

Panda Hill – The Next Niobium Producer Niobium – The New Age Steel Alloy





The Scenario

- An open cut Mineral Resource equivalent¹ to 15 Moz at 2.6 g/t gold which is open at depth and along strike
- Pre-Feasibility Study demonstrates an NPV_{10} (after tax) of US\$460M and IRR of 57% with Capex under US\$200M
- The most viable development project in Niobium in 39 years
- A rare strategic commodity with limited substitutes
- High margin business
 - Stable commodity price regime
 - Low operating cost
- Great infrastructure (roads, airport, power, water)
- Stable political and operating regime



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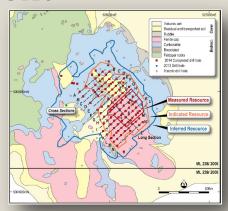




A World Class Mineral Resource Endowment

April 2015 Mineral Resource update by independent international consultants (Coffey Mining)

- 178Mt at 0.5% Nb₂O₅ (above a 0.3% cut-off)
- 69Mt at 0.53% Nb₂O₅ Measured and Indicated Resources
 - Includes 26Mt at 0.72% Nb₂O₅ (above a 0.5% cut-off)
- Only 1/3 of the carbonatite footprint drilled by Cradle
- Exploration Target² of 200Mt to 400Mt at between 0.4% and 0.6% Nb₂O₅





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Commercial Niobium is Very Rare

- "Strategic" metal, steel alloy, makes harder, lighter steel products
 - Niobium production generates in excess of \$1 billion in operating profits per annum at current prices
- Only 3 existing Niobium producers world wide
 - CBMM (84%), Brazil
 - Anglo American (7 8%), Brazil
 - Magris (7 8%), Canada
- No new Niobium producers since 1976 (none in 39 years)
- Panda Hill is the most viable undeveloped Niobium Project world-wide
- CBMM (private company) valued at \$10 billion
 - 70% owned by Brazilian banking family
 - 15% Chinese steel mills (Baosteel, Shougang, Anshan, Taiyuan)
 - 15% Japanese and South Korean steel mills (Fe Steel, Nippon, Sojitz, Posco)









Niobium Market

Niobium is a boutique metal with one dominant producer

- Long history of stable prices
- No signs of significant new suppliers
- Strategic "new-age" metal with likely growth of 25% in next 6 years
- This Project will add about 5% to global supply
- Market size is \$2.2 billion pa (3 times graphite)
- China does not have any in country resources and needs long life alternative sources



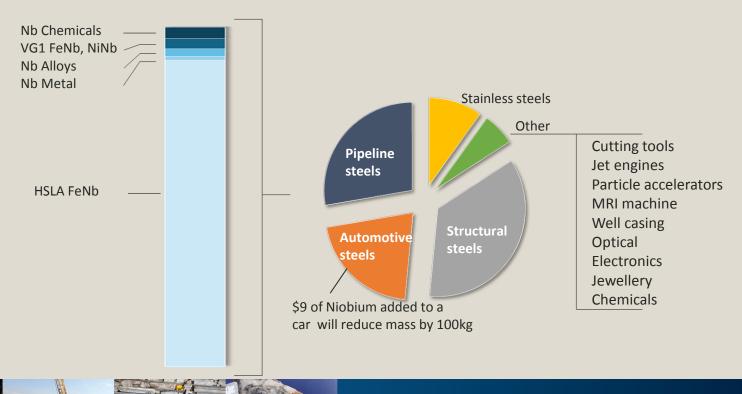






Niobium Products & Uses

HSLA steels accounts for about 90% of global Niobium consumption

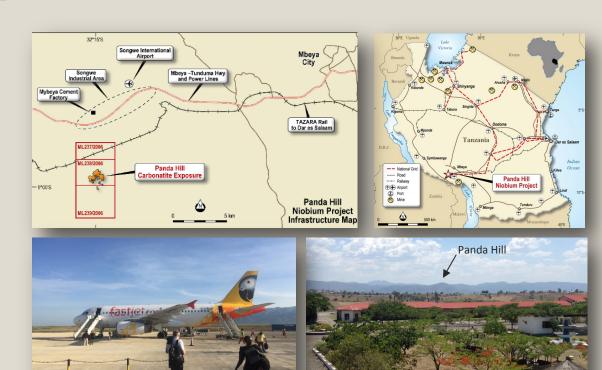






Panda Hill Location

- 650km from Dar es Salaam
- In the Mbeya region
 - 280,000 people
 - Industry and farming focus
- Excellent project access
 - International airport
 - Good road infrastructure
 - TAZARA Rail
- World class infrastructure
 - Water
 - Power
- Good mining jurisdiction









The Panda Hill Niobium Project

- Located in Tanzania
- JORC Resource
 - 178Mt at 0.50% Nb₂O₅ (above a 0.3% Nb₂O₅ lower cutoff)
 - Gold equivalent of 15 Moz at 2.6 g/t gold¹
 - Significant Exploration Target
- First 20Mt mineable at 0.7% Nb₂O₅
- Good flotation recoveries, in line with current producers
 - Extensive metallurgical test work 165 open circuit flotation tests and 17 locked cycle test
 - 60% 70% recoveries in fresh carbonatite
 - 50% 60% recoveries in weathered carbonatite



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Pre feasibility Study – March 2015

Option	Mill Through put	Average Cash Cost at mine gate (US\$/kg Nb)	Construction Capital (US\$)	Payback (Years)	Life of Mine (Years)	NPV ₁₀ (US\$M)	IRR (%)
Base Case (HFO then Grid power)	2Mtpa	\$18.88 (\$15.93 Yrs 1-10)	\$158M	1.5 Yrs	30 Yrs	\$466M	57%
Initial 1Mtpa Expanded 2Mtpa	1Mtpa (Yrs 1-5) 2Mtpa (Yrs 6-30)	\$18.69 (\$17.56 Yrs 1-10)	\$120M (initial) \$70M (Expansion)	3.1 Yrs	30 Yrs	\$439M	37%

See release dated 31 March 2015 - http://www.cradleresources.com.au/investors.asp?ref=announcements

Cradle Resources confirms that since the release of PFS Results there have been no material changes in the underlying material assumptions.







Niobec – Case Study

Niobec is an existing Nb producer (a subsidiary of IAMGOLD, TSX listed)

- A 2Mtpa underground operation located in Canada
- Same flow sheet as Panda Hill, except underground mining, similar geology
- Characterised by solid earnings and a stable metal price
- Recently sold by IAMGOLD for US\$500M to an Asian backed consortium

Year	Nb Price US\$	EBITDA US\$	Head grade Nb₂O₅
2008	\$34/kg	\$79m	0.62%
2009	\$37/kg	\$86m	0.61%
2010	\$37/kg	\$79m	0.61%
2011	\$39/kg	\$68m	0.57%
2012	\$41/kg	\$72m	0.55%
2013	\$41/kg	\$88m	0.56%
2014	\$42/kg	\$113m	0.58%

Note: Extracted from Annual Reports of IAMGOLD Limited (rounded)





Extraction Process

Well known, simple extraction process:

- Flotation circuit to produce a concentrate (~50-55% Nb₂O₅)
- Then a converter (mini-roast) to produce FeNb (~66% Nb)
- Similar process used by all existing Niobium producers
- FeNb is marketed directly to steel mills as a direct feed in the steel alloy process
- Panda Hill ore has simple metallurgy and test work is positive
- Metallurgical recoveries range from 52% to 70% with a LOM average of 62%







The Plan

- DFS complete 4th quarter 2015 (US\$5 million)
 - Engineering designs based on a 1Mtpa plant ramping up to 2Mtpa after payback period
 - Mineral Resource update Published 30 April 2015
 - Pilot plant testing (milling, flotation and leach) May to August 2015
 - Cost estimates November 2015
 - Environmental certification July 2015
 - Off-take negotiations March to Sept 2015
- 2015/2016 development of Project (50/50 funding with Tremont)
 - Estimated US\$15M initial Capex (includes working capital and pre-production costs for 1Mtpa)
 - Estimated 50% debt / 50% equity (Tremont experienced with African project financing and coordinating process)







Project Level Deal

- Tremont has the right to subscribe up to US\$20 million to acquire a 50% interest in the Panda Hill Niobium Project, by sole funding expenditure
- Post earn-in all further costs are shared 50/50 (e.g. development costs and option exercise cost)
- The Tremont subscription will be staged as follows:

US\$	Timing	Tremont Interest	Cradle Interest
1 st \$5m	Paid in June 2014	12.5%	87.5%
2 nd \$5m	Paid in November 2014	25.0%	75.0%
3 rd \$5m	Paid in May 2015	37.5%	62.5%
4 th \$5m	Following completion of DFS, to be used towards development	50.0%	50.0%







Capital Structure

Cradle Resources Limited (ASX listed)			
Issued Shares*	147,477,617		
Performance rights	1,837,500		
Unlisted options (ex 26.7c exp May 2016)	7,687,500		
Unlisted options (ex 25c exp April 2018)	1,000,000		
Unlisted options (ex 25c exp October 2018)	2,500,000		
Total Rights and Options	13,025,000		

^{*}Included in Issued Shares are 18,750,000 Class B performance shares which convert to ordinary shares subject to completion of a definitive feasibility study which demonstrates an NPV₁₀ of US\$400 million or greater.

Project Ownership

Cradle currently owns 50% of the Panda Hill Project, with an option to purchase the balance for US\$14 million* on or before March 2017. Tremont is farming in to earn 50% of Cradle's interest in the Project. Accordingly, post the farm-in and option exercise, Cradle will hold 50% of the Project

^{*} The precise option exercise price is US\$17.1 million less 25% of project expenditure during the option period. The estimated likely deduction is ~US\$3.1 million. An instalment of US\$500,000 is payable within 2 years.





Experienced, High Calibre Management Team

Craig Burton	Chairman	Resource Entrepreneur	Panoramic, Exco, Capital Drilling, Mirabela
Grant Davey	Managing Director	Mining Engineer	Senior operational management AGA, Anglo American
Keith Bowes	Project Manager	Metallurgist	 Project management, Anglo American, BHP, Vale
Neil Inwood	Geology Manager	Geologist	Principal consultant Coffey
Claude Dufresne	Marketing Consultant	Mining / Metallurgy Engineer	Marketing of Niobec product for 13 years







Summary

- Advanced project Expect decision to mine early 2016
- Strong economics PFS Demonstrates NPV₁₀ US\$460M
- World class Mineral Resource
- Experienced management team
- Only new producer in 39 years
- Stable commodity price
- Stable operating environment

"A great investment opportunity"







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 1 Au equivalent grades have been based upon spot prices of US\$1,250/oz and a Nb metal price of \$40/kg for Nb in FeNb. A recovery factor of 65% for Niobium and 90% for gold has been used for this comparison. The Niobium recovery is based upon initial testwark reported by Cradle Resources in January 2014. The formula used to estimate the netal equivalents is $(A \times B \times C \times Ra)/(D \times Rd)$. Where $A = Nb_2O_5$ grade, $B = Nb_2O_5$ to Nb oxide conversion (1/1.43), C is the Niobium price per Kg, Ra is the estimated niobium recovery, D is the comparison metal price unit, and Rd is the estimated comparison metal recovery.

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Schedule 1 - April 2015 Resource - Detail

2014 Panda Hill 2015 Mineral Resource - Reported Above a 0.3% Nb₂O₅ Lower Cut-off

	Combined			
Classification	Million Tonnes	Nb ₂ O ₅ %	Nb ₂ O ₅ Content (kt)	
Measured	16	0.63	99	
Indicated	53	0.50	263	
Inferred	109	0.48	528	
Total	178	0.50	891	
	Primary Carbonatite ¹			
Classification	Million Tonnes	Nb ₂ O ₅ %	Nb ₂ O ₅ Content (kt)	
Measured	14	0.62	84	
Indicated	50	0.49	247	
Inferred	103	0.48	496	
Total	167	0.50	828	
		Weathered Carbonatite ²		
Classification	Million Tonnes	Nb ₂ O ₅ %	Nb ₂ O ₅ Content (kt)	
Measured	2	0.67	15	
Indicated	3	0.53	15	
Inferred	6	0.52	32	
Total	11	0.55	63	

Note: Figures have been rounded. ¹ Primary Carbonatite is defined as a region of fresh to Moderately Oxidised material dominated by carbonatite lithologies. This material is expected to have a higher metallurgical recovery. ² Weathered Carbonatite is a region dominated by strongly oxidised material comprising weathered carbonatite with other mixed lithologies. This material is expected to have a lower recovery than the Primary Carbonatite material.







Thank you

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