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#### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY**

Magnetite Mines, our shareholders and our stakeholders acknowledge the Ngadjuri People as the Traditional Owners of the lands on which the Razorback Iron Ore Project is located. We respect their continuing custodianship of this Country, and their spiritual and cultural beliefs and practices.

## COP27 calls for billions in global green steel investment

Steel one of five priority areas targeted for emissions reductions





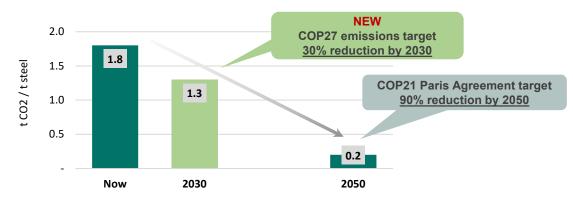
### <u>High-grade ore for Direct Reduction:</u>

"... the scale of production needs to increase rapidly to support the 2030 goals."

Breakthrough Agenda Report for COP27 September 2022

- 100 500Mt of low emissions steel required by 2030
- 40 200 new electric arc furnaces by 2030 (5 - 25 every year)

## **Direct emissions intensity of steel production**



# Priority international actions under Steel Breakthrough plan

- 1. Internationally-agreed standards of low emissions steel
- 2. National & international policy incentivising low-emissions steel production
- 3. Public and private funding of projects along the steel-making value chain

## Rapid commitment to new DRI-EAF installations

... has escalated urgency to secure high-grade iron ore feed supply





- High-grade iron ore consumption to increase five-fold to 750Mtpa
- US\$95 \$125B to be spent on highgrade ore exploration by 2050
- Green premium of ~US\$80 by 2025 and ~US\$100 from 2030+

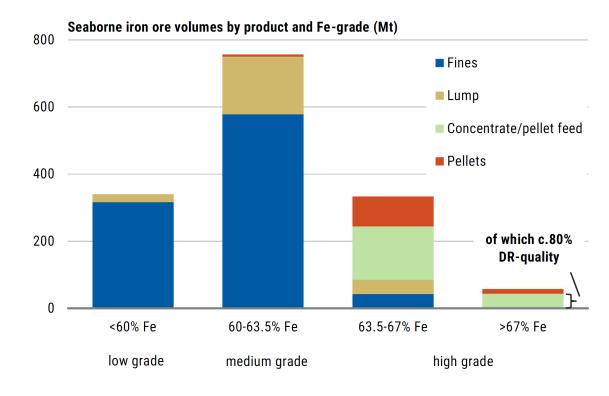
South Australia has all the ingredients to be a global leader in green steel





"... the state is judged to have strong potential to become a substantial exporter of high-grade, green ferrous feed/products."

## Not all iron ore is equal; the relatively small, higher-quality market



Source: Morgan Stanley Research, Wood MacKenzie

## Asia to remain key market for Australian iron ore

Demand for iron ore & steel tied to infrastructure and housing development



## Asia accounted for 81% of global iron ore demand in 2021





### **CHINA**

- 63% iron ore imports met by Australia in 2021
- Accounts for ~62% of global steel emissions; emissions must fall by >95% to reach net zero target
- Carbon border taxes (eg, EU's carbon border adjustment mechanism) to incentivise low-emissions steelmaking



#### **SOUTH KOREA**

- 75% iron ore imports met by Australia in 2021
- Comprehensive 'Strategic Partnership with Australia' signed in Dec 2021 prioritises low-emissions steelmaking



#### **JAPAN**

- 50% iron ore imports met by Australia in 2021
- Continued strong investment in Australian iron ore, e.g. Roy Hill, Robe Valley, West Angelas
- 'Japan-Australia Partnership on Decarbonisation through Technology' highlights focus on low-emissions steelmaking



#### INDIA

In October, Prime Minister Modi reiterated goal of doubling steel production capacity from 154Mt to 300Mt by 2030

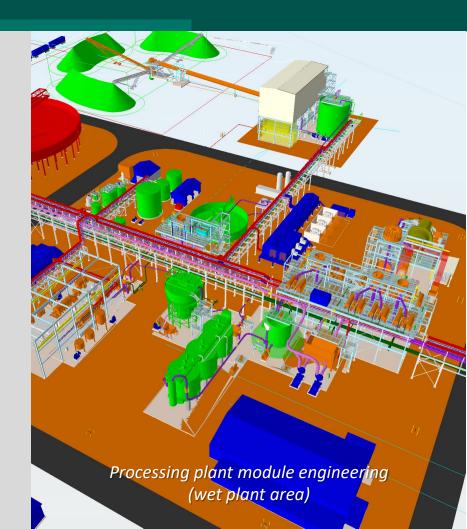
## **Project de-risking**

Confirming the "sweet spot" for initial project scale and product suite



# OBJECTIVE: Define optimum go-forward case for refocussed DFS

- Selection of scale and product target market critical to Project success
- Market feedback fundamental to decisions
- Too small: Exposed to poor economics and market disinterest
- Too large: Exposed to high-probability failure risk associated with "mega" projects
- Optimisation Studies leveraging off DFS outputs to date



# **Optimisation Studies for completion Q1 2023**Confirming the "sweet spot" for initial project scale and product suite



Study	Previous configuration	Current 5 – 10Mtpa studies
Process Plant Configuration	Scale: Single 2.5Mtpa module  Grinding: HPGR  Beneficiation: Conventional wet magnetic  Product: 67.5 - 68.5% Fe	Scale: Multiple 2.5 Mtpa modules  Grinding: HPGR vs SAG vs VRM technology  Beneficiation: Added 1st stage dry magnetic separation  Product: Flexibility to produce DR grade
Mining	Contract mining: Conventional shovel and truck, drill and blast	Mining optimisation options:      Electrification: In-pit conveying; electric rope shovels     Scheduling: integration of Iron Peak deposit     Blasting: selective sequencing of ores
Infrastructure	Concentrate haulage: truck to rail siding  Power: 132kV High voltage transmission line	Concentrate haulage: Dedicated rail spur / balloon loop Power: 275kV or 330kV transmission line
Water	Supply: Local groundwater bore field	Supply options: Local + Murray Basin bore field; other water offtake opportunities.

# Razorback Project development approvals Our pathway to project delivery



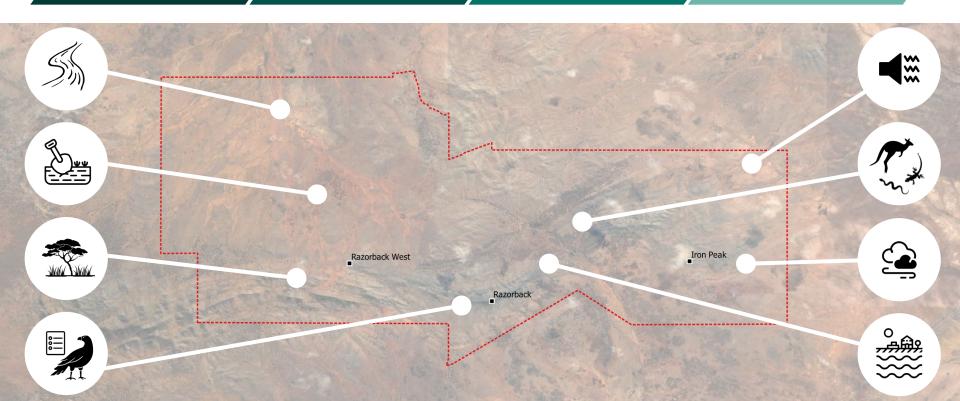
INTENDED MINING LEASE AREA IDENTIFIED



EXPANSIVE MINE BASELINE SURVEYS COMPLETED

NO SPECIFC EPBC ACT
TRIGGER FOR MINING
IDENTIFIED

MINING LEASE PROPOSAL UNDER DEVELOPMENT



## Securing land access through responsible action

Project de-risking for mining areas and infrastructure corridors



## A considered approach to First Nation engagement



### **Cultural heritage surveys**

~3,500ha completed by Ngadjuri heritage teams Surveys completed over:

- entire Razorback deposit
- all process infrastructure and tailings footprints

Survey reporting due December 2022



### **Native Title negotiations**

Platform set for success:

- deep relationship established
- cross-cultural and project impact awareness enhanced

September 2022:

inaugural Ngadjuri Board / MGT conference at Razorback

Agreement anticipated in 2023

# Land access negotiations advancing on all fronts

15 private landholders

<u>Crown leases, private title</u>

SA Crown Lands
for SA Government lands

# Two local government agencies

for infrastructure easements

# Four private interest groups

Tenement and easement holders

## Work in focus to secure best possible project structure

Three workstreams progressing in parallel



1.

### **TECHNICAL & REGULATORY DE-RISKING**

Necessary to secure project approvals and attract financing partners

**Optimisation studies** 

Refocused DFS (5 – 10 Mtpa)

Land access, permitting & approvals



2.

#### RESETTING CAPITAL STRUCTURE

Necessary to secure institutional investment in readiness for project financing

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### FINANCING & STRATEGIC PARTNER PROCESS

Necessary to share project capital and risk burden, align with offtakers



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