



## Company Update

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# Corporate Overview

## Capital Structure

ASX Ticker	ANW
Share Price (as @ 20/6/14)	\$0.005
Shares on issue	671,134,834
Options (various)	77,731,115
Market Capitalisation	\$3.4m

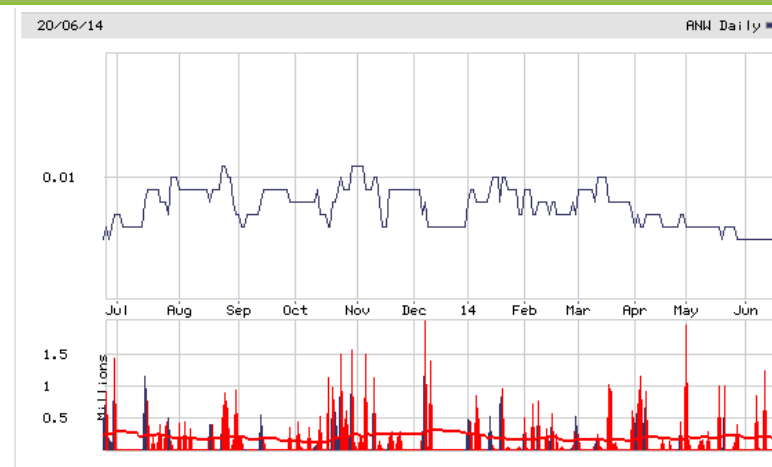
## Directors and Management

Brian Moller	Chairman
Nick Mather	Non-Executive Director
John Bovard	Non-Executive Director
Richard Willson	Non-Executive Director
Peter Williams	Chief Executive Officer

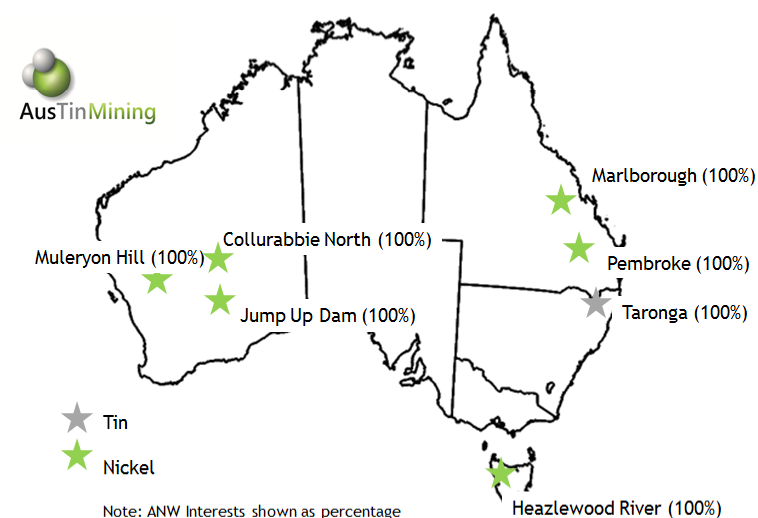
## Major Shareholders

Tenstar Trading Limited	15.9%
DGR Global Ltd	12.5%
YTC Resources Ltd	10.2%
Samuel Holdings	7.7%
<u>Top 20</u>	<u>68.4%</u>

## 1 Year Share Price History (etrade)

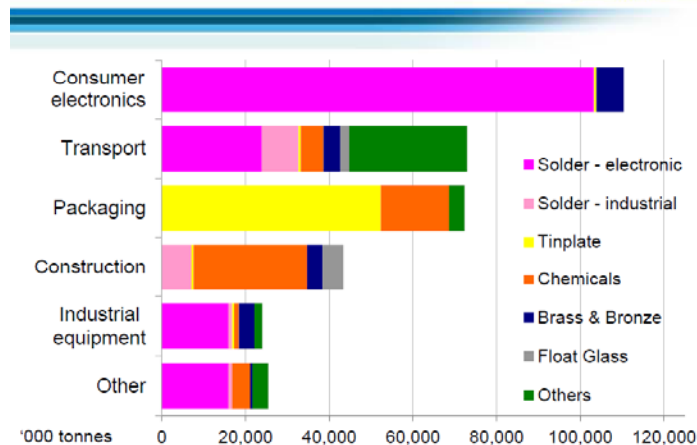


## Key Projects



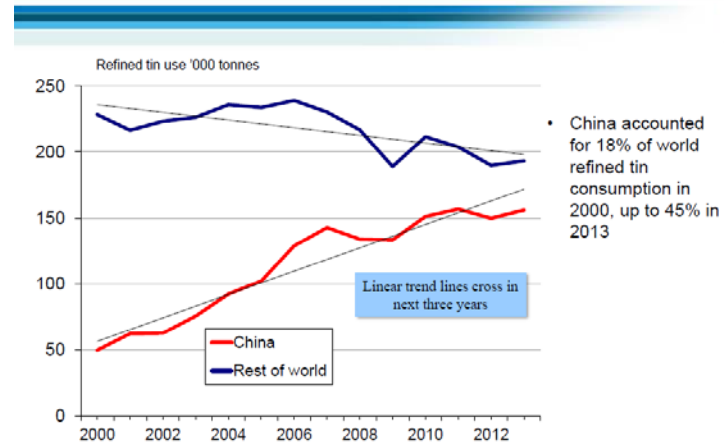
# Demand for tin is growing via expanding markets and new applications

Global tin use by industry sector



Source: ITRI "Key Factors in Global Tin Outlook", May 2014

China and the world: consumption



Source: ITRI "China's Growth Challenges", May 2014

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## Apple to establish if tin from Bangka Island is used in iPhones

Friends of the Earth steps up pressure on smartphone makers to 'come clean' over use of child labour in Indonesia

Natalie Starkey  
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A child labourer at a Bangka tin mine ... Apple is under pressure to establish if its devices use tin from the area. Photograph: Ulet Ifansasti/Friends of the Earth

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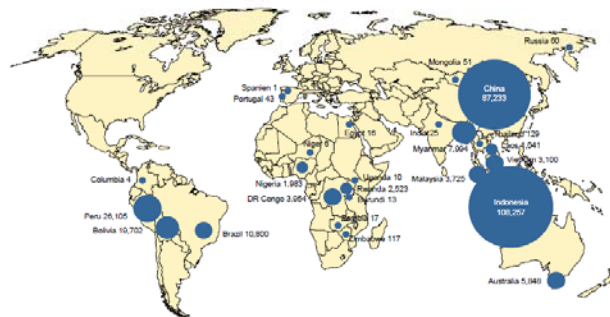
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New applications coupled with increased demand for consumer goods will translate to incremental demand in growth

- Electronics (solder) has been the key driver for increased demand since introduction of lead-free solder in mid 2000's
- Increased demand in China attributable to urbanisation and rising middle class demand for electronic goods
- Increasing requirement from end-users for "sustainable tin" likely to impact some third-world suppliers

# Supply side for tin is concentrated and global resources provide little relief

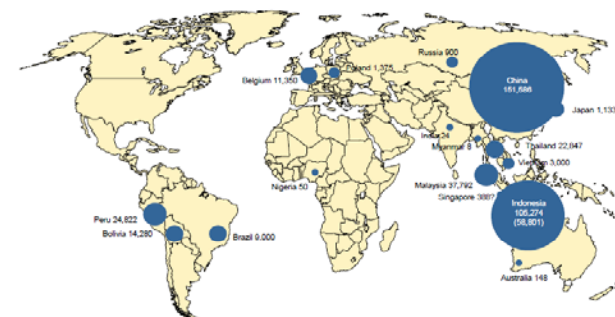
Production 2012: Tin-in-concentrate



Production 2012: 282,760 t (ITRI: 270,500 t) (of which 38 % from Indonesia)  
 Hard rock: 56 %, Alluvial: 44 % (of which 86 % in Indonesia)  
 Companies: 62 %, Small-scale mining: 38 % (of which 71 % in Indonesia)

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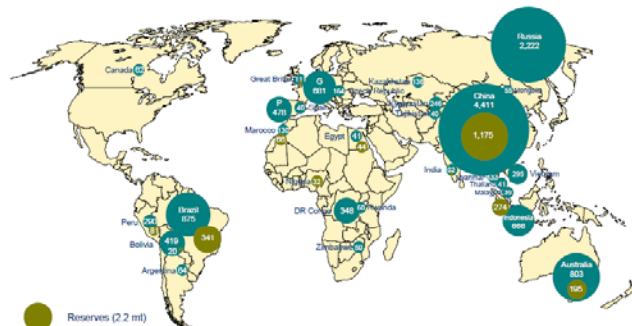
Production 2012: Refined tin



Production 2012: 337,500 t (ITRI: 335,600 t)  
 Smelters: approx. 100 (of which 42 in Indonesia)

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Reserves and resources (kt tin-in-concentrate)



Reserves-to-Production Ratio: 8 yrs (REO: 308 yrs)  
 Resources-to-Production Ratio: 46 yrs (REO: 3,665 yrs)

Additionally limited resources in Afghanistan, Burundi, Laos, Namibia, South Africa and other countries

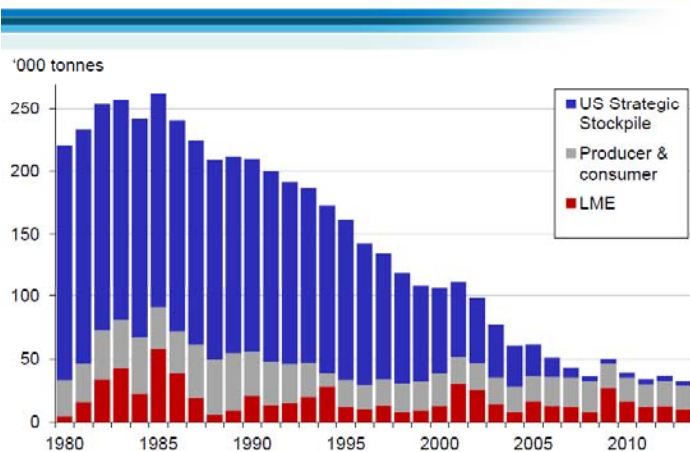
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## Mine production unlikely to meet medium term demand

- Reserve-to-Production Ratio is only 8 years (for comparison REO is 308 years)
- Few new projects likely to be in production by 2018
- Average political risk high for many new projects (Fraser Institute average 17) which may curtail development

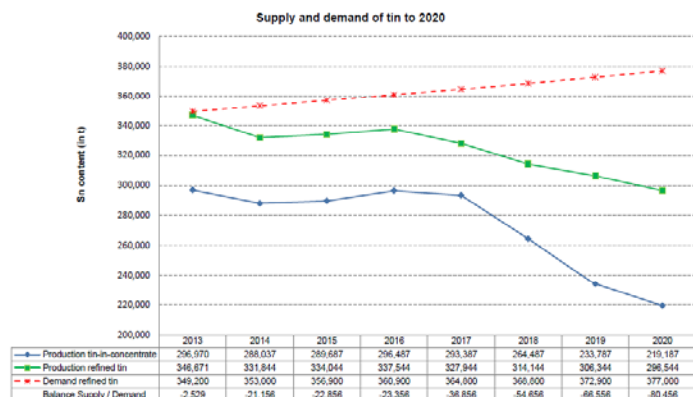
# Tin supply & demand deficit expected to grow resulting in increased prices

Visible total tin stocks



Source: ITRI "Key Factors in Global Tin Outlook", May 2014

Scenario: Supply and demand of tin to 2020



Source: BGR "Tin Demand and Supply to 2020", May 2014



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BNP Paribas world tin supply/demand balance – balance last updated 29 May 2014, prices 1 April 2014

000 tonnes tin	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014f	2015f
Mine production	288	291	273	288	287	300
Refined production	354	356	334	337	347	360
US DNSC stockpile sales	0	0	0	0	0	0
Refined consumption	361	360	339	349	360	370
% change	12.0%	-0.1%	-5.8%	2.9%	3.1%	2.8%
<b>Implied balance</b>	<b>-6</b>	<b>-5</b>	<b>-5</b>	<b>-12</b>	<b>-13</b>	<b>-10</b>
Year-end reported stocks	36	33	31	25		
Change	-10	-3	-2	-6		
Weeks' consumption	5.2	4.8	4.8	3.7		
Implied change in unreported stocks	4	-2	-3	-6		
LME cash price (settlement) – USD/tonne	20,447	26,021	21,093	22,304	24,500	27,000
LME cash price – USD/lb	9.27	11.80	9.57	10.12	11.11	12.25

Source: CRU, ITRI, LME, WBMS, Reuters EcoWin Pro, BNP Paribas forecasts

Source: BNP Paribas "Tin like a coiled spring", 29/05/14

Tin prices are expected to rise on strong fundamentals driven by expanding supply deficit

- Global stocks at record lows
- Supply deficit expected to increase from -2,529t (2013) to -80,456t (2020)
- Tin prices predicted to reach US\$40,000<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Bloomberg "Tin Billionaire's iPhone-Backed Fortune" 3/06/14

# Highlights of the Taronga Tin Project

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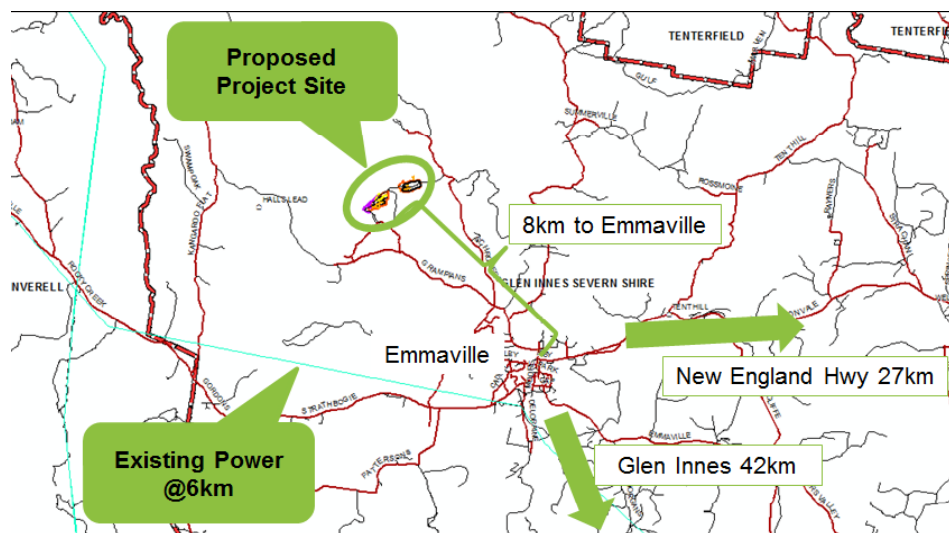
- Project located in northern NSW (four hours drive from Brisbane)
- 100% owned by Aus Tin Mining
- Results of Pre-Feasibility Study (PFS) released on 7<sup>th</sup> April 2014<sup>1</sup> include:
  - Mineral Resource of 57,200t contained tin plus 26,400t copper & 4.4Moz silver
  - Probable Ore Reserve of 35,600t contained tin
  - 9.3 year mine life
  - Open cut mining with LOM strip ratio 1.35x
  - Conventional processing at 2.5Mtpa
  - Concentrate grade of 55%Sn
  - LOM average 2,815tpa of tin in concentrate
  - Capital Costs A\$87.8M
  - Operating Costs A\$16,553/t recovered tin<sup>2</sup>
- Targeting completion of Definitive Feasibility Study (DFS) in 2015 and commence production in 2017
- Funding discussions for DFS are progressing and targeting completion in Q3 2014



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<sup>2</sup> C1 Cash Operating Costs for Years 1 to 4. LOM C1 Cash Operating Costs A\$17,935/t recovered tin





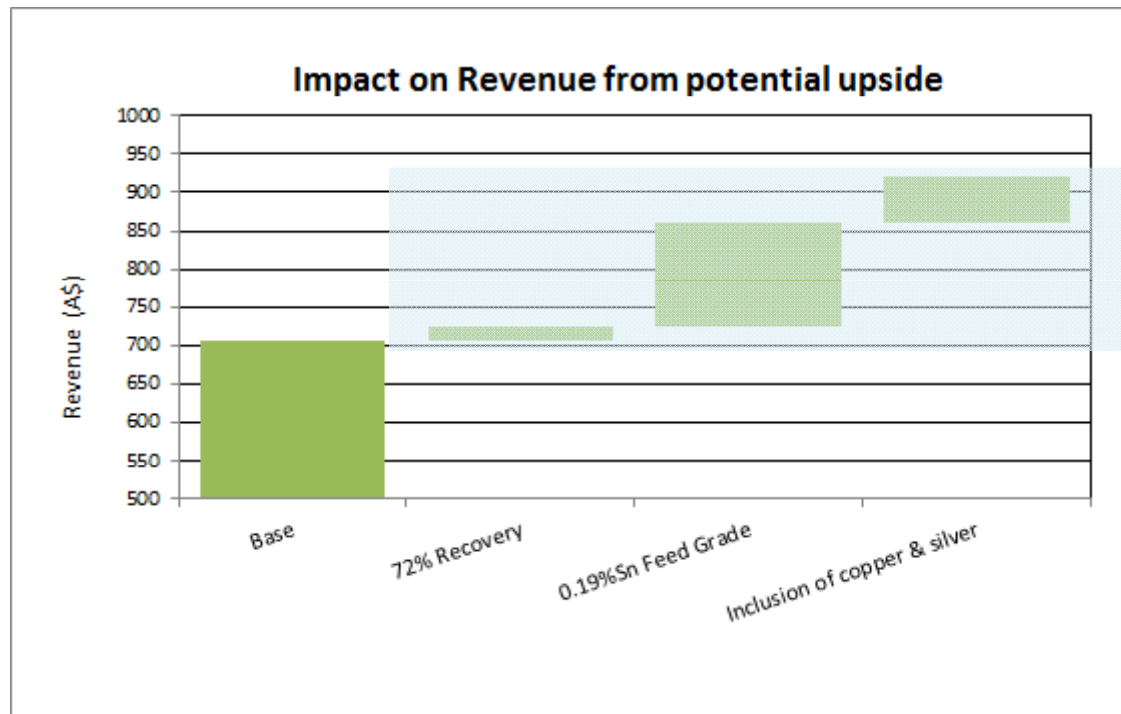
- Technical & Operating risks are low
  - Open cut mining with low strip ratio
  - Simple metallurgy due to coarse cassiterite mineralisation
  - Production of clean concentrate acceptable to smelters
  - Significant technical work already completed, notably by Newmont (1979-84)
  - Initial 2013 environmental assessment identified no material risks<sup>1</sup>
- A number of key risks are addressed
  - Low political risk
  - Low land access risk
  - Close to existing infrastructure
- Project being engineered for low financing risk
  - Low strip ratio in first four years
  - Targeting a loan period of <3 years

<sup>1</sup> Based on Review of Environmental Factors, Exploration Activities at EL7348, April 2013 but additional work to be undertaken in conjunction with Environmental Impact Statement



## PFS identified a number of areas of potential upside

- Areas of potential revenue upside to be evaluated in conjunction with Definitive Feasibility Study, for example:
  - Increased plant feed grade (based on data whereby bulk samples assayed higher than smaller samples)
  - Increased tin recovery (improved recovery of tin by gravity and flotation)
  - Recovery of copper & silver as by-product credits (encouraging initial metallurgical results)



Targeted revenue increase of 30% during DFS

# Taronga independently valued at \$100M

- Independent assessment of Taronga Tin Project undertaken by MineInvest ([www.mineinvest.com.au](http://www.mineinvest.com.au))
- Valuation parameters determined independent of ANW (refer below)
- MineInvest calculated a valuation of A\$100M (post-tax, unrisked) or A\$30M on a risked basis<sup>1</sup>

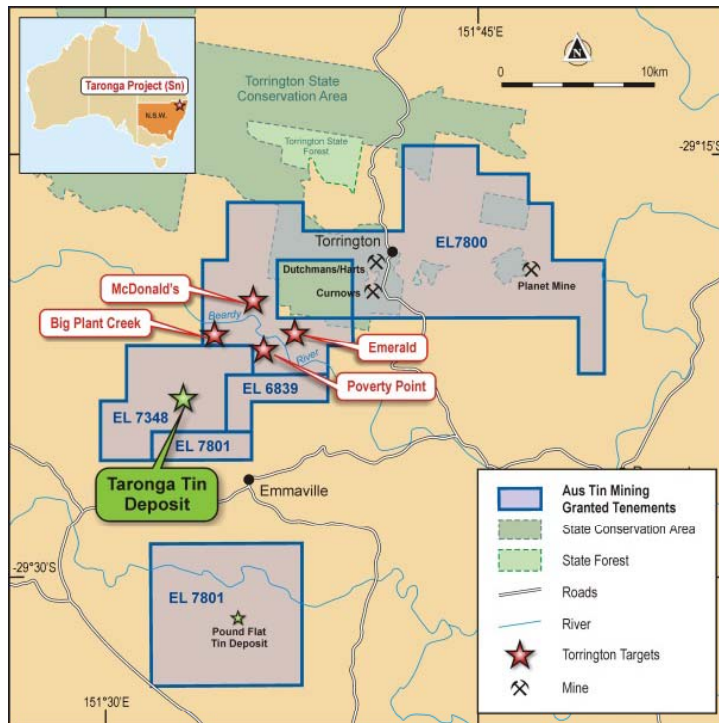


Parameter	PFS	MineInvest Assumption	Justification
Reserve (Mt)	23.2	28.0	Based on potential for converting more resource to reserve
Mine Life (2.5mtpa)	9.3	11.2	Consequence of higher reserves
Grade (% Sn)	0.16	0.19	Based on probable range of true grades as identified in PFS
Recovery (%Sn)	70	73	Based on expectation of recovering additional tin from flotation
Annual Prod (kt Sn)	2.79	3.5	Consequence of higher feed grade & tin recovery
Opex (A\$/t)	20	21	Slightly higher mining costs for increased strip ratio (with additional reserves) and recovery of copper & silver
Capex (A\$m)- LOM	98.3	100	Higher to accommodate copper & silver recovery
Tin price (A\$/t)	27,778	25,054	Spot price as at 4/06/14
Off-site costs (Sn only)	A\$1593/t	A\$1650/t	Includes anticipated transport costs and treatment charges for tin smelting
Net Cu Revenue	NA	A\$3.5mpa*	Based on net payability of recovered metal
Net Ag Revenue	NA	A\$1.5mpa*	Based on net payability of recovered metal
Cash cost (LOM, C1)	A\$18.0k/t	A\$13.5k/t	Cash Costs net of by-product credits (copper & silver)

<sup>1</sup> MineInvest have assumed a 70% discount to valuation given the Definitive Feasibility Study is yet to be completed

MineInvest report "Preliminary Valuation of the Taronga Tin Project, NSW, will be available from [www.austinmining.com.au](http://www.austinmining.com.au)

# Significant blue sky with exploration success



- Emmaville tin field historically produced approximately 88,000 tonnes of tin (worth about US\$2.1Bn at current tin price) since 1870's
- Targeting sheeted vein systems for extended Life of Mine
  - McDonalds and Emerald most prospective targets both with coincident gravity-chargeability-geochem anomalies and evidence of historical operations confirming mineralisation
- Targeting historic high grade mines for supplementary feed
  - Example: Dutchmans/Harts & Curnows historic production at recovered grade of 3.8%Sn<sup>1</sup> (refer below)
- Targeting increased grade at depth at Taronga
  - Veinlets increasing in width and grade at depth (up to 1m @ 1.67%Sn)<sup>2</sup>

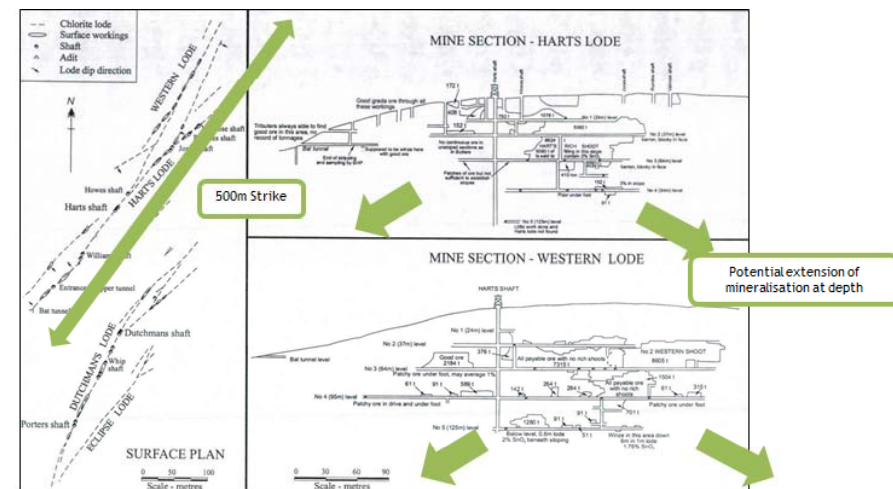


Figure 1: Surface plan and cross sections of workings on the Harts and Western Lodes (Source Geological Survey of NSW (GS1998/125) based on mine plans prepared by BHP (GS1963/159)

<sup>1</sup> Source: North Broken Hill GS 1967/282

<sup>2</sup> Unchanged, historical exploration result

# Summary

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- Strong fundamentals for tin
  - Traditional production sources in decline and limited new production expected to lead to increasing supply deficit
  - Tin price forecast to rise significantly in coming years
- Taronga Tin Project
  - Globally significant tin resource base with JORC 2012 compliant Ore Reserves
  - Low operational risk based on open cut with low strip ratio and simple metallurgy
  - Close to existing infrastructure with a supportive local community
  - Highly prospective exploration portfolio in a proven tin field
- Aus Tin Mining offers an attractive investment opportunity
  - Only junior ASX listed company with an Australian tin project with a JORC 2012 compliant completed feasibility study
  - Currently trading at level well below key asset valuation