# **Quarterly Results**

September 2013



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## September Quarter Highlights



#### **Production**

- Significantly improved safety performance sustained over 15 months
- Strong start to FY14 with Group production of 107,195oz delivered at an average cash cost of A\$769/oz and AISC¹ of A\$1,091/oz – again achieving guidance
- Mt Carlton delivers an excellent first quarter of production 18,904oz of gold equivalent<sup>2</sup> at a cash cost of A\$578/oz and AISC of A\$842/oz
- Continued focus on cost reductions total site costs 6.8% less than June 2013 quarter
- Significant cost reductions at Cracow following move to owner-miner with unit mining costs now below A\$100/t – a 17% reduction

#### Corporate

- Maiden dividend payment gold-linked royalty style dividend policy
- Cash in bank at 30 Sept 2013 was A\$3.7M, with unsold concentrate (gold of 7,491oz, silver of 52,516oz and copper of 338t payable) with a market value of A\$14.5M and unsold gold doré of A\$8.7M
- Credit facility remained at A\$126.8M with available credit of A\$73.2M

<sup>1.</sup> ASIC (All-in sustaining costs) includes C1 cash cost plus royalty expense, sustaining capital expense, general corporate expenses and administration

<sup>2.</sup> Includes 18,018 ounces of gold produced from V2 in September quarter 2013 and an additional 886 ounces of gold equivalent from A39 as a reconciliation entry from June quarter 2013

### September Quarter Production



	Units	Sep Quarter 2013	Jun Quarter 2013	Mar Quarter 2013
Gold produced <sup>1</sup>	oz	107,195	112,559	84,251
By-product silver produced	OZ	234,259	81,211	62,024
C1 Cash Cost <sup>2</sup>	A\$/oz	769	762	918
C3 Total Cost <sup>3</sup>	A\$/oz	1,146	1,366	1,427
Gold sold	OZ	97,211	98,403	84,357
Achieved gold price	A\$/oz	1,475	1,494	1,573
Silver sold	OZ	670,530	383,851	62,024
Achieved silver price	A\$/oz	22	23	29
All-in Sustaining Cost <sup>4</sup>	A\$/oz	1,091	1,266	-

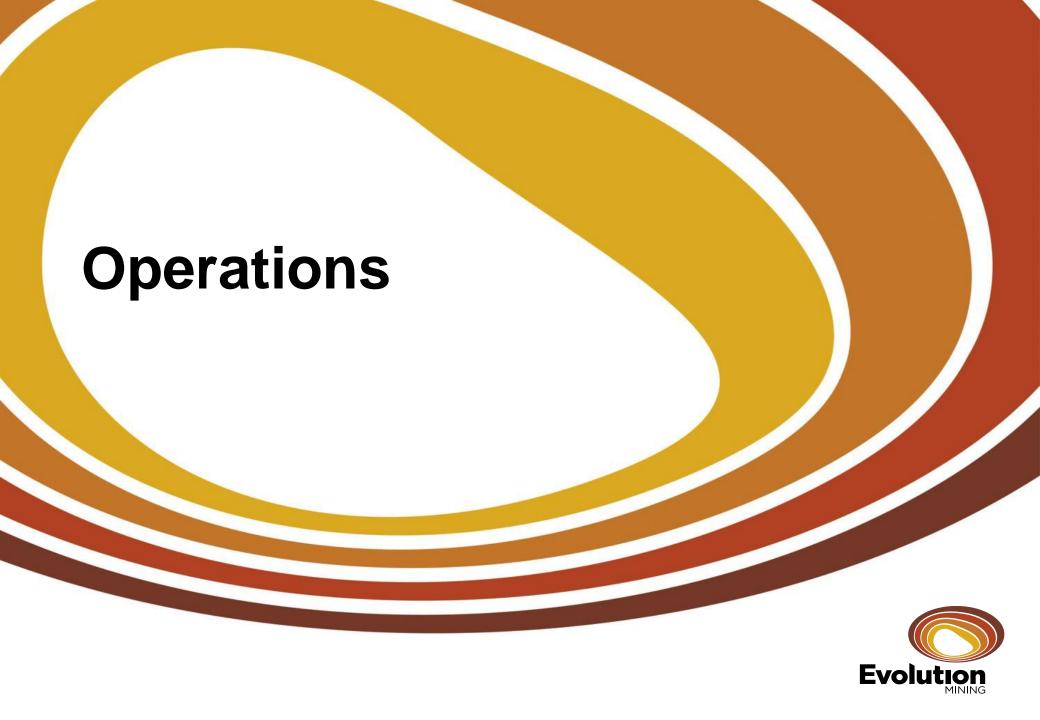
<sup>1.</sup> Mt Carlton gold production recorded as payable gold production. Silver production from the A39 silver deposit at Mt Carlton is recorded as gold equivalent using a gold to silver ratio of 1:61.7 for June quarter 2013 and 1:65.2 for September quarter 2013

#### A focus on higher margin ounces

<sup>2.</sup> Before royalties and after by-product credits

<sup>3.</sup> Includes C1 cash costs, depreciation, amortisation, royalties and other expenses

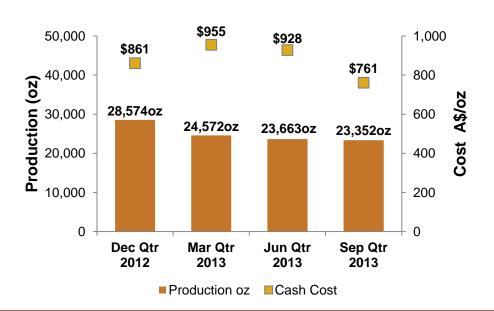
<sup>4.</sup> Includes C1 cash cost, plus royalty expense, plus sustaining capital, plus general corporate and administration. March entry omitted as this methodology of reporting commenced in the June quarter 2013



### **Cracow**



- Consistent gold production of 23,352oz (Jun qtr: 23,663oz)
- Cash cost of A\$761/oz, AISC of A\$1,085/oz (Jun qtr: C1 A\$928/oz, AISC A\$1,687/oz)
- Significant cost reductions due to full transition to owner-miner and planned reduction in underground development with unit mining costs now below A\$100/t – down from an average A\$121/t in FY13
- Development completed at Roses Pride new mining area now ready for full production
- 129,165t processed at 6.01g/t Au

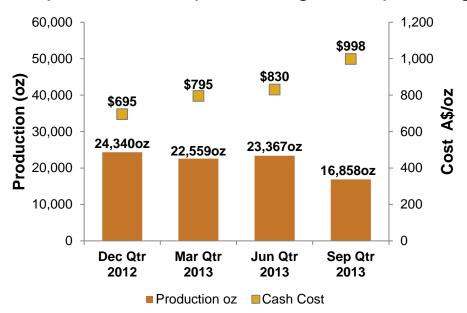




## **Pajingo**



- September quarter production of 16,858oz of gold
- Cash operating cost of A\$998/oz, AISC of \$A1,435/oz (Jun qtr: A\$830/oz, AISC A\$1,583/oz)
- Lower gold production due to a shift to campaign milling during the quarter and processing of remaining lower grade open pit stockpiled ore
- 22% increase in underground mined grade relative to the June quarter
- Improved cost base anticipated in December quarter as a result of changes in mining and optimisation of processing, mine planning and operations work



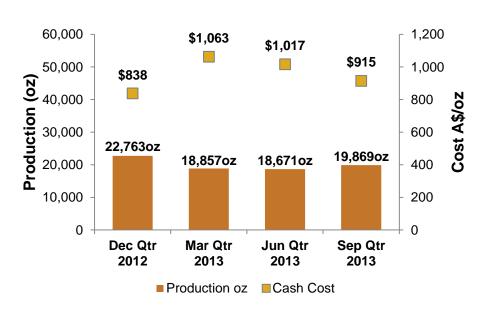


## **Edna May**



- Gold production of 19,869oz (Jun qtr: 18,671oz)
- Cash costs reduced to A\$915/oz, AISC A\$1,209/oz (Jun qtr: A\$1,017, AISC A\$1,259/oz)
- Total movement significantly reduced following a move to mining on day shift only in FY14
- 574,910t processed at 1.14g/t Au a 13% grade increase compared to June quarter
- Gold recovery of 94.4% (Jun qtr: 91.7%) improved recovery and higher grade anticipated to be maintained in the December quarter





### Mt Rawdon



- Gold production 28,213oz at a cash cost of A\$663/oz and AISC of A\$857/oz (Jun qtr: record 35,165oz, cash cost A\$468/oz, AISC A\$776/oz)
- Total material movement was below the June quarter, reflecting the revised stripping profile budgeted for FY14
- December quarter production to decrease slightly due to a major (100 hour) planned shutdown – completed successfully in October

Preparations well advanced for upcoming wet season

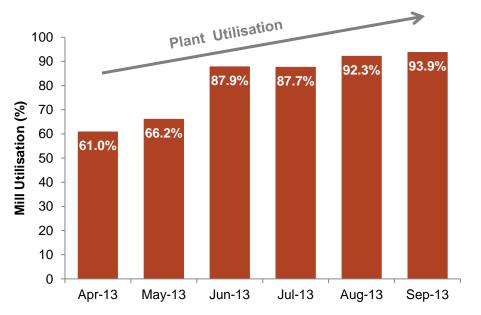


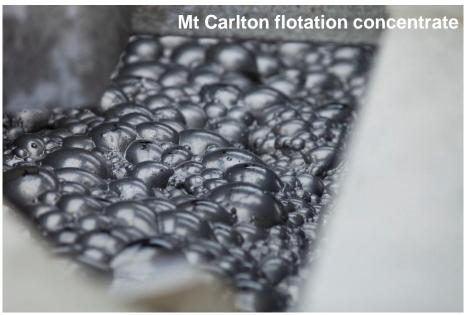


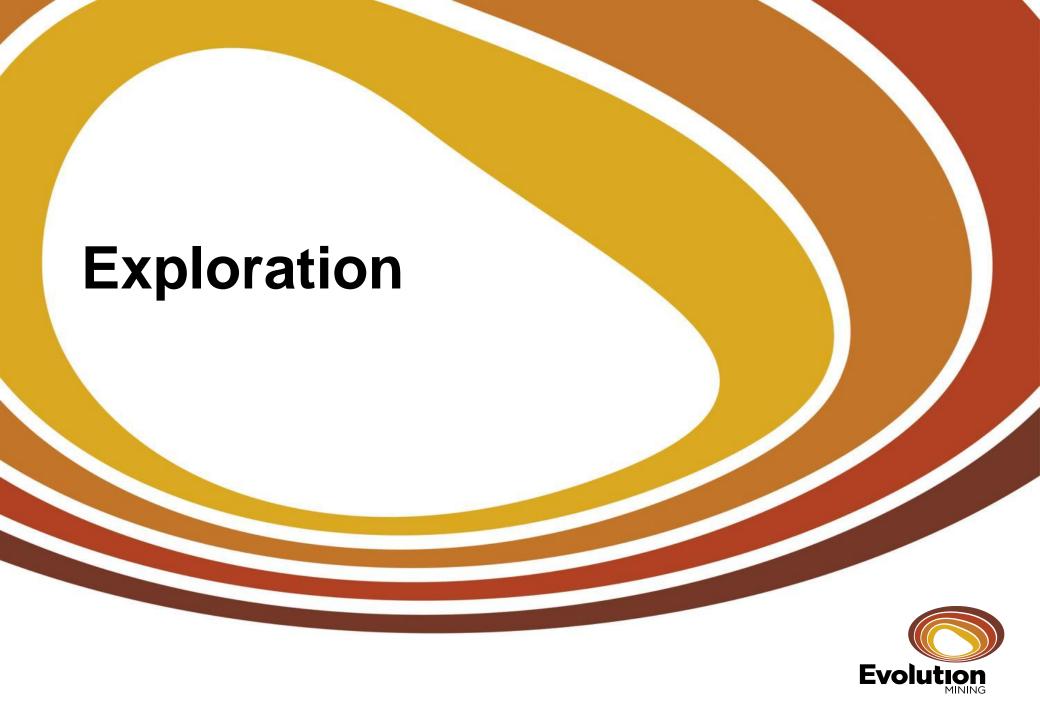
### Mt Carlton



- Excellent first quarter in commercial production from the V2 gold deposit 18,904oz payable gold at a cash cost of A\$578/oz and AISC of A\$842/oz
- Unit costs improved due to above anticipated by-product credits from silver and copper
- Average concentrate grade significantly above specification
- Concentrate shipments: 5,579wmt of A39 material dispatched three shipments
  8,010wmt of V2 material dispatched four shipments
- Both A39 and V2 concentrate successfully treated by off-take partners







## **Exploration Highlights**



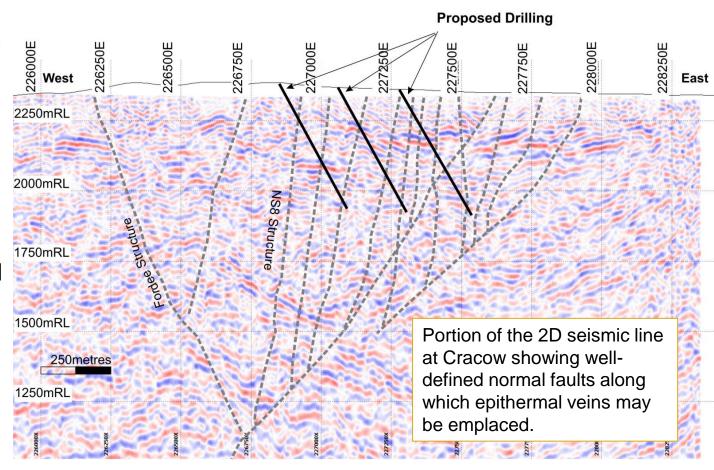
- 4D Studies Pajingo, Cracow, Mt Carlton
  - 3D geology model integrating time to optimise target selection
- High-resolution 2D seismic completed at Pajingo (23km) and Cracow (7.5km)
  - Imaged fault structures correlate to faults hosting epithermal mineralisation
- Edna May data discovery and analysis
  - Drill three top ranked targets in Q2
- Mt Rawdon re-evaluating the orebody model
  - Elevated grades in/around dacite intrusions
- Exploration drilling
  - Lynne-Moonlight integrating into 4D Study
  - Cracow extensions to Denmead and Empire



### **Exploration**



- Ahead of plan and under budget
- Considering 3D seismic survey
- 8,000 10,000m of drilling planned in the December quarter:
  - Proof of concept drilling – seismic targets at Cracow and Pajingo
  - New porphyry epithermal target at Mt Carlton



Exploring for transformational growth



### **Financials**



- Revenue from operations increased to A\$161M comprised of gold doré revenue of A\$130M and Mt Carlton concentrate revenue of A\$31M
- Gold sales of 97,211oz at an average price A\$1,475/oz
- Strong operating cash inflow from operating activities of A\$65.2M
- Maiden dividend payment of 1c / share: gold-linked royalty style dividend policy
- Gold hedge book increased to 225,684oz at A\$1,590/oz to underpin projected returns, self-fund near term capital expenditure and provide appropriate return on capital commitment
- Cash in bank at 30 September 2013 of A\$3.7M, unsold Mt Carlton concentrate (7,491oz Au, 52,516oz Ag and 338t Cu payable) with a market value of A\$14.5M and unsold gold doré with a market value of A\$8.7M
- Corporate debt remained unchanged at A\$126.8M with available credit A\$73.2M at 30
  September 2013
- Total capital expenditure was A\$47.3M 60% invested in mine development including A\$15.7M on waste stripping capital at Mt Rawdon

### **Evolution Mining**



- Operational stability and predictability
  - FY14 production and guidance maintained: 400,000 450,000 gold equivalent with cash operating costs in the range of A\$770 A\$820/oz
  - All-in Sustaining Cost range of A\$1,080 A\$1,130/oz
  - All-in Cost range of A\$1,300 A\$1,370/oz
  - In excess of 100,000oz gold equivalent forecast in December 2013 quarter
- Effective production efficiencies, capital discipline and cost reductions in response to a lower gold price environment
- Strong financial position
- Maiden dividend payment based on Evolution's gold-linked, royalty-style dividend policy
- Highly talented exploration team focused on transformational growth

# **Evolution Mining**

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## **Appendix - Production Summary**



September 2013 Quarter	Units	Cracow	Pajingo	Edna May	Mt Rawdon	Mt Carlton	Total / Average
UG lateral development - capital	m	426	758	-	-	-	1,183
UG development - operating	m	1,029	831	-	-	-	1,860
Total UG lateral development	m	1,454	1,589	-	-	-	3,043
UG ore mined	kt	134	80	-	-	-	214
UG grade mined	g/t	6.07	5.76	-	-	-	5.96
OP capital waste	kt	-	-	598	3,194	532	4,324
OP operating waste	kt	-	-	344	89	1,218	1,651
OP ore mined	kt	-	-	706	598	211	1,515
OP grade mined	g/t	-	-	1.08	1.19	3.69	1.49
Total ore mined	kt	134	80	706	598	211	1,728
Total tonnes processed	kt	129	153	575	905	171	1,932
Grade processed <sup>1</sup>	g/t	6.01	3.58	1.14	1.05	4.90	1.95
Gold recovery	%	93	96	94	92	85	92
Gold produced <sup>1</sup>	oz	23,352	16,858	19,869	28,213	18,904	107,195
By-product silver	OZ	14,010	16,529	8,082	22,527	230,878	292,026
By-product copper	t	-	-	-	-	490	490
Gold sold	OZ	23,577	18,807	17,861	26,764	10,203	97,211
Achieved gold price	A\$/oz	1,477	1,481	1,474	1,476	1,461	1,475
Cost Summary							
Mining	A\$/oz	468	373	325	125	403	325
Processing	A\$/oz	201	296	527	330	339	335
Administration and selling costs	A\$/oz	132	147	114	93	303	151
Stockpile adjustments	A\$/oz	(26)	204	(41)	134	(54)	44
By-product credits	A\$/oz	(14)	(23)	(10)	(19)	(414)	(86)
C1 Cash Cost	A\$/oz	761	998	915	663	578	769
Royalties	A\$/oz	89	79	55	71	126	83
Other <sup>2</sup>	A\$/oz	-	(65)	2	12	(46)	(15)
Depreciation & Amortisation	A\$/oz	335	219	203	405	329	310
Total Cost	A\$/oz	1,185	1,231	1,174	1,151	986	1,146

<sup>1.</sup> Gold equivalent is defined as gold plus payable silver from the A39 deposit at Mt Carlton. A39 silver production is converted to gold equivalent using a gold to silver ratio of 1:65.2 based on the average gold and silver prices during the September 2013 quarter

<sup>2.</sup> Price related inventory adjustment for stockpiles held at net realisable value

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Mt Carlton Exploration Results	David Hewitt	Australian Institute of Geoscientists	