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# **Entitlement Offer**

Seeking to raise approximately \$4.58M through a 1 for 3 Fully Underwritten Non-Renounceable Entitlement Offer.

L14 – Cervantes Oil Exploration project

> PERTH BASIN

Corporate Presentation 6 July 2021

COOPER EROMANGA BASIN ATP2021 – Three Vali gas discoveries in CY20 & CY21 PRL211 – Odin-1 gas discovery in CY21 Potential significant gas production hub emerging to assist east coast gas shortage

### Company snapshot



### Metgasco's gas exploration success allows line of sight to profitable business in H1CY22

#### **Company overview**

- ASX listed energy exploration company (ASX code: MEL)
- Experienced team focused on creating shareholder value.
- An exploration focus in the prolific onshore Australian Cooper/Eromanga and Perth basins.
- 100% success rate in discovering gas in first four wells drilled in ATP2021 and PRL211 licences. CY21 successful drilling program anticipated to build reserves in production hub.
- Anticipated FID to commercialise Vali Q3 CY21 and gas production of gross 12mmscf/d targeted in H1 CY22. Odin gas discovery highly likely to be developed via Vali facilities.
- Currently planning the drilling of high impact oil exploration well Cervantes-1 onshore in Perth Basin.

#### **Financial information**

Share price (29 June 2021)	A\$0.029
Number of shares	549.6m
Bonus Options (4c expiring 31/12/2021)	182.5m
Employee Performance Rights	10.4m
Market capitalisation	A\$15.94m
Cash <sup>1</sup>	A\$0.55m
BYE Shares <sup>2</sup>	A\$0.18m
Debt	A\$ nil
1 As at 30 June 2021	

As at 30 June 2021 As at 29 June 2021

#### Substantial shareholders & Board

Melbana Energy Limited	20.00%
Keybridge Capital Limited & Aurora Funds	14.77%
Board and Senior Management	2.59%
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Total shareholders	1,973

Source: Link Market Services (29 June 2021)

#### **Quality exploration portfolio in Cooper and Perth basins**



### Achievements over the past 36 months

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#### Significant achievements have been made in the last 36 months in 3 key focus areas

#### Cooper Eromanga

- ✓ In CY2019 ATP2021 successfully farmed-out to Vintage Energy and Bridgeport.
- ✓ MEL free carried on Vali-1 exploration well retaining 25% interest in ATP2021
- ✓ 1<sup>st</sup> JV well Vali-1 spud in Dec19 and discovered gas in Permian sands
- Vali-1 ST1 successfully stimulated and tested at stabilised rate = 4.3 mmscf/d at 942 psi FWHP in Q3 CY2020.
- In Dec CY2020 Independent reserve assessment determines gas in Vali field 2P Gross 33.2PJ and Net 8.3PJ
- ✓ Vali-2 drilled in Apr21- 150 m net gas pay. Gas sample from the Toolachee
- ✓ Vali-3 drilled successfully in Jun 21
- PRL211- Odin-1 well drilled in May21 172.5 m gas pay in Toolachee,Epsilon and Patchawarra foramtions. Gas samples recovered from Toolachee and Epsilon.

#### Perth Basin

- September 2019: signed Perth Basin exploration farm-in deal with RCMA in the Western Flank of the Perth Basin. Deal terms allow up to two exploration wells to be drilled.
- September 2019: large oil prospect
  Cervantes identified by Metgasco &
  Prospective resources announced.
- 15 Nov 2019: Vintage Energy farms-in to the Cervantes prospect, paying 50% of well costs for 30% interest. Right for 2<sup>nd</sup> well farm-in L14 at same terms.
- ✓ CY2020 appoint highly experienced drilling consultancy Aztech appointed.
- Government regulatory approvals now expected by end Q3 CY21
- Well planning significantly advanced including purchase of long lead items.
- Cervantes well timing dependent on securing suitable drilling rig.
   Discussions underway on two suitable rigs active in WA.

#### Corporate

- Following Dec CY2020 AGM approval 20 million shares in Byron Energy(ASX "BYE") In Specie-Distribution completed to MEL eligible shareholders.
- Metgasco continue to assess value adding corporate and asset opportunities in the Cooper and Perth Basins.



- A fully underwritten non-renounceable pro rata Entitlement Offer with an opportunity to acquire 1 New Share for every 3 Existing Shares held as at the Record Date at an offer price of \$0.025 per New Share (Offer Price) to raise up to approximately \$4.58 million. Attaching options on a 1 for 3 basis with a strike price of \$0.031 expiring 31 December 2022
- Issue price:
  - representing a discount of 7.4% on the closing price of Metgasco on 1 July
    2021
  - representing a discount of 13.5% on the 30-day VWAP of Metgasco to 1 July
    2021



Appraisal, Well Completion, Well Testing, Geophysics and Commercialisation activities in relation to the Company's Cooper Basin portfolio	\$2.36M
Pipeline and Service Infrastructure in relation to commercialisation of the Company's Cooper Basin portfolio, subject to Joint Venture FID	\$0.62M
Pre-drill preparation, Civil works and Rig contracting at Cervantes	\$0.83M
New business appraisal and evaluation, and for general working capital	\$0.55M
Legal, Underwriting and Capital Raising costs of the offer (best estimate) <sup>1,2</sup>	\$0.22M
Total	\$4.58M

<sup>1</sup> Lead Manager Underwriting fees pursuant to the offer are three (3) percent (\$137,412). Pursuant to the Underwriting Agreement and Lead Manager Mandate, a further three (3) percent fee will be paid to the Lead Manager (up to a maximum of \$137,412, assuming 100% shortfall) on shortfall shares placed in relation to any shortfall under the Entitlement offer. Legal fees of \$15,000 have been estimated in relation to the Entitlement offer and related Underwriting documentation.

<sup>2</sup> Application of funds raised pursuant to the Entitlement offer are **best estimates only** and may necessarily vary subject to operation developments.



Current ordinary shares on issue	549,649,424
Entitlement Offer (1 New Share for every 3 Existing Shares)	183,216,475
Total ordinary shares on issue post Entitlement Offer	732,865,899
Entitlement Offer Options (expiry 31 December 2022)	61,072,158
Underwriter Options (expiry 31 December 2022)	6,000,000
Bonus Options (expiring 31 December 2021)	182,476,936
Employee Performance Rights	10,418,411

### Entitlement Offer Indicative Timeline\*

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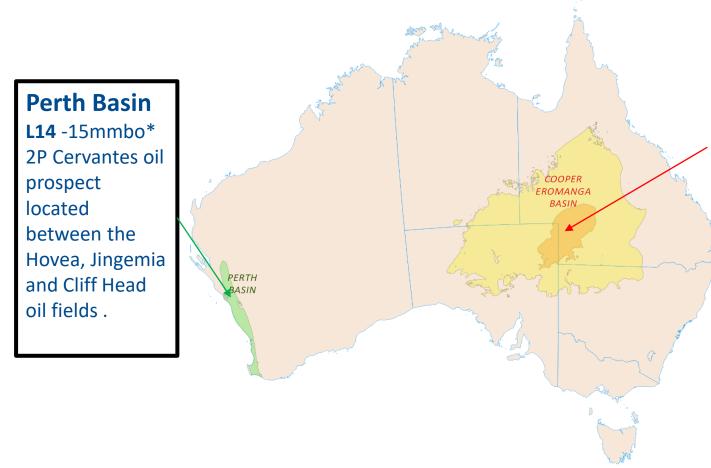
Announcement of Entitlement Offer	Tuesday 6 July 2021
Record Date for Entitlement Offer	Friday 9 July 2021
Entitlement Offer opens and dispatch of offer booklet	Wednesday 14 July 2021
Entitlement Offer closes	Wednesday 28 July 2021
Results announced	Monday 2 August 2021
Quotation of Entitlement Offer shares sought	Wednesday 4 August 2021

\*All dates are indicative and subject to change at the discretion of the issuer.

### Quality Onshore Australia Exploration Asset Portfolio

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- East Coast Gas Cooper/Eromanga Basin Vali gas discovery, stimulated and tested. ERCE certification of net 8.3PJ\*\* gas reserves. Reserve upgrade likely following CY21 drilling.
- West Coast Oil Perth Basin Cervantes shallow oil prospect Hovea Oil field lookalike.



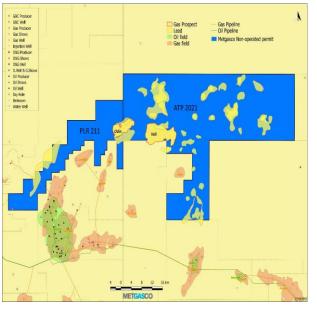
Cooper/Eromanga Basin- "String of Pearls" ATP2021 – In Q3 CY2020 Vali-1 ST1 stimulated and tested at 4.3MMscfd. CY21-Vali-2 and Vali-3 gas discoveries. PRL211 CY21 gas discovery ATP2020 Farm-out process underway

\*Ref slide 15/19 resource notes \*\* Ref slide 10/19 reserves

#### **Exploration focus on prolific Australian onshore basins**

### Metgasco: Strategy / Asset Overview

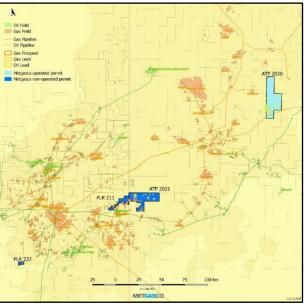
# Strategy - Deliver shareholder returns from current and new E&P assets/investments and be the partner of choice



### Cooper/Eromanga Basin QLD

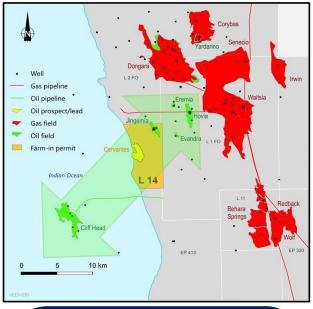
- 2 permits 1 non-op /1 operated.
- ATP2021 (25%) Vali-1 ST1 gas discovery, independent Net Reserve 2P Reserves of 8.3PJ\*.
- Successful Stimulation and gas test completed July / August CY2020
- Vali-2 & 3 gas discoveries CY2021
- ATP2020 (100% operated) Farm-out campaign re-launched Q1 CY2021

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### Cooper/Eromanga Basin SA

- 2 non-operated permits.
- PRL211 farm-in pay 25% for 21.25%
- PRL211 adjacent to ATP2021.
- Odin-1 gas discovery announced 31May 2021
- PRL 237 (20%) No near term activity planned. Senex sold asset to Beach Energy in Q4 CY20.



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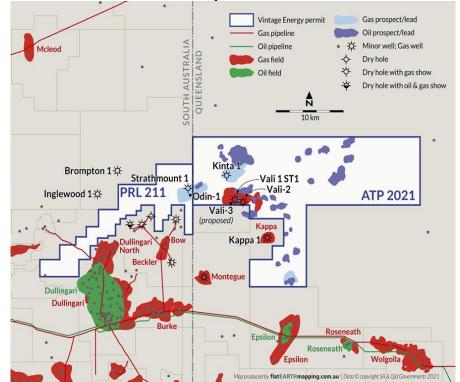
#### **Onshore Perth Basin**

- Basin entry farm-in to drill Cervantes exploration prospect in L14 Licence by paying 50% to earn 30% equity.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Farm-in exercise right
- Vintage Energy secured as equivalent funding partner.
- Planning of well significantly advanced
- Well timing subject to HSE approvals and rig contract

### ATP2021- Vali Hub Reserves ....how big is the upside?

Vali-2 delivered greater net gas pay than Vali-1 ST1 and is cased for future production. Vali-3 gas pay in-line with pre-drill expectations . Reserve increase anticipated.

- Vali-2 drilled to appraise Patchawarra gas discovery and assess potential for gas in a Toolachee formation four-way dip closure(not tested in Vali-1)
- 150 metres of net gas pay in Vali-2 interpreted primarily in Toolachee and Patchawarra formations
- Vali-2 Toolachee gas sample recovered to surface
- Toolachee in Vali-2 six metres up-dip of Vali-1 ST1
- Vali-3 wireline logging confirmed net gas pay in Patchawarra in line with pre-drill expectations
- Vali-2 similar to Vali-1 ST1 stacked gas pay in Toolachee and Patchawarra formations
- Vali 2 and Vali-3 Cased for future perforation, fracture stimulation and production



	Gross ATP 2021 Vali Gas Field Patchawarra Formation (1 December 2020)				
	1P	2P	3P		
Reserves (Bscf)	12.3	30.3	78.9		
Reserves (PJ)	13.4	33.2	86.6		
	Net ATP 2021 Vali Gas Field Patchawarra Formation (1 December 2020)				
	1P	2P	3P		
Reserves (Bscf)	3.1	7.6	19.7		
Reserves (PJ)	3.4	8.3	21.6		

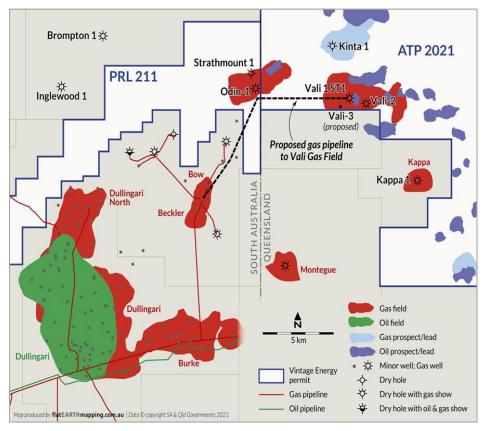


\*Resources prior to drilling Vali-2 and Vali-3 Refer to Reserve Notes on Page 19

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### String of Pearls-Building a sizeable gas production hub METGASCO

### Potential nine well Vali development - field life approx 20 years - 12mmscf/day average rate



By assessing the resource upside ahead of first gas there is the potential to optimise the value of the ATP2021and PRL211 assets, with the following benefits expected to be realised:

- Appropriately sized flowline by better defining field volumes via further successful drilling.
- Vali-1 ST1 test proved gas rate of circa 5 MMscf/day
- Targeting plateau field gas flow-rate of 12 MMscf/day
- The success of Vali-2 & 3 + Odin-1 should deliver reserve & resource upside building the size of the gas production hub. This could add significant value to the Vali Field as Odin-1 could be tied into the Vali pipeline infrastructure
- Preferred pipeline connection point at Santos operated Beckler field.
- Gas marketing advantages the Joint Venture will be in a stronger position to market larger volumes of gas, with the potential for improved terms and pricing.
- Exposure to rising gas prices gas prices are increasing, with forecasters and market commentators expecting this trend to continue.

The success to date on the CY21 drilling program is likely to increase the size of the prize . Anticipate JV FID approval Q3 CY2021\* of new gas production hub development - First Gas anticipated H1 CY2022\*.

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### Cooper Basin PRL211- Strategic Odin Farm-in

## • Odin-1 cased for production with gas shows in Toolachee, Epsilon and Patchawarra formations.



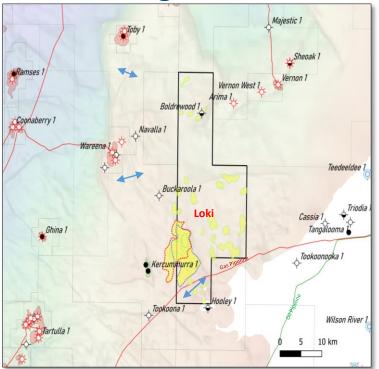
Odin Prospect Prospective Resources <sup>1</sup>	1U Low Estimate	2U Best Estimate	3U High Estimate	
Toolachee Bcf	1.2	4.1	13.5	
Patchawarra Bcf	2.4	8.5	29.1	
Total Gross Recoverable Gas (Raw) Bcf	3.6	12.6	42.6	
Net To Metgasco (Raw) Bcf	0.8	2.8	9.5	

- Metgasco (21.25%), Vintage(operator with 42.5%) Bridgeport(21.25%) free carry Beach Energy(15%) for Odin-1 drilling
- Odin-1 cased early June as a gas discovery for future production
- Wireline logging estimated 172.5m of net gas pay primarily in primary target Toolachee and Patchawarra formations, with gas pay also discovered in Epsilon formation
- Gas samples recovered from the Toolachee and Epsilon formations
- Future potential production from the Odin field could be tied-in to the Vali production network
- Presence of gas in Odin-1 a clear indication that hydrocarbons are still discoverable in areas previously worked over by other companies
- Upside stratigraphic potential
- Prospective resources anticipated to be converted to contingent resource following independent reserve study
- Odin-1 well results indicate potential resource upgrade closer to high estimate

### Cooper Eromanga Basin ATP-2020

### • Farm-out process underway . Companies reviewing data room

- 2015 bid won by MEL
- ATP granted May 2018
- Located in SW QLD Cooper Eromanga Basin
- In close proximity to areas of hydrocarbon source and existing oil & gas fields
- 535 km<sup>2</sup>, 100% interest. Farmout process underway
- Underexplored region. MEL reprocessed 2D seismic
- Gas pipeline traverses permit & oil refinery only 100km away
- Primary gas target: Toolachee sands
- Primary Oil targets: Jurassic-Cretaceous sands
- Key prospect Loki . Shallow well 1750 m. Low cost well
- Metgasco planning to drill well carried by farminee in CY22



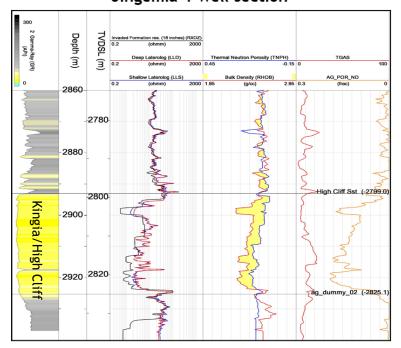
### Loki Prospective resources\* – ASX release 31 March CY2021

Pormion CAS		Loki Prospect -	- Toolachee Sands	S
Permian GAS	Low(P90)	Best (P50)	High(P10)	COS(%)
OGIP(Raw) Bcf	4.5	22.1	68	16
Recoverable Gas (Raw) Bcf	2.6	13.1	40.7	10

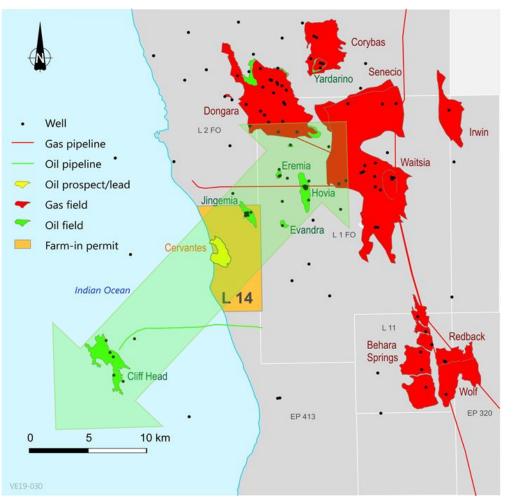
	Loki Prospect – Hutton and Wyandra Sands					
Eromanga OIL	Low (P90)	Best (P50)	High (P10)	COS(%)		
OOIP MMbbl	7.5	26.7	57.8	Wyandra 15		
Recoverable Oil MMbbl	1.8	6.4	14.8	Hutton 13		

#### Perth Basin – Cervantes – L14- Hunting for Oil in Kingia **METGASCO**

Jingemia 1 well section



- Jingemia-1 intersected a 26m water bearing good porosity sand of Kingia/High Cliff Sand(outside of structural closure) reducing the risk of sand presence in Cervantes.
- Cervantes structure significantly shallower than Jingemia.
- Cervantes structure located in the gap between the oil discovery trend of the Hovea, Jingemia and Cliff Head Oil fields
- Permian sandstone reservoir targets prolific . producers in the Perth Basin
- Total oil produced from nearby fields in excess of 27 MMbbl of oil

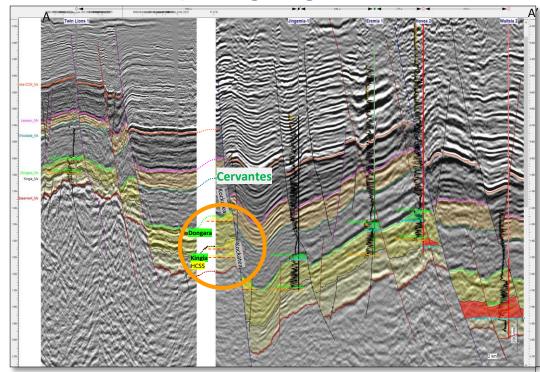


Cervantes well COS of 28% with high chance of development due to proximity(3Km) to Jingemia production facility.

### Perth Basin – Cervantes – L14



# Potentially one of the largest undrilled oil opportunities in the Perth Basin (Gross P50 OOIP 35mmbo), with geological similarities to nearby discoveries



Exploration Key Data					
Country	Australia				
Basin	Perth Basin				
Licence	L14 Western Flank Cervantes				
Prospect Targets	Cervantes-1 + right to second exp farm-in				
Farm-in Promote	Farm in for 30% for funding 50% of 1 <sup>st</sup> well- 2 <sup>nd</sup> well option on same terms.				
Cervantes Owners	MEL 30%(well op),RCMA 40%,VEN 30%				
Target Information	TD: ~2500-2700 Md Primary Targets: Kingia/HCSS/Dongara				
Gross Prospective Resource-see table	P50: OOIP 35mmbo and Recoverable 15.6 mmbo, (arithmetic sum of Permian Zones)				
Estimated spud date	Subject to rig availability & government regulatory approvals.				
Proximity to Infrastructure	3km to Jingemia Plant – oil processing deal already in place				

 Locally prolific Kingia Sandstone at shallowest depth in onshore Perth Basin Prospective Resources and potential oil bearing.

- An independent report by RISC (refer Metgasco announcement 4 October 2019) calculated the Mid/P50 prospective resources on the Cervantes prospect of gross 17.4 mmbo representing a 14% increase on the P50 estimate of Metgasco.
- The regional cross section illustrates the tilted fault blocks of the hydrocarbon bearing Perth Basin

Cervantes-1 similar structural features with successful wells due east

		OOIP mmbls			Recoverable mmbls		
Prospect	Reservoir	Low (P90)	Best (P50)	High (P10)	Low (P90)	Best (P50)	High (P10)
	Dongara SS	7.7	14.9	28.5	3.7	7.4	14.6
Cervantes	Kingia SS	5.5	17.8	54.0	2.2	7.1	22.3
	HCSS	0.3	2.2	13.8	0.1	0.8	5.0
L14 100%		13.6	34.9	96.3	6.0	15.3	41.9
Metgasco 30%		4.1	10.5	28.9	1.8	4.6	12.6

\*Prospective Resources Announced 10 September 2019.

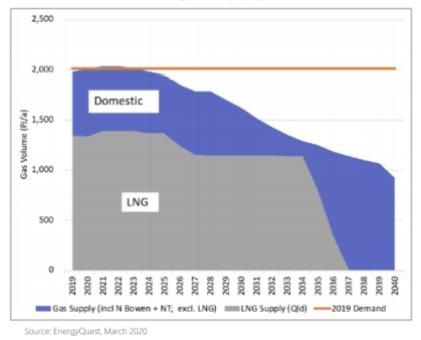
### High Gas demand in East Coast + Oil Price at 3yr High



### East Coast - New gas discoveries required to meet forecast demand

### Perth Basin or Cooper Oil discovery a company game changer as oil prices at 3yr high

- Federal Govt has identified gas companies and the delivery of gas to market as an essential service.
- Forecast demand underpinned by LNG, expected to be steady over the long-term.
- Significant investment, needed to meet forecast demand, required for:
  - Development of 2P undeveloped.
  - Development of 'anticipated developments.
  - Development of new discoveries.
  - Exploration and appraisal.
- Domestic gas prices are independent of the volatility of global oil prices.
- Recent ACCC papers indicate contract gas pricing in the \$9-10/GJ range.



Forecast east coast gas supply vs 2019 demand

AEMO states in its March 2020 Gas Statement of opportunities that: "Actual operational constraints, particularly within the Victorian DTS, may lead to transportation limitations throughout the system, creating potential supply gaps during peak winter days from 2024".

### 2021/2022 Indicative Key Activity Timeline



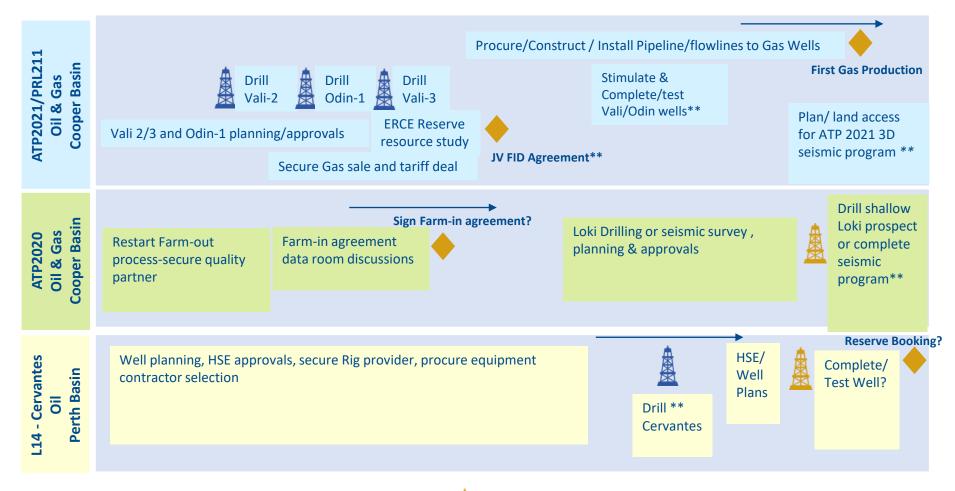
Q1 2021 📏 Q2 2021

Q3 2021

21 > Q4 2021



> Q2 2022







\*Subject to regulatory approvals and rig availability

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### Conclusions - Upcoming investment highlights

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# Near term operational, corporate and macro news flows will provide a number of share price catalysts

Independent Reserve Assessment Increase ATP-2021 /PRL211	CY2021 well results on Vali-2 /Vali-3 and Odin-1 being reviewed by independent reserve auditor to assess upside gas reserve potential and estimate gas production rate to optimise flowline size & route.
Milestones to achieve FID on Vali Prod Hub ATP-2021/PRL211	Secure gas sales agreement. Agree funding options on pipeline. Agree processing tariff with Santos. JV approve FID .
Farm-out of ATP-2020	Complete ATP2020 farm-out process . Farm-out up-to 75% of the ATP2020 licence. Leading to drilling Loki or seismic in CY2022.
Secure Cervantes-1 Drilling Rig Perth Basin L14	Sign drilling contract in 2 <sup>nd</sup> Half CY2021. Finalise drilling plans and regulatory approvals targeting spudding well in late Q4 CY2021 or Q1 CY2022 subject to rig availability & govt approvals
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Gas Production</b> Vali Production Hub	Install and commission gas pipeline and associated infrastructure to target 1 <sup>st</sup> gas sales in H1 CY2022.
Plan seismic program and/ or drill drilling targets in ATP2021 /PRL211	Review potential to drill additional gas and shallow oil prospects in ATP2021/PRL211 and select new drilling targets by Q2 CY2022. Review need for further 3D seismic.

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#### **Development risk**

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#### COVID-19 risk

The Company has observed that in response to COVID 19, governments globally have imposed restrictions on the movement of citizens and limited non essential services and activities. Governments around the world have also recommended or enforced restrictions on both domestic and international travel in order to slow the spread of COVID 19. Given the ongoing uncertainty surrounding COVID 19 restrictions, it is not currently possible to assess the full impact of COVID 19 on the Company's business. However, a prolonged financial reduction may impact on the commodity price and the availability of labour or other costs associated with the Company's business. These effects may be felt both domestically and internationally, for an unspecified duration. A number of aspects of the Company's business may also be directly or indirectly impacted by government, regulatory or health authority actions, work stoppages, lockdowns, quarantines and interstate travel restrictions associated with COVID 19.

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Operations may be affected by various factors, including exploration well dry holes and failure to achieve field development timetables, and associated lower production rates than predicted. Rig mechanical failure or equipment breakdown, adverse weather conditions, industrial and environmental accidents, industrial disputes, and unexpected shortages or increases in the costs of consumables, spare parts, plant, and equipment. Losses resulting from any of these risks could have a material adverse effect on the Company's financial resources or could result in a total loss of the assets affected, and accordingly, may affect the market price of the Shares.

#### Oil and gas prices risk

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The operations and proposed activities of the Company are subject to State and Commonwealth laws and regulations concerning the environment. As with most exploration and development projects, the Company's activities are expected to have an impact on the environment, particularly if advanced exploration or mine development proceeds. It is the Company's intention to conduct its activities to the highest standard of environmental obligation, including compliance with all environmental laws, in order to minimise damage to the environment and risk of liability. Nevertheless, there are certain risks inherent to Metgasco's activities which could subject the Company to potential liability.

#### Title risk

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#### **Reliance on key personnel**

The responsibility of overseeing the day-to-day operations and the strategic management of the Company depends substantially on its Directors and its key personnel. The loss of the services of certain personnel could adversely affect the Company and its activities.

#### **Trading liquidity risk**

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