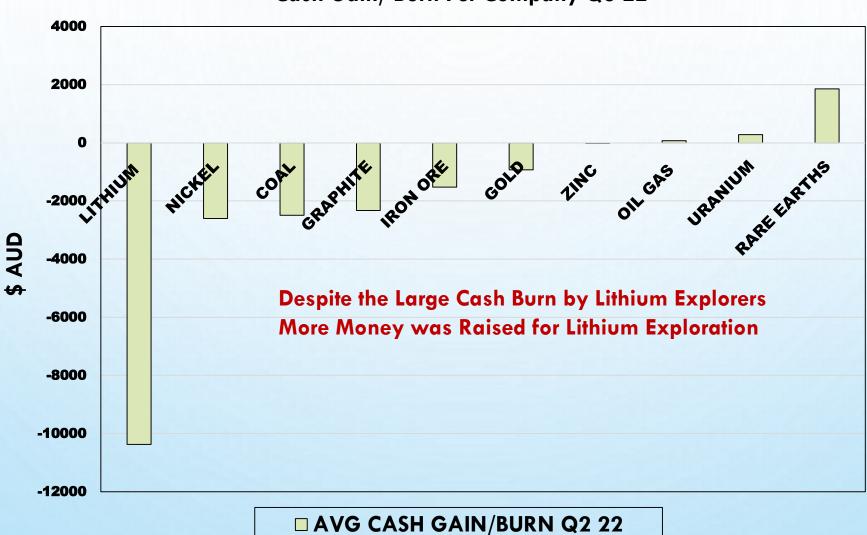






Significantly More funds raised in RARE EARTHS, OIL& GAS LITHIUM GRAPHITE than spent on Exploration in Q3 22.

AVERAGE CASH GAIN/BURN PER COMPANY – TOP 10 COMMODITY GROUPS

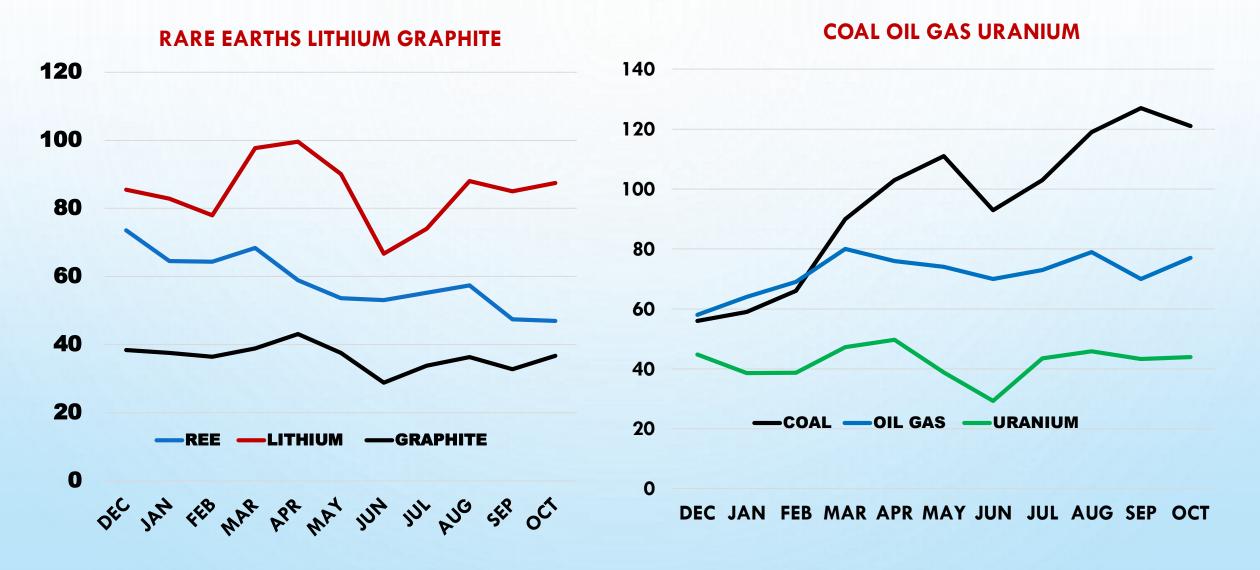


Cash Gain/ Burn Per Company Q3 22

AVERAGE SHARE PRICE CHANGE – 2022 YTD



Changes in Commodity Prices Can Change Market Sentiment Quickly



RARE EARTH & LITHIUM SECTOR - MOST Q3 22 CASH

RARE EARTHS - TOP 10 CASH

CODE	LOCATION	CHANGE 3 MTH	Q3 22 RAISED \$A M	CASH 30 th Sep 22 \$AM	STATUS
HAS	WEST AUST	-13.0%	68	176	HR - EMERGING -27.4Mt @ 0.97% TREO
ARU	NTH TERRITORY	-15.7%	41	49	HR- EMERGING - 56Mt @ 2.6% TREO
ASM	NSW	-44.5%	0	38	HR - 75Mt @ 0.74% TREO. + METAL PLANT
VML	CANADA	-23.3 %	41	33	HR - 94.7Mt @ 1.46% REO + CONC PLANT
GGG*	GREENLAND	-16.1%	0	26	TITLE ISSUES –
IXR	UGANDA	0.0%	0	22	CLAY - 532Mt @ 640ppm TREO
ARR	USA	-25.5 %	14	17	CLAY - 170.6Mt @ 391ppm TREO
AR3	SOUTH AUST VIC	-21.6 %	0	10	CLAY – 81Mt @ 781ppm TREO
DRE	WEST AUST	76.9 %	12	8.5	EXPLORATION -HARD ROCK
PVW	WEST AUST	-50.0 %	0	7.3	EXPLORAITON - HARD ROCK

LITHIUM - TOP 10 CASH

CODE	LOCATION	CHANGE 3 MTH	Q3 22 RAISED \$A M	CASH 30 th Sep 22 \$AM	STATUS
LTR	WEST AUST	40.9%	0.3	419.8	HR – EMERGING = 156Mt @ 1.4% Li2O
SYA	CANADA	20.5%	1.7	159.2	HR - RESTARTING - 101.9Mt @ 1.06% Li2O
LKE	ARGENTINA	21.6%	0.1	158.9	BRINE – DEMO PLANT - 4.4Mt LCE
VUL	GERMANY	-7.1%	0.0	158.2	BRINE – PILOT PLANT - 15.85Mt LCE @ 181mg Li
СХО	NTH TERRITORY	16.0%	0.3	95.5	IHR- CONSTRUCTION - 18.9Mt @ 1.3% Li2O
INR	USA	-3.6%	0.0	77.0	SEDIMENTARY - 1.2Mt LCE
LLL	MALI	43.7%	0.0	71.5	HR - 108Mt @ 1.45% Li2O
GT1	CANADA	37.3%	0.0	59.2	HR – EXPLORATION - 9.9Mt @ 1.04% Li2O
NMT	WEST AUST	-3.2%	0.0	50.8	LIHTIUM BATTERY RECYLING
AZL	USA	3.9%	12.2	50.4	SEDIMENTARY – 32.5Mt @ 1850ppm Li.

CURRENT 30 RARE EARTHS COMPANIES TO CHOOSE FROM PRODUCERS LYC – LYNAS – Hard Rock TITLE ISSUES GGG- GREENLAND POST Q3 22 DISCOVERY WA 1- Carbonatites in the West Arunta

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LITHIUM SECTOR – CURRENTLY 62 COMPANIES PRODUCERS AKE – Argentina Brines & WA Hard Rock PLS - WA Hard Rock IGO & MIN have WA Hard Rock Production

GOLD SILVER SECTOR

Explorers Emerging & Producing Companies



AUSTEX – feels that the Outlook for Gold is improving

CODE	LOCATION	CHANGE 3 MTH	Q3 22 RAISED A\$M	CASH 30 th Sep 22 A\$M	STATUS and CONTAINED RESOURCE
GMD	WEST AUST	-16.2%	96.9	91.5	Taking Over ASX–DCN to hold - 4.5Moza Au.
TIE	COTE D'IVOIRE	45.8%	65.0	87.7	Expect 1 st Gold Dec 23 - Emerging Producer 3.4Moz Au
BGL	WEST AUST	-14.1%	0.0	77.3	Commence Construction – 3.1Moz Au Emerging Producer
PDI	GUINEA	-33.3%	20.4	49.9	Exploration – Growing a Resource of 4.2Moz Au
DEG	WEST AUST	18.9%	0.0	36.9	Exploration – Growing a Resource of 10.6M Oz Au
TAM	WEST AUST	- 24.5%	0.0	35.4	50% JV with ASX-NST on a Resource of 2.74M oz Au.
CAI	WEST AUST	-51.0%	20.0	26.5	Ramping up Production to 90Koz Au. Resource 1.7Moz Au
FML	WEST AUST	7.4%	0.0	26.4	Possible Restart on 6.3Moz Au Resource
ORR	TANZANIA	-26.4%	0.0	25.6	Planning Development 3.1Moz Au
TUL	WEST AUST	-32.4%	0.0	25.3	50% partner in New Production – 4.5Moz Au
FAL	VICTORIA	-11.1%	0.0	24.3	Significant drill results
PNR	WEST AUST	- 26.3%	0.0	23.3	50% partner in New Production – 4.5Moz Au
BRB	WEST AUST	43.6%	0.0	22.3	Emerging Project – 1.6Moz Au
OBM	WEST AUST	40.0%	0.0	20.4	Q3 Gold Production 13.6Koz Au @ A\$2914/oz Au
GCY	WEST AUST	-10.2%	0.0	18.2	Q3 Gold Production 13.9Koz Au @ AISC A\$3135/oz Au.
CYL	TAS VIC	-9.0%	0.0	16.9	Q3 Gold Production 5.9Koz Au @ AISC A\$2658/oz Au
SLS	WEST AUST	-20.0%	0.0	13.4	Exploration Keith Kilkenny Zone WA- Pre Resource
BC8	WEST AUST	-15.8%	0.1	13.3	Appraisal Stage on 2Moz Au spread over 3 areas.
KIN	WEST AUST	-11.4%	13.7	12.7	Exploration Leonora Area 1.3Moz Au.
GPR	PNG	-15.5%	0.0	12.4	Early Development Stalled -1.6Moz Resource

TOP 20 = MOST CASH in \$A Millions

GOLD PRODUCERS CHALLENGES COMPANIES Q3 22 PRODUCTION - + 20Koz Au.



ASX Code	Q3 Gold Koz	QoQ Change	AISC \$A	QoQ Change	ASX Code	Q3 Gold Koz	QoQ Change	AISC \$A	QoQ Change
СММ	31	-3.13%	1166	4.20%	WAF	49.4	-22.93 %	1867	24.80%
PRU	137.5	12.43%	1371	-12.45%	RMS	61.2	-9.20 %	1930	23.40%
GOR	41.8	-3.46%	1426	14.08%	SLR	59.9	-8.97 %	2052	3.69%
EVN	161.1	-6.72 %	1513	1 7.29 %	WGX	66	-9.09 %	2106	14.27%
DCN	21.5	-37.13%	1594	4.73%	RSG	90.4	1.46%	2360	-1.75%
NCM	527	-17.27%	1712	22.64%	SBM	63.7	-25.9 3%	2490	24.07%
RRL	114.8	-7.34%	1782	17.31%	AMI	22.5	12.50%	2643	-5.71%
NST	369	-8.21 %	1788	8.36%					

The Change of Inflation and Labour Shortages

Current Gold Price AUD \$2604/OZ

Marginal Mining Operations will struggle – Recently we have seen ASX-RVR call in the Administrators. Investors will need to seek higher margin operations



THE INCREASE IN ASX RESOURCES COMPANIES NUMBERS

Net Increase of 42 ASX Resource Companies in 2022



The ASX RESOURCES – IPOS 2022 – How Have they Gone

A year of Mixed Success for the 64 New IPO BY END Q3 22



CODE	IPO	% CHANGE	Project Status	CODE	IPO	% CHANGE	CODE	IPO	% CHANGE	CODE	IPO	% CHANGE
WA1	FEB	282%	REE – New Discovery	ODE	JAN	6 %	VTX	JAN	-15%	NFL	MAR	-35%
КОВ	MAY	79 %	Lithium - Tenure	OCN	JUL	4%	ELE	FEB	-16%	SLB	MAR	-36 %
FEG	APR	76 %	Au – Drill Results	OSM	APR	0 %	MMA	APR	-16%	SRR	MAY	-36 %
SPD	JUN	48 %	PGE – Drill Results	WYX	MAY	0 %	TEE	APR	-20 %	\$3N	FEB	-37%
MGA	JUL	46 %	REE – Rock Chips	A11	SEP	0 %	мом	DEC	-21%	СВН	JUL	-37%
OLY	MAY	44%	Lithium-Tenure Review	R8R	JUL	-3%	IG6	APR	-21 %	NYM	APR	-38 %
DRM	MAY	33%	Cu – Take Over Target	СМО	FEB	-11%	SLS	MAY	-22 %	MPG	MAR	-38%
OD6	JUN	29 %	Au – Drill Results	OM1	MAR	-12%	APS	MAY	-23%	BRX	FEB	-39 %
ш	JUN	29 %	Lith – Pre Development	BVR	MAY	-12%	SGA	JUL	-23 %	LPM	APR	-43%
BIM	JUL	24 %	Cu Au - Drill Program	NNL	JUN	-12%	СМХ	JAN	-25 %	NHE	APR	-44%
KNG	JUN	23%	Uranium – Drill Results	T92	ОСТ	-12%	CVR	JUN	-26 %	PIM	MAR	-46 %
NC1	JAN	20 %	Nickel – PFS Stage	BTE	JUL	-13%	UVA	JUN	-26 %	KLI	FEB	-53%
SUM	AUG	13%	REE – Drilling Planned	1 A E	JUN	-13%	SRX	JUL	-30 %	FTL	APR	-54%
ОСТ	NOV	11%	Lith – Field Exploration	LRD	APR	-14%	FXG	FEB	-30 %	FDR	APR	-62 %
PR1	APR	9 %	Nickel – Drill Results	SNX	JUN	-15%	SXG	MAY	-30 %	GRE	JAN	-93 %
TG6	MAY	8 %	Nickel – Geophysics	VMM	JAN	-15%	HRE	AUG	-31%			

Early Stage Exploration

Only 28% have a share price that is higher than at the end of the month after listing. Have of those 28% are at Pre drilling Exploration, so many of those may also end 2022 lower.



THE LOCATION FOCUS OF ASX LISTED GOLD COMPANIES – By Flagship Project Location

AUSTEX is of the view that the percentage of Companies seeking Overseas Projects will grow in 2023

AUSTRALIA	236	AMERICAS	37	AFRICA	22	ELSEWHERE	19
WEST AUST	168	CANADA	10	COTE D'IVOIRE	5	NEW ZEALAND	4
NSW	21	USA	10	MALI	4	PNG	3
QUEENSLAND	19	CHILE	5	GHANA	3	GLOBAL	2
VICTORIA	14	BRAZIL	3	GUINEA	2	INDONESIA	2
NTH TERRITORY	7	ARGENTINA	2	SENEGAL	2	SLOVAKIA	2
STH AUST	5	COLUMBIA	2	SOUTH AFRICA	2	SPAIN	1
TAS	2	MEXICO	2	DR CONGO	1	SWEDEN	1
		PERU	1	ETHIOPIA	1	CAMBODIA	1
		CUBA	1	TANZANIA	1	FIJI	1
		ECUADOR	1	ZIMBABWE	1	MALAYSIA	1
						THAILAND	1

75% of Flagship Projects are in Australia, with 54% in Western Australia 19% in Queensland



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