

Kachi Project: Expl Target 8-17Mt LCE; Leases 69,000 Ha; 6800 sq km drainage



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Size and Location

Kachi – Large Target 8-17 Mt LCE

Cauchari – Olaroz Extensions

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10 km

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**Lake Resources (ASX:LKE)** - Lithium exploration/development in Argentina - 3 lithium brine & 1 hard rock lithium project  
- One of Largest Lease Holdings of Lithium ~ 200,000 Ha, provides scale, optionality

**Two Flagship Projects:**      **Kachi - Large Exploration Target**

- 1<sup>st</sup> resource due in weeks – PFS to follow – Development optionality
- Large basin 20km x 15km x 400-800m deep – Leases cover entire brine basin 69,000 Ha 100% owned
- In southern extension of brine producing area, 80km south of FMC (20 years production)
- New direct extraction method partnership – Reduction in time to production & lower operating costs

**Olaroz – Cauchari** - Adjoins Orocobre/Advantage Lithium, Ganfeng/Lithium Americas

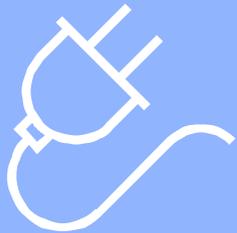
- Extensions of world class lithium brine resources - Grade, scale - Next to Production / Development
- Drilling underway 450m from major resources; pegged leases 2.5 years ago; results in weeks

**Pegmatites** – 80,000 Ha – New modern targets in past producing pegmatite belt in Catamarca

**Major Transactions in Area** - Cauchari - Next to major acquisition \$237M at Cauchari (Ganfeng Aug'18) = 6x LKE market value  
- Kachi – South of Galaxy sale of resource – US\$280M (POSCO June'18)

**Undervalued vs Peers:** - Comparisons with other lithium companies in Argentina – shows deep value in LKE  
- Neighbours market value between \$1.1 Bn to \$3+Bn; Recent research \$0.44 price target

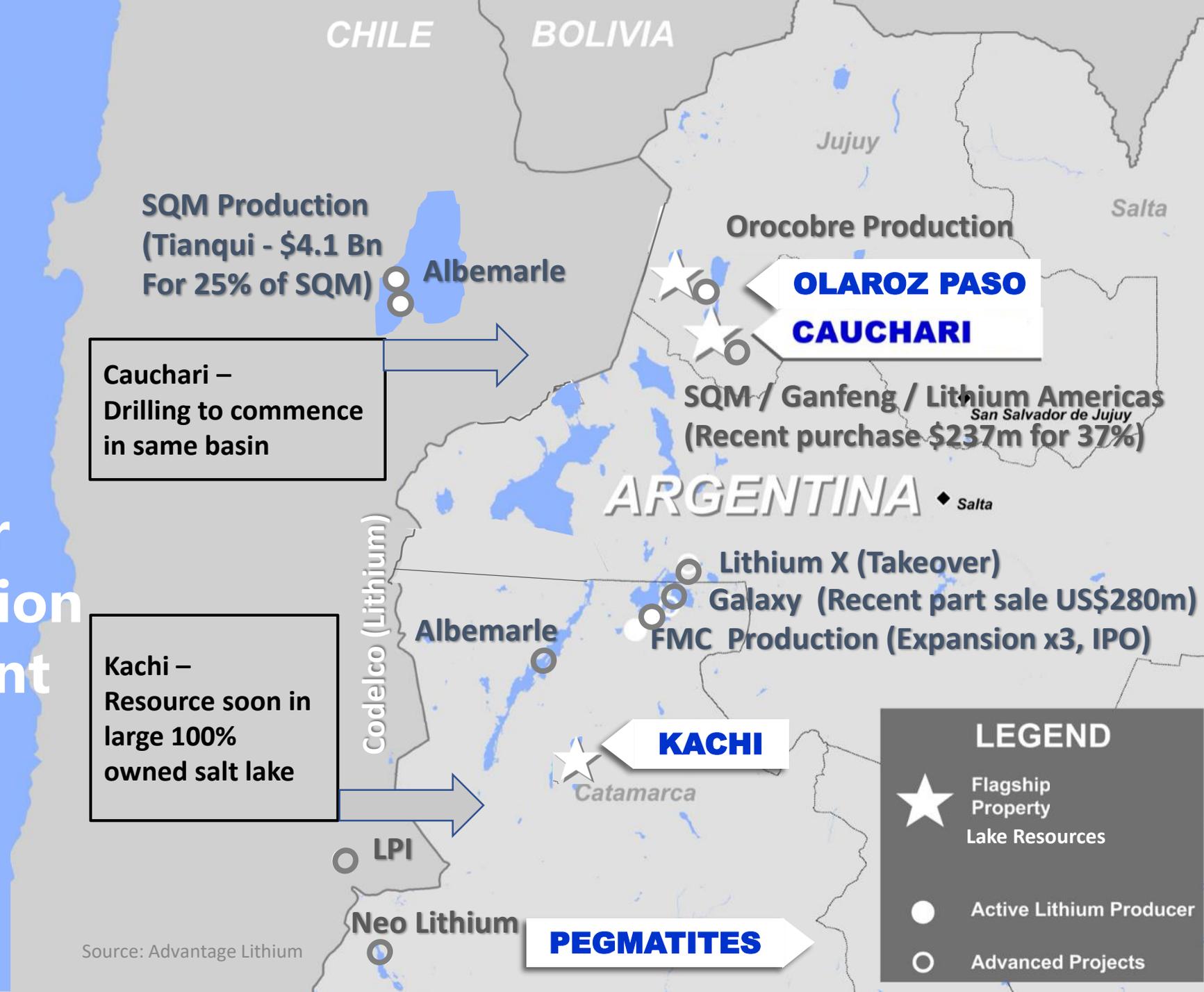
# Prime Location



## Centre for Major Lithium Production And Development

**LKE – Large Lease Holdings  
Next to Majors**  
~200,000 Ha  
3 Brine Projects, 1 Hardrock  
100% owned

Source: Advantage Lithium



# Corporate Snapshot



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## LAKE RESOURCES (ASX:LKE)

<b>Total Current Shares on Issue</b>	<b>360,223,781</b>
Listed Options (20c) 15 Dec 2018 Expiry	42,816,667
Unlisted Options (5c) Nov 2018 Expiry	5,042,494
Unlisted Options (5c) Oct 2019 Expiry	6,250,000
Unlisted Options (28c) Dec 2020 Expiry	9,500,000
Drawdown facility (\$4.5m) at market price – LKE sole election -	

## Market Data

<b>Market Cap (\$A)</b>	@ \$0.10 / sh	<b>A \$36 million</b>
<b>Cash (\$A)</b>	30 Sept 2018	<b>\$0.3 million</b> (+\$1.8 m options Oct) (+\$0.5 m S/T debt)
<b>Share Price</b>	52 week range	\$0.07 – 0.30/sh
<b>Share Register</b>	55% Top30, High Net Worth Investors	

Drilling next to Production  
New Major Discovery  
Deep Value Being Unlocked



# Experienced Board



**STEVE PROMNITZ**  
**Managing Director**

Extensive Project Management experience in South America – Geologist and Finance experience



**STU CROW**  
**Chairman Non-Exec**

More than 25 years of experience (numerous public companies) and in financial services



**NICK LINDSAY**  
**Non-Exec Director**

25+ years of experience in Argentina/Chile/Peru (PhD in Metallurgy & Materials Engineering); Taken companies from inception to development to acquisition on projects in South America



**ANDREW BURSILL**  
**CFO/Company Secretary**

Accounting/ governance experience. Director, CFO and Coy-Sec of a number of ASX companies

# Experienced Local Team

## **Geologists; Hydrogeologists; Assistants Legal & Accounting**

Hydrogeologists ex-Orocobre; ex-NeoLithium  
Extensive exploration experience in Argentina  
Existing long term relationships with team members





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# Comparisons - LKE Deep Value

Companies with Adjoining Leases

Neighbour's Mkt Value 400% to 4000% larger than LKE

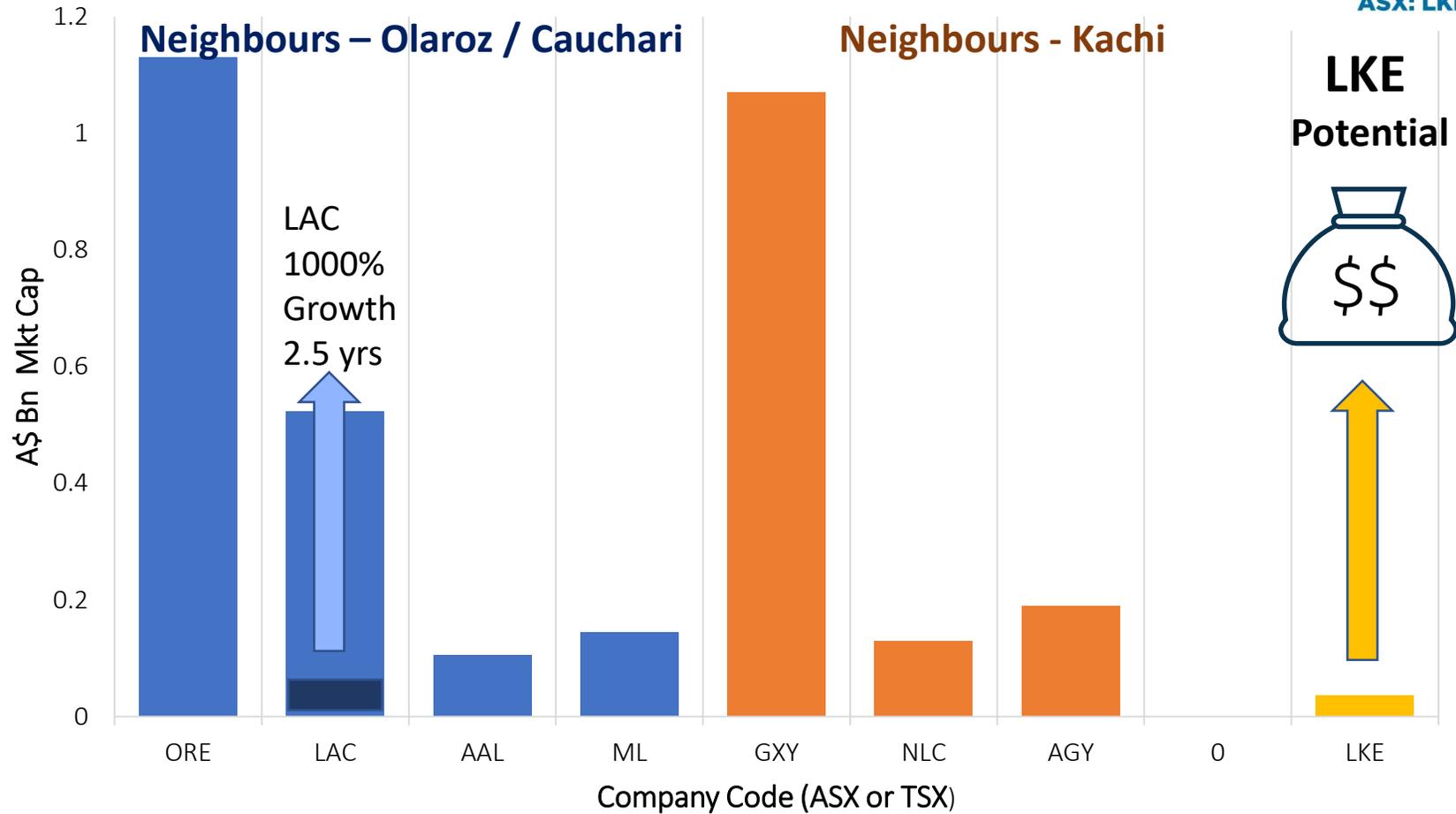
Example:

Lithium Americas (LAC:TSX/NYSE)

Was C\$45m mkt cap 2.5 yrs ago; now \$500m

LKE Research:

Price Targets \$0.44 (Aug 2018 – Fundamental)



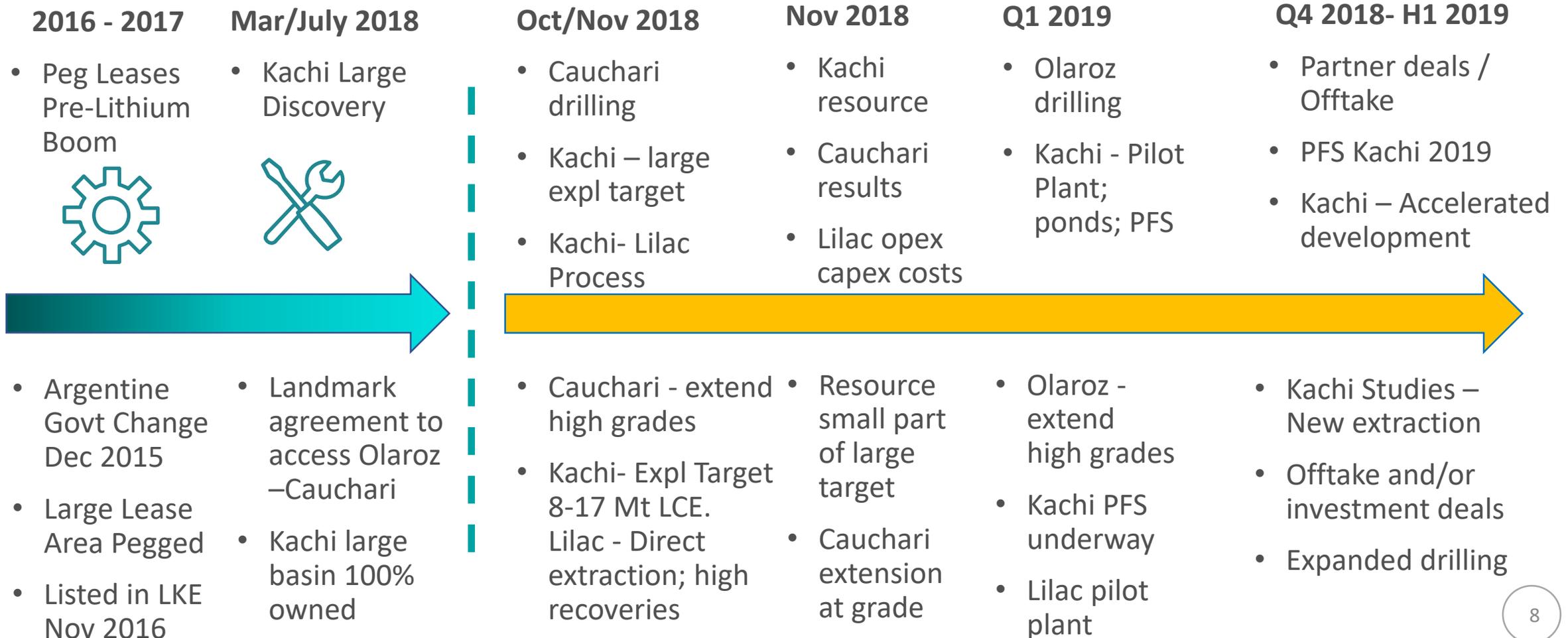
Source: Bloomberg; Stockness



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# Time Line – LKE Uplift



# Argentina – Adjustment Opportunity

## Argentina - A Period of Adjustment Spells Opportunity

New conservative Macri government since Dec 2015  
Supportive federal/provincial govts (Catamarca, Jujuy)  
Recent peso devaluation improves short term returns  
New taxes are temporary measures – don't affect Lake  
– better than royalties in Chile  
IMF supportive; large facility to consolidate economy  
G20 meetings late 2018 in Argentina  
Lithium sector in Argentina is 'Business as Usual' -  
Fastest growth in new supply potential Brines always  
at lowest part of cost curve

**Message: “Time to Invest when others are Distracted”** Anon





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# KACHI PROJECT

Large scale; Low impurities  
Similar to projects in development  
Initial resource soon



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# Kachi – Large Target

## Large Project

New discovery

Exploration Target:  
8-17 Mt Lithium Carb Eq

Leases: Large area  
Located in lowest part of  
Large drainage:  
6,800 sq km  
(2500 sq mile)

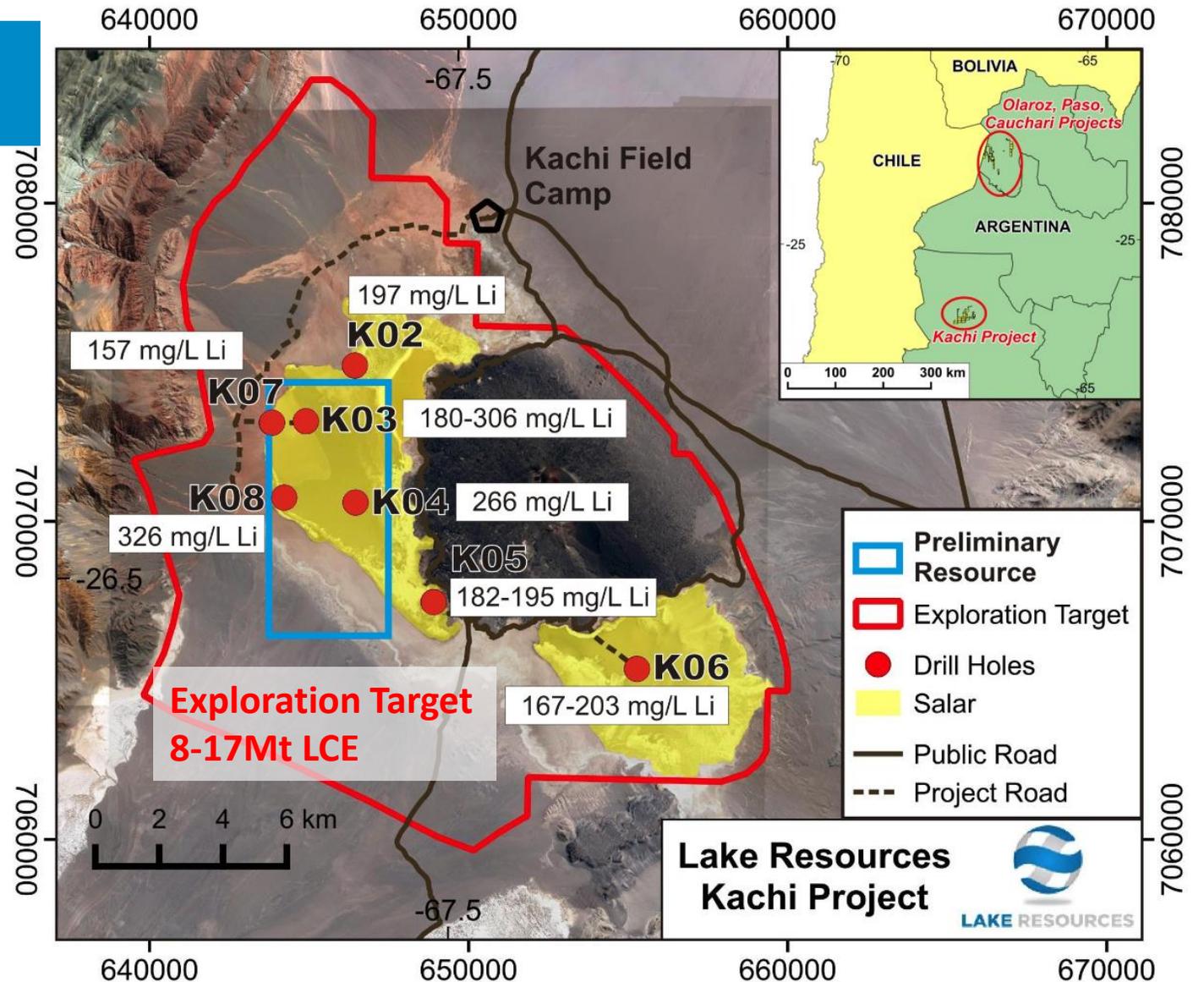


# Kachi – New Discovery

## Large Project – Scale

Large salt lake 20 x 15km  
Previously untested  
69,000Ha mining leases – 100% Lake  
Resource area – small part of exploration target potential

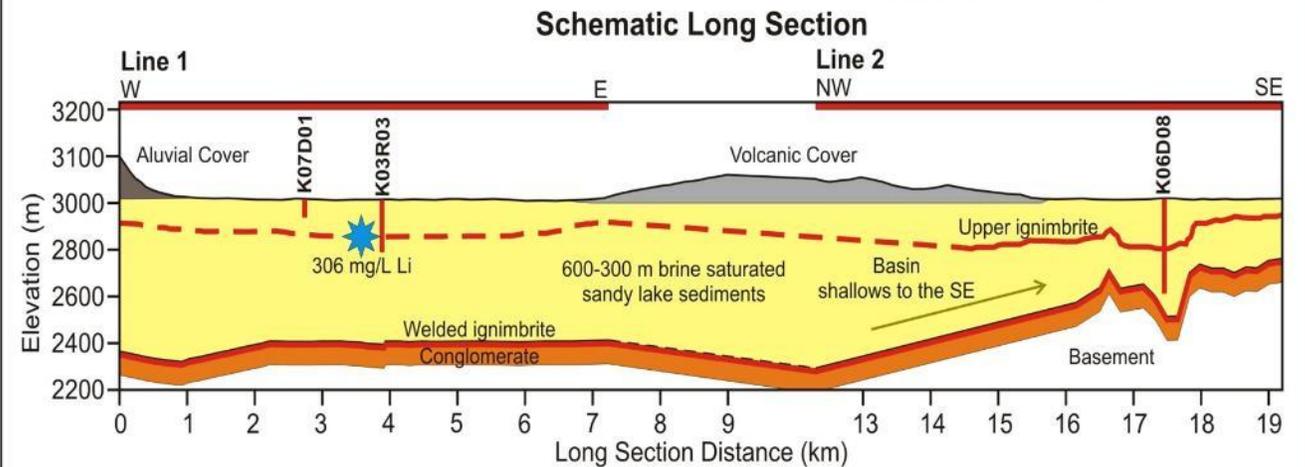
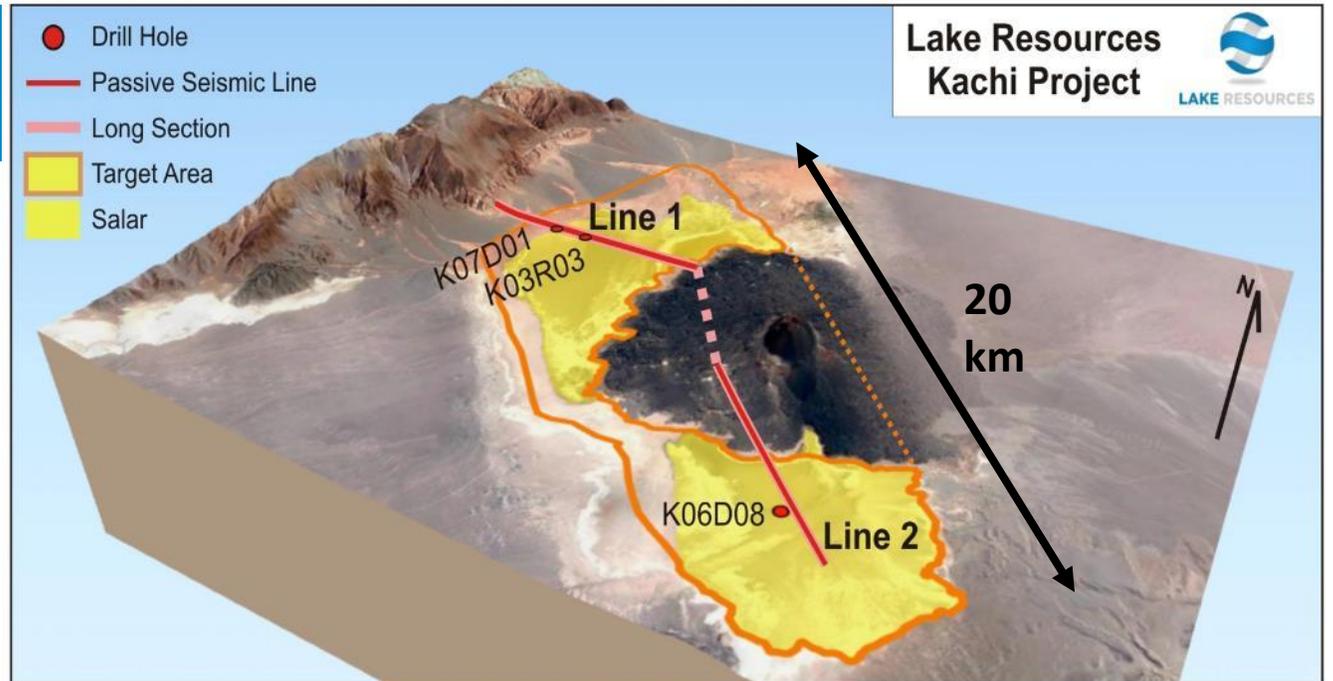
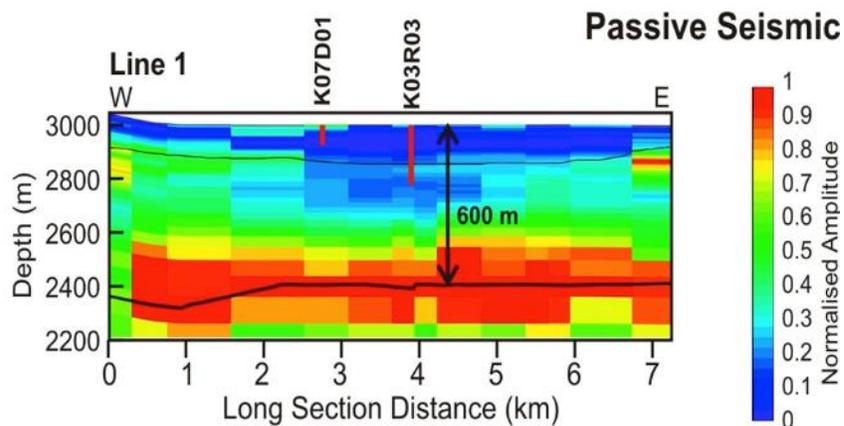
Results:  
Good chemistry, low impurities  
~320mg/L lithium (250-320mg/L)  
Low Li/Mg ratio 3.7-4.5  
Brines from surface to 400-800m depth  
High permeabilities – sand filled basin



# Kachi – Deep Brines

## Potential Expansion

Geophysics – Passive Seismic  
 Shows large deep basin  
 Shows brines from surface  
 to 400-800m depth  
 Potential for expansion to size and depth  
 to south and west  
 Covered by expanded lease holdings



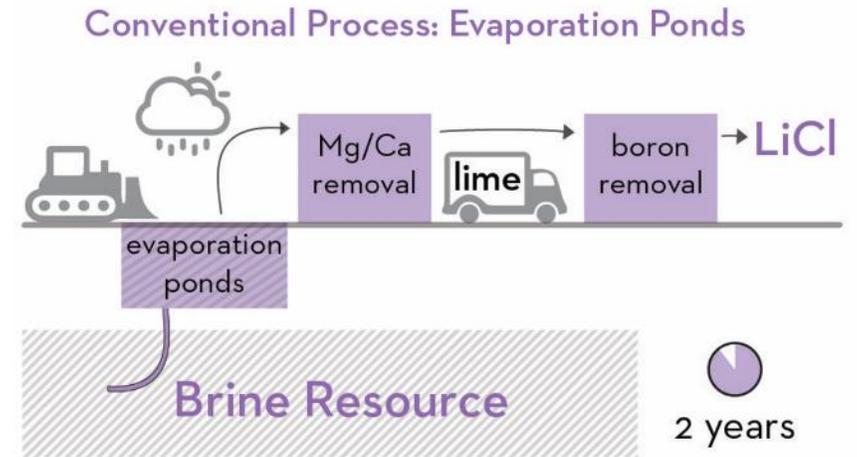
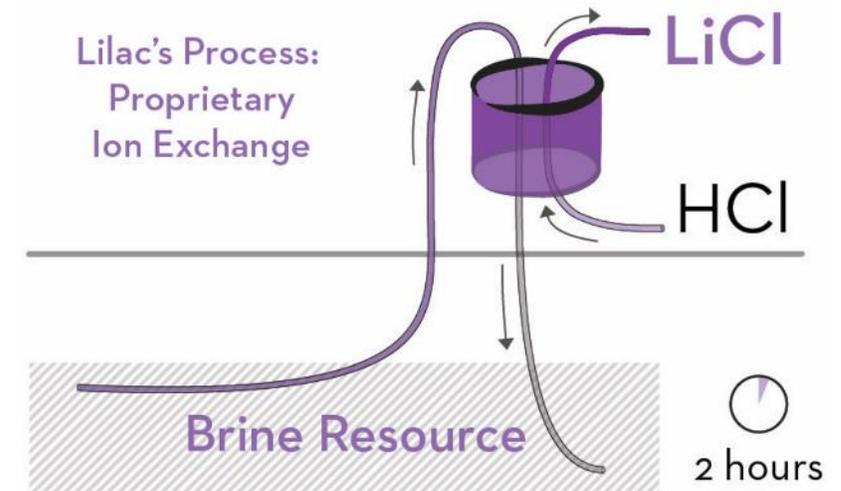
# Kachi – Development Options

## Direct Extraction Partnership Rapid, Low Cost Method

Kachi PFS: Conventional & new Direct Extraction methods - Study in tandem  
Pilot plants planned Q1 2019

Increases grade to > 3,000 mg/L lithium  
Clean product for lithium hydroxide or carbonate  
Reduces lead time to production significantly  
Increase recoveries to 80-90% (from 40-50%)  
Smaller environmental footprint

Lilac Solutions selected - Innovative approach to popular ion exchange method widely used in industry





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↓ SQM Camp – Ganfeng / Lithium Americas –  
World Class Resource

Orocobre/ Advantage Lithium  
– Large Resource

Lake Resources – Drilling Area

# CAUCHARI PROJECT

Extensions to known resources

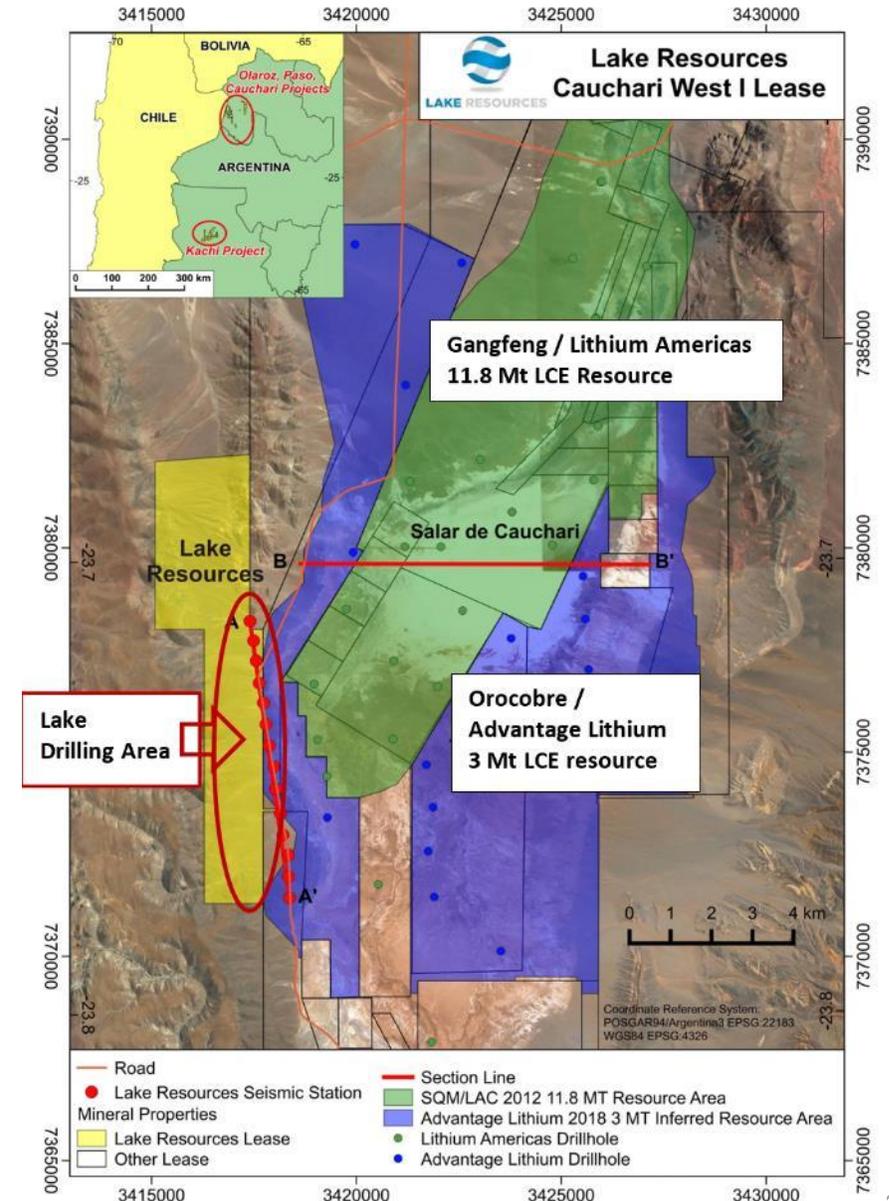
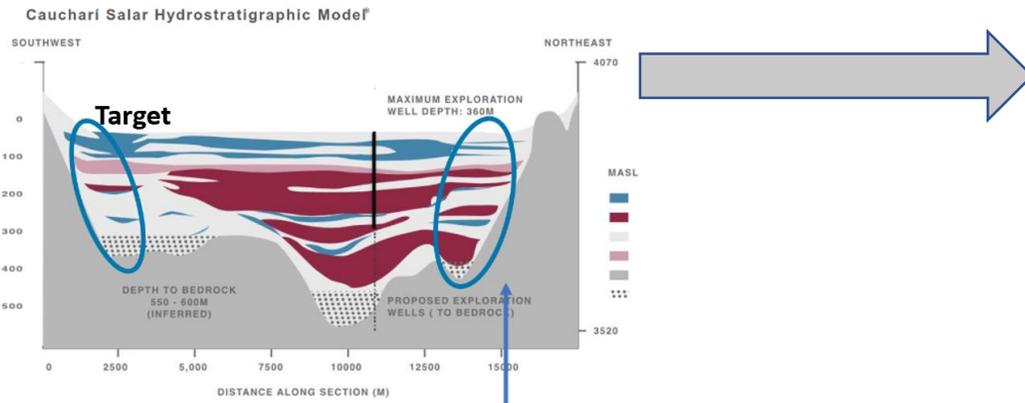
Initial drill testing underway

Next to major acquisition

# Cauchari Brine Project

## Likely Extension to Major Resources

Adjoins (SQM)/Ganfeng/ Lithium Americas and Advantage Lithium/Orocobre Development Projects ( Ganfeng recently acquired SQM 37% equity \$237m)  
 Likely Extension of major resources – 14.8 Mt LCE Lithium  
 420-720 mg/L lithium adjoins drilling area  
 Targeting same aquifers; covered targets on margins;  
 New target model 2.5 years ago when leases pegged





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↓ Orocobre Production Plant

Orocobre - Resource



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Lake Resources – Drilling Area

# OLAROZ PROJECT

30km long belt among the Majors  
Next to Production  
Drilling after Cauchari



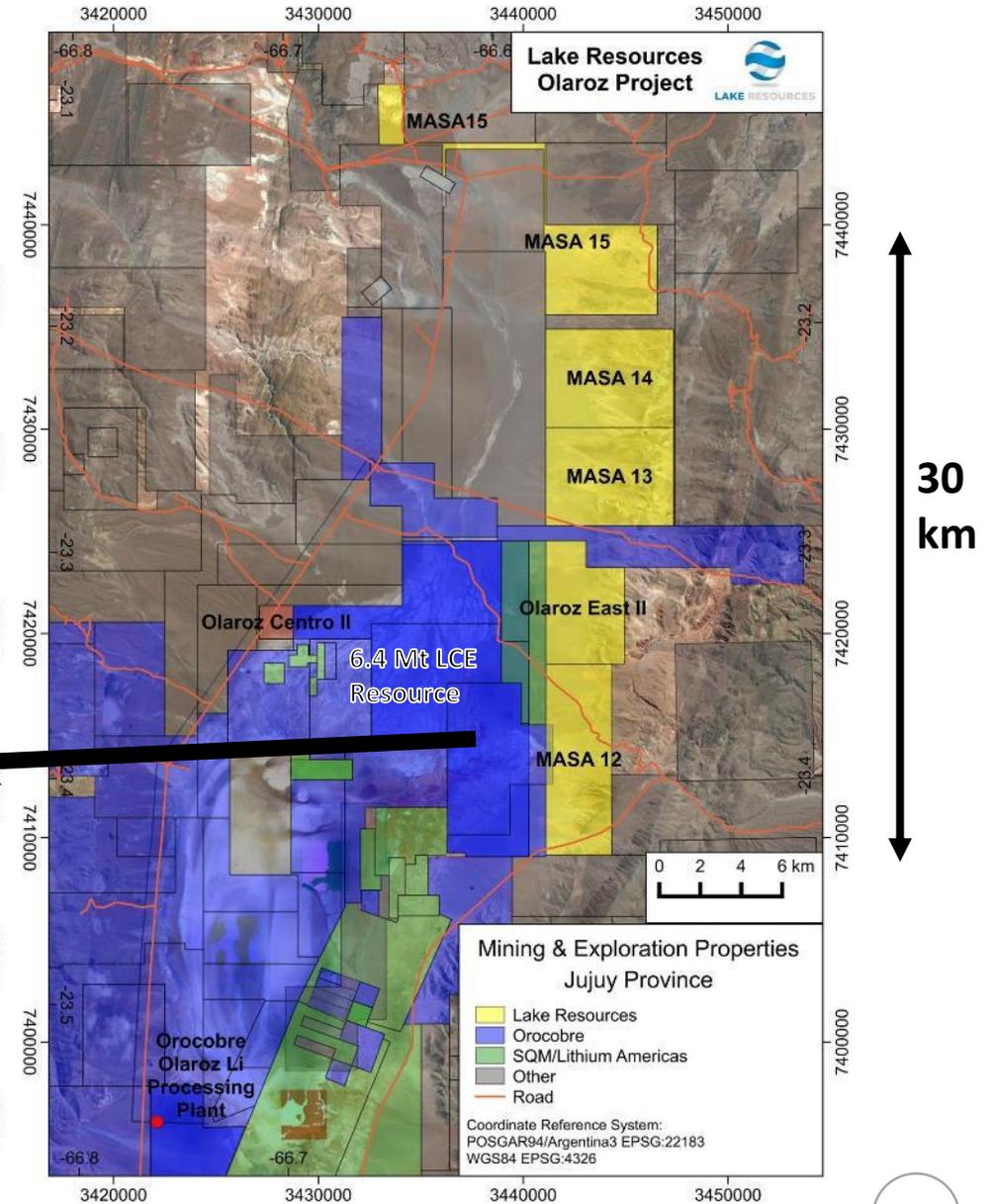
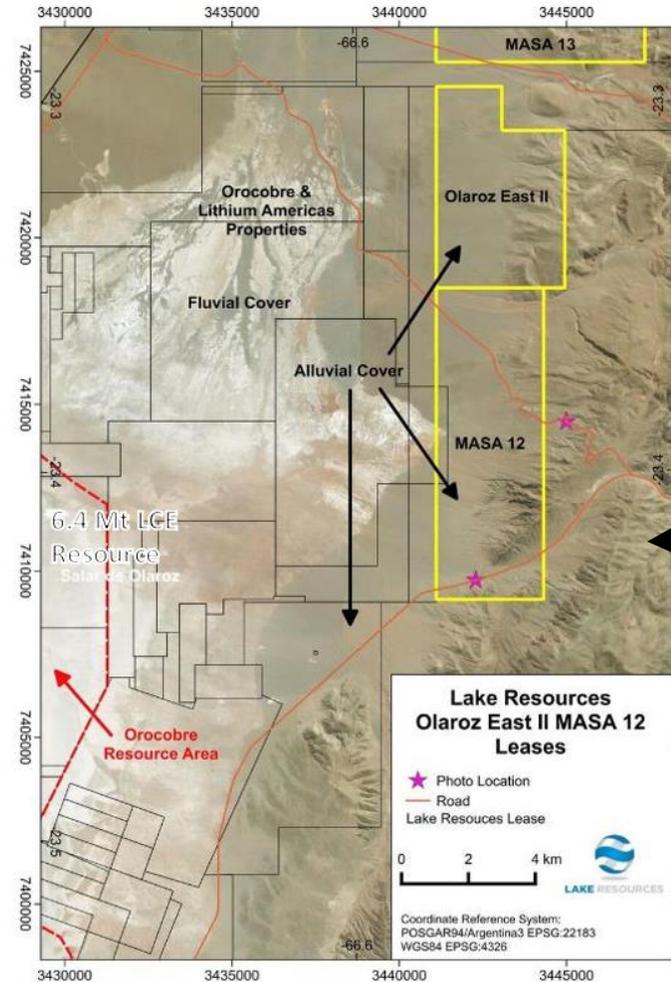
# Olaroz Brine Project

30 km  
Likely  
Extension

Adjoins Orocobre  
Production

Target same aquifer  
Under alluvial cover

Drill targets on  
basin margin after  
concept proved at  
Cauchari drilling





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# PEGMATITES

Past Production – Small scale  
New models for large deposits  
Catamarca

# Target: Large Scale Deposits – New Exploration Models



**Target: Lithium Mineralisation as Spodumene  
In Large Pegmatite Swarms.**

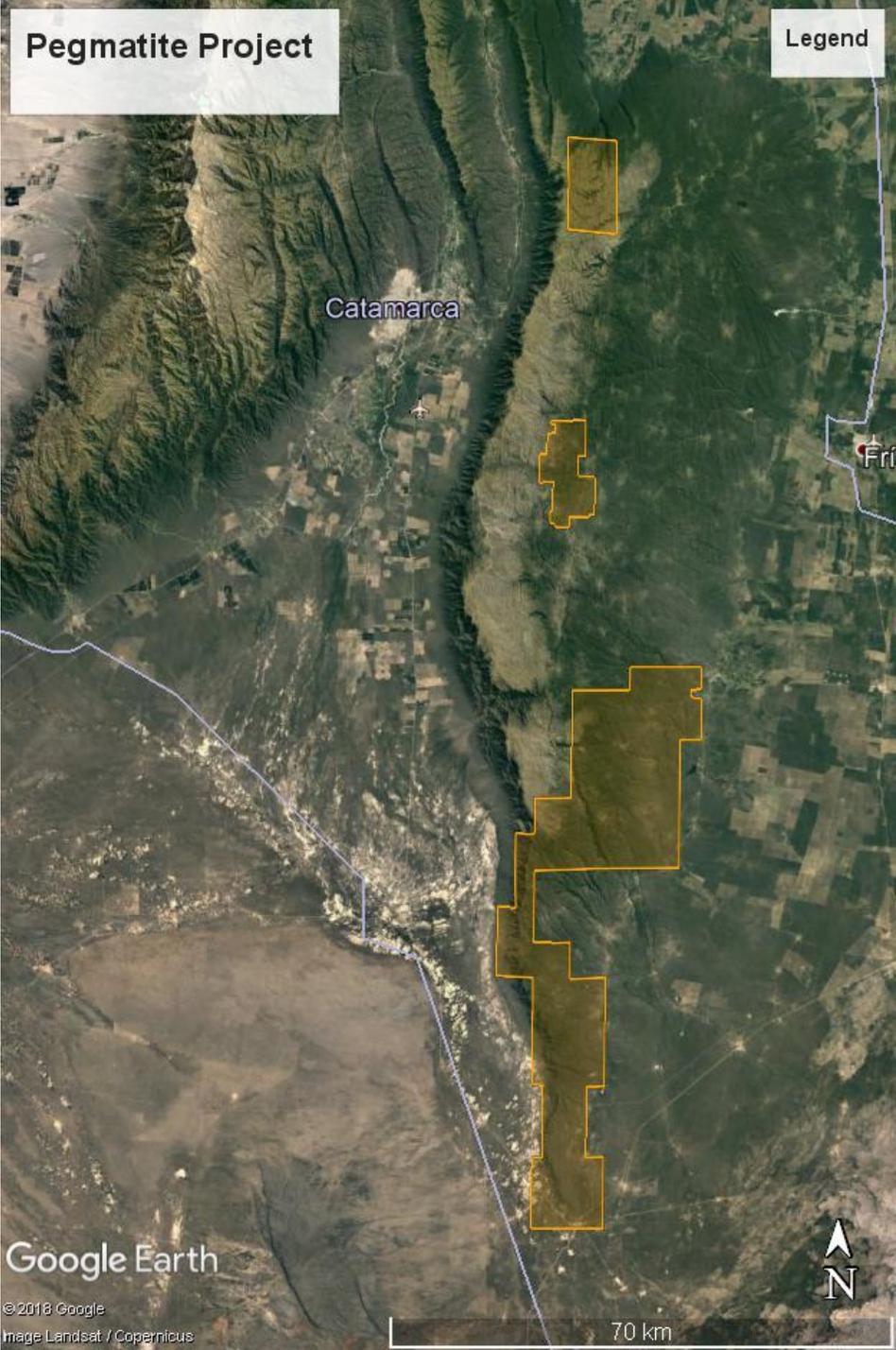
**150km long belt of Pegmatites**

**Large Area ~80,000 hectares**

Recent field work created new exploration models  
Potential for the belt to host large scale deposits  
Coarse grained spodumene crystals (30-70cm)

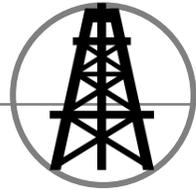
Field based XRF analysis to vector in on potential  
new targets – pegmatite swarms.  
Drill locations defined by results.  
In discussions with parties for partnership deals.

150 km



# Path to LKE Uplift

## News Flow – Full Pipeline

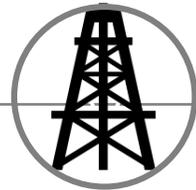


### Resource Kachi

**Kachi Resource**  
Kachi – Large discovery  
Resource estimate late 2018

One of last 100% owned  
salt lakes in Argentina

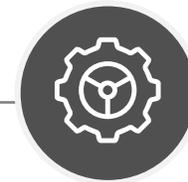
Lilac - Direct extraction engineering  
report; opex/capex



### Drilling Cauchari

**Olaroz-Cauchari Drilling**  
Drilling Cauchari – Extensions to  
high grade results / development

Followed by Drilling  
Olaroz – next to production area



### Partner PFS

**Partner/Offtake Potential  
PFS Funding**

Actively seeking downstream  
strategic agreements  
And PFS Funding

# Appendix 1 JORC Code 2012 – Table 1 Report Kachi Lithium Project

Criteria	Section 1 - Sampling Techniques and Data
Sampling techniques	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Brine samples were taken from the diamond drill hole with a bottom of hole spear point during advance and using a straddle packer device to obtain representative samples of the formation fluid by purging a volume of fluid from the isolated interval, to minimize the possibility of contamination by drilling fluid then taking the sample. Low pressure airlift tests are used as well. The fluid used for drilling is brine sourced from the drill hole and the return from drillhole passes back into the excavator dug pit lined to avoid leakage.</li> <li>The brine sample was collected in a clean plastic bottle (1 litre) and filled to the top to minimize air space within the bottle. A duplicate was collected at the same time for storage and submission of duplicates to the laboratory. Each bottle was taped and marked with the sample number.</li> <li>Drill core in the hole was recovered in 1.5 m length core runs in core split tubes to minimize sample disturbance.</li> <li>Drill core was undertaken to obtain representative samples of the sediments that host brine.</li> </ul>
Drilling techniques	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Diamond drilling with an internal (triple) tube was used for drilling. The drilling produced cores with variable core recovery, associated with unconsolidated material, in particularly sandy intervals. Recovery of these more friable sediments is more difficult with diamond drilling, as this material can be washed from the core barrel during drilling.</li> <li>Rotary drilling has used 8.5" or 10" tri-cone bits and has produced drill chips.</li> <li>Brine has been used as drilling fluid for lubrication during drilling.</li> </ul>
Drill sample recovery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Diamond drill core was recovered in 1.5m length intervals in the drilling triple (split) tubes. Appropriate additives were used for hole stability to maximize core recovery. The core recoveries were measured from the cores and compared to the length of each run to calculate the recovery. Chip samples are collected for each metre drilled and stored in segmented plastic boxes for rotary drill holes.</li> <li>Brine samples were collected at discrete depths during the drilling using a double packer over a 1 m interval (to isolate intervals of the sediments and obtain samples from airlifting brine from the sediments within the packer).</li> <li>As the brine (mineralisation) samples are taken from inflows of the brine into the hole (and not from the drill core – which has variable recovery) they are largely independent of the quality (recovery) of the core samples. However, the permeability of the lithologies where samples are taken is related to the rate and potentially lithium grade of brine inflows.</li> </ul>
Logging	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sand, clay, silt, salt and cemented rock types was recovered in a triple tube diamond core drill tube, or as chip samples from rotary drill holes, and examined for geologic logging by a geologist and a photo taken for reference.</li> <li>Diamond holes are logged by a senior geologist who also supervised taking of samples for laboratory porosity analysis as well as additional physical property testing.</li> <li>Logging is both qualitative and quantitative in nature. The relative proportions of different lithologies which have a direct bearing on the overall porosity, contained and potentially extractable brine are noted, as are more qualitative characteristics such as the sedimentary facies and their relationships. When cores are split for sampling they are photographed.</li> </ul>
Sub-sampling techniques and sample preparation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Brine samples were collected by packer and spear sampling methods, over a metre. Low pressure airlift tests are used as well to purge test interval and gauge potential yields.</li> <li>The brine sample was collected in one-litre sample bottles, rinsed and filled with brine. Each bottle was taped and marked with the sample number.</li> </ul>
Quality of assay data and laboratory tests	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Alex Stewart Argentina/Nor lab SA in Palpala, Jujuy, Argentina, is used as the primary laboratory to conduct the assaying of the brine samples collected as part of the sampling program. The SGS laboratory in Buenos Aires has also been used for both primary and check samples. They also analyzed blind control samples and duplicates in the analysis chain. The Alex Stewart/Norlab SA laboratory and the SGS laboratory are ISO 9001 and ISO 14001 certified, and are specialized in the chemical analysis of brines and inorganic salts, with experience in this field. This includes the oversight of the experienced Alex Stewart Argentina S.A. laboratory in Mendoza, Argentina, which has been operating for a considerable period.</li> <li>The quality control and analytical procedures used at the Alex Stewart/Norlab SA laboratory or SGS laboratory are considered to be of high quality and comparable to those employed by ISO certified laboratories specializing in analysis of brines and inorganic salts.</li> </ul>
Verification of sampling and assaying	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Field duplicates, standards and blanks will be used to monitor potential contamination of samples and the repeatability of analyses. Accuracy, the closeness of measurements to the "true" or accepted value, will be monitored by the insertion of standards, or reference samples, and by check analysis at an independent (or umpire) laboratory.</li> <li>Duplicate samples in the analysis chain were submitted to Alex Stewart/Norlab SA or SGS laboratories as unique samples (blind duplicates) during the process</li> <li>Stable blank samples (distilled water) were used to evaluate potential sample contamination and will be inserted in future to measure any potential cross contamination</li> <li>Samples were analysed for conductivity using a hand-held Hanna pH/EC multiprobe.</li> <li>Regular calibration using standard buffers is being undertaken.</li> </ul>

Location of data points	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The diamond drill hole sample sites and rotary drill hole sites were located with a hand-held GPS.</li> <li>The properties are located at the junction of the Argentine POSGAR grid system Zone 2 and Zone 3 (UTM 19) and in WGS84 Zone 19 south.</li> </ul>
Data spacing and distribution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Brine samples were collected over 1m intervals every 6 m intervals within brine producing aquifers, where this was possible.</li> </ul>
Orientation of data in relation to geological structure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The salt lake (<i>salar</i>) deposits that contain lithium-bearing brines generally have sub-horizontal beds and lenses that contain sand, gravel, salt, silt and clay. The vertical diamond drill holes will provide a better understanding of the stratigraphy and the nature of the sub-surface brine bearing aquifers</li> </ul>
Sample security	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Samples were transported to the Alex Stewart/Norlab SA laboratory or SGS laboratory for chemical analysis in sealed 1-litre rigid plastic bottles with sample numbers clearly identified. Samples were transported by a trusted member of the team.</li> <li>The samples were moved from the drillhole sample site to secure storage at the camp on a daily basis. All brine sample bottles sent to the laboratory are marked with a unique label not related to the location.</li> </ul>
Review (and Audit)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No audit of data has been conducted to date. However, the CP has been onsite periodically during the programme. The review included drilling practice, geological logging, sampling methodologies for water quality analysis and, physical property testing from drill core, QA/QC control measures and data management. The practices being undertaken were ascertained to be appropriate.</li> </ul>
Criteria	Section 2 - Mineral Tenement and Land Tenure Status
Mineral tenement and land tenure status	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Kachi Lithium Brine project is located approximately 100km south-southwest of FMC's Hombre Muerto lithium operation and 45km south of Antofagasta de la Sierra in Catamarca province of north western Argentina at an elevation of approximately 3,000m asl.</li> <li>The project comprises approximately 69,047 Ha in thirty six mineral leases (minas) of which five leases (9,445 Ha) are granted for drilling, twenty two leases are granted for initial exploration (51,560 Ha) and nine leases (8042 Ha) are applications pending granting.</li> <li>The tenements are believed to be in good standing, with statutory payments completed to relevant government departments.</li> </ul>
Exploration by other parties	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Marifil Mines Ltd conducted sparse near-surface pit sampling of groundwater at depths less than 1m during 2009.</li> <li>Samples were taken from each hole and analysed at Alex Stewart laboratories in Mendoza Argentina.</li> <li>Results were reported in an NI 43-101 report by J. Ebisch in December 2009 for Marifil Mines Ltd.</li> <li>NRG Metals Inc commenced exploration in adjacent leases under option. Two diamond drillholes intersected lithium bearing brines. The initial drillhole intersected brines from 172-198m and below with best results to date of 15m at 229 mg/L Lithium, reported in December 2017. The second hole, drilled to 400 metres in mid 2018, became blocked at 100 metres and could not be sampled. A VES ground geophysical survey was completed prior to drilling. A NI 43-101 report was released in February 2017.</li> <li>No other exploration results were able to be located</li> </ul>
Geology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The known sediments within the <i>salar</i> consist of salt/halite, clay, sand and silt horizons, accumulated in the <i>salar</i> from terrestrial sedimentation and evaporation of brines.</li> <li>Brines within the Salt Lake are formed by solar concentration, interpreted to be combined with warm geothermal fluids, with brines hosted within sedimentary units.</li> <li>Geology was recorded during the diamond drilling and from chip samples in rotary drill holes.</li> </ul>
Drill hole information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lithological data was collected from the holes as they were drilled and drill cores or chip samples were retrieved. Detailed geological logging of cores is ongoing.</li> <li>All drill holes are vertical, (dip -90, azimuth 0 degrees).</li> </ul>
Data aggregation methods	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Assay averages have been provided where multiple sampling occurs in the same sampling interval.</li> </ul>
Relationship between mineralisation widths and intercept lengths	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mineralisation interpreted to be horizontally lying and drilling perpendicular to this.</li> </ul>
Diagrams	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A drill hole location plan is provided showing the locations of the drill platforms. Individual drill locations are provided in Table 1.</li> </ul>
Balanced reporting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Brine assay results are available from 13 drill holes from the drilling to date, reported here. Information will be provided as it becomes available.</li> </ul>
Other substantive exploration data	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>There is no other substantive exploration data available regarding the project.</li> </ul>
Further work	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The company is undertaking a 1000m maiden diamond drilling programme and 2000m maiden rotary water well drilling programme which may be expanded based on results.</li> </ul>

## Competent Person's Statement – Kachi Lithium Brine Project

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Scale, Location, Value Uplift  
Lithium at a Higher Level



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