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Whyalla

Nolans Bore

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Arafura Resources

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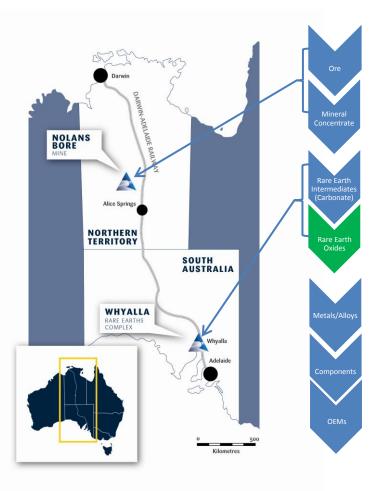
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2011/12 in review (ASX: ARU)



Our Vision is to be the recognized leading supplier of Rare Earths to the world from Australia.



2011/12 was a year of contrasts for Arafura

Excellent progress has been made

- Secured Whyalla site for RE Complex;
- Signed first LOI for REO product sales with ThyssenKrupp Metallurgical Products;
- Built and operated pre-leach demonstration plant ;
- Demonstrated recirculation of primary leaching raw material (Hydrochloric Acid);
- Produced Gypsum by-product for customer evaluation;
- Produced REO products (HREE, SEG, Nd-Pr) for customer evaluation;
- Built RE sulphation & purification demonstration plant;
- > Completed major resource upgrade at Nolans Bore.

..... despite substantial challenges

- Volatile capital markets:
 - Board re-structure;
 - Deferment of work programs;
 - Delays in delivering feasibility studies.

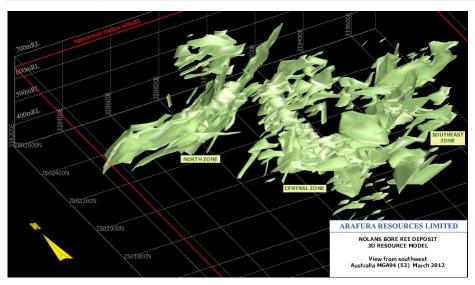
Nolans Project – Overview



Nolans Project is world scale and strategically significant

- > One of a small number of long-life Rare Earth projects in a stable geopolitical environment;
- Higher proportion of desirable "magnet feed" Rare Earths (Nd + Pr + Dy) c.f. other projects;
- Nolans Bore resource remains open at depths beyond 250m;
- Technology development well-advanced: Arafura's REO samples currently being evaluated by target customers.

	Tonnes (million)	REO %	Contained Tonnes REO	Contained Tonnes P ₂ O ₅	Contained Pounds U ₃ O ₈	Nd/Pr oxide	SEG oxide	HRE oxide
Measured	4.3	3.4	146,200	516,000	2,623,000			
Indicated	21	2.5	525,000	2,520,000	8,610,000			
Inferred	21	2.3	483,000	2,100,000	7,770,000			
TOTAL	46	2.5	1,150,000	5,060,000	18,860,000			





Summary



Current work streams are targeting:

- Production of Cerium Oxide and Lanthanum Oxide for customer assessment;
- Securing provisional sales agreements with strategic customers;
- Mine planning and beneficiation optimisation;
- Environmental Impact Statements for Nolans Bore and Whyalla.

Arafura and the Nolans Rare Earths Project remains a compelling value proposition despite short-term funding challenges

- Strong support from major shareholder;
- Strong support from Australian/NT/SA governments and local communities;
- > Robust and well regarded 'All Australian' business model;
- Australian developed and proven technology;
- Nolans Rare Earths Project well-advanced and likely to be one of a very small number of secure supply sources in production this decade.

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