



Investor Presentation – Q3 2015

The Conventional Californian Gas Play

Value Proposition



- AOC is an producer, explorer and developer of conventional gas assets onshore California:
 - Production: 55% WI in 8 conventional gas wells supplying California's gas market
 - Exploration/appraisal: Two multi-Tcf conventional gas plays in the proven 11 Tcf Sacramento Basin
- California is under-explored: 320 operators versus 4,700 in Texas
- California consumes 2.5 Tcf of gas annually and has significant energy shortages
- 90%+ of California's gas is imported at premium gas prices
- Excellent market dynamics in California – gas sells for Henry Hub + US\$0.40
- Likely upward price pressure on US natural gas when LNG exports commence 2015/16

Immediate objective: Acquire more high-yielding conventional gas production in California

A total focus on California

2.5 Tcf per year California gas demand

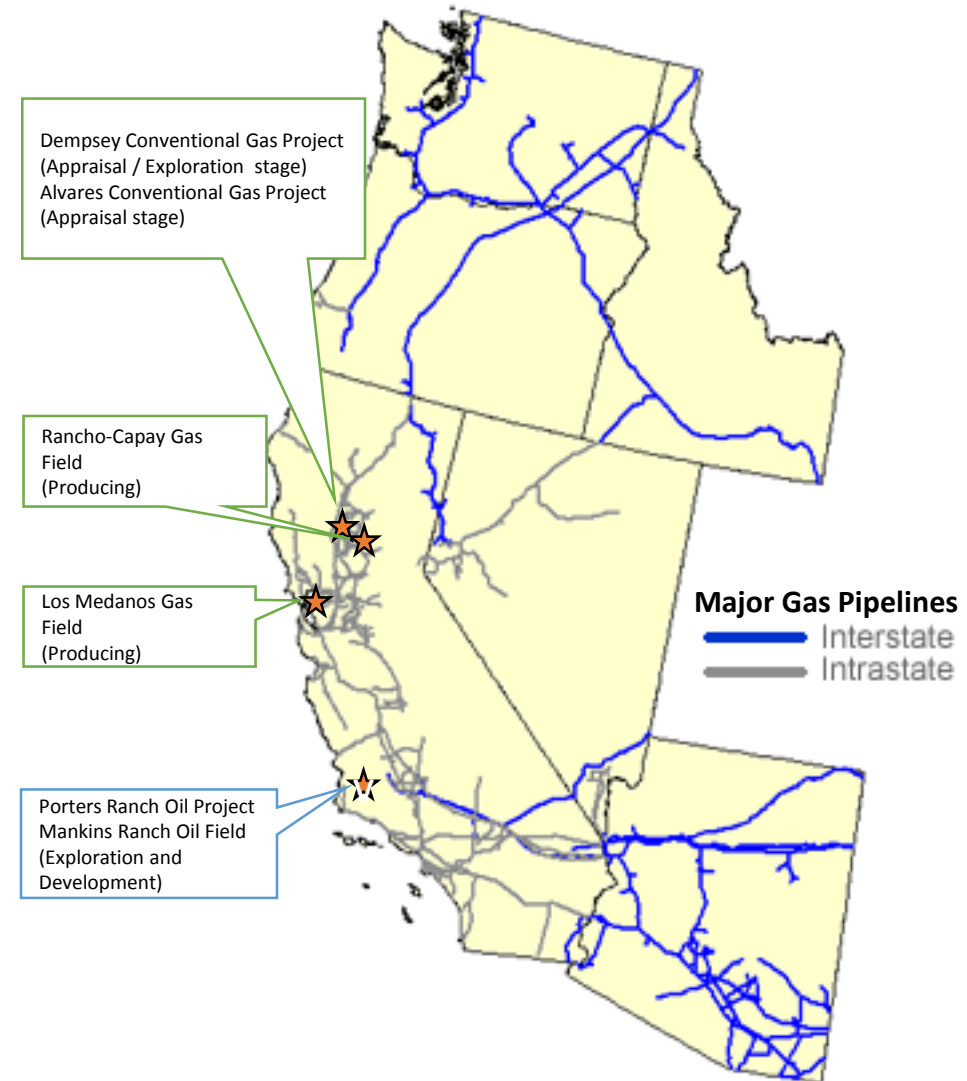
- California imports 90%+ of gas – the clean fossil fuel of choice
- Average 7.0 billion cubic feet (BCF) gas a day consumed
- At peak, approximately 11.0 billion cubic feet a day consumed
- Production is around 410 million cubic feet per day (< 6% of Californian gas market)
- Gas prices currently over US\$3 /mcf; (Henry Hub + ~US\$0.40)

Supply shortfall of 6.5 BCF/day

- An unparalleled opportunity to commence large-scale gas production with minimal lead time using existing pipelines

Underexplored Onshore Conventional Gas Basin

- Sacramento Basin has produced over 11 Tcf gas; 3.5 Tcf gas produced from Rio Vista field alone
- Largely underexplored - ~320 operators in California compared with ~4,700 in Texas



Asset overview

Producing Assets – Gas

Sacramento Basin

Rancho - Capay Gas Field (AOC 55% WI in 5 wells)	24,198 mcf gross June quarter 2015
Los Medanos Gas Field (AOC 55% WI in 3 wells)	17,058 mcf gross June quarter 2015

Exploration & Development - Gas

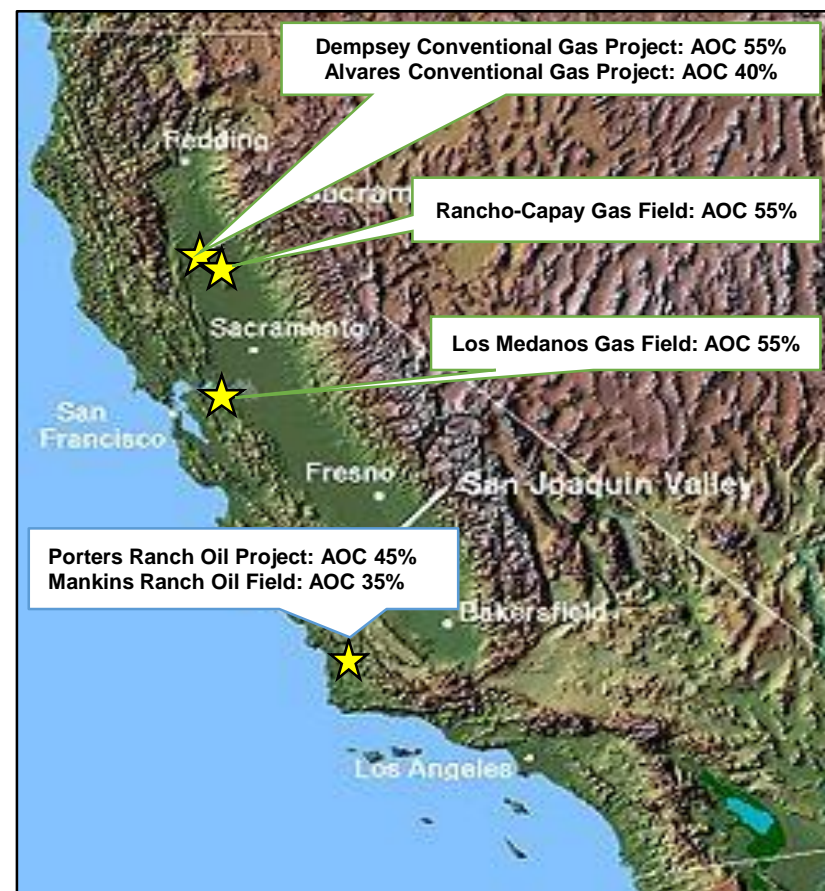
Sacramento Basin

Dempsey Conventional Gas Project (Multi-zone: Appraisal and Exploration stage)	1+ Tcf (>166 BOE) AOC 55% WI
Alvares Conventional Gas Project (Appraisal stage)	2.4+ Tcf (>400 BOE) AOC 40% WI

Exploration & Development - Oil

Santa Maria Basin (Huasna Sub-Basin)

Porter Ranch Oil Project	AOC 45% WI
Mankins Ranch Oil Field Project	AOC 35% WI



Strategy for growth

1. Acquire new conventional gas production in California now to increase revenue:

- Assessing single assets, fractional ownership, and asset packages
- Selective approach to acquisitions: yield and future liabilities key considerations

2. Sustainable exploration and project development based on scaled up production

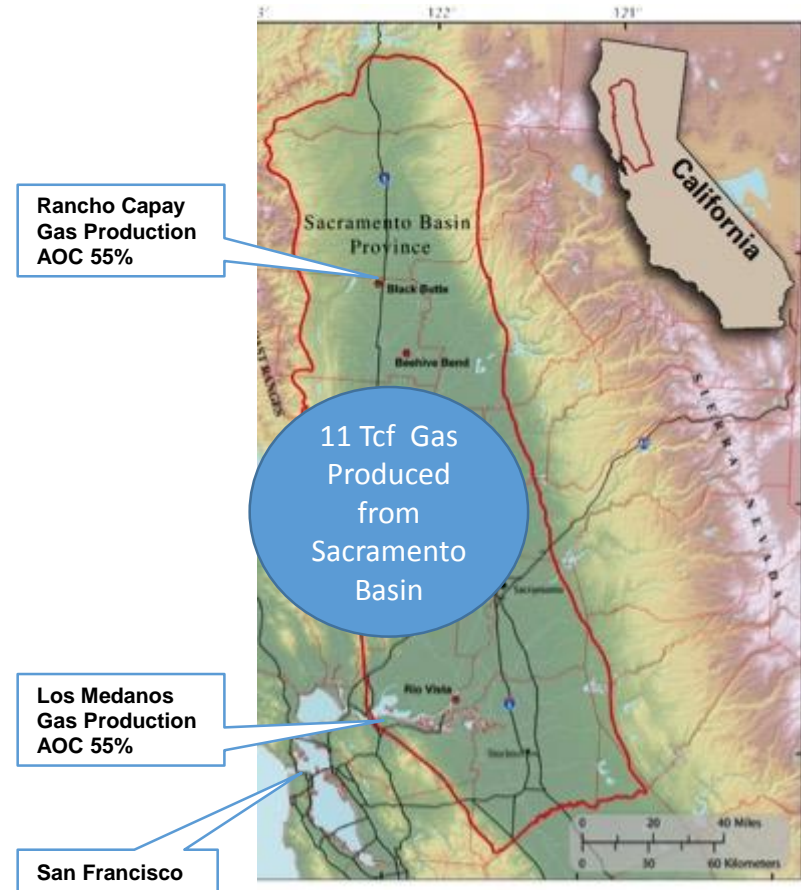
- Secure funding to drill Dempsey 1+ Tcf and/or Alvares 2.4+ Tcf conventional gas prospect/appraisal wells
- Acquire additional working interests in prospects prior to drilling
- Increase acreage over the most attractive analogue prospects to crystallise ‘early mover’ advantage
- Holding costs are negligible



Producing assets: Rancho Capay and Los Medanos gas fields

Revenue generated from producing wells in conventional gas fields

- Revenue of circa US\$100,000 per annum (net to AOC)
- 55% Working Interest (WI) in Sacramento Basin wells
- Five wells in Rancho Capay gas field + three wells in Los Medanos gas field
- Ability to expand production by workovers, acquiring more WI in existing wells or new wells in California
- Producing wells hold related leases without annual rentals for further appraisal and exploration
- Long-term and excellent relationship with very experienced Operator



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Revenue generated from producing wells in conventional gas fields

- Infrastructure in place: a **critical differentiator**
- Metering stations and other associated infrastructure present on both fields
- Ensures AOC can quickly bring new production to market
- Landowners are supportive of projects – also part-owners in resources through lease rentals and royalties on production



Los Medanos Production Facilities

Exploration: Dempsey Prospect - 1+ Tcf gas

Low-cost leverage to strong Californian gas demand

Appraisal and Exploration Well

- Multiple (7 mapped) independent Conventional Sandstone Reservoirs reduces risk
- Appraisal component for upper 3 reservoirs
- Drilling scheduled H2 2015
- Located within a gas unit from which AOC is producing and selling gas
- Short duration permit approval process underway
- Short monetisation time upon success – in situ metering and access to nearby pipeline
- Low operating cost base modelled to provide highly leverage returns



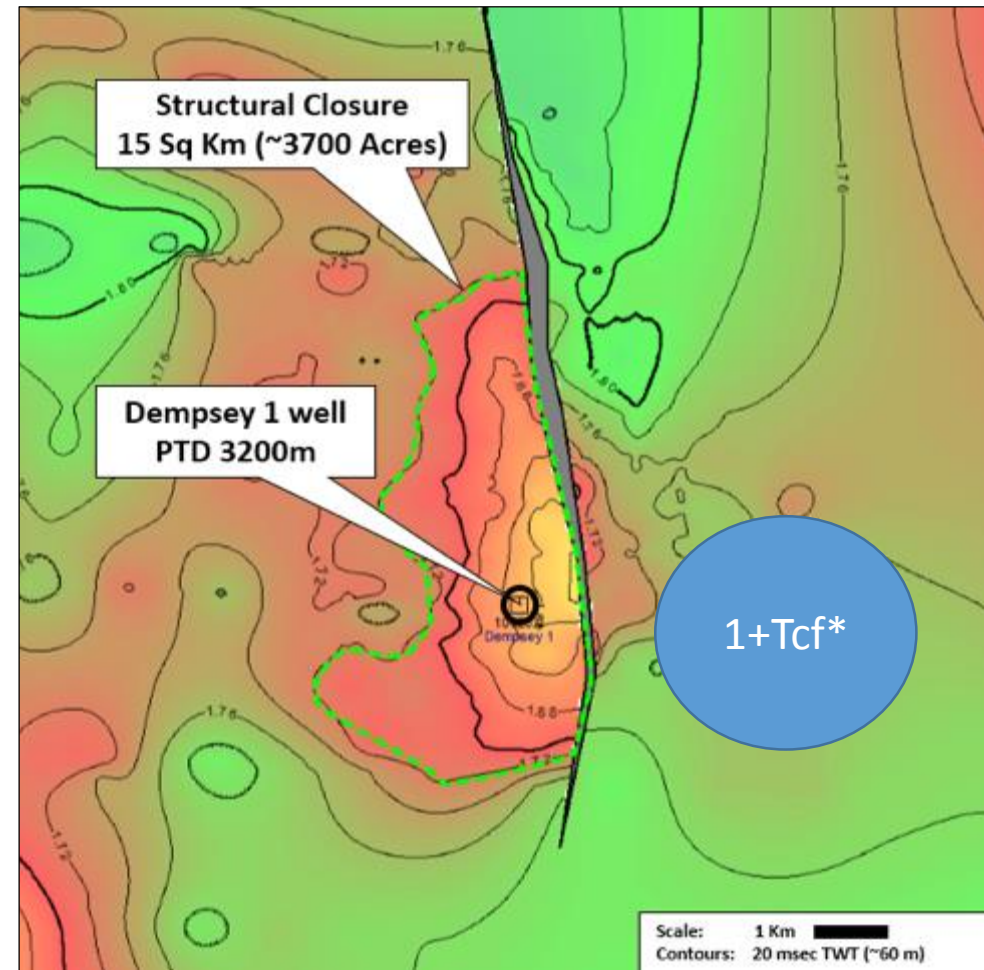
Immediate access to in situ production facilities

Exploration: Dempsey Prospect - 1+ Tcf gas

Multi-target conventional appraisal and exploration project under AOC gas production

- Independent Targets ranging from 1+ Bcf to 350+ Bcf (0.35 Tcf)
- Total (100%) un-risked recoverable prospective resource* on a best estimate basis:
1+ Tcf (> 167 million boe)
- Probability of success estimates from 40% to 10% (weighted average ~20%)
- Individual reservoirs from 80 acres to 3,900 acres - based on 3D and 2D seismic
- Leases:
 - AOC Working Interest 55%
 - High Net revenue interest

* Refer AOC ASX release 4 Sept 2014



Dempsey Prospect Structure Map

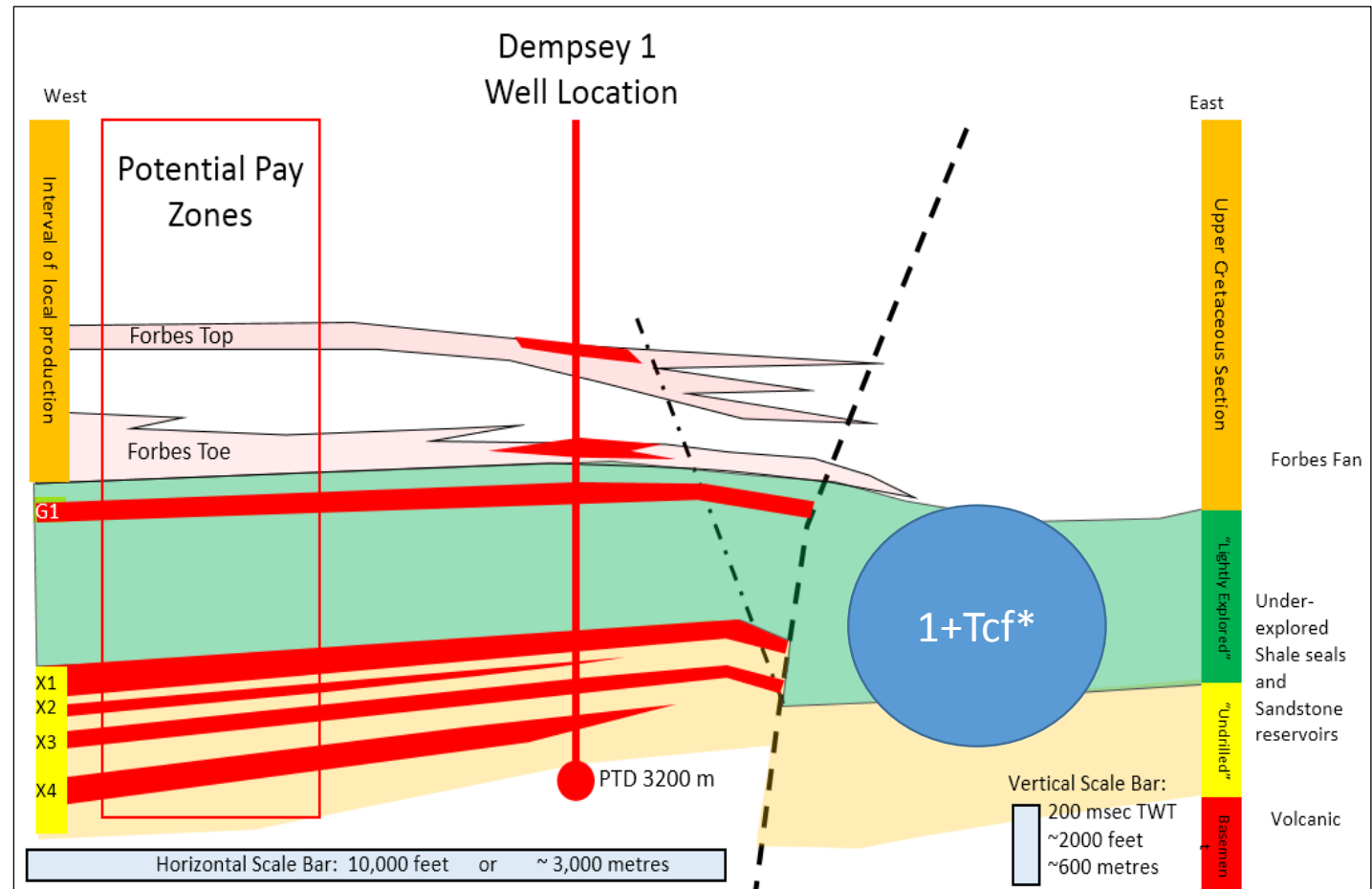
Exploration: Dempsey Prospect - 1+ Tcf gas



Dempsey Prospect Validation

- Working petroleum systems in under-explored parts of the Sacramento Basin.
- Supporting evidence includes reservoirs, seals, structuring, gas source and timing.
- Based on integrated well control, close-by rock outcrop, 2D and 3D seismic, gas shows and tests and core data, combined with basin production, basin modelling and industry assessments.

Schematic Cross Section illustrating 7 Conventional Reservoir Targets

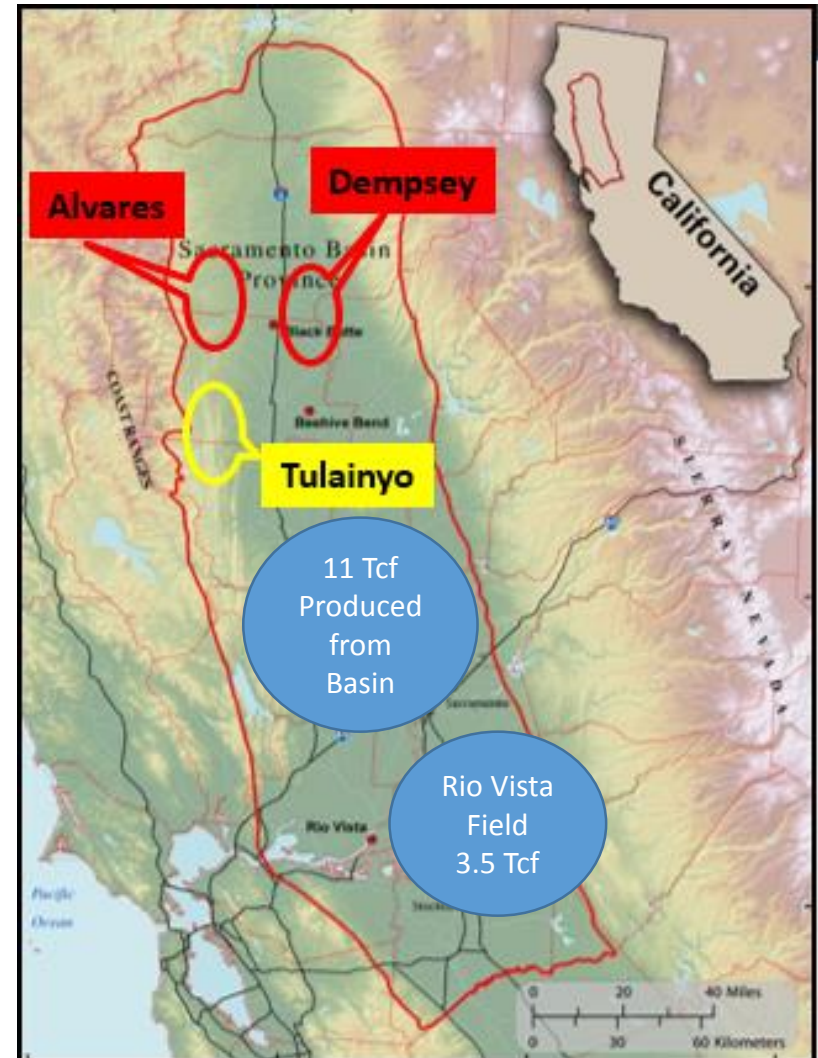


Appraisal: Alvares Gas Project - 2.4+ Tcf gas

Appraisal of a conventional sandstone reservoir, gas discovery

- 40% Working Interest in onshore Alvares Gas discovery drilled in 1982 when oil was the only target
- >1,500 metres of gas shows from 2,500 metres depth with pipeline quality gas flowing to surface
- Located close to large natural gas pipelines along Interstate 5 providing access to premium Californian gas market
- On trend with geologically similar, multi-Tcf Tulainyo Project mapped by Cirque Resources and involving California Resources Corporation (NYSE: CRC)
- Large Anticlinal structure covering > 10,000 acres
- Total (100%) un-risked recoverable prospective resource* on a best estimate deterministic basis: 2.4+ Tcf (~400 million boe)
- Alvares is interpreted to have a high probability (>60%) of flowing commercial quantities of gas, with a 10% -15% chance of 1+ Tcf gas

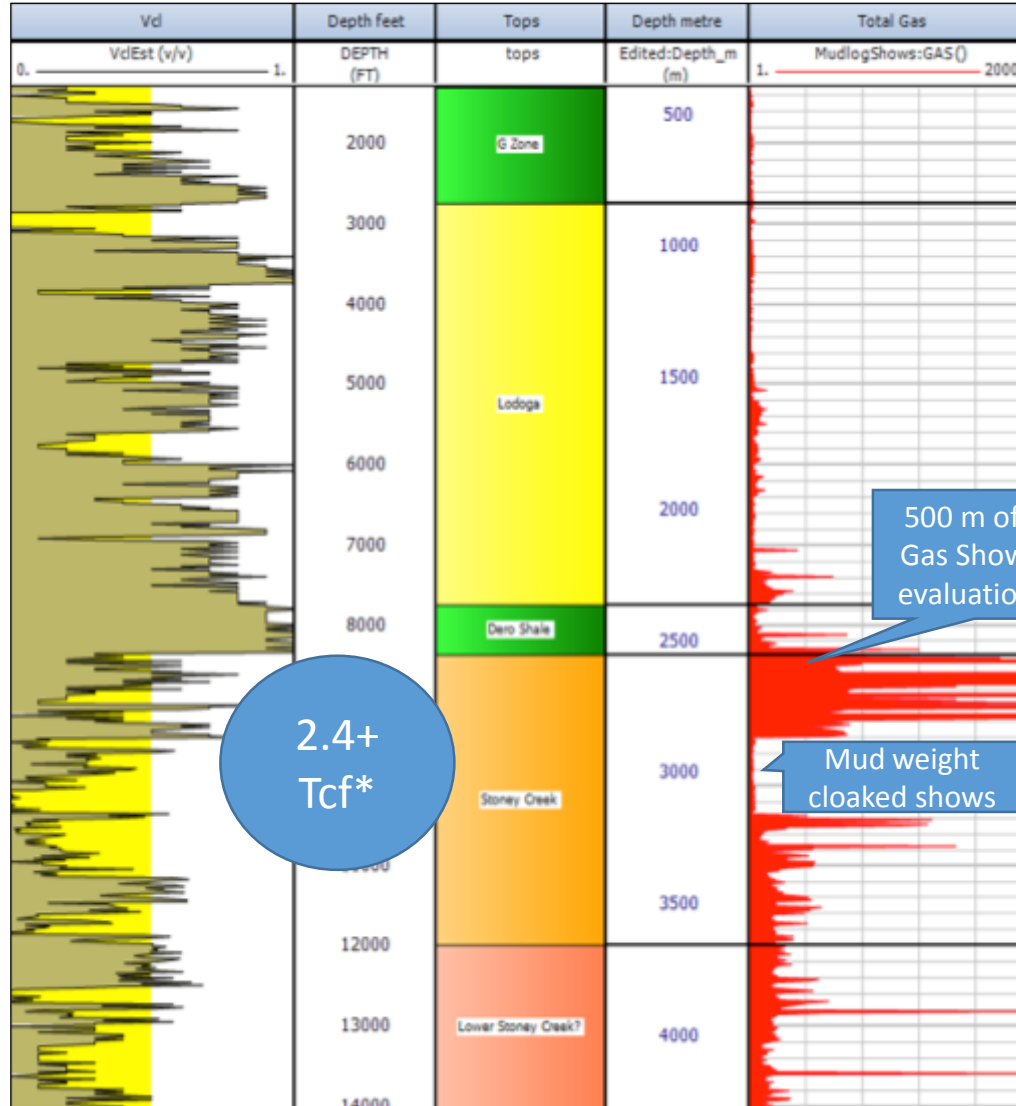
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Appraisal: Alvares Gas Project – Alvares #1 well summary

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Wet sands outside of closure (= Dempsey Prospect Reservoirs)

Thick Seal

Interpreted Gas Column with core and gas sample

In Summary



- Continue acquiring high-yielding assets to establish larger revenue base – a selective approach
- California has favourable market dynamics – very short of gas and commands premium pricing
- Multi-Tcf exploration/appraisal projects have large-scale gas production potential
- AOC's Board, Management and Operator have extensive and successful industry experience
- Low cash burn – Board and senior management being part paid in scrip
- Gas is the fossil fuel of choice in US with upward pricing pressure as demand increases and US LNG exports commence

Corporate snapshot

Corporate Snapshot	
ASX Code:	AOC
Cash (as at 30 June 2015):	\$600,000
Market Cap (@\$0.05/share):	\$5m
52 week high (\$/share):	\$0.21
52 week low (\$/share):	\$0.05
Shares on issue:	106.4m
Unlisted Options @\$0.25:	12m

Major Shareholders	
Board and Management	9.6%
HSBC Custody Nominees (Australia) Limited	7.7%
Nefco Nominees Pty Ltd	4.9%
Pemberly Group Pty Ltd	3.1%
Talex Investments Pty Ltd	2.8%
Queensland M M Pty Ltd	2.8%
Glenn Brown Pty Ltd	2.5%
Top 20 Shareholders	47.5%

Board & Management Team



Andrew Childs
Chairman



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Technical Director



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