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Pilbara Iron Ore Project Forging ahead

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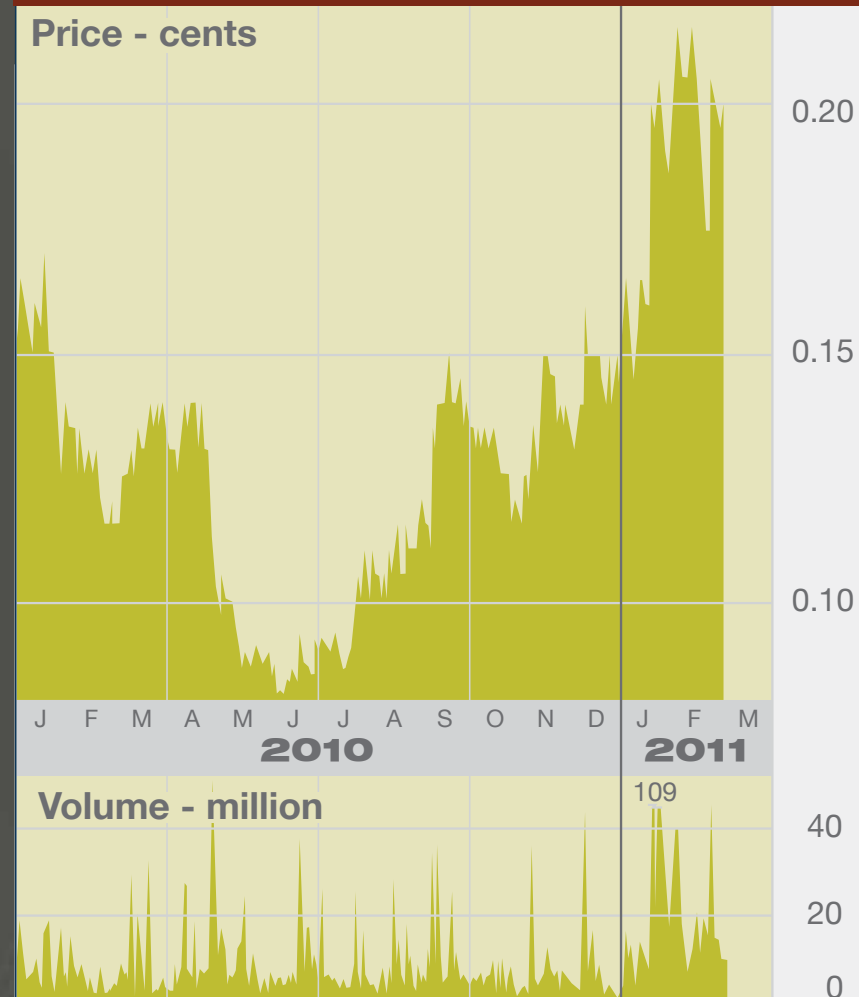
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Corporate

ASX code	FMS
Shares on issue	1,820 million
Top 20 shareholders	30.9%
Share price at 3/3/2011	20.0 cents
Market capitalisation	\$364 million
Cash in hand at 3/3/2011	\$42.2 million
Debt	Nil

Share price and volume



Executive team



Gary Sutherland
Chief Executive Officer



Nick Corlis
General Manager - Business Development



Miro Rapaic
Project Development Manager



Mick Anstey
Manager HSE, Risk & Approvals



David Godfrey
Chief Financial Officer



Mark Watson
Manager Project Services



Highlights – Pilbara Iron Ore Project PFS

- Mine life of 20 years
- ~A\$25 billion life-of-mine revenue
- A\$35.32/tonne average life-of-mine cash operating costs
- A\$2.2 billion estimated Net Present Value (NPV)
- Large scale, high quality Pilbara iron ore mine
 - » economically and technically viable
- Design and construction commence Q1 2012 with first production Q1 2014 (subject to approvals)
- Base Case 5 years @ 5 Mtpa, 15 years @ 15 Mtpa



PFS - Financials

	AU\$/t Ore
Mining	9.42
Processing	4.89
General and administrative	4.48
Product transport (FOB)	16.53
Total Costs	35.32

- Estimated Net Present Value (NPV) after tax of A\$2.2 billion
- Calculated on a post-tax real basis at a Discount Cash Flow rate of 10%
- Ungeared Internal Rate of Return (IRR) estimated at 40.8%
- Forecast capital payback from completion DFS ~5.5 years
- Impact of proposed MRRT unknown / Not factored into analysis



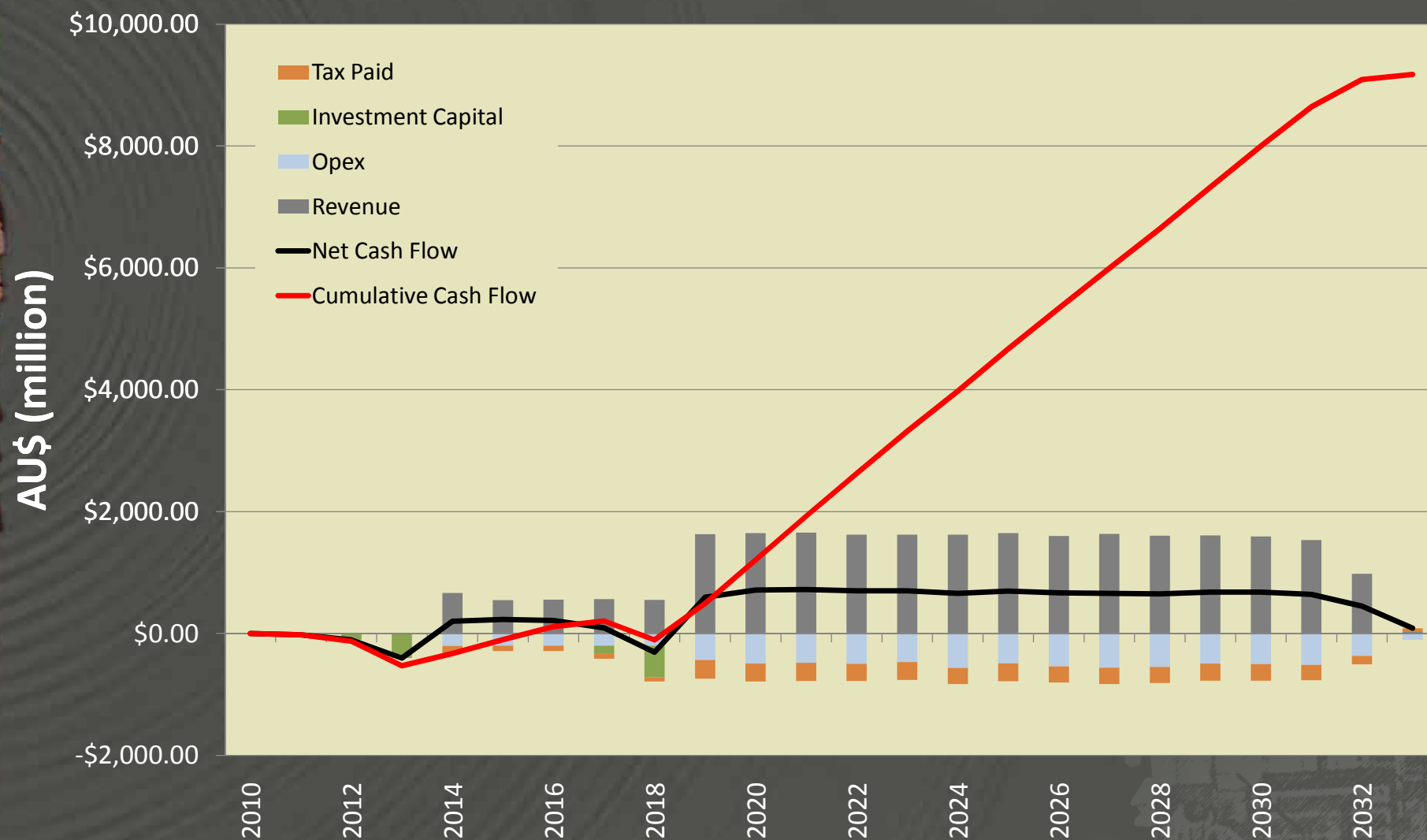
PFS – Breakdown of capital costs

Description	AU\$M
Direct costs	
Mine buildings and ROM wall	17
Process plant	152
Rail and signalling	61
Infrastructure	114
Construction indirects	24
Project management and other costs	
EPCM	40
Owner's costs	18
Contingency	62
TOTAL	488

- A\$488m for 5 Mtpa first stage development
- Includes provision for easy integration of larger operation
- Additional A\$640m to triple production by 2020 or sooner to 15 Mtpa

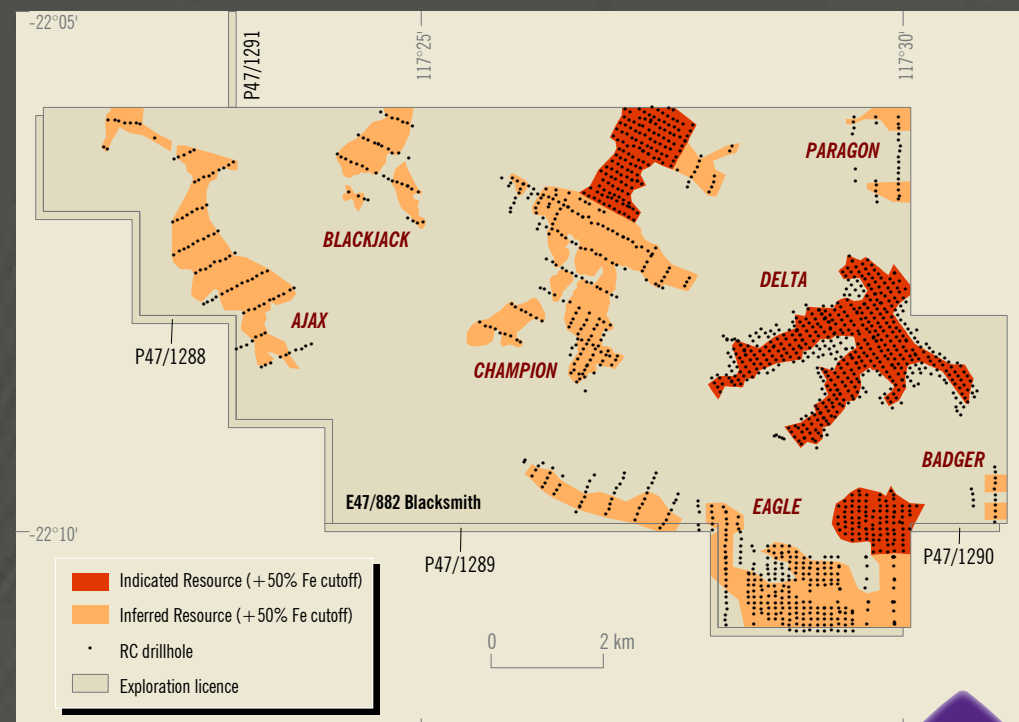
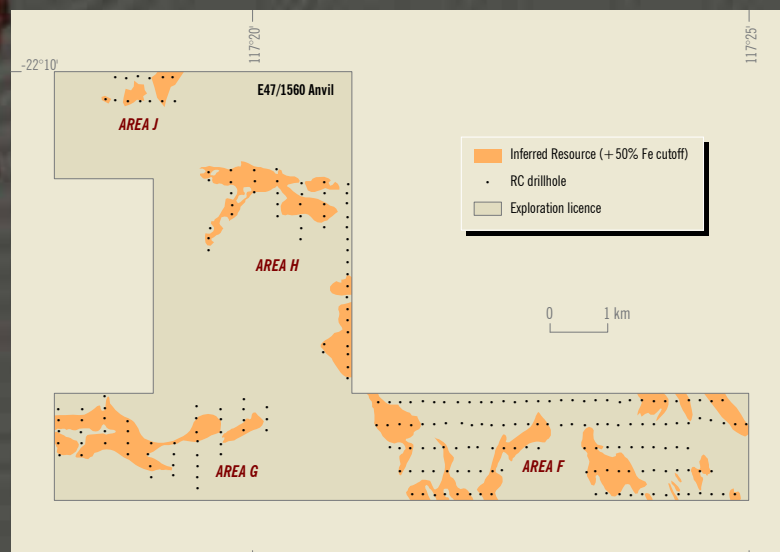


Base case - unleveraged cash flow for 20 years

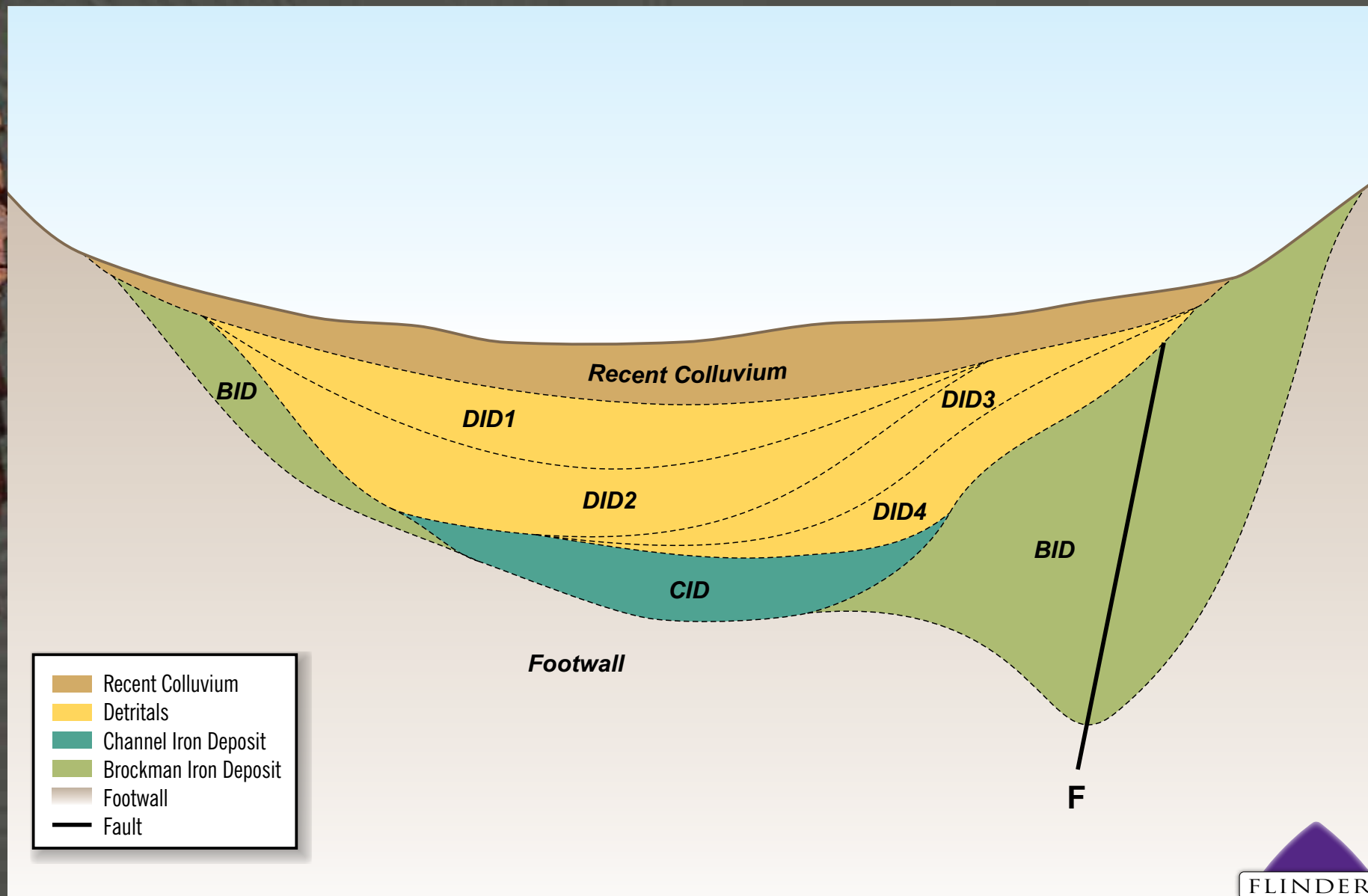


PIOP – Resource inventory

JORC Classification	Fe cut-off %	Tonnage Mt	Fe %	SiO ₂ %	Al ₂ O ₃ %	P %	LOI %
Total Inferred	50	475.1	54.9	10.5	5.1	0.06	5.1
Total Indicated	50	272.5	56.2	9.2	4.6	0.07	4.7
Total Indicated and Inferred	50	747.6	55.4	10.0	4.9	0.07	5.0



Schematic geological interpretation



Resources and upside potential

Significant intersections from Phase Two BID drilling

From (m)	To (m)	Fe %	SiO ₂ %	Al ₂ O ₃ %	P %	LOI %
0	30	59.7	3.5	1.6	0.11	8.8
0	38	59.0	4.9	2.1	0.10	7.8
0	34	60.2	3.7	2.5	0.11	7.1

Tested BID targets



Inferred/Indicated Resource



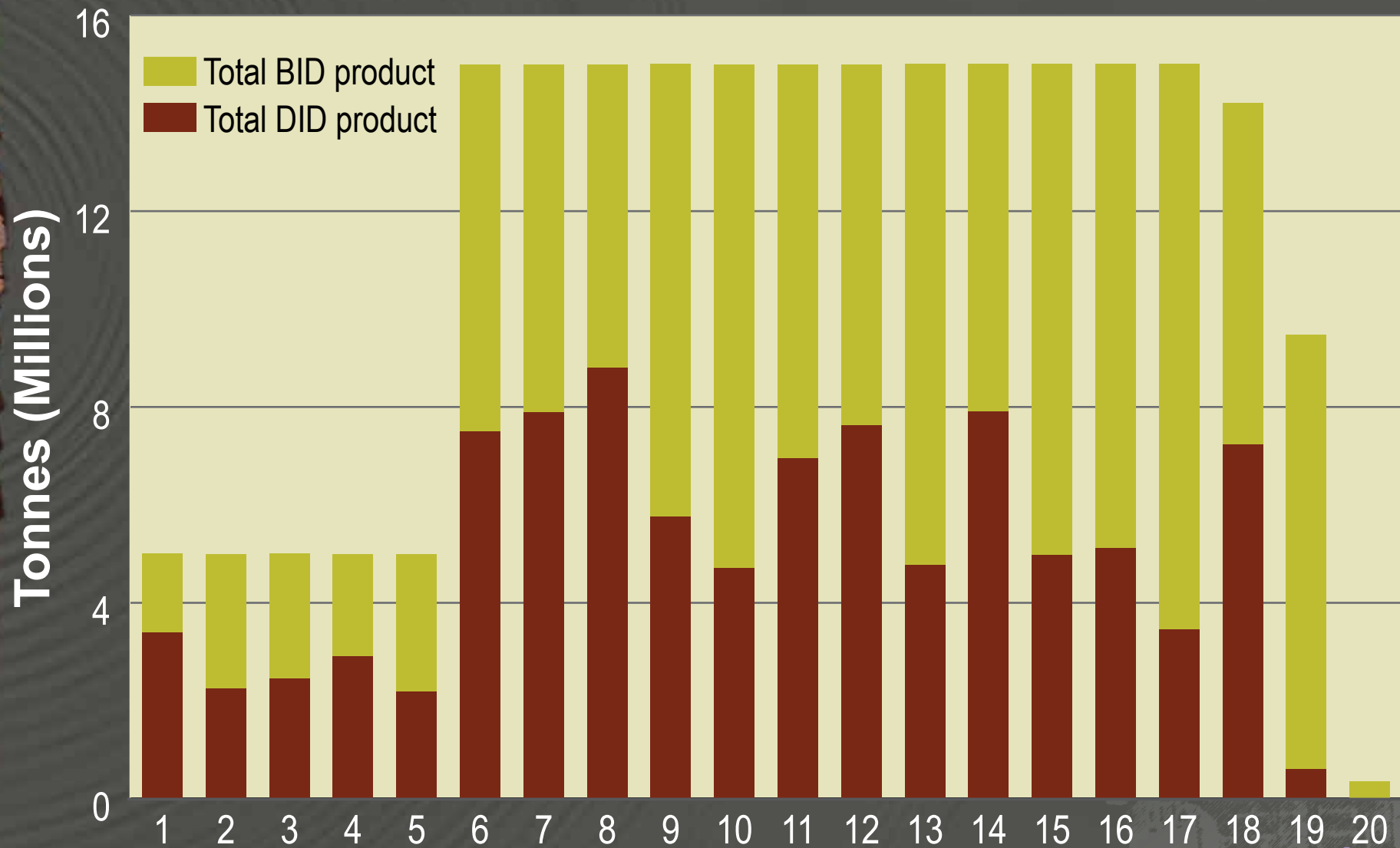
PFS – Production overview

	Material Mt	Fe %	SiO ₂ %	Al ₂ O ₃ %	P %	LOI %
DID product	97	60.7	5.9	3.5	0.066	2.98
BID product	132	57.1	5.2	3.0	0.117	9.52

- Shallow deposit / requires minimal processing for saleable products
- Resource supports production of >229 Mt of final fines product
- BID product will be Direct Ship Ore ('DSO')
- DID product needs minor beneficiation prior to shipping
- Competitive product mix
- Further potential to add value through evaluation of CID material



Life of mine schedule – DID vs BID product



PFS – Pricing assumptions

Market analysts* predict continuing strong iron ore demand

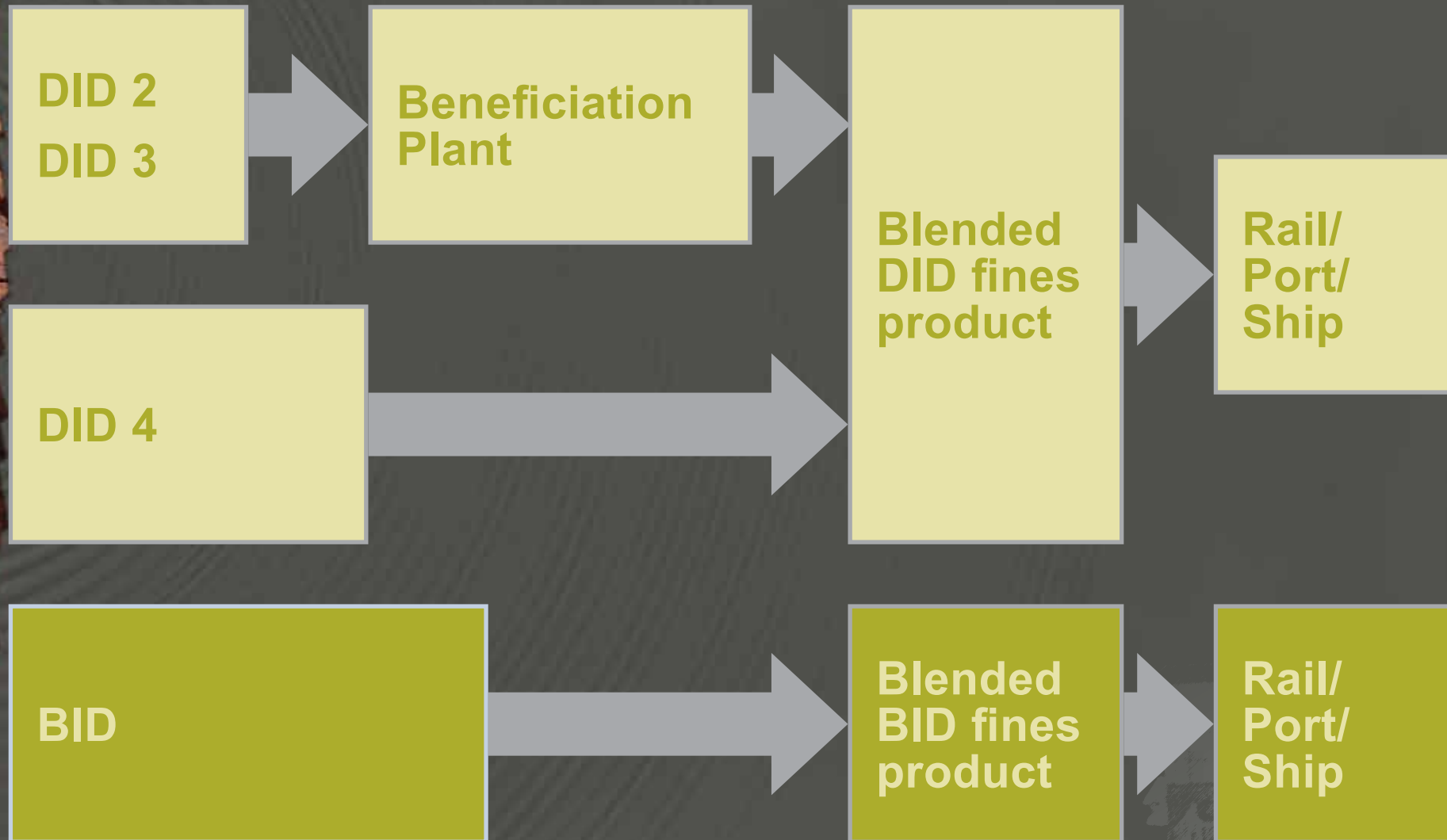
Year	DID	BID
	Price (USD/dmtu) FOB	Price (USD/dmtu) FOB
2011	1.714	1.622
2012	2.057	1.946
2013	2.160	2.044
2014	2.160	2.044
2015	1.836	1.737
2016	Ongoing same as 2015	Ongoing same as 2015

* Ferrum Consultants

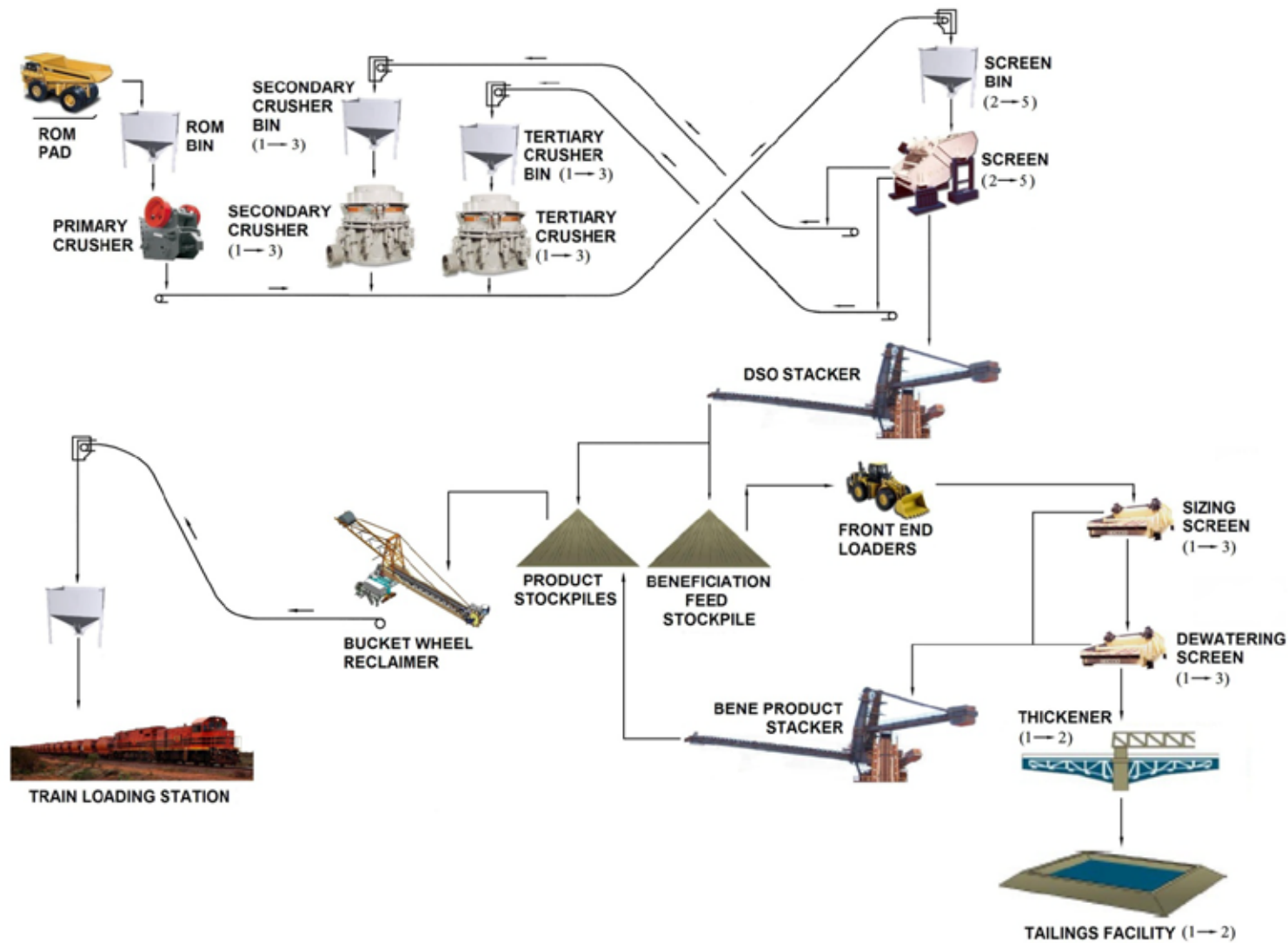
* Based on exchange rate of US\$0.96



Production sequence



Simplified flowsheet



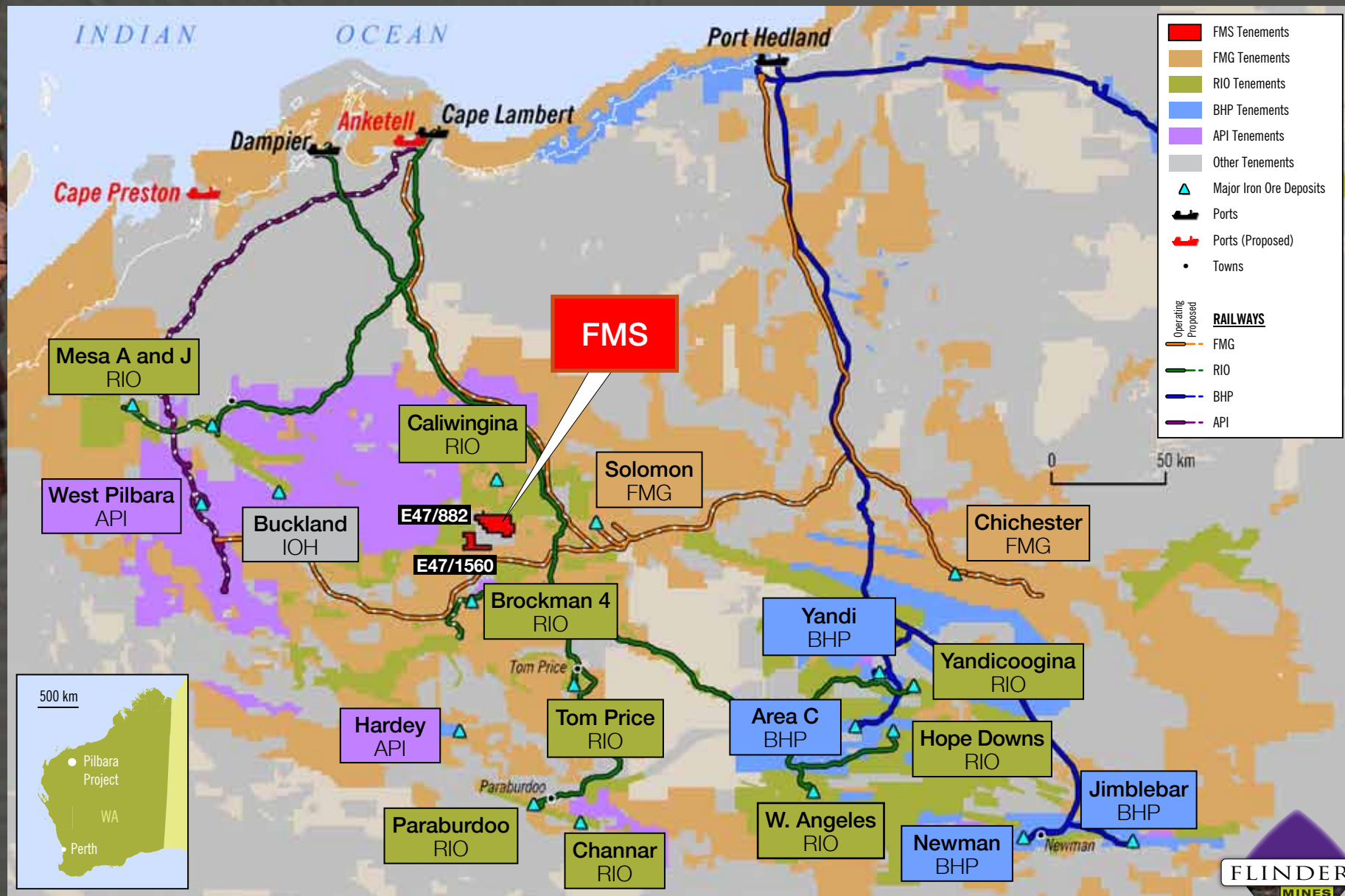
- Conventional beneficiation approach, low technical risk

PFS – Mining operation

- Mine life of 20 years
- 2.5 : 1 strip ratio for the 5 Mtpa start-up case, expanded to 15 Mtpa in year 6
- Option for immediate 15 Mtpa start-up
- Truck and excavator mining operation
- Allows for optimal ore blending from operating pits
- Mining predominantly above the water table, enhancing mining cost base
- Mining, processing and transportation to be contracted externally

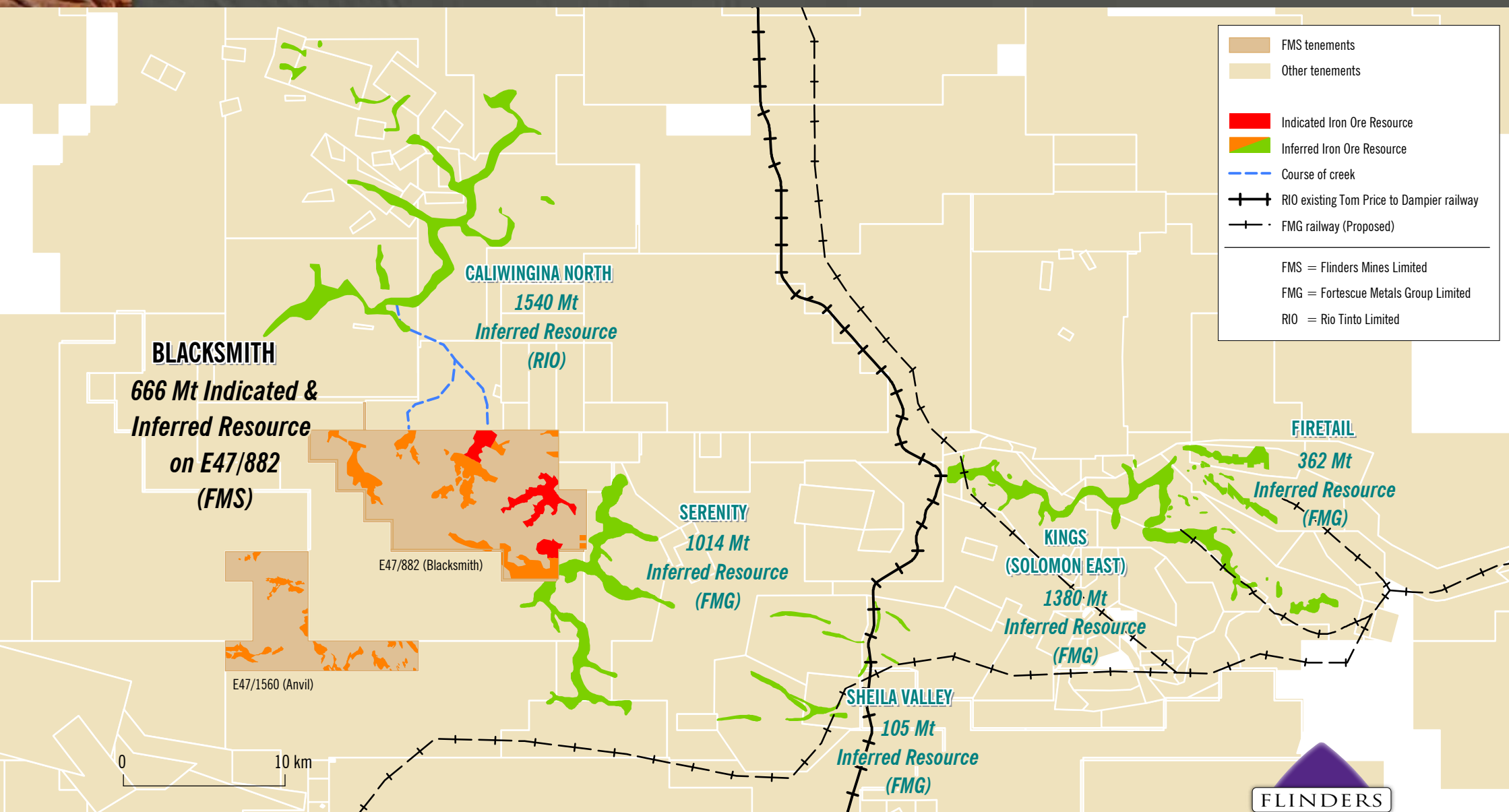


Pilbara to port route options



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Pilbara Iron Ore Project – Local precinct



Anticipated schedule

	2011	2012	2013	2014
Value Improvement Studies				
Definitive Feasibility study				
Design and construct				
Operation				



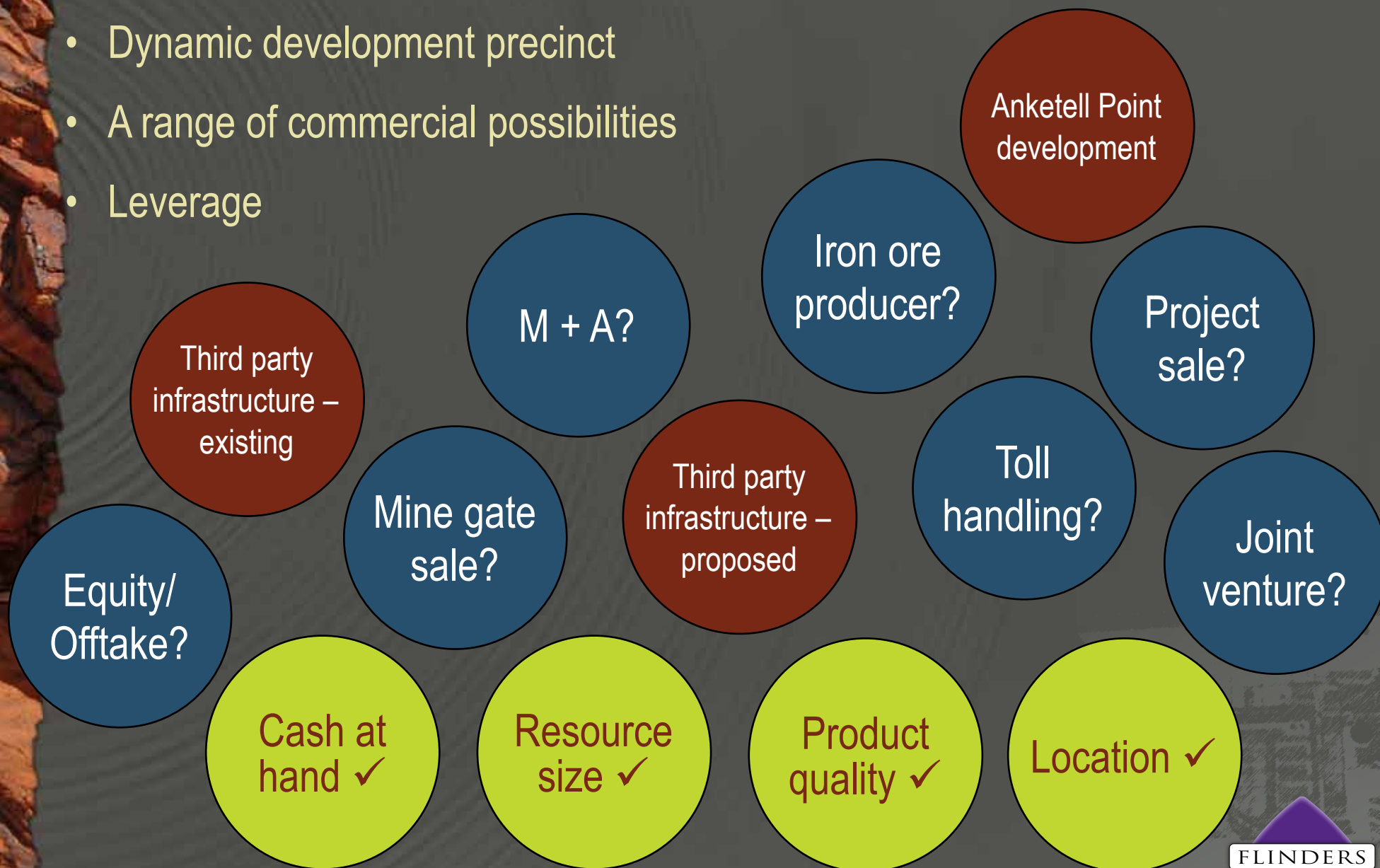
Future work and development timeline

- Progress infrastructure solution
- Drilling – further define the PIOP resource
- Complete optimisation studies ahead of any DFS decision
 - » CID metallurgical testwork
 - » sinter pot testwork program
 - » integrated mine planning study
 - » inter pit logistics optimisation
 - » value in use marketing study



Exploiting the resource

- Dynamic development precinct
- A range of commercial possibilities
- Leverage



Summary

- Economically and technically viable new Pilbara iron ore mine (NPV A\$2.2 billion)
- Low capex entry at 5 Mtpa – A\$488 million
- A\$25 billion revenue over 20 year mine life
- Decision on DFS by mid-2011
- Cash in bank at 3 March 2011 A\$42.2 million
- FMS to emerge as major Australian iron ore producer

