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## Summary and Recommended Investment Strategy.

Smaller and medium sized New Zealand companies have under-performed global stockmarkets over the last 12-18 months but should perform better over the next year as the general outlook has improved. Investors should be close to fully invested in the recommended Australian and New Zealand shares.

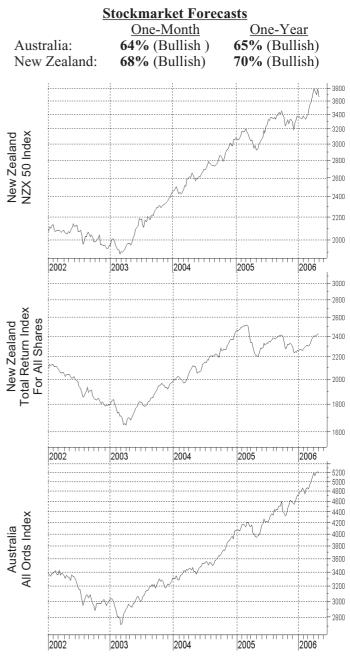
## Investment Outlook.

Despite headline attention on a large fall in **Telecom NZ**'s share price, the outlook for the NZ stockmarket has improved to a Bullish 70% probability that share prices will rise over the next year.

Long term subscribers to this newsletter will be aware of our views on Telecom NZ. Telecommunication network companies are unattractive investments as "*Terminal Velocity*" (i.e. the situation where the cost of providing new services *exceeds* the growth in total revenues) will reduce long term profitability. Telecom NZ was very successful at holding back the tide of competitive pressure and slowing the decline in revenues, but ultimately it had to allow better access by competitors or have its network opened by government regulation. Investors may also wish to re-read (or download from the website) our September 2000 review of Telecom NZ and our view of its offer to acquire 100% of the Australian "growth" company **AAPT**.

Many smaller and medium sized NZ company shares offer good value, having declined over the last 12-18 months in anticipation of the current economic slowdown. Companies that have adjusted to these conditions, remained profitable and which are steadily expanding will be well placed to reward shareholders over the next 12-24 months as the market begins to anticipate the next economic recovery.

While oil and commodity shares have performed well this is a boom where we are unwilling to make any major commitments (although there are some opportunities for profitable investment). There is no shortage of oil in the ground, although there are capacity constraints on current production and refining (owing to 30 years of under-investment since the last boom). Alternative energy shares are performing well, but investors are over-estimating the value of these businesses. Generally these alternative energy technologies are not competitive at current prices and rely on tax credits or government regulations requiring energy distributors to buy a *(Continued on Page 15)* 



Page 2 Page 2 Page 2 Page 2 Performance Forecasts" are computer generated predictions of the relative future price performance of a company's shares over the next three to six months. Performance Forecasts are calculated for every listed NZ share (except Investment Trusts) on a rating scale using the letters "A" (Highest potential for capital appreciation over the next 3-6 months ), "B" (Above Average), "C" (Average), "D" (Below Average) and "E" (Lowest). These predictions are NOT buy or sell recommendations but can be useful to be the time planned nurchases or sales or to identify shares worthy of further study and analysis recommendations, but can be useful to help time planned purchases or sales, or to identify shares worthy of further study and analysis.

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Forecast Price	Ratio Ratio Yield		Forecast Price		Ratio	Yield		Forecast Price		Ratio	Yield
A2 Corporation E 10 ABS Canterbury C 430	N/A NE Nil 1.29 15 4.9	Hirequip NZ Ltd Horizon Energy	C 10 B 4 <sup>-</sup>		13 13	5.5 7.2	Postie Plus Grp Property F Ind.	C 7 C 12		17 20	6.3 6.5
AMP Limited A 1140 AMP Onyx Mgmt C 107	1.56 23 3.2 5.60 14 6.8	ING Property Infratil NZ	C 1 <sup>-</sup> B 4:	9 8.26	15 19	9.0 3.6	Provenco Group Pumpkin Patch	C 9 B 42	0 0.79	11 28	5.0 2.8
AXA Asia Pac. B 685 Abano Health. D 121	2.14 19 2.3 0.49 NE Nil	Jasons Media Just Water Int.	E \$	50 N/A 50 2.95	NE 19	Nil 5.4	Pyne Gould Corp Renaissance		8 0.93	11 10	6.1 11.1
Affco Holdings E 39	0.20 9 2.6	KidiCorp	D	8 1.34	NE	Nil	Restaurant Brds	C 12	6 0.38	12	11.8
Air New Zealand B 130 Akd Int Airport C 198	0.35 7 5.7 8.57 23 6.2	Kingfish Ltd Kirkcaldie & St	A 1 B 2	1 0.62	4 22	2.6 4.4	Richina Pacific Rubicon Limited	E 4 E 9	3 0.57	NE NE	Nil Nil
Allied Farmers B 250 Allied Work. D 138	0.53 14 6.3 N/A NE Nil	Kiwi Property Life Pharmacy	C 12 D 8	29 N/A 32 N/A	17 NE	6.7 2.2	Ryman Health. Salvus Strat.	A 73 C 7		31 16	1.6 4.1
Apple Fields D 1.5 Blis Technology E 13	N/A NE Nil N/A NE Nil	Lion Nathan Ltd Livestock Imp.	B 90 C 14		21 9	3.6 14.1	Sanford Limited Satara Co-op	B 50 C 16		16 NE	6.5 2.8
Blue Chip Fin. D 89 Botry-Zen Ltd E 5.3	0.86 7 Nil N/A NE Nil	Loan & Building Lombard Group	B 43 E 2	86 1.30 .7 N/A	14 NE	5.1 Nil	Savoy Equities Scott Tech. Ltd	D 2. C 24		80 NE	Nil 2.4
Brierley Invest C 147 Briscoe Group B 141	3.10 16 2.8 0.86 12 7.9	Lyttelton Port MDSnews	A 2		19 NE	7.7 Nil	Sealegs Corp Seeka Kiwifruit	E 1 C 41	6 3.07	NE 12	Nil 7.3
Broadway Ind C 71 CACI Group Ltd D 26	0.33 15 7.0 0.33 59 Nil	MG Property Tri Mainfreight Grp		23 N/A	24 33	9.2 2.1	Skellerup Hold. Sky City Ltd	B 13 B 54	4 1.13	11 22	7.8 6.6
CDL Investments D 37 Cabletalk Group D 42	3.18 9 8.1 0.32 6 10.7	Media Tech. Methven Limited	E 4	.0 0.17	NE 11	Nil 8.6	Sky Network TV Smiths City	D 60 C 6	5 4.81	23 4	Nil 7.9
Cadmus Tech Ltd D 22	2.62 NE Nil	Metro. LifeCare	B 50	00 N/A	20	0.4	Software of Exc	D 10	5 1.14	NE	Nil
Calan Hlthcare C 122 CanWest Media. D 168	N/A 18 7.0 1.52 29 5.6	Michael Hill Mid-Cap Index	C 7 C 2	7 N/A	17 NE	4.8 Nil	Sol. Dynamics South Port NZ	D 4 B 14	0 2.72	NE 19	Nil 6.9
Carter Holt C 274 Cavalier Corp C 319	1.07 28 2.7 1.01 11 12.6	Mike Pero Mort. Millennium & C.		52 1.26	16 8	8.7 5.1	Speirs Group Steel & Tube	B 10 B 48	0 0.97		11.5 10.0
Cert Organics E 5.0 Charlie's Group E 13	2.25 NE Nil 1.41 NE Nil	Mooring System Mowbray Collec			NE NE	Nil 3.0	Sthn Travel Summit Gold Ltd	C 4 * N/R 19		5 NE	21.7 Nil
Col Motor Co B 297 Comvita A 284	0.21 11 11.1 N/A 23 2.6	Mr Chips Hold NZ Exchange Lt	C 10 d A 93		17 25	6.0 4.0	Tag Pacific Ltd Taylors Grp Ltd	C 3 B 18		8 12	1.4 10.8
Connexion E 32 Contact Energy B 796	1.88 47 Nil 3.59 32 4.7	NZ Experience NZ Finance Hole		29 1.30 35 4.28	14 27	10.3 1.4	TeamTalk Ltd Telecom Corp	B 24 C 47		16 10	11.2 12.2
Cube Capital B 7.0 Cynotech Hold. E 14	N/A NE Nil 1.37 11 5.3	NZ Invest Trust NZ Oil and Gas	B 94		NE NE	0.9 Nil	Tenon Ltd Toll NZ Ltd	D 36 C 31	8 0.61	9 16	Nil Nil
Delegat's Group E 160 Dominion Fin. B 145	N/A NE Nil 3.24 11 7.1	NZ Refining Co NZ Wine Compa	A 6	0 4.40	12 19	7.2 3.7	Tourism Hold. Tower Limited	C 16 B 28	8 0.93	16 10	9.8 Nil
Dorchester Pac C 222 Eastern Hi-Fi C 72	0.57 8 6.9 0.40 13 12.4	NZ Windfarms NZ Wool Service	D 1	4 N/A 6 0.27	NE 33	Nil 3.2	Training Sol. Trans-Tasman	D 0. E 4	1 0.71	NE 75	Nil Nil
Ebos Group Ltd A 535	0.53 16 6.0	NZSX 50 Port.	D 1	'2 N/A	NE	Nil	Trust Power Ltd	B 72	0 3.70	31	4.0
EvergreenD33F & P Health.B428F & P Health.F	1.57 NE Nil 9.05 35 3.8	NZSX 10 Fund NZX Aust MidCa		3 N/A	NE NE	Nil Nil	Turners Auction Turners & Grow.		0 0.41	12 16	9.2 Nil
F & P Appliance A 465 Feltex Ltd C 35	1.18 18 5.8 0.17 4 25.6	Nat Property Tr New Image Gro	up D 4	'3 4.96 .0 1.13	NE	12.5 Nil	Utilico Int'l VTL Group Ltd	D 4 D 5	4 0.57	NE 8	Nil 6.1
Finzsoft Sol'ns C 105 Fletcher Build. A 948	1.24 50 Nil 0.94 13 5.0	Northland Port Nuplex Indust	B 29 A 63	0.52	16 17	5.1 6.3	Vector Ltd WN Drive Tech.	D 27 C 4	8 N/A	50 NE	Nil Nil
Forty Two Below E 57 Freightways Ltd A 400	5.88 NE Nil 2.15 23 6.0	Opio Forestry Oyster Bay	D 9 C 24	92 N/A 12 3.04	NE 41	Nil 4.1	Wakefield Hlth Warehouse Grou	В 63 ир В 39		26 31	3.1 5.5
GDČ Communicat. E 1.0 Genesis Res. E 28	0.01 NE Nil 2.82 NE Nil	Ozzy (Tortis) PGG Wrightson	C 34 s C 22		NE 15	Nil 6.1	Waste Mgmt NZ Widespread Port	A 84 * N/R 2.		28 NE	5.4 Nil
Guinness Peat C 255 Gullivers Trv. B 186	0.77 10 1.1 0.44 15 7.9	POD Ltd Pac Edge Bio.	C t	53 0.20 5 N/A	5 NE	8.4 Nil	Windflow Tech. Wool Equities	D 24 D 5	2 N/A	NE NE	Nil Nil
Hallenstein G. B 508 Hellaby Hold. C 458	1.61 16 8.8 0.58 11 12.7	Pacific Retail Plus SMS Hold.		0 0.10 0 N/A	NE NE	Nil Nil	World Index Fd Zintel Comm.	C 14 D 7		NE 10	Nil 7.4
Heritage Gold * N/R 6.3	N/A NE Nil	Port Tauranga	B 54		21	5.5	Ave of 161 Cos			20	4.2
ABB Grain Ltd A 743	0.95 59 2.3	Deutsche Div Tr			14	7.1	Pacific Brands	B 22		19	6.6
ABC Learning A 752 AMP Ltd B 942	6.43 36 1.5 1.47 22 3.4	Div. Utility		0.66	20 24	7.7 2.1	Paladin Res. Paperlin X Ltd	C 45 B 31	2 0.18	NE 8	Nil 8.2
ANZ Bank A 2792 APN News Media B 517	5.47 36 3.6 1.81 17 4.7	Energy Resourc Excel Coal Ltd	A 8'	3 4.48	69 17	1.2 3.0	Patrick Corp Perpetual Ltd	A 89 B 694	2 6.44	37 23	0.9 3.7
AWB Limited B 445 AXA Asia Pac A 642	0.30 10 6.5 2.27 21 2.2	Fairfax (John) Fortescue Metal		5 N/A	14 NE	4.8 Nil	Primary Health Promina Group	B 116 A 56	4 1.47	50 12	2.1 4.2
Adelaide Bank B 1300 Adelaide Bright B 236	4.32 15 4.1 1.78 14 6.9	Foster's Group Futuris Corp.	C 58 C 2 <sup>-</sup>		13 16	3.4 4.2	Publishing & Br Q.B.E. Insur.	A 185 A 225		26 16	2.8 3.2
Alinta Limited B 1102 Alumina Ltd B 738	2.69 28 4.0 N/A 27 2.7	GPT Group Gandel R. (CFS	C 42		15 19	5.7 5.4	Qantas Airways Ramsay Health	B 34 A 108		9 61	5.8 1.9
Amcor Ltd C 693 Ansell Ltd A 1130	0.55 14 4.9 1.63 NE 1.2	Gt Sthn Plant'n Guinness Peat	B 3 B 2	'8 3.51	9	3.7 1.1	Record Invest. Reece Australia	A 101 B 156	5 N/A	34 21	3.0 2.4
Aquarius Plat. A 1968 Argo Investment B 701	7.23 78 0.4 N/A 31 3.0	Gunns Ltd Hardman Res.	B 3 <sup>-</sup> C 2	3 1.51	10 NE	4.0 Nil	Rinker Group Rio Tinto Ltd	A 204 B 827	0 3.29	33 30	1.0 1.3
Aristocrat Leis A 1390 Aust Foundation B 474	4.97 27 2.2 N/A 27 3.4	Harvey Norman Henderson Grou	A 30	3.02	23 11	1.8 1.7	Rural Press Ltd SFE Corporation	B 111	0 2.31	12	3.8 2.7
Aust Stock Exch B 3215	N/A 30 3.0	ING Indust Trt	B 2	5 N/A	16	6.9	Santos Ltd	B 118	6 2.73	32 9	3.2
Aust Gas Light C 1915 Aust Pipeline A 441	1.78 10 3.3 3.26 18 5.1	ING Office Fund Iluka Resources	B 72	4 1.69	13 13	7.5 3.0	Seek Ltd Seven Network	B 43 C 88	0 1.53	64 21	0.2 2.7
Austar United C 122 Australand Prop B 206	3.21 25 Nil 1.19 10 8.0	Incitec Pivot Insurance Aust.	B 194 B 55	58 1.14	NE NE	0.8 4.7	Sigma Pharm. Sims Group Ltd	B 26 B 186	0 0.66	36 9	2.5 7.5
B & B Infrastr. C 153 BHP Billiton A 3030	3.45 NE 7.0 2.57 13 1.2	Investa Prop. James Hardie	A 22 B 9 <sup>-</sup>	0 2.65	14 25	7.4 0.9	Smorgon Steel Sonic Health	B 14 C 148	5 2.95	15 53	5.8 1.5
Babcock & Brown B 1914 Bank of Q'land B 1497	5.30 25 0.7 1.77 17 3.2	Jubilee Mines Leighton Hold	B 78 B 169		13 22	5.7 3.0	Soul Pattinson Spotless Group	C 86 B 49		5 19	2.9 4.8
Bendigo Bank A 1352 Billabong Int'I B 1566	2.00 21 3.0 3.80 26 2.4	Lend Lease Cor Lihir Gold	р В 142 В 32	0.59	27 NE	4.0 Nil	St George Bank Stockland	B 302 A 69	5 2.73	18 23	4.5 6.8
Bluescope Steel B 769 Boral Limited B 954	0.68 5 5.5 1.27 15 3.6	Lionore Mining Macquarie Good	B 60	61 2.54	14 NE	Nil 3.3	Suncorp-Metway Symbion Health		5 1.55	13 27	4.5 3.2
Brambles Ind. A 1126 Brickworks Ltd C 1230	2.44 62 0.9 2.88 8 2.5	Macquarie Infra Macquarie Air.	B 3	54 1.74		21.9 6.3	Tabcorp Holding Tattersall's	B 152 D 31	2 1.93	22 NE	5.3 Nil
Burns Philp C 97	0.78 25 2.3	Macquarie C'Wo	de B 19	93 N/A	19	7.7	Telstra	C 38	5 2.15	11	7.3
C'wth Prop Off. C 136 C.S.R. Ltd B 395	7.98 15 7.1 1.52 13 3.0	Macquarie Off. Macquaries C&I	C 54		17 NE	8.0 5.4	Ten Network Toll Holdings	C 30 B 131	0 1.11	12 20	7.0 2.0
CSL Limited A 5892 Caltex Austrlia B 2030	3.41 37 0.8 0.33 9 2.3	Macquarie Bank Milton Corp.	B 210	00 N/A	19 28	2.3 2.9	Transfield Serv TransPacific In	B 72 A 96	9 4.01	28 85	2.8 Nil
Centro Property B 657 Chal Financial C 352	N/A 22 5.1 2.08 17 1.4	Minara Resourc Mirvac Group	B 43	34 2.59	27 16	2.0 7.8	Transurban Grp UNiTAB Ltd	C 65 A 147	9 3.54	NE 32	5.4 3.1
Coal & Allied A 7200 Coates Hire A 608	4.22 21 3.2 2.36 21 2.5	Multiplex Group Nat'l Aust Bank	B 32 A 36	57 1.66	32 14	9.3 4.5	United Group Virgin Blue	A 139 A 18	3 1.29 1 1.12	39 17	2.2 9.2
CocaCola Amatil C 682 Cochlear Ltd C 5400	1.23 16 4.6 8.41 54 1.5	Newcrest Mining News Corp.		3 7.65	56 29	0.2 0.6	Wesfarmers Ltd West Aust News	B 358 B 83	0 1.65	22 19	5.0 5.1
Coles Myer B 1080 Com'wealth Bank B 4610	0.37 21 3.1 3.43 23 4.0	Nufarm Limited Oil Search Ltd	C 109 A 43	6 1.05	18 18	2.4 1.5	Westfield Group Westpac Banking	B 171	0 4.31	7 17	6.2 3.5
Computershare B 783 Corp Express B 591	4.17 46 1.4 0.95 17 3.0	Onesteel Ltd Orica Ltd	C 34	88 0.56	17 28	3.5 2.9	Woodside Petrol Woolworths Ltd		7 N/A	29 25	1.2 2.7
DB Rreef Trust A 149 DCA Group Ltd B 384	0.95 17 3.0 3.93 19 7.0 2.39 98 1.8	Origin Energy Oxiana Ltd	B 70	04 1.13	20 21 61	2.9 2.1 0.3	Worley Group Zinifex Ltd	A 188	8 3.09	67 25	1.1
DCA Group Ltd B 384 David Jones B 260	0.61 14 5.0		A 3	,⊣ IN/A	01	0.3	Ave of 1672 Co	A 119 s C 22		25 29	0.3 1.7

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**Christchurch City Holdings** has failed to gain 100% ownership of <u>Lyttelton Port Company</u>, lifting its shareholding from 69.0% to only 73.8%. **Port Otago** has built up their holding to 15.3%. That leaves only 10.9% with the public, so the shares may be inactively traded at times but this *tight scrip* situation could see the shares appreciate rapidly on any good news. "Hold".

Michael Hill International reports revenues for the nine months to March up 8.0% to \$224.1 million. That indicates that the March quarter revenues rose 14.5% to \$60.1 million.

Revenues from Canada rose 62.4% to \$10.5 million for the nine months - helped by the expansion to 12 stores. The company's founder recently announced his belief that this would increase to "120-150 stores in Canada within seven years". That would lift Canadian revenues to around NZ\$180-220 million annually and - even without any further growth in NZ or Australia - total annual revenues 65-80% to NZ\$450-500 million.

Longer term the goal is to move into the United States and the United Kingdom, expanding store numbers over *five*-fold to 1000. Assuming a continuation of the company's 6-8% per annum growth in store numbers this goal should just about be achievable within the lifetime of the company's 67 year old founder.

Michael Hill International still offers very good long term growth potential and should be able to continue to finance all of this growth from retained profits - avoiding any dilution in earnings per share growth.

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### Portfolio of Recommended Investments

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CURRENT ADVICE	Company NZ Shares	Code	Initial Recomm - Date -	nendation Price	Perform- mance Forecast	Issued Shares (mil.)	Vola- tility Ratio	Price/ Sales Ratio	Price/ Earnings Ratio	Gross Dividend Yield	Recent Share Price	Cash Dividends Rec'd	Total Return %
HOLD+	CDL Investments Ltd	CDI	12/01/99	25	D	210.6	1.4	3.18	9	8.1	37	13.3	+101%
BUY	Cavalier Corporation	CAV		156*		65.5	0.5	1.01	11	12.6	319		+219%
HOLD+	Colonial Motor Company	CMO		150	В	27.9	0.5	0.21	11	11.1	297	292.8	+293%
HOLD	Lyttelton Port Company	LPC	12/12/00	150	A	102.3	0.6	3.29	19	7.7	214	252.0 54.3	+79%
BUY	Michael Hill Int'l Ltd	MHI	11/06/91	46*		38.7	0.0	1.01	17	4.8	715		+1850%
BUY	Nuplex Industries Ltd	NPX		350	A	76.7	0.5	0.52	17	6.3	630		+120%
BUY	Postie Plus Group	PPG		71	ĉ	40.0	1.0	0.25	17	6.3	71	Nil	+0%
HOLD+	Renaissance Corp	RNS		85*		38.5	0.8	0.33	10	11.1	135	35.9	+101%
HOLD	Richina Pacific	RPL		94*		151.2	1.3	0.09	NE	Nil	48	11.4	-37%
HOLD	South Port New Zealand	SPN		120	В	26.2	0.8	2.72	19	6.9	140	84.3	+87%
HOLD	Steel & Tube Holdings	STU	08/08/00	146	B	88.1	0.5	0.97	12	10.0	480	147.0	+329%
HOLD+	Taylors Group Ltd	TAY	09/11/99	102	B	24.3	0.7	0.67	12	10.8	180	56.0	+131%
HOLD.	Australia (in Aust cents)	17.1	00/11/00	102	D	24.0	0.7	0.07	12	10.0	100	00.0	. 10170
HOLD	AJ Lucas Group	AJL	13/05/03	120	С	51.6	1.0	0.62	NE	3.9	90	20.5	-8%
BUY	Atlas Pacific Ltd	ATP	14/05/96	73	В	87.8	1.5	2.68	14	3.2	31	8.0	-47%
HOLD	Austin Group Ltd	ATG		93	B	62.2	1.4	0.41	6	15.0	40	7.0	-49%
HOLD+	Campbell Brothers Ltd	CPB		406*		49.5	0.4	1.30	29	2.9	1472	192.6	+310%
BUY	Candle Australia	CND		86	Ā	45.9	0.7	0.66	21	3.5	331	31.5	+322%
BUY	Cellnet Group Ltd	CLT	12/02/02	152	В	51.0	0.9	0.11	10	5.7	123	31.5	+2%
HOLD+	Centennial Coal Ltd	CEY		70*		268.5	0.5	1.47	19	3.7	354	19.0	+433%
HOLD	Circadian Technologies	CIR	10/02/04	188	E	40.1	0.9	1.00	NE	Nil	118	65.0	-3%
HOLD	Commander Comm.	CDR		92	Ā	170.2	0.8	0.60	16	2.8	218	17.2	+156%
BUY	Computershare Ltd	CPU		189	В	594.9	0.6	4.17	46	1.4	783	27.5	+329%
BUY	Ellex Medical Lasers	ELX		49	B	61.2	1.3	1.44	NE	Nil	67	Nil	+37%
BUY	Int'l AllSports	IAS	11/02/03	180	C	66.4	1.4	0.05	NE	Nil	40	4.0	-76%
HOLD+	Iluka Resources Ltd	ILU	12/10/04	471	В	232.9	0.6	1.69	13	3.0	724	34.0	+61%
HOLD	Keycorp Ltd	KYC		123*		81.6	1.2	0.61	13	Nil	104	Nil	-15%
HOLD+	LongReach Group Ltd	LRX		24	В	174.5	3.4	0.33	52	Nil	7	Nil	-72%
BUY	Melbourne IT	MLB		53	В	54.3	0.7	1.35	18	4.2	180	15.0	+267%
HOLD	M.Y.O.B. Ltd	MYO		84*	В	392.4	1.0	2.17	22	3.0	91	6.3	+15%
BUY	Namoi Cotton Co-op Ltd	NAM	14/03/06	65	С	112.7	1.1	0.21	5	9.8	67	Nil	+2%
HOLD	Ross Human Directions	RHD	14/08/01	92	В	81.7	1.2	0.12	8	7.8	52	23.0	-19%
HOLD-	Skilled Engineering	SKE		126	А	100.5	0.5	0.57	36	3.4	471	64.5	+325%
HOLD	Sonnet Corporation	SNN		32	С	137.3	3.1	0.28	4	20.0	8	3.0	-67%
HOLD+	Technology One Ltd	TNE	11/11/03	44	В	299.4	1.2	3.97	22	4.2	74	7.4	+85%
HOLD+	The Reject Shop Ltd	TRS		257	Ā	25.1	0.7	0.68	20	3.1	550		+126%
HOLD	UXC Limited	UXC		55*		161.4	0.9	0.70	14	5.2	105	32.0	+149%
BUY	Vision Systems Ltd	VSL	10/11/98	69*		179.4	0.8	1.93	52	2.3	183		+215%
	age Total Return (i.e. both Cap												
This is eq	ual to an average annual rate	of +30.5	5%, based up	oon the le	ength of t	ime eacl	h positio	on has b	been he	ld.			
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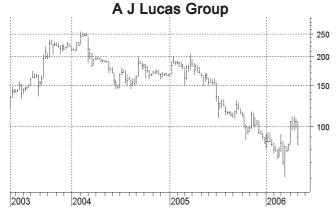
CURRENT ADVICE is either Buy, Hold+, Hold, Hold- or Sell. Hold+ indicates the most attractive shares not rated as Buy. Hold- indicates relatively less attractive issues. \* Initial Recommendation Prices adjusted for Share Splits, Bonus and Cash Issues.

#### Page 4 Recommended Investments

(Continued from Page 3) Australian Shares

(*This section is in Australian currency, unless stated.*) **AJ Lucas Group** reports that owing to security delays to the *Yate Water Pipeline* project and "slippage on commencement" of two large HDD projects that its earnings (before interest and tax) will be around \$5 million for the current financial year to June 2006.

While the shares have recovered over recent months the Relative Strength rating remains unfavourable at -9.1%, ranked 83, so the shares could likely remain depressed for the next six months or so. We continue to rate them a "Hold".

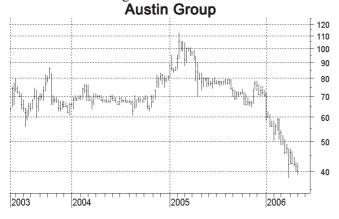


**Austin Group** reports continued tough trading conditions. Sales for the six months to 30 June are expected to fall up to 10%, with a "significant impact" on earnings for the period.

Nevertheless the company remains confident that the business will improve in the new financial year. It reports an "extremely positive" response to its planned summer 2006 range and will release its *Contempo* womens wear range to major retailers in May.

The directors expect to pay a final 2.0 cents dividend, making 5.0 cents for the year.

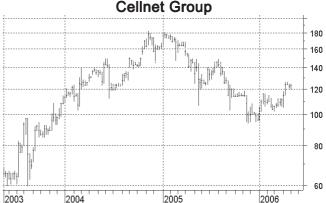
While the company has a strong balance sheet and pays good dividends the business and the share price have yet to start recovering - so Austin Group remains a "Hold" at this stage.



<u>Cellnet Group</u> has reached agreement with Hewlett-Packard to become a non-exclusive distributor of *HP Personal Systems Group* products (i.e. notebooks, tablet PCs, desktops, workstations and monitors) to resellers throughout Australia.

We rate Cellnet Group shares as a "Buy" as the

company appears to be successfully restructuring and the share price trend is improving. The Relative Strength Rating is -0.5%, ranked 63, but *increasing* and should become *positive* next week.

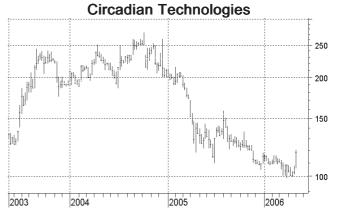


<u>Circadian Technologies</u> is to invest \$4 million for a 50% share in a new company, Vegenics. The other shareholders will be New York based Ludwig Institute for Cancer Research and the University of Helsinki which will contribute intellectual property and technology. The company will seek to develop and commercialise cancer treatments based upon inhibiting vascular endothelial growth factors (VEGF) to restrict blood and nutrient supply to tumours.

**Genentech's** *Avatin*, which targets the VEGF-A molecule earned that company US\$500 million in 2004 and US\$1,100 million in 2005 from the treatment of metastatic cancer of the colon or rectum. Vegenics technology - targeting VEGF-C and VEGF-D - "could eventually deliver a superior cancer drug". It will take at least two years to start human trials and around eight years to complete studies required for marketing approval.

It is intended to float Vegenics on the stockmarket over the next year or make a private equity issue, raising at least a further \$16 million in cash from the issue of additional shares equal to about one-third of the capital. That would dilute Circadian Technologies' stake to 33.3%, but imply a value of at least \$16 million and add around 30 cents to Circadian Technologies' net asset value.

This deal - and the potential 30 cents per share gain in net asset value - may help to reverse the long term decline in Circadian Technologies' share price, although we are still rating them a "Hold" until further evidence of a reversal becomes evident.



Commander Corporation received acceptances for

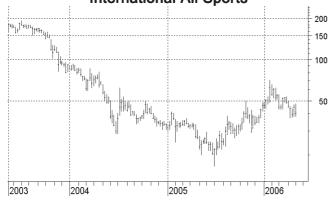
96.2% of **Volante Group** when its takeover offer closed and will now compulsorily acquire the outstanding balance. The company is predicting earnings (before interest, tax and depreciation) of \$55-59 million for the year to June 2006, rising to \$93-99 million for the year to June 2007.

**Iluka Resources** has discovered a new mineral sands prospect in the Eucla Basin. The *Gulliver's Prospect*, 60km east of the town of Ceduna and 160km south east of the *Tripitaka Prospect*, shows mineralisation over a region 7km by 2½km. This is 1-3% heavy minerals, consisting around 60% altered ilmenite (i.e. where leaching has removed the iron content), 21% zircon, 5% leucoxene and 2% rutile.

Iluka Resources has also formed a joint venture with **Mithril Resources** covering tenements 27km west of Ceduna and 17km east of the *Tripitaka Prospect*. Under the agreement, Iluka Resources will earn a 51% interest in these tenements by completing 1,500 metres of drilling and spending \$1.5 million over the next five years. These tenements have not been explored for heavy minerals but cover the old coast line within the Eucla Basin where Iluka Resources is identifying heavy mineral deposits. Mithril Resources is a nickel explorer and will continue to search for nickel in the underlying bedrock.

**International All Sports**' quarterly cash flow indicates continued growth in the business. Receipts from customers for the March quarter were up 42% on the same period last year to \$242.0 million, although there was only a small cash surplus of \$491,000 (compared with a *deficit* of \$965,000 in the March 2005 quarter). Cash on hand is \$31.1 million, up 23% on a year earlier.

For the nine months to 31 March 2006, Receipts are up 54% to \$627.5 million with an operating cash surplus of \$6,533,000 (compared with a *deficit* of \$890,000 for the nine months to March 2005).



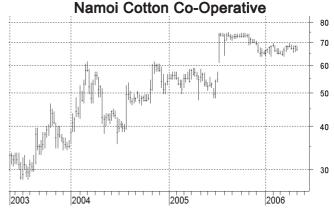
International All Sports

**<u>M.Y.O.B.</u>** reports first quarter trading is "on track" and expects annual revenues to December 2006 to increase by around 13%.

Namoi Cotton Co-operative has reported a 24.0% increase in revenues to \$354.2 million for the year to 28 February 2006. Profits increased 144.0% to \$13,689,000(12.2 cents per share). The final dividend will be raised 40.0% to 3.5 cents, lifting the annual dividend rate 30.0% to 6.5 cents.

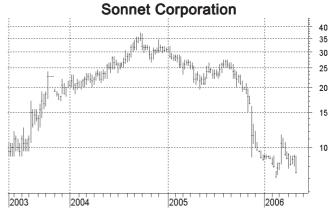
This result benefited from "significant market share improvements" in both ginning and marketing. Ginning volumes were 98% higher at 675,000 bales, with marketing volumes up 157% to 721,000 bales. The Australian cotton crop is forecast to decline around 14% to 2.5 million bales in 2006, with Namoi Cotton expected to gin and market in excess of 600,000 bales during the current financial year. Cotton prices are also low - putting pressure on margins - so the company predicts a profit of around \$9-11 million (8-10 cents per share) for the year to February 2007.

While profits may slip in the current year, Namoi Cotton Co-operative is capable of earning good profits despite depressed cotton yields and low prices. At 67 cents the shares look very under-valued on a Price/Sales ratio of 0.21, a Price/Earnings ratio of just 5½ and offer a high Dividend Yield of 9.8%. So the shares offer a high current income yield despite difficult trading conditions - and could be significantly re-rated when cotton prices and/or the cotton harvest improves. "Buy".



<u>Sonnet Corporation</u> has placed 30,000,000 shares at  $7\frac{1}{2}$  cents to raise \$2.25 million.

The company's third quarter cashflow statement shows receipts during the March quarter of \$8.8 million and an operating *deficit* of \$228,000. Cash on hand (before the \$2.25 million placement) was \$4,378,000. "Hold".



**The Reject Shop** will open its first Western Australian store in Booragoon in June to be followed "shortly afterwards" by its second in Perth's city centre, with "several other stores" in advanced stages of negotiation. The company plans to open 6-8 stores in Western Australia over the next three years, expanding up to 15-20 stores in the state over the longer term.

The Reject Shop operates national pricing across all of its stores, so expects to be very competitive in Western Australia where it will have only a small number of competitors.

# Share Recommendation: Buy Postie Plus Group

#### BUY Postie Plus Group (code PPG).

We reviewed **Postie Plus Group** in October 2005 (*Market Analysis* Issue 400). This company is a small NZ retailer that appears to be in a recovery phase and therefore offers investors the potential for high income and strong capital appreciation over the next year or two. Retailers are generally *out of favour* with investors owing to fears over a slowdown in the economy and the impact on retail sales. Nevertheless, we believe that share prices in this sector have *already* declined in *anticipation* of this slowdown. Postie Plus Group's value products should be competitive as the economy slows while government policies should help support retail spending.

#### **Company History**

This business began in 1909 with a barber's shop that later converted to a footwear and drapery store. The *Postie* clothing mail order business was established in the 1980's and the 57 store **Warehouse Clothing Company** business was acquired in 1994. This acquisition proved unsuccessful, resulted in significant losses and most of these new stores were soon closed. In 1999 the company began opening *Postie*+ stores in Auckland.

Postie Plus Group listed on the NZ stockmarket in September 2003 after offering 20,000,000 shares to the public at \$1.00. 75% of these were new shares, raising \$15.0 million for the company to finance the acquisition of **Arbuckles** and future growth, and 25% were sold by the existing shareholders.

In October 2003 the company announced the acquisition of 10 clothing stores from **Gardner Fashions** in the North Island which were initially rebranded as *Rendells Ladieswear Fashion* stores. Most *Rendells* stores were later changed to *Postie+* stores.

The group currently operates 69 *Postie*+ stores, 31 *Arbuckle's* stores and 13 *Baby City* stores.

#### **Recent Results**

For the year to 31 July 2004 the group reported revenues of \$108.5 million and a profit of \$4,019,000 (10.0 cents per share). A final dividend of 4.06 cents brought the annual payout to 7.06 cents (plus full imputation tax credits). The net operating cash surplus was \$4.1 million.

Poor weather in December 2004 had a "significant impact" on summer season clothing sales and profitability for the half year to 31 January 2005. Group revenues were up 5.4% to \$55.2 million - but helped by acquisitions as same store sales were down 5%. The company *lost* \$466,000 for this period - compared with a profit of \$2,029,000 in the same period the previous year - and the interim dividend was cancelled. This downturn in business resulted in the shares losing over 40% of their value and falling to a low of 58 cents.

The year to July 2005 saw revenues up 5.4% to \$114.3 million and profits down 58.5% to \$1,669,000 (4.2 cents per share). The net cash operating surplus was

strong at \$6.8 million.

This shows that during the *second* half of the year profitability recovered strongly to \$2,135,000 (5.3 cents per share), up 7.3% on the second half of 2004. Dividend payments were re-instated with a final 3.0 cents (plus full imputation tax credits).

The half year to 31 January 2006 saw revenues up 4.9% to \$57.9 million and a profit of \$735,024 (1.8 cents per share). This was an improvement on the *loss* of \$465,000 to January 2005 but still far short of the profit of \$2,029,000 to January 2004. The interim dividend was re-instated at 3.0 cents (plus full tax credits).

For the full year to July 2006 the company is predicting pre-tax profits "in excess of \$5 million". That should equal a recovery in net profits more than *doubling* to around \$3.5 million (8.8 cents per share).

#### **Investment Criteria**

At 71 cents, Postie Plus Group shares trade on a very low Price/Sales ratio of 0.25, a Price/Earnings ratio of 17 and a Dividend Yield of 6.3%. <u>A recovery in earnings this</u> year to around 9 cents and a 65% payout ratio would allow the annual dividend to return to around 6 cents. That would improve the P/E to a low 8 and increase the gross Yield to a very high 12.6%.

Postie Plus Group also seeks long term growth through its steady roll-out of stores, "clustering two or three of the group's brands" in each new location to provide an "improved retail profile". Over the six months to January 2006 it opened four new clusters.

The NZ economy is widely expected to weaken in the immediate future and Postie Plus Group expects "considerable challenges over the course of 2006 and 2007". The stockmarket, however, has likely *anticipated* those difficult conditions by marking down the value of retailing shares during 2004 and 2005. Furthermore, Postie Plus Group's "value products" tend to become more popular "in times of tightening economic conditions", while government policies should help to support and boost consumption and retail spending. Proposed anti-foreign investment taxes should result in some repatriation of capital - perhaps leading to the type of easy monetary situation experienced in 1986-87. Easy monetary conditions and slow economic growth can result in excess liquidity flowing into financial assets (i.e. causing a boom in property and share prices) and into consumer spending. Government "tax credit" benefits for families will target a sector most likely to increase their retail spending.

The issued capital consists of 40,000,000 shares, so the market capitalisation is just \$28 million.

There has been no *insider* buying or selling on-market.

Directors have a significant holding in the business. Managing Director P Young owns 3,736,000 shares (9.34% of the company) while R Dallaca has 2,484,740 shares (6.2%) and J Dallaca 1,766,050 shares (4.4%). The other directors hold between 37,500 and 75,000 shares each.

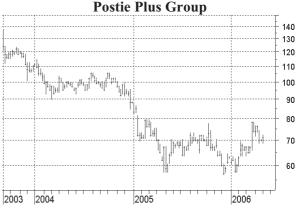
The shares are also *neglected* by brokers and institutional investors with just one broker following the company closely enough to publish profit forecasts.

Since hitting a low of 56 cents in December 2005 Postie Plus Group shares appear to be in the early stages of a recovery. The Relative Strength rating is +5.1%, ranked 33.

#### Summary and Recommendation

Postie Plus Group is a small company, so investors may need to build up shareholdings over a period of time. Nevertheless, the shares offer good value, profits should continue to recover strongly this year and very long term growth should result from its steady store expansion.

The shares offer both a high current income yield and the potential for strong capital appreciation. So this is an investment that should be suitable for a wide range of investors. Smaller companies, however, can be more risky, so Postie Plus Group shares should be held in a well diversified portfolio.



### Computer Selections of NZ Shares based upon our Comprehensive Share Selection Criteria

For an explanation of this table see the *Share Selection Methods* report sent to all new subscribers or available from our website. These shares are not formal "buy" and "sell" recommendations, but the "Under-Valued", "Best Performing" and "Income" shares should be considered for purchase, while the "Over-Valued" and "Worst Performing" shares can generally be sold to release money for re-investment in more attractive shares.

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Warehouse Group Kirkcaldie & St	271	+3.9	+0.5	40 37	0-2	1	1.2	5	0.5	22	4.4	0.62	27	Forty Two Below	57	-5.0	+2.0	80	0-3		5.9	-	0.6	NE	Nil	5.88	74
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Steel & Tube	400	+1.0	+4.6	47	2-1	3	3.1	21	0.5	12	10.0	0.97	423	Cadmus Tech Ltd	22		+1.2	71	0-2	-	4.3			147	Nil	2.62	52
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Renaissance	135	+6.8	-5.8	26	1-4	-	4.6	45	0.6		11.1	0.33	52	Lombard Group	3		-1.2	89	0-0		_	-	2.4	NE	Nil	N/A	61
Ebos Group Ltd	535	+6.1	+1.9	31	0-0		2.9	18	0.3	16	6.0	0.53	148	Sealegs Corp	16		+1.1	88	2-2	-	6.1	-	1.5	NE	Nil	3.07	10
Postie Plus Grp	71		+3.6	33	0-0	1	1.1	6	0.7	17	6.3	0.25	28	Pac Edge Bio.	15	-9.0	-3.4	88	0-0	-	4.0	-	0.9	NE	Nil	N/A	6
Mr Chips Hold	100	+5.0	+5.8	34	1-0	-	1.9	11	0.7	17	6.0	0.69	24	Broadway Ind	71	-8.5	-2.1	87	0-0		0.7	5	0.4	15	7.0	0.33	14
Briscoe Group	141	+4.5	+1.1	35	3-2		2.8	24	0.7	12	7.9	0.86	299	Blis Technology	13	-8.1	-0.6	87	0-0	-	6.9	-	1.1	NE	Nil	N/A	13
Livestock Imp.	140	+2.2	+2.3	42	0-0	-	0.5	5	0.6		14.1	0.44	46	Botry-Zen Ltd	5	-7.7	+5.0	86	2-1		8.7		1.5	NE	Nil	N/A	18
Air New Zealand	130	+2.0	-1.1	44	4-5	4	0.8	12	0.7	7		0.35	1,300	Zintel Comm.	70	-7.6	+0.9	85	3-2		5.3		0.5	10	7.4	0.99	35
Steel & Tube	480	+1.0	+4.6	47	2-1	3	3.1	27	0.4		10.0	0.97	423	Salvus Strat.	72		+2.0	84	0-0		0.7		0.5	16	4.1	8.61	14
Tourism Hold.	168	+0.9	+2.2	47	1-1	4	1.0	6	0.6	16	9.8	0.93	165	Forty Two Below	57	-5.0	+2.0	80	0-3		5.9		0.6	NE	Nil	5.88	74
Eastern Hi-Fi	72	+0.6	+0.1	49	0-0	-	0.9	7	0.8	13	12.4	0.40	7	Tenon Ltd	368		+3.0	79	1-0		1.4		0.4	9	Nil	0.61	256
INCOME SHARES	S: Hial	hest Yi	elds. C	Capita	lisatior	n > M	VZ\$10	0 mill	ion					Dorchester Pac	222	-4.5	-0.5	78	1-1	-	1.3		0.4	8	6.9	0.57	49
Hellaby Hold.	458	-5.2	+1.7	80	1-0		2.2	21	0.3	11	12.7	0.58	225	CanWest Media.	168		+0.8	77	1-0		1.1		0.4	29	5.6	1.52	381
Cavalier Corp	319	-2.9	+3.3	70	4-0	3	3.3	31	0.3	11	12.6	1.01	209	Seeka Kiwifruit	410	-4.1	+5.3	76	3-0	-	1.1	9	0.3	12	7.3	0.64	44
Telecom Corp	472	-4.7	-0.6		0-16	8	3.8	38	0.3		12.2	1.60	9,240	VTL Group Ltd	54	-3.9	-6.2	74	0-1		0.9		0.8	8	6.1	0.57	16
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MG Property Trt	123	-0.6	-0.4	57	3-0	6	1.2	5	0.4	24	9.2	N/A	420	Telecom Corp	472 57		-0.6 +2.0	79 80	0-16 0-3		3.8 5.9	38	0.3 0.5	NE	12.2 Nil	1.60 5.88	9,240 74
ING Property	119	-0.6	-0.4	56	0-0		1.1	7	0.5	15	9.0	8.26	286	Forty Two Below	57 44		+2.0	80 97	0-3 0-2		5.9 1.2					5.88 0.14	74 6
Hallenstein G.	508	+7.8	+0.8	23	1-1		5.2	33	0.3	16	8.8	1.61	300	Sthn Travel			-1.2 +4.2	97 71	0-2		1.2 3.0		0.6	5 NE	21.7		
Briscoe Group	141	+4.5	+1.1	35	3-2		2.8	24	0.6	12	7.9	0.86	299	Mowbray Collect	150								0.3		3.0	4.11	15
Gullivers Trv.	186		+7.1	20	0-0	-	1.1		0.5	15	7.9	0.44	186	Akd Int Airport	198		+0.7	63	0-2		5.3		0.3	23	6.2	8.57	2,421
						C+-								Cadmus Tech Ltd	120			71 54	0-2		4.3		0.8	147 NE	Nil	2.62	52
INSIDER BUYING									0.2	00	0.0	NI/A	27	Allied Work.	138			54	0-1				0.5	NE	Nil	N/A	36
Comvita	284		+6.1		13-2	-	2.2	9	0.3	23	2.6	N/A	37	VTL Group Ltd	54		-6.2	74 57	0-1	-	0.9	11	0.7	8	6.1	0.57	16
Scott Tech. Ltd	248	+2.9	+6.3	41	6-0	1	4.2	2		197	2.4	1.54	62	Jasons Media	50		+3.1	57	0-1	-	-	-	0.7	NE	Nil	N/A	9 22
Wakefield Hlth	635	+3.0	+0.1	39	4-0	-	2.7	10	0.2	26	3.1	1.87	81	Oyster Bay	242	-13.1	-6.3	92	0-1	-	1.2	3	0.3	41	4.1	3.04	22
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### Page 8 Computer Selections of Australian Shares based upon our Comprehensive Share Selection Criteria

For an explanation of this table see the *Share Selection Methods* report sent to all new subscribers or available from our website. These shares are not formal "buy" and "sell" recommendations, but the "Under-Valued", "Best Performing" and "Income" shares should be considered for purchase, while the "Over-Valued" and "Worst Performing" shares can generally be sold to release money for re-investment in more attractive shares.

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UNDER-VALUE		RES	lowes	t Price	/Sales	s Yld	> 0	Rel St	rena	th > ()					BEST PERFORM	IING	SHAR	FS St	ronae	st Sh	ares P/F	< 20 P/S	< 1 0			
Citic Australia	54		-0.2	30	0-1	,	2.5		1.2		9.8	0.06	45		Zicom Australia		+54.2		4	0-0	- 3.6	55 3.6		Nil	0.15	3
Namberry Ltd	2	+6.8	-7.9	36	0-0		2.1		6.8			9 0.10	3		Ausdrill Ltd		+42.0		7	1-1	- 2.3	14 0.5			0.86	182
Acma Engineer.	7	+14.6	-2.0	23	0-0	-	-		3.4		38.5	0.12	4		Multistack Inť		+29.5		11	0-0	- 0.7	21 2.6			0.25	6
A.P. Eagers	768	+0.8	+1.2	55	0-0		1.2		0.3	12	4.9	0.16	170		MacMahon Hold		+25.9		13	0-0	2 2.5	15 1.1		1.2	0.58	367
Queens'd Cotton	430			41	0-0		1.0		0.5	19	5.1	0.18	120		Watpac Ltd		+24.2		14	0-1	1 4.1	25 0.7			0.42	174
Paperlin X Ltd Structural Syst	312	+0.9 +11.5	-0.2 -8.9	54 27	2-0 6-0		1.3 2.4		0.7 0.9	8 8	8.2 1.6	0.18 0.23	1,392 24		Tasmania Mines Tolhurst Noall	76	+23.2		14 16	0-0 0-1	- 2.1 - 3.0	38 0.8 17 1.1			0.98 0.98	14 38
Devine		+12.7		25	2-0		2. <del>4</del> 2.1		0.9	7	8.8	0.23	114		The Reject Shop		+21.3		17	1-0	2 4.7	24 0.6		3.1	0.90	138
KLM Group Ltd		+19.3	-5.0	17	0-0		3.0		1.4	8	2.6	0.26	16		KLM Group Ltd		+19.3		17	0-0	- 3.0	37 1.0		2.6	0.26	16
Data 3 Ltd	340		-1.7	45	1-4		5.1	38	0.7	13	5.6	0.26	52		Ambition Group		+18.3		18	1-0	- 43.5	- 0.7		Nil	0.50	22
Thomas & Coffey	65	+12.9	+1.6	25	1-0	-	-	-	1.1	14	3.1	0.27	44		Avatar Indust.	145	+18.3	-2.3	18	1-0	- 2.0	20 0.9	) 10	4.1	0.77	115
Legend Corp.	71			50	2-1		2.0		1.3	10	2.1	0.28	49		Rebel Sport		+18.0		18	0-1	1 2.8	18 0.4			0.82	259
Wilson Leaders	103	+4.0	+0.9	45	0-0		0.9		1.0	13	6.8	0.28	58		Brisbane Bronco	20			21	0-0	- 3.3	47 1.4			0.93	20
Caltex Austrlia	2030 83	+0.8 +2.1	+0.4	55 51	2-1 0-0		2.6 3.5		0.5 0.9	9 6	2.3 16.9	0.33 0.34	5,481 50		MFS Living & L.		+15.5		22 22	3-0 0-0	- 0.9 - 1.2	8 1.0 8 0.6			0.84 0.46	4 26
Raptis Group Becker Group	03 34	+3.3	-3.0 -0.9	47	0-0 5-0		3.5 1.4		0.9 1.6	8	4.4	0.34	24		CTI Logistics Acma Engineer.		+14.6		22	0-0	- 1.2	- 2.3			0.40	20 4
Crane Group		+12.2		26	0-0		2.6		0.5	19	4.6	0.34	753		Clive Peeters		+14.5		23	0-0		- 0.8			0.12	27
Tag Pacific	32	+9.8		30	2-0		1.3		1.5	13	1.6	0.35	21		Hudson Invest.		+14.4		23	0-0	- 0.5	35 3.2			0.59	10
Austin Eng.	36	+2.0	+4.6	51	0-0	- 1	2.4	21	1.5	12	2.8	0.36	14		Thomas & Coffey	65	+12.9	+1.6	25	1-0		- 0.8	3 14	3.1	0.27	44
Joyce Corp.	105	+9.6	-2.3	31	4-0		1.3		0.9	9	4.8	0.36	21		Devine		+12.7		25	2-0	- 2.1	30 0.7		8.8	0.24	114
Frigrite Ltd	86	+2.0		51	1-0		-		1.2	NE	2.0	0.37	43		David Jones		+12.7		25	0-0	4 2.6	18 0.5			0.61	1,105
Skywest Ltd		+10.6			11-0		1.5		1.8	26	3.8	0.37	27		Energy Invest.		+12.5		26	0-0		- 1.6			0.52	3
Coles Myer Al Limited	1080 39	+2.9		48 8	2-1 2-1		4.3 2.3		0.5 1.3	21 20	3.1 5.1	0.37	13,373 49		Lemarne Corp Crane Group	330 1292	+12.2		26 26	1-3 0-0	- 1.9 4 2.6	22 0.4 13 0.4			0.61 0.34	47 753
Spotless Group	499	+30.0		54	0-0	6 2			0.5	20 19	4.8	0.37	1,057		Wrigdways Aust		+11.6		20	4-2	4 2.0	- 0.7			0.34	37
Wrigdways Aust		+11.6	+2.1	27	4-2	-	-		0.9	13	4.7	0.41	37		Structural Syst		+11.5		27	6-0	- 2.4	28 0.7			0.23	24
Watpac Ltd		+24.2		14	0-1	1 4	4.1		0.8	17	3.7	0.42	174		Citic Australia	54			30	0-1	- 2.5	46 0.9		9.8	0.06	45
Pacifica Group	258	+10.3	+11.2	29	6-0	3	-	-	1.1	25	5.0	0.43	350		Tag Pacific	32	+9.8	+3.7	30	2-0	- 1.3	10 1.1	13	1.6	0.35	21
Oldfields Hold	120		+2.9	33	4-0		1.1		0.7	10	4.6	0.44	12		HomeLeisure Ltd	27			31	5-1	- 2.9	29 1.1			0.44	32
HomeLeisure Ltd	27		+1.6	31	5-1		2.9		1.6	10	6.6	0.44	32		Joyce Corp.	105			31	4-0	- 1.3	14 0.6		4.8	0.36	21
Chalmers	270 216	+0.3 +7.4	-1.0 -0.3	57 35	0-0 1-0		0.8 2.3		0.6 0.8	23 16	3.0 4.2	0.45 0.45	15 1,433		Onesteel Ltd	388 50			31 31	0-0 0-0	7 - - 0.5	- 0.6 7 1.2		3.5 Nil	0.56 0.12	2,188 50
Futuris Corp. CTI Logistics		+15.3		22	0-0		2.3 1.2		0.0 0.8	14	4.2 2.6	0.45	1,433		MBF Carpenters UXC Limited	105			32	0-0	1 15.0	- 0.6		5.2	0.12	169
Housewares Int.	170		+1.1	42	1-0		2.4	-	0.9	15	7.6	0.46	205		Beyond Int'l	62			33	2-0	- 1.4	10 1.1			0.65	37
Green's Foods	65	+0.7	+2.2	55	13-0		3.1		1.1	32	3.9	0.47	71		Oldfields Hold	120			33	4-0	- 1.1	10 0.5			0.44	12
Embelton Ltd	410	+4.6	-1.6	43	0-0	- '	1.2	8	0.5	15	1.8	0.49	9		Guinness Peat	214	+7.7	+0.0	34	0-1	1 1.8	20 0.5	59	1.1	0.74	2,095
Globe Int'l Ltd	25	+0.9		55	0-0		0.2			278	4.0	0.50	104		Dexion Ltd	124	+7.4	+2.3	35	0-0	2 7.3	68 0.8			0.51	67
Dexion Ltd	124	+7.4		35	0-0		7.3		1.1	11	3.6	0.51	67		Futuris Corp.	216			35	1-0	3 2.3	14 0.6			0.45	1,433
Maxi TRANS CEC Group Ltd	76	+2.9 +5.8	-1.3 +5.6	48 40	1-1 0-0		3.5 2.3		1.1	13 8	5.3 8.9	0.51 0.53	131 64		Namberry Ltd Nat'l Can	2 160			36 37	0-0 4-0	- 2.1	- 4.7 - 0.7		%142.9 3.8		3 107
Amcor Ltd	135 693	+1.7	-0.0	40 52	0-0 1-0		2.3 3.6		1.1 0.5	0 14	6.9 4.9	0.55	6,086		WAM Capital Ltd	154			38	4-0 4-0	- 0.9	- 0.7 8 0.6			0.58 0.92	107
Onesteel Ltd	388	+9.5	-0.2	31	0-0	7	-		0.7	17	3.5	0.56	2,188		Auspine Ltd	400			39	6-0	2 0.8	5 0.4		3.8	0.92	216
Skilled Group		+24.0		14	8-0	4 1	0.5		0.5	36	3.4	0.57	473		CEC Group Ltd	135			40	0-0	1 2.3	29 0.9			0.53	64
MacMahon Hold	83	+25.9	+1.6	13	0-0	2 2	2.5	15	1.3	17	1.2	0.58	367		Alesco Corp Ltd	980	+5.6	-0.5	40	5-1	5 57.6	- 0.3	8 17	4.6	0.94	681
Naťl Can	160	+6.6	+2.8	37	4-0	-	-	-	0.8	12	3.8	0.58	107		Queens'd Cotton	430	+5.3	+2.7	41	0-0	1 1.0	5 0.4	19	5.1	0.18	120
Oroton Group	210		+2.8	57	0-0		4.0		0.7	90	7.1	0.58	88		Housewares Int.	170		+1.1	42	1-0	5 2.4	16 0.7			0.46	205
Lend Lease Corp	1421	+0.1	-0.7	58	1-0		2.8		0.5	27	4.0	0.59	5,664		Morning Star	5	+4.7		43	0-0	- 1.3	- 2.8		Nil	0.02	3
Commander Com Lemarne Corp		+2.7	+5.2	49 26	1-3 1-3	7			0.8 0.5	16 9	2.8 4.8	0.60 0.61	371 47		Embelton Ltd Data 3 Ltd	410 340			43 45	0-0 1-4	- 1.2 - 5.1	8 0.4 38 0.6			0.49 0.26	9 52
David Jones		+12.2		20 25	0-0	4 2			0.5	9 14	4.0 5.0	0.61	1,105		Wilson Leaders	103		+0.9	45 45	0-0	- 0.9	7 0.8			0.20	58
AV Jennings	128		+2.0	58	1-0				0.8	10	8.6	0.63	275		HGL Limited	196			46	0-0	- 1.8	16 0.5			0.79	100
K&S Corporation		+1.5		53	0-0	1 3			0.5	11	3.6	0.63	223		Becker Group	34			47	5-0	- 1.4	17 1.2			0.34	24
Wattyl Ltd	353	+11.4	-3.7	28	0-0	5 2	2.1	7	0.9	30	3.4	0.63	299		Eumundi Group	24	+3.1	-1.0	48	0-0	- 1.1	9 1.6	6 12	Nil	0.93	20
Roberts Ltd	250		-1.0	56	4-0		2.9	23		13	5.8	0.63	129		Maxi TRANS	76			48	1-1	2 3.5	28 0.8			0.51	131
Woolworths Ltd	1886		+0.8	35	0-1	7			0.4	25	2.7	0.64	,		Commander Comm			+5.2		1-3	7 5.9	38 0.7			0.60	371
Candle Aust.		+17.5	+3.3 +4.2	19	0-1	3 1			0.7	21	3.5	0.66	152		Sietel Ltd	96		+0.9 +2.2	49 40	0-0	- 0.6 1 1.4	6 0.8			0.27	8
Sims Group Ltd	1860	+2.0		51 21	0-0	74			0.4	9 24	7.5 2.1	0.66 0.66	1,694		Amalgamated Hld PMP Limited	480 142			49 50	1-1 2-3		9 0.4			0.97	603 420
Downer EDI Ltd The Reject Shop		+10.4		21 17	0-0 1-0	24			0.7 0.7	24 20	2.1 3.1	0.68	2,506 138		Legend Corp.	71			50 50	2-3 2-1	4 3.8 - 2.0	32 0.9 19 1.0			0.30 0.28	420 49
UXC Limited	105			32	0-8	1 1			0.9	14	5.2	0.00	169		Raptis Group	83			51	0-0	- 3.5	59 0.6			0.20	40 50
Tamawood Ltd	151	+0.5		56	5-0	- 1		23		11	8.6	0.71	48		Austin Eng.	36		+4.6	51	0-0	- 2.4	21 1.1			0.36	14
Leighton Hold	1657	+5.6	-6.3	41	0-6	7 4		22	0.4	22	3.0	0.71	4,518		Sims Group Ltd	1860			51	0-0	7 4.8	53 0.3	3 9		0.66	1,694
Guinness Peat	214		+0.0	34	0-1	1		20			1.1	0.74	2,095		Info Choice Ltd	18		+4.0	52	2-0	- 1.5	9 1.5			0.57	7
JB Hi-Fi Ltd		+16.5		21	1-2	77			0.5	25	1.4	0.74	514		Amcor Ltd	693		-0.0	52	1-0	6 3.6	26 0.4		4.9	0.55	6,086
Avatar Indust.		+18.3		18	1-0	- 2			1.1	10	4.1	0.77	115		K&S Corporation	372		+2.5	53	0-0	1 2.7	24 0.4			0.63	223
HGL Limited Tassal Group	196 116		+0.8 -2.8	46 42	0-0 4-0	- 1		16 11	0.7 n 9	11 20	5.2 2.2	0.79 0.81	100 128		Spotless Group Paperlin X Ltd	499 312		+0.2 -0.2	54 54	0-0 2-0	6 29.4 6 1.3	- 0.4 16 0.5			0.39 0.18	1,057 1,392
Rebel Sport		+4.8		42 18	4-0 0-1	1 1			0.9 0.5	20 16	2.2 3.0	0.81	259		A.P. Eagers	768		-0.2 +1.2	54 55	2-0 0-0	0 1.3 1 1.2	10 0.3			0.16	1,392
Ausdrill Ltd		+42.0		7	1-1		2.0 2.3		0.5	16	2.5	0.86	182		Caltex Austrlia	2030			55	0-0 2-1	8 2.6	29 0.5			0.33	5,481
Cabcharge Ltd	622			42	0-5	7		23			2.7	0.89	698		Central Equity	245		+5.9	56	0-0	- 0.9	12 0.4			0.98	191

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						20011			0 7,	10	1 71	7 706	0	26		+3.9		9-1 7-0						Nil	0.92	7
Macquarie Infra 35		+0.8	62	6-0	4	-	- 0		8 2		1.74	7,726	BBX Holdings		+18.4		18			-		1.0	93			
City Pacific 36			77	2-0				.3			2.79	464	Tanami Gold NL	33	+33.5		10	7-0	-	-		0.8	NE	Nil	N/A	153
Virgin Blue 18		+1.5	38	0-1	5						1.12	1,897	Equity Trustees	1495		+4.5	32	7-0		5.4		0.4	26	2.7	4.49	97
Hast Div Util 26			47	0-0	1						2.87	397	Avexa Limited	27	+7.6	-4.9	34	7-0		3.4		1.0	NE	Nil	N/A	5
AV Jennings 12			58	1-0							0.63	275	Life Therapeut.	170	+15.5	-5.2	22	7-0		5.5		0.4	NE	Nil	3.41	129
Sthn C. Fliers 1107			62	0-0		1.1				3.6	N/A	665	Salmat Ltd	435	+0.3		57	7-0		36.3		0.4	19	3.6	1.24	507
Paperlin X Ltd 31			54	2-0		1.3		.5			0.18	1,392	Ellex Medical	67	+39.7		7	7-0		4.5		0.8	NE	Nil	1.44	41
Envestra 11			51	1-0	3						2.94	900	Meteoric Res.	29	+2.1	-8.8	51	7-0	-	-		0.9	NE	Nil	N/A	12
Everest B&B Alt 53			45	8-0		1.0				3.1	N/A	318	Riversdale Min.			+0.2	20	7-0	-	-		1.1	NE	Nil	N/A	54
Gasnet Aust Grp 24			67	0-0		1.7					3.23	359	Impress Venture		+39.9	-0.7	7	6-0		-		1.8	NE	Nil	N/A	22
Australand Prop 20			42	1-0		1.5	15 C				1.19	1,824	Structural Syst		+11.5	-8.9	27	6-0		2.4		0.5	8	1.6	0.23	24
Div. Utility 28			43	0-0	2	-					1.56	1,203	Carpathian Res.	10	+23.3	+9.4	14	6-0		-		1.3	NE	Nil	6.81	10
Sims Group Ltd 186	60 +2.0	) +4.2	51	0-0	74			.3		7.5	0.66	1,694	Sylvastate Ltd	475	+3.6	-0.1	46	6-0	-	0.9		0.3	NE	Nil	N/A	435
McGuigan Simeon 31			77	1-1	5 1	1.2	12 0	.5 ´	0		0.97	361	Nufarm Limited	1096	+0.1	-0.6	58	6-0	4	4.1	23	0.4	18	2.4	1.05	1,860
Telstra 38	85 -5.9	+0.4	77	0-0	8 5				1 7	7.3	2.15	48,619	Global Approach	11	+6.8	+2.3	37	6-0		-	-	1.5	NE	Nil	1.76	6
Repco Corp Ltd 19	97 -7.9	+0.7	81	1-0	68	3.9	92 0	.5 ´	0 7	7.1	0.43	372	TFS Corporation	47	+4.6	+2.4	43	6-0	-	2.4	32	1.0	8	4.3	3.62	73
B & B Infrastr. 15			68	5-0		2.0	- 0	.5 N			3.45	1,492	Investa Prop.	223	+3.3	+1.7	47	6-0	5	1.3	9	0.5	14	7.4	3.42	3,329
Ten Network 30	08 -5.9	+1.6	77	0-2	8		- 0	.4 1	2	7.0	1.29	1,228	Strike Oil Ltd	34	+58.4		4	6-0		-		1.1	NE	Nil	N/A	49
Adelaide Bright 23	36 +14.1		23	8-0							1.78	1,279	Auspine Ltd	400	+5.8		39	6-0		0.8		0.4	17	3.8	0.99	216
Platinum Cap'l 22			53	0-0		1.3				6.8	N/A	261	Tasmanian Perp	668	+4.9		42	6-0		8.5		0.4	26	3.3	8.25	153
Cons Minerals 26	65 -11.4	+0.3	86	0-5				.6	8 6		2.03	578	Pacifica Group	258	+10.3	+11.2	29	6-0	3	-	-	0.8	25	5.0	0.43	350
	75 +10.2		30	1-0				.7			2.24	273	Cardno Ltd	469		-0.1	24	8-2		-		0.5	25	3.0	1.82	184
Colorado Group 36			81	0-1		3.3					0.73	343	Perseus Mining	51	+37.4		8	5-0		-		1.0	NE	Nil	N/A	30
Pacific Brands 22			78	0-0	7						0.75	1,152	Snowball Group	58	+14.4	-0.4	23	5-0		-		0.8	NE	Nil	3.40	29
AWB Limited 44	45 -13.6	-2.0	89	3-0	4 2	2.4	25 C	.4 ´	0 6	6.5	0.30	1,533	United Group		+12.7		26	5-0		-		0.4	39	2.2	1.29	1,667
													Gloucester Coal	340	+3.9	+1.1	45	5-0		7.2		0.5	31	2.9	4.89	265
INSIDER BUYING: M						ngth >							Ironbark Cap.	60	+1.3	+0.1	53	5-0		0.9		0.6	7	5.5	N/A	69
	77 +20.7			19-0	1	-	- 0				9.24	838	Gregory Aust.	38	+7.4	-1.1	35	5-0		3.2		0.9	NE	Nil	0.36	10
	30 +44.5			14-0	-						2.62	104	Jupiter Energy	18	+64.9		3	5-0		-		1.1	NE	Nil	N/A	10
	65 +0.7			13-0							0.47	71	OFM Investment	235		+3.2	38	5-0		1.4		0.4		4.7	3.82	121
	3 +15.5			11-0				.1			3.62	14	Buka Minerals	38			25	5-0		2.1		0.9	46	Nil	4.81	53
. ,	27 +10.6			11-0		1.5	6 1				0.37	27	Comet Ridge Ltd	32			9	5-0		-		0.9	NE	Nil	N/A	19
		+1.3		11-0		1.5	- 1				1.24	12	Ale Property	260	+9.6	+1.1	31	5-0		1.1		0.3	44	4.9	5.00	236
	03 +47.7		-	11-0		7.3					2.99	79	Queensland Gas		+22.7	-6.7	15	5-0	1	-		0.8	NE	Nil	N/A	272
Aust Agricult. 20				10-0		).9	3 0				2.72	500	Bow Energy Ltd	21	+3.2		48	5-0		-		1.5	NE	Nil	N/A	N/A
	59 +38.9			10-1						Nil	N/A	28	Ausquest Ltd		+53.5		4	5-0		-		0.5	NE	Nil	N/A	51
<b>J</b>	52 +10.1		30	8-0	5 31		87 C				6.43	1,883	Optiscan Image		+18.3		18	5-0		5.2		0.7	NE	Nil	N/A	62
ConnectEast Grp 11			53	8-0	- 1					Nil	N/A	N/A	Tamawood Ltd	151	+0.5	-0.5	56	5-0		2.6		0.5	11	8.6	0.71	48
	48 +63.3		3	8-0				.9 N		Nil	N/A	46	ING Priv Equity	85	+1.2	+1.3	54	5-0		0.8		0.9	NE	Nil	N/A	N/A
<b>J</b>	36 +14.1		23	8-0	5 2						1.78	1,279	Brandrill	17	+2.3		50	5-0		3.4		1.3	38	Nil	0.61	45
J	50 +34.7		9	8-0	1 14			.6 1			6.34	726	Becker Group	34	+3.3	-0.9	47	5-0		1.4		0.9	8	4.4	0.34	24
	42 +9.8		31	8-0								17,614	Just Group Ltd		+18.7		18	7-2		-		0.6	17	4.3	1.09	691
Everest B&B Alt 53			45	8-0		1.0				3.1	N/A	318	QM Technologies	237	+5.9	-0.1	39	4-0		4.4		0.5	NE	Nil	N/A	N/A
	16 +15.7		21	8-0	-					Nil	N/A	5	Promina Group	564	+6.8	+0.4	36	4-0		2.9		0.3	12	4.2	1.47	5,880
	44 +12.9		25	8-0	- 9						7.16	22	Nat'l Can	160	+6.6		37	4-0		-		0.5	12	3.8	0.58	107
	71 +24.0		14	8-0	4 10						0.57	473	ITL Limited	26	+7.9	-0.9	34	4-0		1.8		0.9	NE	Nil	1.05	25
	18 +2.9		48	8-0		).6	5 1				1.31	31	Panbio Ltd	26	+2.7	-4.4	49	4-0		1.7		1.0	NE	Nil	0.94	16
Oilex NL 12	20 +72.3	+41.5	2	8-0	-	-	- 1	.1 N	E	Nil	N/A	59	Brambles Ind.	1126	+8.5	+0.2	32	4-0	8 '	10.2	16	0.4	62	0.9	2.44	19,039

# Australian Warrant / Option Analysis

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Company	Share	Exercis		Option	Scholes	Over/	Vola-	Lever-	to Buy	Even	Company	Share	Exercis	e to	Option	Scholes	Over/	Vola-	Lever-	to Buy	Even
	Price	Price	Expiry	Price	Valuation	Under-	tility	age	1 Share	Rate		Price	Price	Expiry	Price	Valuation		tility	age	1 Share	Rate
						Valued											Valued				
A.G.D. Mining	38	25	1-6	16.0	17.6	-9	0.59	1.82	1.00	+6	Aurora Minerals	22	20	0-2	4.0	3.2	+23	0.58	4.84	1.00	+69
AIM Resources	16	10	3-1	9.1	9.1	-0	0.53	1.54	1.00	+6	Aurox Resources	63	20	1-5	40.0	45.0	-11	0.73	1.34	1.00	-3
AXG Mining	7	20	4-3	1.2	2.6	-55	0.72	1.61	1.00	+29	Ausquest Ltd	75	20	0-6	53.0	56.0	-5	1.09	1.32	1.00	-5
Accent Resources	16	20	3-4	5.0	3.7	+33	0.34	2.58	1.00	+14	Aust Food & Fibre	37	32	0-1	6.3	4.7	+35	0.00	7.84	1.00	+78
Acclaim Exploration	5	5	2-1	2.8	1.7	+63	0.59	1.96	1.00	+26	Aust Mining Invest.	33	20	2-1	14.5	21.2	-32	0.91	1.36	1.00	+2
Adultshop.com	4	10	0-1	0.1	0.0	+999	0.58	1.00	1.00	+999	Aust Mining Invest.	33	10	0-2	0.4	23.1	-98	0.91	1.43	1.00	-100
Adv Ocular Systems	17	110	2-1	0.9	0.3	+239	0.60	3.63	1.00	+146	Aust Oil Company	11	20	3-7	4.0	2.3	+73	0.45	2.32	1.00	+24
Advanced Healthcare	4	12	1-7	0.5	0.1	+399	0.57	3.80	1.00	+123	Aust United Gold	3	2	0-1	1.0	1.0	-4	1.05	2.69	1.00	+0
Alcaston Mining	8	15	1-4	1.0	5.7	-82	2.10	1.18	1.00	+68	Australasia Gold	25	20	2-1	9.0	12.6		0.72	1.60	1.00	+7
Alexander Resources	28	20	1-2	10.5	12.5	-16	0.71	1.84	1.00	+8	Australis Mining Corp.	12	20	0-7	2.7	0.1	+999	0.38	8.88		+198
Allco Max Securities	96	100	0-4	2.5	1.9	+31	0.14	9.99	1.00	+25	Auth Investments	6	25	0-7	3.0	0.4	+573	1.34	2.65	1.00	+999
Allied Gold	62	20	1-1	41.0	42.8	-4	0.48	1.43	1.00	-1	Auth Investments	6	25	3-10	5.0	4.0	+24	1.34	1.19	1.00	+52
Amcil Ltd	61	50	0-9	10.5	13.3	-21	0.17	4.39	1.00	-1	Autron Corporation	12	18	1-0	1.5	1.7	-9	0.68	2.87	1.00	+69
Anitsense Therapeutic	3	20	0-8	0.4		+999	0.67	7.67	1.00	+999	Avantogen Ltd	11	25	1-7	1.8	2.0		0.80		1.00	+75
Ansearch Ltd	7	10	0-1	0.1	0.3	-65	1.45	5.04	1.00	+999	Aztec Resources	21	17	0-2	4.7	4.4	+6	0.50		1.00	+22
Arafura Resources	49	20	2-1	30.0	33.8	-11	0.72	1.35	1.00	+1	Bannerman Res	95	20	1-0	75.0	76.5		0.99	1.21	1.00	+1
Argonaut Resources	15	30	1-1	3.0		+234	0.60	3.65	1.00	+114	Barra Resources	34	20	0-3	12.0	14.1		0.74	2.25	1.00	-17
Ashburton Minerals	7	32	0-10	0.5		+999			1.00	+590	Bass Metals	24	25	1-2	7.6	5.8	+30	0.58	2.52	1.00	+32
Astro Diamond Mines	3	5	6-6	3.0	2.1	+40	0.78	1.24	1.00	+15	Bass Strait Oil Co	7	30	1-1	1.2			0.81	3.32		+287
Astro Mining	3	5	6-6	1.7	2.1	-21		1.24	1.00	+12	Batavia Mining	7	20	0-4	0.5		+171	1.08			+999
Astro Mining NL	3	75	3-7	2.5	0.1	+999	0.78	2.33	1.00	+143	Batavia Mining	7	5	0-1	2.3	2.4	-5	1.08	2.95	1.00	-28
Atlantic Gold	16	10	0-1	5.5	6.1	-9		2.59	1.00	-32	Beach Petroleum	155	60	0-1	94.5	95.3	-	0.37	1.63	1.00	-4
Atlas Gold	59	20	1-9	40.0	42.4	-	0.73		1.00	+1	Benitec Ltd	9	32	1-10	1.6	1.2		0.81	2.28		+105
Audax Resources	12	20	2-7	3.5	3.3		0.62	2.03	1.00	+30	Berkeley Resources	121	20	0-6		101.1		0.93	1.19	1.00	-5
Audas Nesources	12	20	2-1	5.5	0.0	77	0.02	2.03	1.00	+30	Derkeley Resoulces	121	20	0-0	51.5	101.1	-4	0.93	1.19	1.00	-5

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Company	Share Exercise to Price Price Expiry	Option Scholes Over/ Vola- Lever- Price Valuation Under- tility age Valued	to Buy Even Con 1 Share Rate	mpany Share Exercise to Option Scholes Over/ Vola- Lever- to Buy Even Price Price Expiry Price Valuation Under- tility age 1 Share Rate Valued
Biolayer Corporation Biomd Ltd Biometrics Ltd Bionomics Ltd	25 35 1-5 6 20 1-3 9 20 1-7 20 22 2-8	1.10.7+560.972.352.03.9-481.301.49	1.00 +185 Gr 1.00 +77 Gr	avity Diamonds     31     50     1-6     8.7     2.8     +212     0.44     3.65     1.00     +53       aynic Metals     31     20     1-5     12.5     16.8     -26     0.83     1.56     1.00     +3       eat Gold Mines     6     10     6-9     2.5     2.9     -14     0.56     1.47     1.00     +12       eat Gold Mines     6     125     4-4     0.2     0.1     +218     0.56     3.12     1.00     +103
Bionomics Ltd Biopharmica Ltd Bioprospect Ltd Biosignal Ltd	20 50 1-2 15 20 1-1 2 5 1-1 18 50 0-1	0.9     1.3     -30     0.67     3.30       5.0     8.2     -39     1.67     1.35       0.3     0.1     +455     0.56     4.40       1.0     0.0     +999     0.62     9.99	1.00 +65 Gr 1.00 +146 Gr	reat Gold Mines     6     20     5-11     3.2     1.7     +90     0.56     1.76     1.00     +26       reat Western Explor.     44     20     3-0     24.5     39.1     -37     1.58     1.07     1.00     +1       reater Pacific Gold     2     3     2-0     0.2     0.4     -49     0.73     2.06     1.00     +41       reen Rock Energy     15     20     0-7     1.1     1.1     -2     0.53     4.53     1.00     +79
Biosignal Ltd Biotech Capital Black Range Minerals Blaze International	18 20 0-7 48 55 0-5 5 10 5 4-9 3 10 1-1	1.1 1.6 -31 0.31 9.14	1.00 +52 Ha 1.00 +4 He	Australian Res     26     20     2-7     13.0     14.6     -11     0.78     1.44     1.00     +10       arrington Group     8     25     0-7     0.6     0.4     +66     1.06     3.25     1.00     +702       elix Resources     14     14     0-10     3.3     3.6     -10     0.74     2.37     1.00     +35       Il End Gold     14     15     1-0     5.0     3.7     +37     0.68     2.40     1.00     +43
Bluestone Tin Bone Medical Boulder Steel Bounty Industries	30     20     2-7       20     40     0-11       79     20     2-6       34     20     0-7	5.0 5.5 -10 1.24 1.88	1.00 +142 Hil 1.00 -3 Hir	Ilcrest Litigation     20     25     0-10     5.0     5.5     -10     0.94     2.14     1.00     +63       Ilgrove Resources     31     20     0-7     11.0     11.5     -4     0.44     2.48     1.00     +3       ndmarsh Resources     129     25     2-10     105.0     108.5     -3     0.60     1.18     1.00     +0       odges Resources     28     20     1-4     12.5     11.5     +9     0.53     2.04     1.00     +12
Bow Energy Buka Gold C @ Ltd CBD Energy	21 20 1-10 26 65 2-1 19 20 1-10 4 2 0-8	5.4 3.9 +38 0.66 2.40 7.5 4.1 +83 0.36 2.96	1.00 +61 Hu 1.00 +22 IC2	prizon Global 4 25 2-7 2.0 0.5 +271 0.88 2.01 1.00 +116   unter Hall Global Val 111 100 0-11 11.0 16.4 -33 0.09 6.54 1.00 +0   2 Global 0 2 3-1 0.1 0.2 -38 1.37 1.29 1.00 +88   Medical 1 4 2-7 0.6 0.3 +122 0.75 2.01 1.00 +63
CBD Energy CO2 Group Cape Lambert Iron O Cardia Technologies	4 100 0-8 25 12 5-5 re 63 30 2-5 2 10 1-7	14.0 19.1 -27 0.66 1.21 38.5 42.1 -9 0.72 1.36	1.00 +1 Im 1.00 +4 Im	G Private Equity     85     100     1-5     3.3     0.9     +265     0.08     9.99     1.00     +15       lage Resources     56     25     0-3     31.0     31.4     -1     0.46     1.79     1.00     +0       ugene Ltd     16     50     0-8     4.5     0.1     +999     0.67     5.54     1.00     +559       digo Pacific Capital     88     150     0-10     2.5     1.3     +86     0.37     6.98     1.00     +93
Carnarvon Petroleum Carrick Gold Central Petroleum Chameleon Mining	6 6 0-7 98 20 0-7 14 20 1-1 4 20 1-7	75.0 78.7 -5 0.60 1.25 4.4 0.0 +999 0.16 9.99	1.00 -5 Jay 1.00 +73 Ju	Y Global     19     20     2-5     6.0     8.1     -25     0.68     1.72     1.00     +14       guar Minerals     23     20     2-4     6.0     14.6     -59     1.05     1.31     1.00     +5       piter Energy     18     20     0-5     2.0     3.6     -44     0.96     2.72     1.00     +73       piter Mines     17     20     0-8     3.2     3.8     -16     0.84     2.52     1.00     +59
Chemgenex Pharm. Cheviot Bridge Chrome Corporation Citrofresh Internationa	56 125 3-10 13 40 1-7 1 5 1-4 al 23 25 1-12	0.2 0.7 -72 0.64 3.17 0.4 0.0 +857 0.68 3.51	1.00 +109 Ka 1.00 +191 Ka	Idgoorlie-Boulder     21     20     2-2     7.0     8.9     -22     0.65     1.75     1.00     +12       aroon Gas Australia     168     20     0-1     142.0     148.1     -4     0.41     1.13     1.00     -35       atana Capital     93     95     1-0     9.0     4.4     +106     0.06     9.99     1.00     +12       nights Insolvency     3     50     0-9     0.3     0.0     +999     0.50     9.99     1.00     +999
City Pacific City Pacific City Pacific Ltd Commoditel Ltd	366 30 0-1 366 100 0-3 366 30 0-1 1 3 0-7	250.0     267.5     -7     0.31     1.37       78.0     336.1     -77     0.31     1.09       0.3     0.0     +999     0.97     3.86	1.00     -16     Lib       1.00     -100     Lin       1.00     +999     M2	/ Living     4     5     1-7     1.1     2.3     -52     1.34     1.35     1.00     +31       berty Gold NL     18     20     1-0     3.0     3.1     -4     0.49     3.21     1.00     +28       nq Resources     90     100     0-8     3.4     3.3     +2     0.20     9.86     1.00     +24       2M Corporation     1     20     3-9     0.3     0.3     -9     1.26     1.40     1.00     +132
Conquest Mining Contact Resources Continental Goldfields Cool or Cosy	17 20 2-0	18.5     18.0     +3     0.38     1.82       2.4     2.8     -13     0.85     2.10       4.7     5.0     -7     0.60     2.07	1.00 +5 Ma 1.00 +65 Ma 1.00 +22 Ma	GM Wireless     5     20     4-6     1.2     1.3     -10     0.67     1.77     1.00     +38       acmin Silver     38     25     2-5     18.0     20.7     -13     0.61     1.57     1.00     +5       agnesium Int'l     147     180     0-9     19.0     5.7     +236     0.27     7.56     1.00     +50       alachite Resources     20     2-3     6.5     8.8     -26     0.74     1.65     1.00     +15
Cougar Metals NL Crusader Holdings De Grey Mining Dia-B Tech Ltd	44 25 0-7 26 20 0-7 16 45 0-1 7 20 4-7	10.0     7.8     +29     0.50     2.79       0.1     0.0     +999     0.51     9.99       2.2     3.9     -43     0.98     1.29	1.00 +28 Ma 1.00 +999 Ma 1.00 +30 Ma	arengo Mining     37     20     1-9     17.5     22.6     -22     0.83     1.43     1.00     +2       arion Energy     75     25     0-10     54.0     51.3     +5     0.53     1.46     1.00     +6       awson West     14     20     1-0     2.6     2.3     +15     0.71     2.71     1.00     +67       aximus Resources     19     20     2-1     6.2     4.9     +26     0.41     2.55     1.00     +17
Diamonex Ltd Diatreme Resources Digital & Voice Media Dyesol Ltd	22 20 0-1 29 25 1-5 7 3 1-1 76 20 2-6 34 20 1-9	4.0 5.1 -22 1.22 1.27 85.0 70.0 +21 1.69 1.05	1.00 +19 Me 1.00 -7 Me 1.00 +14 Me	edusa Mining Ltd   83   20   0-8   60.0   63.3   -5   0.47   1.30   1.00   -5     etallic Minerals   25   25   0-7   4.1   5.0   -17   0.61   3.13   1.00   +30     etex Resources   9   10   0-4   1.5   1.0   +54   0.72   4.01   1.00   +139     etroland Australia   12   26   3-0   1.8   1.5   +17   0.45   2.75   1.00   +32     chelago Ltd   6   15   0-7   0.5   0.0   +999   0.61   6.16   1.00   +445
Dynasty Metals Aust Eagle Bay Resources Eastern Corporation Eastland Medical Sys Elemental Minerals	5 7 15 3-1 8 6 0-1	3.51.6+1170.592.091.01.7-390.514.406.01.6+2640.673.80	1.00 +37 Mi 1.00 -63 Mi 1.00 +181 Mi	das Resources     11     25     0-6     2.0     1.0     +955     0.01     0.10     +145       das Resources     11     25     0-6     2.0     1.0     +102     1.11     2.96     1.00     +502       neral Securities     160     115     1-8     50.0     65.5     -24     0.45     2.07     1.00     +20       nerals Commodities     29     30     1-1     8.0     7.1     +12     0.57     2.59     1.00     +28       nerals Corporation     2     9     1-4     0.8     0.1     +999     0.73     3.40     1.00     +229
Ellendale Resources Energy Metals Enterprise Energy EnviroGold Ltd	7 12 0-1 208 30 2-1 6 20 1-7 13 20 1-7	4.0 0.1 +999 1.18 7.36 172.0 182.5 -6 0.78 1.13 1.6 0.3 +405 0.64 3.23	1.00 +999 Min 1.00 -1 Mo 1.00 +122 Mo	Initial School     Image:
Eqitx Limited Equigold NL Evans & Tate Exco Resources NL	20 20 1-1 176 140 1-0 14 150 1-5 29 20 0-3	38.549.9-230.352.970.10.1-200.823.57	1.00 +15 Mo 1.00 +1 Mo 1.00 +434 Mo	Interay Group     I     I     2-7     0.3     0.4     -25     0.87     1.49     1.00     +21       Into Minerals     35     5     0-4     6.0     30.1     -80     0.47     1.16     1.00     -97       Into Goldmines     147     28     0-0     117.0     30.1     +289     0.61     1.16     1.00     -100       Gibson Iron     90     25     0-7     61.0     65.3     -7     0.39     1.37     1.00     -7
Ezenet Ltd Financial Resources Flinders Diamonds Flinders Resources	15 15 1-1 20 20 2-0 3 5 0-1 3 10 2-4	6.0     4.7     +27     0.37     2.76       0.2     0.0     +999     0.69     9.99       0.5     0.3     +76     0.69     2.44	1.00 +15 Mu 1.00 +999 NC 1.00 +82 NC	urchison Holdings     165     100     2-7     49.0     81.6     -40     0.30     1.91     1.00     -4       urchison Metals     64     20     1-6     43.0     46.0     -7     0.57     1.37     1.00     -1       GM Resources     16     20     0-10     3.7     2.5     +48     0.65     2.99     1.00     +66       GM Resources Ltd     16     20     0-10     3.7     2.5     +48     0.65     2.99     1.00     +66
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May 8, 2006.			Yr/Mth		Black-	Option	Share	Option	Options	Break-		Page 11 Yr/Mth Black- Option Share Option Options Break-
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Ottoman Energy	20		0-6	5.0	3.0	+68	0.54		1.00	+64	Solbec Pharm	8 30 0-4 0.8 0.0 +999 0.52 9.99 1.00 +999
Pacific Magnesium	30		0-6	2.5	25.2		1.20	1.18	1.00	-94	Souls Private Equity	21 30 3-7 6.0 1.4 +324 0.18 5.24 1.00 +17
Pan Pacific Petroleur Papyrus Australia	n 13 32		1-1 1-10	5.0 16.5	2.0 18.7	+147	0.45	3.39 1.44	1.00 1.00	+49 +8	Southern Gold Stirling Products	33 20 0-10 16.5 16.9 -2 0.95 1.64 1.00 +15 11 20 1-7 5.0 2.1 +143 0.69 2.38 1.00 +68
Paradigm Gold	9			3.6			0.60		1.00	+85	Strathfield Group	4 7 1-10 1.1 0.8 +39 0.71 2.20 1.00 +53
Paramount Mining	10			1.1	1.7		1.23		1.00	+260	Structural Monitorin	
Perseus Mining	51	20	2-10	35.0	35.9		0.60	1.34	1.00	+3	Structural Systems	95 45 1-1 57.0 52.9 +8 0.34 1.78 1.00 +7
PharmAust Ltd	18		1-6	2.1	1.7		0.49		1.00	+50	Style Plantation	10 20 2-8 4.0 3.6 +12 0.81 1.69 1.00 +39
Pharmanet Group	5		0-7	1.9	1.3		0.82		1.00	+74	Sub-Sahara Res	11 15 3-1 5.2 4.2 +25 0.67 1.69 1.00 +24
Phosphagenics Phylogica Ltd	24 64		3-0 1-3	11.0 40.0	8.9 42.4			2.12 1.43	1.00 1.00	+10 +1	Sunnycove Mgmt Synergy Metals	74 150 3-0 10.0 23.4 -57 0.70 1.80 1.00 +29 4 10 0-9 0.5 0.2 +141 0.82 3.45 1.00 +275
Pinnacle VRB	3		2-7	1.4	2.3		1.34	1.22	1.00	+28	Tasgold Ltd	14 20 1-6 2.6 4.6 -43 0.87 1.87 1.00 +38
Platinum Australia	83			58.0	63.6				1.00	-12	Tawana Resources	
Plentex Ltd	4	-	0-10	0.5	0.9		0.84	2.39	1.00	+56	Tomahawk Energy	66 20 2-7 50.0 49.6 +1 0.56 1.30 1.00 +2
Polaris Metals NL	19			5.5	8.6		0.73		1.00	+13	Transol Corporation	6 25 0-0 2.0 49.6 -96 1.19 1.30 1.00 +999
Polartechnics Ltd	6		0-6	0.1 18.0	0.2	-33	1.03 0.49	3.81	1.00 1.00	+999 +10	Trent Capital	67 125 3-0 0.5 2.6 -81 0.24 5.12 1.00 +23 107 100 2-1 9.6 21.8 -56 0.18 3.95 1.00 +1
Portland Orthopaedic Prairie Downs Metals			2-6 2-0	10.0	15.9 22.7	-14	0.49	1.78 1.60	1.00	+10	Trojan Equity Unilife Medical Sol	107 100 2-1 9.6 21.8 -56 0.18 3.95 1.00 +1 28 50 2-1 4.9 8.3 -41 0.79 1.87 1.00 +39
Premier Bionics Ltd	, 72	20	0-7	3.4	3.8		0.47		1.00	+20	Union Resources	7 10 2-10 3.1 3.6 -13 0.87 1.48 1.00 +24
Prima Biomed	10		0-6	0.8					1.00	+333	Union Resources	7 10 2-10 2.8 3.6 -22 0.87 1.48 1.00 +23
Probiomics Ltd	7		0-1	0.1			0.56		1.00	+999	Uranium Exploration	
Prosperity Resources			1-0	2.1	1.4		0.48		1.00	+42	Verus Investments	27 20 0-1 5.0 7.1 -30 0.45 3.77 1.00 -60
Quantum Resources	6 6		4-5 6-6	1.0 2.1	4.5 5.3	-78 -60	1.29 1.29	1.12 1.04	1.00 1.00	+16 +3	View Resources	23 20 2-1 10.0 9.9 +1 0.61 1.80 1.00 +14 10 20 3-7 4.0 2.2 +82 0.50 2.20 1.00 +28
Quantum Resources Quantum Resources				1.0	5.0	-80 -80	1.29	1.04	1.00	+12	Virax Holdings Ltd Visiomed Group	3 12 1-10 0.4 0.0 +999 0.50 4.43 1.00 +125
Queensland Ores	31	30	0-8	9.5	8.8		0.84		1.00	+47	Wasabi Energy	4 2 0-7 1.4 2.0 -29 1.00 1.66 1.00 -13
Quest Investments	38	15	2-7	16.0	25.7	-38	0.48	1.43	1.00	-8	Washington Res	22 25 1-9 4.1 5.0 -18 0.48 2.57 1.00 +19
Ramelius Resources				3.9	3.4		0.56		1.00	+31	Webspy Ltd	2 8 0-0 0.1 5.0 -98 1.01 2.57 1.00 +999
Range Resources	4	-	1-4	1.8	1.3		0.78	2.03	1.00	+46	West Aust Metals	22 5 2-3 17.5 18.2 -4 0.87 1.17 1.00 +1
Red Fork Energy Red River Resources	26 3 19		2-11 3-10	15.0 6.0	11.7 11.5		0.44	1.84 1.35	1.00 1.00	+11 +9	Westonia Mines Lto Westralian Gas & P	18     20     0-3     3.0     1.6     +87     0.75     4.71     1.00     +253       12     25     3-4     3.5     3.3     +8     0.61     1.94     1.00     +30
Redbank Mines	15		2-0	3.2	4.4			1.88	1.00	+44	Wilson Investment I	
Redport Ltd	13		1-1	8.0	8.7				1.00	+0	Yilgarn Gold	12 5 2-7 6.5 8.5 -24 0.74 1.31 1.00 -2
Reefton Mining NL	3		3-6	0.8	1.0	-19	0.84	1.61	1.00	+46	Yilgarn Mining	25 25 1-1 4.0 5.6 -28 0.48 2.89 1.00 +15
Regis Resources	15		7-8	9.6	11.9		0.50		1.00	+0	ZBB Energy Corp	23 50 1-7 4.5 5.0 -9 0.85 2.10 1.00 +75
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Regis Resources NL Republic Gold	9		0-5	1.0		+999	0.50	8.24	1.00	+836		
Resonance Health	6		1-8	0.3		+251				+215		
<b>Resonance Health</b>	6	15	0-8	0.6	0.1	+421	0.67	4.95	1.00	+338	Λ	Z Warrant /
Resources Mining	5		0-1	0.1	3.0		0.63	1.66	1.00	-100		
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Rusina Mining NL	25			10.0				1.57	1.00	+10	$\sim p$	
S8 Ltd	411				129.6	+108	0.27	2.99	1.00	+43		Yr/Mth Black- Option Share Option Options Break-
Safety Medical Prod.	15			3.0		+13			1.00	+18	Company	Share Exercise to Option Scholes Over/ Vola- Lever- to Buy Even Price Price Expiry Price Valuation Under- tility age 1 Share Rate
Salus Technologies	7 1 57			1.2				1.01 1.06	1.00	+30		Price Price Expiry Price Valuation Under- tility age 1 Share Rate Valued
Saracen Mineral Holo Saracen Mineral Holo		10 13		42.0 30.0				1.06	1.00 1.00	-1 -8	Forty Two Below	57 50 0-5 11.1 9.9 +12 0.32 4.7 1.00 +18%
Segue Resources	75			21.0				2.50	1.00	+12	Dorchester Pacific	222 170 0-4 55.0 56.2 -2 0.19 3.9 1.00 +4%
Select Vaccines	8	20	2-0	2.2				2.23	1.00	+66	Kingfish	114 100 1-7 23.0 26.1 -12 0.15 4.0 1.00 +5%
Select-Tel Ltd	8	20	0-8	0.1	0.2	-56	0.72	4.33	1.00	+291	Salvus Strategic	72 100 1-7 5.0 2.7 +83 0.22 6.9 1.00 +27%

# Review of Existing Option Investments

#### Aurox Resources (codes AXO and AXOO).

In March the company placed 5.0 million shares at 55 cents to raise \$2.75 million. This will mainly be used to finance its Bankable Feasibility study which will be available in mid-September. After that Aurox Resources plans "immediately launching into project implementation" for a 1.6 million tonnes per annum mine producing 4,200 tonnes of vanadium annually for over 30 years.

Bench scale testwork to design the method of ore processing has been completed and a pilot scale program is two-thirds complete. The "process technology is conventional and relatively low risk" and has been used in South Africa for over 50 years. Processing a 20 tonnes sample produced premium quality  $V_2O_5$  over 99.5% pure.

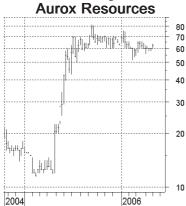
Mining studies have completed an assessment of owner operator mining with costs "significantly lower" - by up to 40% - than previously expected. The company will also consider contract mining and is currently seeking tenders for this project.

The project is proceeding well and should generate further increase in the value of our options. The share price (and options) increased very rapidly soon after we initially bought into this company just one year ago, but have eased back over recent *(Continued on Page 12)* 

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*(Continued from Page 11)* months. There may be three reasons for this: Firstly, a delay in the Bankable Feasibility study which was originally expected by around March 2006. Secondly, pressure on the share price owing to the need to make placements to raise cash to fund activities. Thirdly, Vanadium prices - which are *extremely* volatile - have eased back by about 50% over the last year.

At 40 cents the options trade at a discount to their *intrinsic* value of 43 cents (i.e. the 63 cents value of the share, less the 20 cents exercise price to buy the share). Owing to the significant gain since we first bought in around  $5\frac{1}{2}-6\frac{1}{2}$  cents the leverage is now low at only 1.34 times. Nevertheless, the options still have 17 months until their final exercise/expiry date and Aurox Resources will be well on the way to becoming a Vanadium miner by then and the value of this company will be more apparent. "Hold" for further gains.



#### Bounty Industries (codes BNT and BNTO).

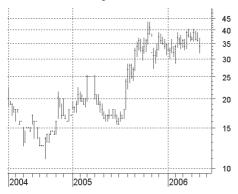
Revenues rose 7-fold to \$9.7 million for the six months to December 2005, with a profit of \$796,092 (1.0 cent per share), compared with a *loss* of \$1.4 million in 2004.

Bounty Industries forecasts profits of \$5 million to June 2006 with a "significant increase" to June 2007.

The company has increased its ownership of its coal mining subsidiary, **InCoal**, from 51% to 100%, issuing 20 million Bounty Industries shares (and 30 million options exercisable at 35-45 cents) in consideration.

The options are reasonably *fairly* valued, but offer high leverage of 2.09 times and have seven months until their final exercise/expiry date. "Hold" for further gains.

#### **Bounty Industries**

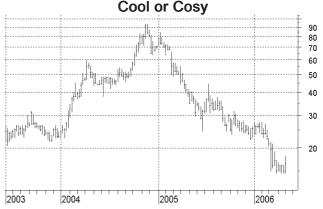


#### Cool or Cosy (codes COS and COSO).

For the six months to December 2005, Cool or Cosy reported revenues 3.9% higher at \$13.1 million but profits fell 76.4% to \$303,653 (0.7 cents per share). A steady interim dividend of 0.3587 cents was paid. The decline in profit is the result of start-up costs from the development of its air conditioning business.

The company's transportable building subsidiary has also won a \$2 million contract with **Aztec Resources** for its Koolan Island Iron Ore Project.

Cool or Cosy options are *fairly* valued and offer a high 2.07 times leverage, although the *break-even rate* is getting high at 22% per annum. If the share price, however, can recover at some stage over the next 24 months then the options will increase strongly in value. "Buy" for recovery and growth.



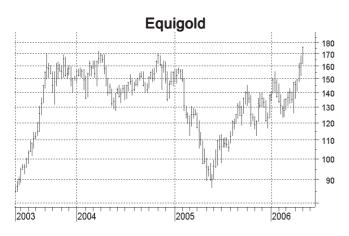
#### Equigold (codes EQI and EQIO).

Equigold (and the options) have performed well since we first reviewed this company just three months ago. The shares are up 31.3% to 176 cents, while the options have appreciated 87.8% to  $38\frac{1}{2}$  cents.

For the six months to December 2005, revenues rose 14.3% to \$54.7 million while trading profits were up 29.2% to \$13,471,000 (7.9 cents per share). The Hedge accounting adjustment (required under the new accounting rules) was a *loss* of \$11.7 million (owing to an increase in the value of gold covered by forward sales). A steady interim dividend of 3.0 cents was paid.

Current profits come mainly from two Australian gold mines while growth potential lies in the development of new mines in the Ivory Coast. Equigold is hoping to develop its *Bonikro Project* which will require US\$50 million of capital expenditure. A bankable feasibility study will be available by June this year and, subject to suitable political risk insurance and no deterioration in the political situation in the Ivory Coast, construction could start January 2007 with gold production from January 2008. Despite political risks, <u>the mine offers a</u> very high rate of return and will pay back the initial investment in just a little over one year of production!

These options trade at a very small premium to their *intrinsic value* and a 23% *discount* to their *fair* value. Leverage is a very high 2.97 times, so the options offer good potential to profit from further appreciation in Equigold's share price over the next 12 months. The options remain a speculative investment in a company whose shares are currently appreciating rapidly in value. "Buy".

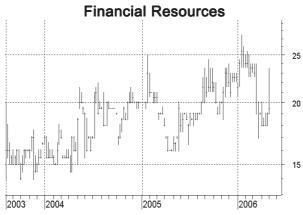


#### Financial Resources (codes FRL and FRLO).

For the six months to December 2005, revenues slipped 6.4% to \$5.4 million and profits fell 69.3% to \$161,201 (0.2 cents per share). This is a disappointing result, which the directors blame on "significant non-recurring circumstances" as the company seeks to aggressively grow its business.

We still have two years - 31 May 2008 - until the final exercise/expiry date of the these options so growth in the company's business could generate value for us.

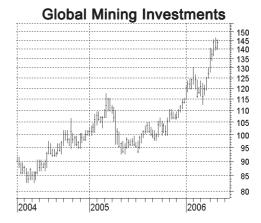
"Hold".



**Global Mining Investments** (codes GMI and GMIO). These options continue to benefit from the appreciation of global mining share values. Over the last quarter the net asset value (after tax and fully diluted) has increased 12.0%, the share price is up 15.2% and the options up 63.3% to  $38\frac{1}{2}$  cents.

We initially reviewed these options in February 2005 when they traded around 14 cents, so they have almost *tripled* in value. The options continue to trade at a discount to both their *fair* value and *intrinsic* value and still offer a high 3.09 times leverage - so there is excellent potential for gains. The final exercise/expiry date is 30 November this year, which gives another six months to earn profits on this leveraged investment.

While these options are still very attractive and give us a good exposure to the booming mining sector but we shall rate them as a "Hold" as they have a life of only six months.

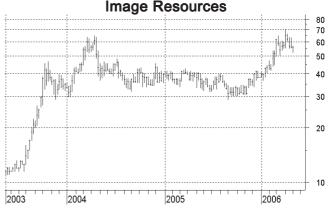


#### Image Resources (codes IMA and IMAO).

Our Image Resources options are approaching their final exercise/expiry date of 28 August 2006 when they can be exercised to buy a share at 25 cents.

Fortunately, Image Resources' share price has risen strongly over the last seven months and this has created significant value in the options. We originally reviewed Image Resources options in February 2005 when they traded around  $11\frac{1}{2}$  cents - so the options have almost *tripled* in value.

Our recommendation is to hold the options in the short term - to profit from any further increase in values - but to then sell the options on-market in July or early August to realise the gains on this investment.



#### Marengo Mining (codes MGO and MGOO).

Marengo Mining has increased its ownership of the *Yandera Project* in Papua New Guinea to 100% with the payment of \$3 million in cash and the issue of 12.0 million shares at 6.0 million options (to buy shares at 20 cents until 28 February 2008).

The company also raised \$1.2 million from the placement of 4.0 million shares (plus 4.0 million options to buy shares at 40 cents until 30 November 2008).

Preparations have been completed to begin an infill diamond drilling program of up to 10,000 metres starting this month. The first results should be available from June and "progressively reported thereafter" and this stream of news may help to lift the share price (and option price) over that period.

This is a small company but provides exposure to a very large gold/copper/molybdenum deposit which could be developed to create significant value.

Marengo Mining option sell near their *intrinsic* value and at a 22% discount to *(Continued on Page 14)* 

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*(Continued from Page 13)* their *fair* value. Leverage is moderate at 1.43 times and with 21 months until the final exercise/expiry date there is good potential for the company to advance its exploration projects and create additional shareholder (and option holder) value! "Hold".



Metroland Australia (codes MTD and MTDO).

Metroland Australia has entered a joint venture with **Timwin Group** for a development project in Strathfield, Sydney. The project is to construct four commercial units and 63 residential apartments. The joint venture is marketing the project and has pre-sold 13 units. Construction will begin in July, subject to sufficient presales, and expected to take 18 months. The predicted profit on this project is "in excess of \$2 million" and Metroland Australia will receive 50% of this profit.

Metroland Australia will pay a 0.5 cents dividend in July.

Metroland options are close to *fairly* priced and offer a high 2.75 times leverage and have 36 months until their final exercise/expiry date. On the negative side, the shares (and options) have fallen so much in value that the *break-even rate* is 32% per annum. That is a lot of growth to ask of any company - although property development is a very volatile business so not impossible. Nevertheless, common sense suggests that the shares could quite easily <u>fail</u> to recover above the 26 cents exercise price and that our options will eventually expire worthless. We wouldn't recommend buying any new Metroland options at this time, but also we wouldn't recommend selling at the current price. "Hold" - and in three years time we will see if they have any value or are worthless.

#### **ORT** (codes ORT and ORTO).

ORT is to spin-off its **Organic Resources Technology** business, distributing 1.243 of these unlisted shares for each ORT share held. The option terms have been changed, with the exercise price lowered from 10 cents to 4 cents.

Unfortunately lowering the option's exercise price by 6 cents doesn't really compensate the option holders for the loss of the company's main asset. An independent accountant's report valued the business at 6 cents, despite the *market* valuing the business (i.e. the ORT shares) at around 10-11 cents. So we are left with options over a listed shell company worth only ½-1 cent per share. So the options to buy shares at 4 cents will be of little value - and this is reflected in the current quotes. We cannot sell for any real value and these options will likely expire worthless in 21 months - but at this stage we have no real choice but to "Hold".

Exercising the options (to participate in the spin-off) would have required investing 10 cents per option in a very risky, cash hungry, unlisted company in a development phase - which we did <u>not</u> consider attractive.

#### Orchid Capital (codes ORC and ORCO).

Net asset backing is around 3.0 cents. Following the failure of its mineral exploration venture in Tibet, the company is now focusing upon a new business: investing in unlisted Asian companies which it hopes can be listed on a stockmarket in Europe or Asia "within less than 18 months at a significantly higher price".

Orchid Capital options reach their final exercise/ expiry date in just six months. Perhaps they will expire worthless or perhaps they will have a little value. "Hold".

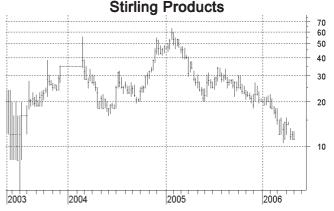
#### Stirling Products (codes STI and STIO).

Stirling Products has achieved two successful outcomes over the last quarter. Firstly, tests with chickens have shown that its growth promoter ST810 can be delivered via drinking water, in a low concentration of five parts per million. This will avoid the need for interactive studies that would be necessary if the promoter was mixed with feed.

Secondly - and more importantly - the company has applied for a new patent covering a new process to manufacture large volumes of ST810 at "an advantageous cost". This has the potential to extend the intellectual property protection of its growth agent to 20 years *and* will provide the large quantities and low cost of production necessary to commercialise this product.

The net cash *deficit* for the March quarter was \$548,000 which leaves the company with cash of \$1,214,000.

Stirling Products options are currently over-valued owing to the sharp drop in the share price. The *breakeven rate* is also a very high 68% per annum. So unless the share price can recover extremely strongly over the next 19 months our options will expire worthless. This company, however, *could* increase considerably in value *if* it can successfully commercialise its growth promoting product over the next 12-18 months. So the high risk, high return, highly speculative nature of this company justifies us continuing to "Hold" these options.





(This report was emailed to subscribers on 22 April.) **Rakon** is seeking to raise \$66.0 million from the issue of 41,250,000 shares (38.8% of the company) to the public at 160 cents per share.

The easiest and most reliable way to assess the future potential of a New Issue is to follow the money. If the money raised from the public goes to the company (i.e. to finance future growth and expansion) then the shares may be a very good investment. If the money goes to the existing shareholders (i.e. who are fully or partially selling out) then the company will be less attractive for investment.

In the case of this New Issue, 85% of the money raised will go into the pockets of the existing shareholders who are reducing their ownership in this company. Only 15% of the money - just \$10 million - will go to the company.

In fact, the original family owners sold 20% of the company in a private deal in October 2005 - so will have reduced their ownership from 100% to 42.4% over the the last six months.

Despite the existing shareholders reducing their interest in the company, Rakon could still be an attractive investment if the company had good growth potential or was being sold at an attractive valuation.

Unfortunately, the company has a rather uncertain record of profitability. After earning a profit of \$2,950,000 in 2001 it lost \$97,000 in 2002 and lost \$2,135,000 in 2003. Fortunately it returned to profitability, earning \$2,241,000 in 2004 and \$2,910,00 in 2005. Profits to March 2006 (i.e. the year just ended) are expected to be \$4,395,000 (4.1 cents per share). Most fortunate of all, profits are forecast to grow 64% over the current year to \$7,222,000 (6.8 cents per share) allowing the company to be valued at \$170 million.

This puts the shares on a Price/Earnings ratio of 39 times 2006 profits and 24 times 2007 forecast earnings. That is a high valuation and would only be justified if the company will experience less volatility and more growth than in its past! The company does NOT intend to pay a dividend in the "foreseeable future". Net asset backing after the current share issue will be only 32 cents.

Rakon manufactures Quartz Crystal. We are not sure if you can really call that "hi-tech", but the prospectus does drop the names of a lot of global technology companies.

#### **Summary and Recommendation**

This company may produce a good product, but has not been as successful at producing consistent profits. The shares are being sold on a high valuation which may be justified if the company can grow strongly in the future. The founding shareholders, however, do not appear to believe that growth story - having chosen to swap full ownership of this business for a minority stake and a big pile of cash!

We suggest following the example of the insiders who prefer cash to Rakon shares. Avoid.

#### Investment Outlook

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(Continued from Page 1) percentage of expensive green energy. These technologies are still evolving, so it is very difficult to pick the eventual winners - which probably won't include any of the current companies. Does anyone out there remember Capstone Turbines? Fletcher Energy made a small investment in this US based company that made high-tech, small scale gas turbines and the value of those shares soared many, many fold in value towards the end of the last century. Well, despite the energy crises which should be so favourable for that company, Capstone Turbine shares have fallen about 95% in value over the last six years.

We expect the price of oil to remain high. But if this high price slows global economic growth then demand will decline and the price of oil will fall sharply. We also expect the commodity price boom to last longer than in previous boom/bust cycles. But again, slower economic growth would lower demand and prices would plunge. If growth remains strong then extra supply will come on stream over the next few years and commodity prices will slowly ease back to more normal levels.

Note that high oil and high commodity prices depend upon continued economic growth - and that growth will also be favourable to most sectors of the global economy. Attractive investment opportunities should therefore be available in a wide range of industries - not just the very risky oil and commodity sectors.

<b>Total Ret</b>	urn Index f	or All List	ted Shares
Apr 10	2409.81	Apr 17	Holiday
Apr 11	2395.98	Apr 18	2411.64
Apr 12	2398.23	Apr 19	2413.68
Apr 13	2396.68	Apr 20	2405.82
Apr 14	Holiday	Apr 21	2408.40
Apr 24	2410.44	May 1	2422.57
Apr 25	Holiday	May 2	2426.71
Apr 26	2414.46	May 3	2429.69
Apr 27	2410.61	May 4	2424.52
Apr 28	2416.79	May 5	2426.74

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Calan Healthcare Properties	2.30	12-05	01-06 0.3146
Eastern Hi-Fi	3.20	30-06	10-07 Full
NZ Finance	0.75	18-05	25-05 Full
Austra	alian Share	<u>s</u>	
Namoi Cotton	3.50	19-06	20-07

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