

# 5 Key Projects in Australia



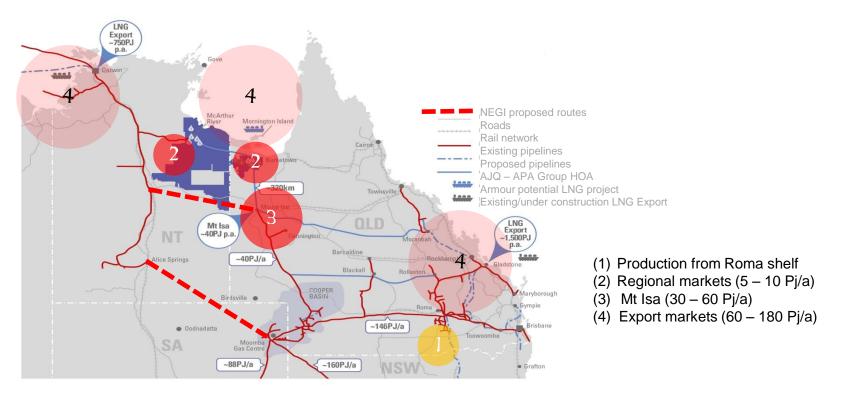
Northern Territory MCARTHUR BASIN

NW QLD ISA SUPER BASIN Roma Shelf QLD SURAT BASIN PROJECT Victoria
ONSHORE
OTWAY AND
GIPPSLAND
BASINS

Ripple Resources MINERALS COMPANY

# Northern Australia - Short and long term monetisation routes, HOA with APA Group







# AEP to help Armour unlock the Macarthur Basin





# Northern Territory - McArthur Basin project – a deep hole full of organic shales



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#### MCARTHUR BASIN

#### McArthur Group

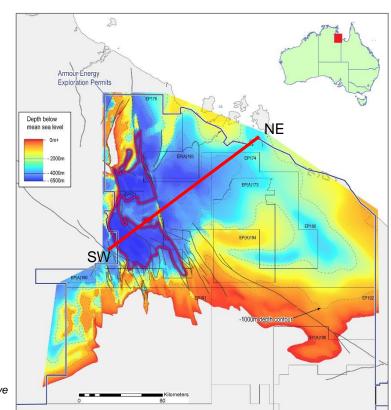
- o Barney Creek Shale
- o Prospective Resources 1.2 MMbbl, 13 TCF (1)

#### o Tawallah Group

- Recently discovered
- Underlying and beyond McArthur Group
- Large, thick formations with up to 7% TOC:
  - Wollogorang Shale
  - McDermott Shale
- o Prospective Resources 17 TCF (2)

(2) Tawallah Group best estimate prospective resource: SRK 2015

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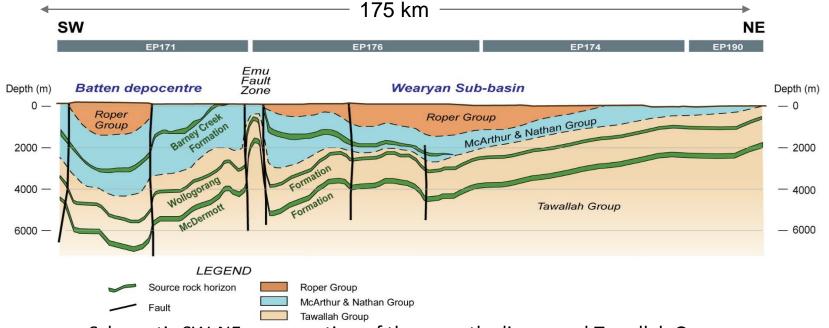


<sup>(1)</sup> Barney Creek best estimate prospective resource: EP171/EP176, MBA 2011



# Armours Macarthur. Stacked plays across a vast area 🔊

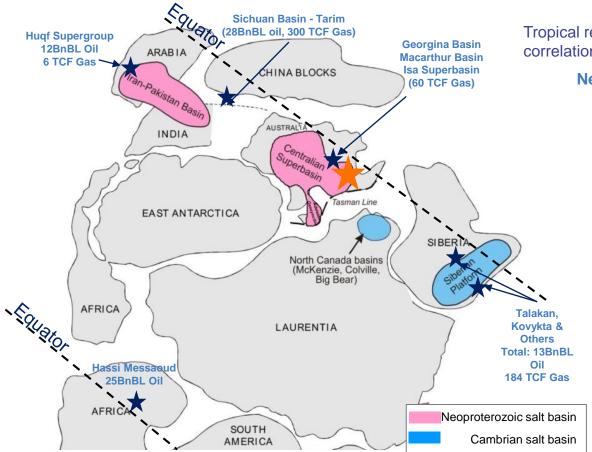




Schematic SW-NE cross-section of the recently discovered Tawallah Group
Unconventional Reservoirs

# Macarthur Basin sits on a 53 Billion Barrel Palaeoglobal trend Oman - China - Siberia





Tropical reef systems 500 to 1.2bn years ago – correlation with commercial accumulations

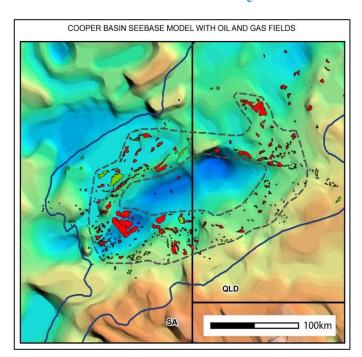
#### **Neoproterozoic**

- Global correlations with Neoproterozoic shale sequences
- Prolific hydrocarbon production from equivalent systems in Russia, Oman & China
- Hydrocarbons sourced from very organic rich Late Proterozoic shales sediments and reservoired under younger salt
- Potential for both conventional and unconventional may have been underestimated

# The Macarthur is as extensive as the Cooper Basin

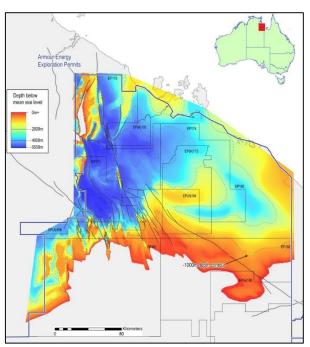


#### SIMILAR SIZE KITCHEN AREAS (75,000 KM²)



COOPER BASIN, QLD,

High CO2 (6%-40%), TOC: 2%-4%



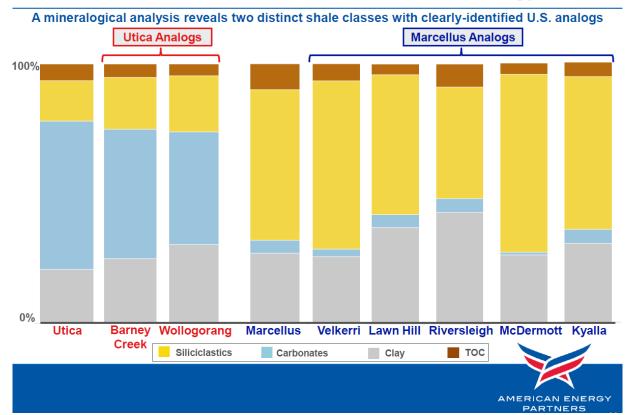
MCARTHUR BASIN, NT

Low CO2 (3%), TOC: 4%-7%

## The Macarthur Basin Shales are highly prospective

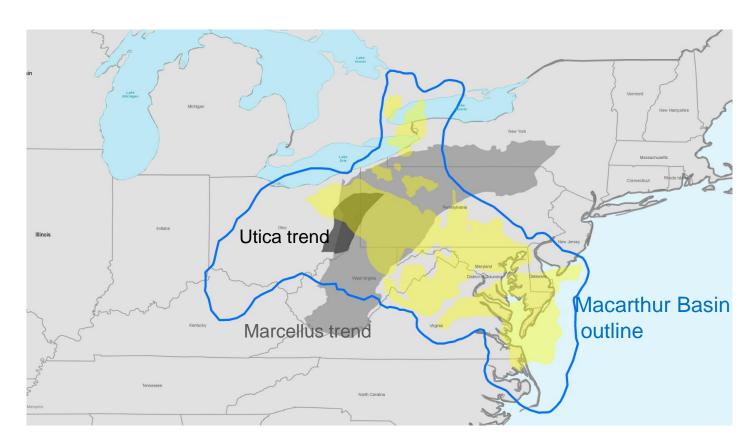


### McArthur Basin - The Seven Shale Mineralogy



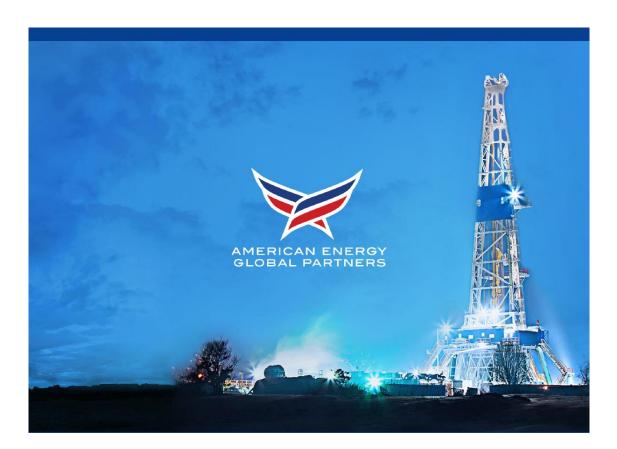
# The Macarthur is 10X larger than the productive Utica and Marcellus Shale trends in the north eastern USA





# American Energy – a strong qualified and experienced partner







## American Energy Partners – a strong partner



- AEP was founded by Aubrey McClendon to capitalise on unconventional resource play opportunities in the US and internationally.
- Aubrey McClendon previously co-founded and was chairman and CEO of Chesapeake Energy Corporation from 1989 to 2013.
- Under his leadership, Chesapeake grew from a start-up to the 2nd largest producer of natural gas and the 11th largest oil producer in the US.
- o AEP draws on an unrivaled heritage of drilling > 15,000 horizontal shale wells in the USA.
- Under McClendon, the company was widely credited with leading the US energy oil and natural gas unconventional resource revolution.
- o In AEP, McClendon has built a best-in-class management and technical team, well suited to developing the McArthur Basin project.
- AEP has raised over US\$15 billion in equity and debt across non direct investment vehicles.
- o More than 450 employees based in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, USA.



# American Energy Partners – unlocking Armour's Macarthur interests



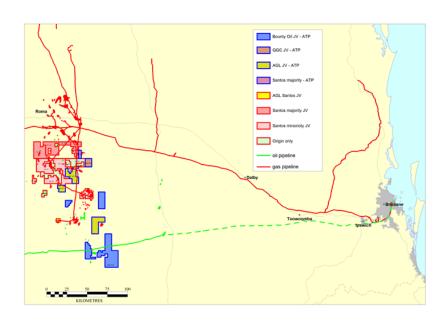
- o AEP will spend up to US\$130m over a maximum of five years to earn a working interest of up to 75%
- Cash payment to Armour Energy of US\$13m on closing the Farm-Out Agreement, to assist in funding Roma Shelf Assets acquisition and other projects
- o Armour will receive bonus payments of:
  - US\$3m on grant and transfer of interests in EP177 and EP178 to American Energy
  - US\$7m on grant of one million acres of production licences or grant and transfer of farm-in interests in remaining NT tenements to American Energy
- American Energy will assist Armour to access up to US\$130m of debt funding for Armour's share of Phase Two appraisal and development costs
- American Energy will be granted 24 million Armour options exercisable at 25c, 40c and 50c and expiring after three, five and five years respectively, issued on closing of Farm-out agreement (subject to pro rata adjustment)
- Cash proceeds to Armour Energy of A\$6.7m from Placement to American Energy of 33.7 million new Shares at \$0.20 per Share

### Roma Shelf project, Surat Basin

### Transitioning to become a significant petroleum producer



- Acquiring petroleum resources, tenures, production and transportation infrastructure.
- Consideration \$10m cash plus \$3m in deferred consideration over 4 years.
- Kincora gas, LPG and condensate processing facilities, pipeline to the RBP, gas storage.
- Over 3,000km² of highly prospective western flank of the Taroom Trough of the Surat Basin.
- o Key operational staff to be retained.
- o Planned program to bring on production as soon as possible.



### Early Production upside



Creation of diversified E&P company

- o Creation of a diversified exploration and production company closely linked to the East Coast Australian gas market.
- Brings near term production and cash flow to enhance Armour's sustainability and risk profile, while maintaining access to significant exploration upside.

Increases exposure to rising gas prices

- o Further increases the company's exposure to rising gas prices from Gladstone LNG plants coming on stream.
- o Assets are strategically located close and connected to Queensland's East Coast gas hub at Wallumbilla.
- Storage to grow and optimise profitability as a participant in the emerging gas trading business.

Leverages Armour's capability and cost base

- o Armour's strong production operations and project management capability leveraged across a larger asset platform.
- o Opportunity to enhance asset value through increased focus and applying lower operating and G&A costs.

#### **ORIGIN ENERGY:**

### Resources and cash flow impact on Armour

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Category	Estimate
Cash flow timing	<ul> <li>Oil – shortly following completion</li> <li>Gas/liquids – 6 to 12 mths</li> </ul>
Independently verified 2C contingent resources (net)	<ul> <li>Gas – 28.3 PJ gas</li> <li>Condensate - 294,400 bbls</li> <li>LPG - 62,000 tonnes</li> <li>Oil - 152,800 barrels</li> </ul>
Storage	<ul> <li>Newstead facility - 7.5 PJ</li> <li>Contains 2.3 PJ sales gas</li> <li>Potential for a further 19 PJ capacity</li> </ul>
Conventional unrisked prospective resources	<ul> <li>Gas - 110 bcf</li> <li>Oil - 1 million barrels</li> <li>both best estimated, unrisked</li> </ul>
Unrisked prospective resources exploration upside	<ul> <li>Unconventional gas and condensate in Permian reservoirs - in excess of 500 bcf (best estimate)</li> <li>Gas in Permian Coals and shallower Walloon Coal Measures - up to 3 Tcf (best estimate)</li> </ul>

<sup>(1):</sup> Can be reclassified to 2P reserves following the recommissioning of the Kincora Gas Plant and necessary infrastructure and approval of the required well activities

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### NW Queensland project - Isa Super Basin – another one in Queensland!

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#### RESULTS TO DATE

- 6 wells drilled in ATP1087 to date
- Extensive seismic data
- 22.1 TCF gas prospective resource<sup>(1)</sup>
- Highly prospective shale formations
- o Egilabria-2 well an Australian first: flows from a hydraulically stimulated lateral

#### OPPORTUNITY

Stacked play opportunities

quantity of potentially moveable hydrocarbons.

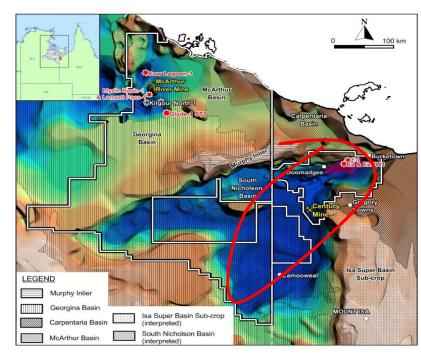
- Play potentially extends into NT
- Large scale production

#### FUTURE PLANS

- o Further definition of the resource fairway and sweet-spots for the Lawn Hill and Riversleigh Shales
- Appraisal to establish commercial flow rates

O Additional seismic plus well in deeper part of basin
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# Victoria: Onshore Otway and Gippsland Basins – Australia's best endowed and still the most productive



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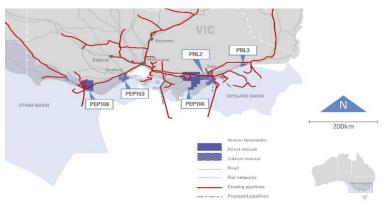
- Otway and Gippsland basins highly prospective
- AJQ : 51% in PEP169 and 25% in PEP166 (Otway)
- o Farmin rights to PRL2 (Gippsland)
- Substantial shareholder in Lakes Oil

#### **OPPORTUNITY**

- o Conventional and unconventional plays
- Stacked play opportunities
- o Near existing infrastructure and major gas users

#### FUTURE PLANS

- o Continue work programs upon lifting of moratorium
- o Pursue commercial monetisation opportunities



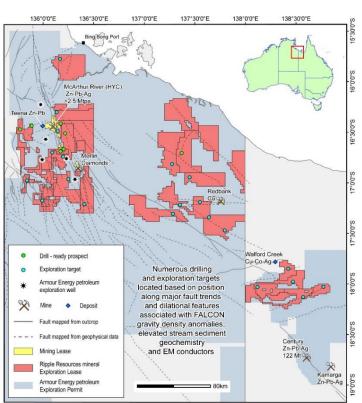


## Ripple Resources - redefining a world class base metals province



#### CURRENT PORTFOLIO

- ~ 20,000km² of prospective exploration licences
- o Potential for zinc, lead, copper and other base metals
- On trend with existing McArthur River (NT) and Century (QLD) mines
- o 15 high graded areas for shallow drilling campaign
- o 8 drill ready holes; 20 exploration targets
- Targeting 8 metal prone source rock packages, in addition to diamondbearing kimberlites
- Central to concentrate ship loader at Bing Bong Port



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