



29 October 2024

AYT QUARTERLY ACTIVITIES REPORT

Austin Metals Limited (ASX: **AYT**, "**Austin Metals**", "the **Company**") is pleased to provide the following summary of its activities for the three (3) months ending 30 September 2024 (**Period**) and events subsequent.

Ashburton Copper-Gold Project

The Ashburton Project comprises eight granted exploration tenements and one granted prospecting license covering ~510 km² and is located on Ashburton Downs Station, ~75 km SW of Paraburdoo (Figure 1) in the Pilbara Region of Western Australia.

A potentially very large alteration system has already been identified with significant areas of outcropping hydrothermal alteration and quartz veining. Initial results show the Project is highly prospective with rock chip sampling and trenching completed in 2023 returning some spectacular high grade results, including¹:

- **9.7g/t Gold and 8.6% Copper (rock chip)**
- **4.0g/t Gold and 7.3% Copper (rock chip)**
- **14.7% Copper (rock chip)**
- **8.6% Copper (rock chip)**
- **12m @ 12.5g/t Au and 1.7% Cu (trench)**
- **13m @ 4.1% Cu and 0.3g/t Au (trench)**
- **70.1% Lead and 198g/t Silver**

Project Activities

During the quarter the Company has been focused on arranging a heritage survey to be conducted in Q4 2024, to allow drilling at the Donnelly's Prospect. The heritage survey is currently scheduled to be conducted in late November 2024.

An initial drill program is planned to commence following the completion of the heritage survey, subject to receiving the necessary approvals.

Austin Project

The Company has been focused on target generation activities, including geological mapping and rock-chip sampling at the Austin Gold Project ("Austin") during the quarter. Austin is directly adjacent to the east of the Cue Gold Project which was acquired in 2023 by Ramelius Resources Limited (RMS) for circa \$210 million, via a takeover of Musgave Minerals Limited (MGV).

Results of the target generation exercise are currently being finalized, with the Company planning to undertake a focused RC drilling campaign at the Austin Project in Q1 2025.

¹ Refer ASX release dated 1 March 2024 - MORE SPECTACULAR GRADES RETURNED FROM ROCK CHIP SAMPLING



Next Steps at Austin and Ashburton CGP

The Company is preparing for focused RC drilling campaigns at both the Ashburton and Austin Projects, with the aim of commencing drilling in late Q4 2024, subject to receipt of the necessary approvals.

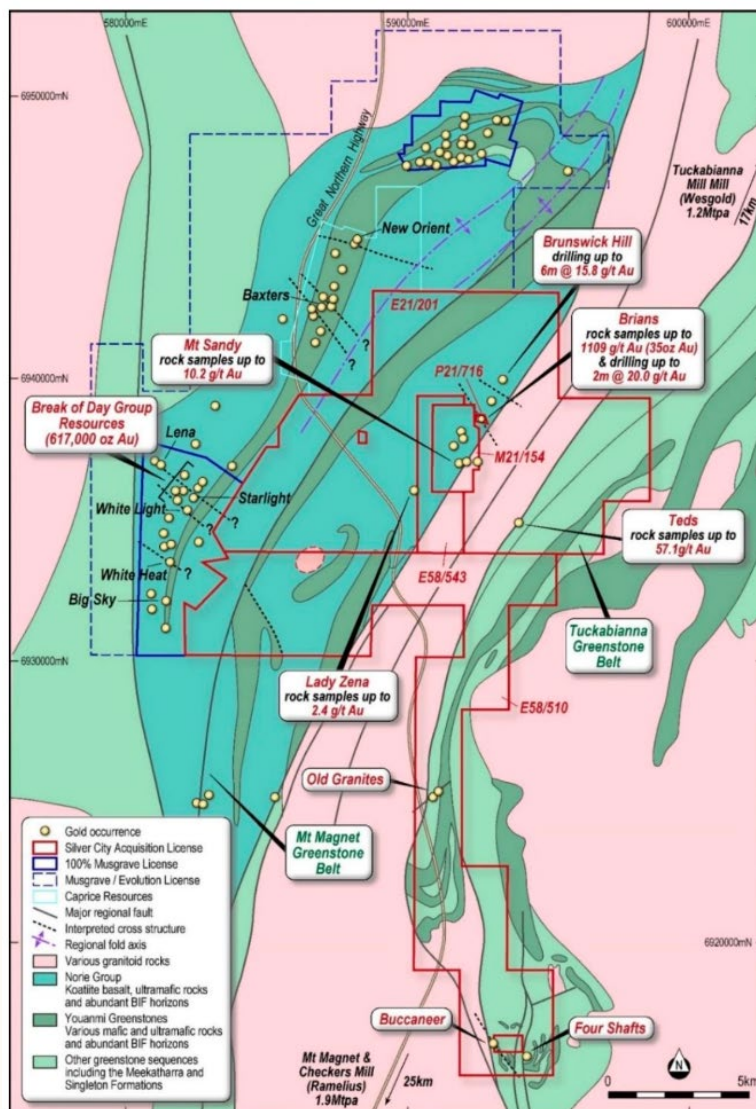


Figure 1: Greenstones of the Murchison Region showing the location of Austin Metals highly prospective tenure located adjacent to Musgrave Minerals and Westgold

Broken Hill

No works have been undertaken at the Broken Hill Project during the quarter.

Corporate Activities

During the quarter Sonu Cheema resigned from his position as Company Secretary with Flynn Blackburn and Rhys Waldon appointed as Joint Company Secretaries. Mr Cheema remains as a Non-executive Director of the Company.

In accordance with ASX Listing Rule 5.3 the Company advises of the following:



- It has spent \$222,000 on exploration and evaluation activities during the quarter. There was no mining development or production activities conducted during the quarter.
- Expenditure predominantly related to:
 - Desktop review, analysis and reporting
 - Technical consulting fees including consultant geologists
 - Tenement administration, management and reporting
 - Corporate, Accounting, Listing, Due Diligence and Legal expenses
- During the Quarter, the Company made payments to related parties of \$60,000 comprising remuneration paid to Directors.



Current Capital Structure

Quoted Securities	
Fully paid ordinary shares	1,324,191,349
Unquoted Securities	
Options @ \$0.012 expiring 31/12/2026	154,158,363
Performance Rights	400,000,000

Tenement Schedule

Project	Tenement	Tenement Holder	Grant Date	Expiry Date	Blocks	Area (sq km)
Tindery	EL 8579	Austin Metals Limited	26/05/2017	26/05/2023	47	141
Wellington	EL 8971	Austin Metals Limited	23/04/2020	23/04/2026	71	213
Broken Hill	EL 7300	Austin Metals Limited	23/02/2009	23/02/2026	18	54
	EL 8075	Austin Metals Limited	15/04/2013	15/04/2025	40	120
	EL 8077	Austin Metals Limited	15/04/2013	15/04/2025	23	69
	EL 8078	Austin Metals Limited	15/04/2013	15/04/2025	36	108
	EL 8236	Austin Metals Limited	11/02/2014	11/02/2026	4	12
	EL 8495	Austin Metals Limited	22/12/2016	22/12/2024	5	15
	EL 8685	Austin Metals Limited	23/01/2018	23/01/2030	2	6
	EL 8862	Austin Metals Limited	17/06/2019	17/06/2025	8	24
	EL 8863	Austin Metals Limited	17/06/2019	17/06/2025	29	87
Tallering	E59/2455	Austin Metals Limited	1/07/2021	30/06/2026	47	141
Austin	E58/510	Gardner Tenements Pty Ltd*	31/05/2018	30/05/2028	26	78
Austin	E58/543	Gardner Tenements Pty Ltd*	1/07/2019	30/06/2029	3	9
Austin	E21/201	Gardner Tenements Pty Ltd*	13/08/2019	12/08/2024	31	93
Austin	M21/154	Gardner Tenements Pty Ltd*	20/01/2010	19/01/2031	488	5
Ashburton Copper-Gold Project	E08/2997	Gardner Tenements Pty Ltd	22/08/2019	21/08/2029	4	
	E08/3104	Gardner Tenements Pty Ltd	11/03/2020	10/03/2025	16	
	E08/3120	Gardner Tenements Pty Ltd	15/10/2021	14/10/2026	9	
	E08/3121	Gardner Tenements Pty Ltd	15/10/2021	14/10/2026	79	
	E08/3222	Gardner Tenements Pty Ltd	17/11/2021	16/11/2026	13	
	E08/3273	Gardner Tenements Pty Ltd	18/11/2021	17/11/2026	39	
	E08/2938	John Harvey Firth	05/07/2018	04/07/2028	2	
	E08/2994	John Harvey Firth	18/10/2019	17/10/2024	20	
	P08/0699	John Harvey Firth	19/07/2018	18/07/2026	138	

*Austin Project JVA

Joint Operations	Percentage interest
Austin Metals Farm In and Joint Operation Agreement	
EL 7300	85%
EL 8075	75%
Austin Metals Broken Hill Project Sale Agreement – Variscan Mines Limited	
ELs 8236 and 8075	75%



Agreement relating to EL 8078 (Yalcowinna – formerly Ziggys EL 6036 and Euriowie 7319) with Eaglehawk Geological Consulting Pty Ltd	
EL 8078 (Eaglehawk has an 8% interest in this EL)	92%
Broken Hill Base Metals Project with Impact Minerals Limited*	
EL 7390	0%
Austin Metals JO with CBH	
EL 8495	75%
EL 8236	75%
EL 8075	75%
EL 8862	75%
EL 8863	75%
Joint Ventures	
Joint Venture with Gardner Mining Pty Ltd (Gardner Tenements Pty Ltd)	80%

This announcement has been authorised for release by the Board of Directors of Austin Metals Limited.

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About Austin Metals

Austin Metals Limited (**AYT**) is a base and precious metals explorer focused on the prolific mining districts of Broken Hill, the Cobar Basin and the Lachlan Fold Belt of New South Wales, Australia. AYT's flagship Austin Gold Project is located in the highly prospective Murchison greenstone province of Western Australia, directly adjacent to the Cue Gold Project owned by Musgrave Minerals Limited (ASX:MGV), which includes the high grade Break of Day Deposit and Starlight discovery. The Company has also secured a significant ground holding of the Talling Greenstone belt in the prolific Murchison gold mining region of Western Australia located 150 km south of the Golden Grove deposit.

CAUTION REGARDING FORWARD LOOKING INFORMATION

This document contains forward looking statements concerning Austin Metals Limited. Forward-looking statements are not statements of historical fact and actual events and results may differ materially from those described in the forward-looking statements as a result of a variety of risks, uncertainties and other factors. Forward-looking statements are inherently subject to business, economic, competitive, political and social uncertainties and contingencies. Many factors could cause the Company's actual results to differ materially from those expressed or implied in any forward-looking information provided by the Company, or on behalf of, the Company. Such factors include, among other things, risks relating to additional funding requirements, metal prices, exploration, development and operating risks, competition, production risks, regulatory restrictions, including environmental regulation and liability and potential title disputes. Forward looking statements in this document are based on Austin Metal's beliefs, opinions and estimates of Austin Metals as of the dates the forward-looking statements are made, and no obligation is assumed to update forward looking statements if these beliefs, opinions and estimates should change or to reflect other future development.

COMPETENT PERSONS STATEMENT

The information in this announcement that relates to Exploration Results is based on and fairly represents information and supporting documentation prepared by Mr Paul L'Herpiniere. Mr L'Herpiniere is a Director of Austin Metals Limited and a member of the Australian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. Mr L'Herpiniere has sufficient experience relevant to the styles of mineralisation and types of deposits which are covered in this announcement and to the activity which they are undertaking to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 edition of the 'Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves' ("JORC Code"). Mr L'Herpiniere consents to the inclusion in this announcement of the matters based on his information in the form and context in which it appears.

ASX Listing Rules Compliance Statement

In preparing the Quarterly Activities report for the period ended 30 September 2024, the Company has relied on the following ASX announcements.



ASX Announcement	6 September 2024	Company Secretary Appointment/Resignation
ASX Announcement	15 May 2024	SETTLEMENT OF ASHBURTON CGP TRANSACTION
ASX Announcement	15 April 2024	Exciting High Grade Copper Gold Project Acquisition Approved
ASX Announcement	1 March 2024	MORE SPECTACULAR GRADES RETURNED FROM ROCK CHIP SAMPLING
ASX Announcement	19 December 2023	Geophysics Shows an Additional 16km of Copper Gold Strike
ASX Announcement	11 December 2023	12m at 12.5g/t Au & 1.7% Cu at Surface in New Cu-Au Project

This report contains information extracted from reports cited herein. These are available to view on the website www.austinmetals.com.au. In relying on the above ASX announcements and pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 5.23.2, the Company confirms that it is not aware of any new information or data that materially affects the information included in the abovementioned announcements or this Activities Report for this period ended 30 September 2024 and subsequent to the end of the quarter.

Appendix 5B

Mining exploration entity or oil and gas exploration entity quarterly cash flow report

Name of entity

Austin Metals Limited

ABN

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Quarter ended ("current quarter")

30 September 2024

Consolidated statement of cash flows		Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (12 months) \$A'000
1.	Cash flows from operating activities		
1.1	Receipts from customers	-	-
1.2	Payments for		
	(a) exploration & evaluation	-	-
	(b) development	-	-
	(c) production	-	-
	(d) staff costs	(41)	(41)
	(e) administration and corporate costs	(85)	(85)
1.3	Dividends received (see note 3)	-	-
1.4	Interest received	6	6
1.5	Interest and other costs of finance paid	-	-
1.6	Income taxes paid	-	-
1.7	Government grants and tax incentives	-	-
1.8	Other (ATO Payments / Receivables)	42	42
1.9	Net cash from / (used in) operating activities	(78)	(78)
2.	Cash flows from investing activities		
2.1	Payments to acquire or for:		
	(a) entities	-	-
	(b) tenements	-	-
	(c) property, plant and equipment	-	-
	(d) exploration & evaluation	(222)	(222)
	(e) investments	-	-
	(f) other non-current assets	-	-

Consolidated statement of cash flows		Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (12 months) \$A'000
2.2	Proceeds from the disposal of:		
	(a) entities	-	-
	(b) tenements	-	-
	(c) property, plant and equipment	-	-
	(d) investments	-	-
	(e) other non-current assets	-	-
2.3	Cash flows from loans to other entities	-	-
2.4	Dividends received (see note 3)	-	-
2.5	Other (provide details if material)	-	-
2.6	Net cash from / (used in) investing activities	(222)	(222)

3.	Cash flows from financing activities		
3.1	Proceeds from issues of equity securities (excluding convertible debt securities)	-	-
3.2	Proceeds from issue of convertible debt securities	-	-
3.3	Proceeds from exercise of options	-	-
3.4	Transaction costs related to issues of equity securities or convertible debt securities	-	-
3.5	Proceeds from borrowings	-	-
3.6	Repayment of borrowings	-	-
3.7	Transaction costs related to loans and borrowings	-	-
3.8	Dividends paid	-	-
3.9	Other (provide details if material)	-	-
3.10	Net cash from / (used in) financing activities	-	-

4.	Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents for the period		
4.1	Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	1,338	1,338
4.2	Net cash from / (used in) operating activities (item 1.9 above)	(78)	(78)
4.3	Net cash from / (used in) investing activities (item 2.6 above)	(222)	(222)
4.4	Net cash from / (used in) financing activities (item 3.10 above)	-	-

Mining exploration entity or oil and gas exploration entity quarterly cash flow report

Consolidated statement of cash flows		Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (12 months) \$A'000
4.5	Effect of movement in exchange rates on cash held	-	-
4.6	Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	1,038	1,038

5.	Reconciliation of cash and cash equivalents at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts	Current quarter \$A'000	Previous quarter \$A'000
5.1	Bank balances	1,038	1,038
5.2	Call deposits	-	-
5.3	Bank overdrafts	-	-
5.4	Other (High Interest Account)	-	-
5.5	Cash and cash equivalents at end of quarter (should equal item 4.6 above)	1,038	1,038

6.	Payments to related parties of the entity and their associates	Current quarter \$A'000
6.1	Aggregate amount of payments to related parties and their associates included in item 1	41
6.2	Aggregate amount of payments to related parties and their associates included in item 2	19
Note: if any amounts are shown in items 6.1 or 6.2, your quarterly activity report must include a description of, and an explanation for, such payments.		

Mining exploration entity or oil and gas exploration entity quarterly cash flow report

7.	Financing facilities <i>Note: the term "facility" includes all forms of financing arrangements available to the entity. Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the sources of finance available to the entity.</i>	Total facility amount at quarter end \$A'000	Amount drawn at quarter end \$A'000
7.1	Loan facilities	-	-
7.2	Credit standby arrangements	-	-
7.3	Other (please specify)	-	-
7.4	Total financing facilities	-	-
7.5	Unused financing facilities available at quarter end		-
7.6	Include in the box below a description of each facility above, including the lender, interest rate, maturity date and whether it is secured or unsecured. If any additional financing facilities have been entered into or are proposed to be entered into after quarter end, include a note providing details of those facilities as well.		
	Please note, the Company has tenement security bonds on \$175k as at the audited		

8.	Estimated cash available for future operating activities	\$A'000
8.1	Net cash from / (used in) operating activities (item 1.9)	(78)
8.2	(Payments for exploration & evaluation classified as investing activities) (item 2.1(d))	(222)
8.3	Total relevant outgoings (item 8.1 + item 8.2)	(300)
8.4	Cash and cash equivalents at quarter end (item 4.6)	1,038
8.5	Unused finance facilities available at quarter end (item 7.5)	-
8.6	Total available funding (item 8.4 + item 8.5)	1,038
8.7	Estimated quarters of funding available (item 8.6 divided by item 8.3)	3.46
	<i>Note: if the entity has reported positive relevant outgoings (ie a net cash inflow) in item 8.3, answer item 8.7 as "N/A". Otherwise, a figure for the estimated quarters of funding available must be included in item 8.7.</i>	
8.8	If item 8.7 is less than 2 quarters, please provide answers to the following questions:	
8.8.1	Does the entity expect that it will continue to have the current level of net operating cash flows for the time being and, if not, why not?	
	Answer: NA	
8.8.2	Has the entity taken any steps, or does it propose to take any steps, to raise further cash to fund its operations and, if so, what are those steps and how likely does it believe that they will be successful?	
	Answer: NA	

8.8.3 Does the entity expect to be able to continue its operations and to meet its business objectives and, if so, on what basis?

Answer: NA

Note: where item 8.7 is less than 2 quarters, all of questions 8.8.1, 8.8.2 and 8.8.3 above must be answered.

Compliance statement

- 1 This statement has been prepared in accordance with accounting standards and policies which comply with Listing Rule 19.11A.
- 2 This statement gives a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

Date: 29/10/24

Authorised by: By the Board
(Name of body or officer authorising release – see note 4)

Notes

1. This quarterly cash flow report and the accompanying activity report provide a basis for informing the market about the entity's activities for the past quarter, how they have been financed and the effect this has had on its cash position. An entity that wishes to disclose additional information over and above the minimum required under the Listing Rules is encouraged to do so.
2. If this quarterly cash flow report has been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, the definitions in, and provisions of, *AASB 6: Exploration for and Evaluation of Mineral Resources* and *AASB 107: Statement of Cash Flows* apply to this report. If this quarterly cash flow report has been prepared in accordance with other accounting standards agreed by ASX pursuant to Listing Rule 19.11A, the corresponding equivalent standards apply to this report.
3. Dividends received may be classified either as cash flows from operating activities or cash flows from investing activities, depending on the accounting policy of the entity.
4. If this report has been authorised for release to the market by your board of directors, you can insert here: "By the board". If it has been authorised for release to the market by a committee of your board of directors, you can insert here: "By the [name of board committee – eg Audit and Risk Committee]". If it has been authorised for release to the market by a disclosure committee, you can insert here: "By the Disclosure Committee".
5. If this report has been authorised for release to the market by your board of directors and you wish to hold yourself out as complying with recommendation 4.2 of the ASX Corporate Governance Council's *Corporate Governance Principles and Recommendations*, the board should have received a declaration from its CEO and CFO that, in their opinion, the financial records of the entity have been properly maintained, that this report complies with the appropriate accounting standards and gives a true and fair view of the cash flows of the entity, and that their opinion has been formed on the basis of a sound system of risk management and internal control which is operating effectively.