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FOCUS MINERALS LTD

Interim Net Profits Beats Expectations

Focus Minerals Ltd ("Focus", "FML", "Company") recently reported a 1H FY2010 profit of \$4.9m, higher than our expectations of \$2.1m, mainly due to a \$1.5m gain in hedging we had not included, and lower than forecast D&A charges for 1H (\$4.9m actual vs \$6.4m Hartleys estimate). Reported EBITDA of \$10.0m was again higher than our expectations of \$8.7m, due mainly to the hedging benefit. Otherwise operating revenue and costs were very close to our expectations.

As the Company continues to improve production levels we expect that D&A will increase and as such we have increased our FY2010 D&A estimate from \$9.5m to \$13.5m. This has an effect of reducing our FY2010 NPAT from \$14.8m down to \$12.6m. Our FY2010 EBITDA forecast has however been increased to \$26.1m from \$24.1m.

Profitability being maintained during ramp-up

Focus has maintained its profitability whilst still in ramp up mode, which is a credit to the operations. We expect this profitability to increase as the Company puts more ore through its own Three Mile Hill plant. In addition to the obvious cost benefits of a larger plant, it will also give more flexibility in terms of treatment as well as smoothing cash flows following the toll treatment arrangements during 1H FY2010.

Modest Tweaks to Estimates

We have lowered our FY2010 and FY2011 NPAT estimates due to expected higher D&A expense. The Company's corporate overhead costs we conservatively expect to increase as the operations continue to ramp-up. We have also made minor adjustments to the forecast cash flows which have slightly increased our Coolgardie DCF₁₀ valuation. We continue to expect the Company to spend ~\$6.0m on exploration during the course of FY2010, which will increase to \$8m going forward. PP&E and development expenditure is forecast to be ~\$24.2m for the FY2010 and then decreasing to \$10m in the following years.

No Changes to Production Forecasts

The Company has maintained its production guidance for CY2010 of 80,000oz gold with the Three Mile Hill plant now fully operational. We maintain our FY2010 production forecast of ~70,000oz gold.

Retaining Speculative Buy Recommendation

We like the progress Focus has made on getting its Coolgardie assets online, and the fact that the refurbishment of the Three Mile Hill plant has now been completed. We expect production, and consequently profit to increase in 2H FY2010. Going forward, key to the Company's success will be steadily drilling out its large resource base to convert it into reserves, and therefore extend the mine life. We continue to rate Focus Mining Limited as a Speculative Buy.

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|--------------------------------|---------|
| Share Price | \$0.060 |
| Valuation | \$0.077 |
| Price Target (12 month) | \$0.084 |

Brief Business Description:

WA gold developer/producer

Hartleys Brief Investment Conclusion

Refurbishment of Three Mile Hill mill complete. Hedge-free and debt-free. Reserves and resources expanding.

Chairman & MD

Don Taig (Chairman)

Campbell Baird (CEO)

Top Shareholders - 30/10/2009

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|-------------------------------|-------|
| ANZ Nominees Limited | 11.4% |
| HSBC Custody Nominees Limited | 5.1% |
| National Nominees Limited | 4.4% |

Company Address

Level 10, 68 St Georges Terrace
Perth WA 6000

Issued Capital 2,863m
- fully diluted 2,932m

Market Cap \$171.8m
- fully diluted \$175.9m

Cash (31 Dec 09) \$7.5m

Debt (31 Dec '09) \$0.1m

EV \$164.4m

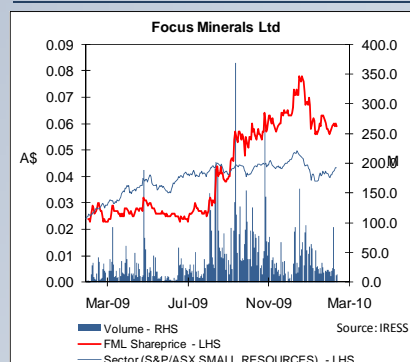
EV/Resource Oz \$87/oz

EV/Reserve Oz \$1053/oz

| | FY09a | FY10e | FY11e |
|----------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Prod (koz Au) | 41.4 | 69.9 | 100.9 |
| Op Cash Flw | 15.8 | 18.9 | 36.5 |
| NPAT | 3.1 | 12.6 | 16.2 |
| CF/Share (cps) | 0.5 | 0.9 | 1.0 |
| EPS (cps) | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.6 |
| P/E | 37.1 | 13.6 | 10.8 |

Resources (Moz Au) 1.89

Reserves (Moz Au) 0.16



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SUMMARY MODEL

| Focus Minerals Ltd | | | | | | Share Price | | | | | |
|--|--|------|---------|---------|---------|--------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| FML | | | | | | \$0.060 | | | | | |
| Key Market Information | | | | | | March 2010 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | Speculative Buy | | | | | |
| Share Price | | | | | | \$0.060 | | | | | |
| Market Capitalisation | | | | | | \$172m | | | | | |
| 52 Week High-Low | | | | | | \$0.08-\$0 | | | | | |
| Issued Capital | | | | | | 2862.5m | | | | | |
| Issued Capital (fully diluted inc. ITM options) | | | | | | 2932.4m | | | | | |
| Options | | | | | | 69.9m@\$A0.06 | | | | | |
| Hedging | | | | | | None | | | | | |
| Yearly Turnover/Volume | | | | | | \$458.8m/9,620.9m shares | | | | | |
| Liquidity Measure (Yearly Turnover/Issued Capital) | | | | | | 336% | | | | | |
| Valuation | | | | | | \$0.077 | | | | | |
| Financial Performance | | Unit | FY2009A | FY2010F | FY2011F | FY2012F | Company Information | | | | |
| Net Revenue | | A\$m | 44.6 | 76.3 | 114.3 | 140.2 | Directors | | | | |
| Total Costs | | A\$m | (29.9) | (50.1) | (77.7) | (93.0) | Company Information | | | | |
| EBITDA | | A\$m | 14.7 | 26.1 | 36.6 | 47.3 | Don Taig (Chairman) Level 10, 68 St Georges Terrace | | | | |
| Depreciation/Amort | | A\$m | (10.4) | (13.5) | (12.9) | (12.0) | Campbell Baird (CEO) Perth WA 6000 | | | | |
| EBIT | | A\$m | 4.3 | 12.6 | 23.7 | 35.3 | Christopher Hendricks (Non-Exec Director) Tel: +61 8 9215 7888 | | | | |
| Net Interest | | A\$m | (1.2) | (0.1) | 0.6 | 0.6 | Phil Lockyer (Non-Exec Director) Fax: +61 8 9215 7889 | | | | |
| Pre-Tax Profit | | A\$m | 3.1 | 12.6 | 24.3 | 35.9 | Web: www.focusminerals.com.au | | | | |
| Tax Expense | | A\$m | - | - | (7.3) | (10.8) | Top Shareholders -30/10/2009 | | | | |
| NPAT | | A\$m | 3.1 | 12.6 | 17.0 | 25.1 | m shares % | | | | |
| Abnormal Items | | A\$m | - | - | - | - | ANZ Nominees Limited 324.02 11.36% | | | | |
| Reported Profit | | A\$m | 3.1 | 12.6 | 17.0 | 25.1 | HSBC Custody Nominees Limited 145.23 5.09% | | | | |
| | | | | | | | National Nominees Limited 125.55 4.40% | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Mr Gul Chandiram Mahtani + Mr Aveen Gul Mahtani + Mrs I 52.00 1.82% | | | | |
| | | | | | | | JP Morgan Nominees Australia Limited 50.70 1.78% | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Comsec Nominees Pty Limited 46.02 1.61% | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Matador Mining Pty Ltd 40.00 1.40% | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Citicorp Nominees Pty Limited 39.70 1.39% | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Berne No 132 Nominees Pty Ltd 29.40 1.03% | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Nefco Nominees Pty Ltd 26.88 0.94% | | | | |
| Financial Position | | Unit | FY2009A | FY2010F | FY2011F | FY2012F | Reserves & Resources | | | | |
| Cash | | A\$m | 21.3 | 8.9 | 32.0 | 60.5 | Gold | | | | |
| Other Current Assets | | A\$m | 9.3 | 16.6 | 17.0 | 18.2 | Mt g/t Au Koz Attrib. | | | | |
| Total Current Assets | | A\$m | 30.6 | 25.6 | 49.0 | 78.8 | Coolgardie Gold | | | | |
| Property, Plant & Equip. | | A\$m | 11.6 | 30.8 | 36.0 | 41.1 | Reserves-Total Feb-10 2.02 2.4 156 156 | | | | |
| Exploration | | A\$m | 56.7 | 54.8 | 54.6 | 55.5 | Resources- Total Underground 3.68 5.3 623 623 | | | | |
| Investments/other | | A\$m | - | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | Resources- Total Open Cut 19.47 2.1 1,282 1,282 | | | | |
| Tot Non-Curr. Assets | | A\$m | 68.3 | 85.8 | 90.9 | 96.9 | Resources-Total Jan-10 23.05 2.6 1,895 1,895 | | | | |
| Total Assets | | A\$m | 98.9 | 111.4 | 139.9 | 175.6 | Reserves & Resources | | | | |
| Short Term Borrowings | | A\$m | (9.4) | (0.0) | (0.0) | (0.0) | Nickel | | | | |
| Other | | A\$m | (7.2) | (8.1) | (8.4) | (9.7) | Mt Ni% Kt Attrib. | | | | |
| Total Curr. Liabilities | | A\$m | (16.6) | (8.2) | (8.4) | (9.7) | Coolgardie Nepean Nickel | | | | |
| Long Term Borrowings | | A\$m | (0.1) | (0.1) | (0.1) | (0.1) | Inferred Resource- Total 0.59 2.2 13 13 | | | | |
| Other | | A\$m | (1.8) | (1.8) | (9.0) | (18.4) | | | | | |
| Total Non-Curr. Liabil. | | A\$m | (1.9) | (1.9) | (9.1) | (18.5) | | | | | |
| Total Liabilities | | A\$m | (18.4) | (10.0) | (17.5) | (28.2) | | | | | |
| Net Assets | | A\$m | 80.5 | 101.3 | 122.3 | 147.5 | | | | | |
| Cashflow | | Unit | FY2009A | FY2010F | FY2011F | FY2012F | Production Summary | | | | |
| Operating Cashflow | | A\$m | 15.8 | 18.9 | 36.5 | 47.4 | Unit | | | | |
| Income Tax Paid | | A\$m | - | - | - | (1.5) | FY2009A FY2010F FY2011F FY2012F | | | | |
| Interest & Other | | A\$m | (2.4) | 0.0 | 0.6 | 0.6 | *Attributable | | | | |
| Operating Activities | | A\$m | 13.3 | 18.9 | 37.0 | 46.6 | Payable Gold Metal 000oz 41 70 101 120 | | | | |
| PP&E + Development | | A\$m | (13.8) | (24.2) | (10.0) | (10.0) | Cash Cost \$A/oz 603 650 699 711 | | | | |
| Exploration | | A\$m | (5.2) | (6.0) | (8.0) | (8.0) | | | | | |
| Investments | | A\$m | 0.9 | (0.1) | - | - | | | | | |
| Investment Activities | | A\$m | (18.1) | (30.3) | (18.0) | (18.0) | | | | | |
| Repayment of Borrowings | | A\$m | (11.5) | (8.5) | - | - | | | | | |
| Equity | | A\$m | 32.8 | 8.7 | 4.0 | - | | | | | |
| Dividends Paid | | A\$m | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Financing Activities | | A\$m | 19.6 | (0.2) | 4.0 | - | | | | | |
| Net Cashflow | | A\$m | 14.9 | (11.6) | 23.0 | 28.6 | | | | | |
| Ratio Analysis | | Unit | FY2009A | FY2010F | FY2011F | FY2012F | Hedging | | | | |
| Cashflow Per Share | | A¢ | 0.5 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 1.3 | Unit | | | | |
| Cashflow Multiple | | X | 11.7 | 6.6 | 5.8 | 4.7 | FY2009A FY2010F FY2011F FY2012F | | | | |
| Earnings Per Share | | A¢ | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 0.9 | Total Forward Sales - Gold 000oz 32.0 9.4 - - | | | | |
| Price to Earnings Ratio | | X | 37.1 | 13.6 | 10.2 | 7.0 | Forward Gold Price \$A/oz 986 994 - - | | | | |
| Dividends Per Share | | A¢ | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Dividend Yield | | % | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Net Debt / Equity | | % | (0.1) | na | na | na | | | | | |
| Interest Cover | | X | 157.7 | na | na | - | | | | | |
| Return on Equity | | % | 4% | 12% | 14% | 17% | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Sensitivity Analysis | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Valuation (\$/s) NPAT EPS (¢) CFPS (¢) | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Base Case 0.077 12.6 0.4 0.9 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Exchange Rate +10% 0.058 7.9 0.3 0.7 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Exchange Rate -10% 0.101 18.2 0.6 1.1 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Gold Price +10% 0.098 17.7 0.6 1.1 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Gold Price -10% 0.056 7.5 0.3 0.7 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Operating Costs +10% 0.063 9.2 0.3 0.8 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Operating Costs -10% 0.091 15.9 0.6 1.0 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | *N.B. NPAT, EPS, CFPS forecasts are for FY2010 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Share Price Valuation (NAV) | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Est. \$m Est. \$/share | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Coolgardie (NPV @ 10%) 169.1 0.058 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Toll Treatment Revenue 10.0 0.003 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Nepean Nickel Asset 25.0 0.009 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Exploration 20.0 0.007 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Cash 7.5 0.003 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Forwards 0.0 0.000 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Corporate Overheads (NPV @ 3%) (14.6) (0.005) | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Total Debt (0.1) (0.000) | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Tax Losses 6.2 0.002 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Options & Other Equity 4.1 0.001 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | Total 227.1 0.077 | | | | |
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| Sources: IRESS, Company Information, Hartleys Research | | | | | | | | | | | |

Financials

FY2010 Total Cost adjustment through input of actual 1H figures, improvement of EBITDA to \$26.1m. Increase in D&A reducing NPAT down to \$12.6m (forecast).

Strong H1 FY2010 NPAT of \$4.9m, we expect a stronger H2 result for a forecast FY2010 profit of \$12.6m. This down on our previous result due to increased adjustments for D&A.

Fig. 1: Previous Financials

| Financial Performance | Unit | FY2009A | FY2010F | FY2011F | FY2012F |
|------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Net Revenue | A\$m | 44.6 | 76.8 | 113.8 | 139.7 |
| Total Costs | A\$m | (29.9) | (52.7) | (78.7) | (93.9) |
| EBITDA | A\$m | 14.7 | 24.1 | 35.1 | 45.7 |
| Depreciation/Amort | A\$m | (10.4) | (9.5) | (7.7) | (10.6) |
| EBIT | A\$m | 4.3 | 14.6 | 27.4 | 35.1 |
| Net Interest | A\$m | (1.2) | 0.2 | 0.9 | 1.3 |
| Pre-Tax Profit | A\$m | 3.1 | 14.8 | 28.3 | 36.4 |
| Tax Expense | A\$m | - | - | (8.5) | (10.9) |
| NPAT | A\$m | 3.1 | 14.8 | 19.8 | 25.5 |
| Abnormal Items | A\$m | - | - | - | - |
| Reported Profit | A\$m | 3.15 | 14.8 | 19.8 | 25.5 |

Fig. 2: Updated Financials

| Financial Performance | Unit | FY2009A | FY2010F | FY2011F | FY2012F |
|------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Net Revenue | A\$m | 44.6 | 76.3 | 114.3 | 140.2 |
| Total Costs | A\$m | (29.9) | (50.1) | (77.7) | (93.0) |
| EBITDA | A\$m | 14.7 | 26.1 | 36.6 | 47.3 |
| Depreciation/Amort | A\$m | (10.4) | (13.5) | (12.9) | (12.0) |
| EBIT | A\$m | 4.3 | 12.6 | 23.7 | 35.3 |
| Net Interest | A\$m | (1.2) | (0.1) | 0.6 | 0.6 |
| Pre-Tax Profit | A\$m | 3.1 | 12.6 | 24.3 | 35.9 |
| Tax Expense | A\$m | - | - | (7.3) | (10.8) |
| NPAT | A\$m | 3.1 | 12.6 | 17.0 | 25.1 |
| Abnormal Items | A\$m | - | - | - | - |
| Reported Profit | A\$m | 3.15 | 12.6 | 17.0 | 25.1 |

No change to Production Forecast

The Company has maintained its production guidance for CY2010 of 80,000oz gold with the Three Mile Hill plant now fully operational. We maintain our FY2010 production forecast of ~70,000oz, of which 21,841oz has been produced in 1H FY2010. Consequently we estimate that ~48,000oz of gold will be produced in 2H FY2010. The Company has reported the production of 14,500oz gold for 1Q 2010 already (as from the middle of February), a very encouraging start.

No change to production guidance or Hartleys estimates

Fig. 3: Production Summary FY

| Production Summary | Unit | FY2009A | FY2010F | FY2011F | FY2012F |
|--------------------|-------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| *Attributable 100% | | | | | |
| Payable Gold Metal | 000oz | 41 | 70 | 101 | 120 |
| Cash Cost | \$/oz | 603 | 650 | 699 | 711 |

Valuation

We have a sum of parts valuation for Focus of 7.7cps, which is dominated by our Coolgardie Gold DCF₁₀ valuation of 5.8cps. We see this valuation increasing over time via resource and reserve additions which should lead to an increase in mine life. The Company's current resource base is expected to grow and a 3-yr rolling reserve position is currently being targeted (~300koz).

*Valuation of 7.7cps with
12-month price target of
8.4cps.*

Sensitivity analysis indicates that the operation is highly leveraged to the USD:AUD exchange rate and gold price volatility. We have a 12 month price target of 8.4cps, which is a 12 month DCF₁₀ roll-forward.

*We recommend Focus
Minerals Ltd as a
Speculative Buy*

| Share Price Valuation (NAV) | Est. \$m | Est. \$/share |
|--------------------------------|--------------|------------------|
| Coolgardie (NPV @ 10%) | 169.1 | 0.058 |
| Toll Treatment Revenue | 10.0 | 0.003 |
| Nepean Nickel Asset | 25.0 | 0.009 |
| Exploration | 20.0 | 0.007 |
| Cash | 7.5 | 0.003 |
| Forwards | 0.0 | 0.000 |
| Corporate Overheads (NPV @ 3%) | (14.6) | (0.005) |
| Total Debt | (0.1) | (0.000) |
| Tax Losses | 6.2 | 0.002 |
| Options & Other Equity | 4.1 | 0.001 |
| Total | 227.1 | 0.077 |

Risks

Key risks for Focus include converting its relatively high resource base to reserves from multiple deposits and scheduling mine development to maintain mill throughput at 1.2mtpa. These risks can be mitigated somewhat by detailed drilling far in advance of mining, good geological understanding and good mine planning. It will also be important that the low grade open pit ore is blended with the higher grade ore from underground to maintain a consistent mill feed. Other risks are similar to those facing most mining companies including adverse movements in the gold price and exchange rates, cost escalation, skills shortages and the risks to the Company cash flow from only having a single operation.

HARTLEYS RESEARCH COVERAGE LIST

| Hartleys Research Coverage | | | | | Hartleys | |
|------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------|---------------|---------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Name | Ticker | Last Price* | M. CAP (A\$m) | EV (A\$m) | Research Recommendation | Industry |
| Oil & Gas | | | | | | |
| 1. Woodside Petroleum Ltd | WPL | 44.55 | 34,626 | 38,804 | Buy | Major |
| 2. Eastern Star Gas Ltd | ESG | 0.710 | 623 | 569 | Ceasing Coverage | Producer / Explorer |
| 3. Carnarvon Petroleum Ltd | CVN | 0.495 | 340 | 311 | Buy | Producer / Explorer |
| 4. Nexus Energy Ltd | NXS | 0.235 | 225 | 406 | Speculative Buy | Developer / Explorer |
| 5. Tap Oil Ltd | TAP | 0.945 | 148 | 88 | Buy | Producer / Explorer |
| 6. Cooper Energy Ltd | COE | 0.480 | 140 | 44 | Buy | Producer / Explorer |
| 7. Red Fork Energy Ltd | RFE | 0.830 | 114 | 86 | Buy | Explorer / Producer |
| 8. Strike Energy Ltd | STX | 0.270 | 89 | 81 | Buy | Explorer / Producer |
| 9. Amadeus Energy Ltd | AMU | 0.220 | 67 | 114 | Buy | Producer / Explorer |
| 10. Adelphi Energy Ltd | ADI | 0.280 | 41 | 34 | Speculative Buy | Junior |
| 11. First Australian Resources Ltd | FAR | 0.054 | 35 | 16 | Speculative Buy | Explorer / Producer |
| 12. Sun Resources NL | SUR | 0.080 | 27 | 18 | Speculative Buy | Explorer / Producer |
| 13. European Gas Ltd | EPG | 0.120 | 24 | 88 | Speculative Buy | Producer / Explorer |
| 14. Oilex Ltd | OEX | 0.091 | 20 | 0 | Neutral | Explorer / Producer |
| | Sub-Total | | 36,520 | 40,659 | | |
| Resources | | | | | | |
| 1. Riversdale Mining Limited | RIV | 8.22 | 1,549 | 1,281 | Speculative Buy | Coal |
| 2. Atlas Iron Limited | AGO | 2.150 | 961 | 785 | Buy | Iron Ore |
| 3. Western Areas NL | WSA | 4.87 | 871 | 1,050 | No Rating | Nickel |
| 4. Dominion Mining Limited | DOM | 2.670 | 276 | 294 | Speculative Buy | Gold |
| 5. Gold One International Limited | GDO | 0.260 | 209 | 152 | Buy | Gold |
| 6. Silver Lake Resources | SLR | 1.085 | 194 | 163 | Speculative Buy | Gold |
| 7. Jabiru Metals Limited | JML | 0.345 | 191 | 165 | Buy | Zinc-Copper |
| 8. Focus Minerals Ltd | FML | 0.060 | 171 | 163 | Speculative Buy | Gold Producer |
| 9. Magma Metals Limited | MMB | 0.700 | 114 | 94 | Speculative Buy | PGM-Cu-Ni |
| 10. Intrepid Mines Limited | IAU | 0.265 | 113 | 66 | Speculative Buy | Gold |
| 11. Peninsula Minerals Ltd | PEN | 0.047 | 65 | 56 | Speculative Buy | Uranium Developer / Explorer |
| 12. Emmerson Resources Limited | ERM | 0.200 | 41 | 28 | Speculative Buy | Junior Explorer |
| 13. Shaw River Resources Limited | SRR | 0.180 | 36 | 29 | Speculative Buy | Junior Explorer |
| 14. YTC Resources Limited | YTC | 0.190 | 31 | 19 | Buy | Junior Explorer |
| 15. Ausquest Limited | AQD | 0.125 | 28 | 2 | Speculative Buy | Junior Explorer |
| 16. Ferrum Crescent Limited | FCR | 0.165 | 26 | 24 | Speculative Buy | Iron Ore |
| 17. Orion Gold NL | ORN | 0.034 | 25 | 22 | Speculative Buy | Gold |
| 18. Impact Minerals Limited | IPT | 0.185 | 22 | 18 | Speculative Buy | Junior Explorer |
| 19. Hazelwood Resources Ltd | HAZ | 0.190 | 19 | 15 | Speculative Buy | Junior Explorer |
| 20. Southern Gold Limited | SAU | 0.110 | 15 | 11 | Speculative Buy | Junior Explorer |
| | Sub-Total | | 4,876 | 4,372 | | |
| Industrials | | | | | | |
| 1. West Australia New s Hdgs Ltd | WAN | 7.33 | 1,699 | 1,973 | Buy | Media |
| 2. Monadelphous Group Limited | MND | 14.630 | 1,259 | 1,127 | Buy | Mining Services |
| 3. Macmahon Holdings Limited | MAH | 0.755 | 554 | 526 | Buy | Mining & Civil Construction |
| 4. Clough Limited | CLO | 0.800 | 544 | 604 | No Rating | Oil & Gas Services |
| 5. Mermaid Marine Australia Ltd | MRM | 2.620 | 488 | 622 | Buy | Oil & Gas Services |
| 6. Austal Limited | ASB | 2.36 | 444 | 455 | Speculative Buy | Capital Goods |
| 7. Ausdrill Limited | ASL | 2.02 | 423 | 644 | Buy | Mining Services (Drilling & Mining) |
| 8. Fleetwood Corporation | FWD | 7.800 | 415 | 408 | Neutral | Consumer & Mining Services |
| 9. NRW Holdings Ltd | NWH | 1.40 | 350 | 415 | Buy | Mining & Civil Construction |
| 10. Cash Converters Limited | CCV | 0.680 | 247 | 204 | Buy | Retail & Consumer Finance |
| 11. Neptune Marine Ltd | NMS | 0.420 | 183 | 195 | Neutral | Oil & Gas Services |
| 12. Decmil Group Limited | DCG | 1.42 | 173 | 151 | Buy | Mining & Civil Construction |
| 13. Southern Cross Electrical | SXE | 1.270 | 154 | 137 | Speculative Buy | Mining Services (Electrical) |
| 14. Lycopodium Limited | LYL | 3.320 | 128 | 113 | Buy | Mining & Industrial Services |
| 15. RCR Tomlinson Ltd | RCR | 0.920 | 121 | 165 | Buy | Mining & Industrial Services |
| 16. Index Ltd | IMD | 0.605 | 117 | 139 | Buy | Oil & Gas / Mining Drilling |
| 17. Swick Mining Services Ltd | SWK | 0.410 | 97 | 146 | Speculative Buy | Mining Services (Drilling) |
| 18. VDM Group Limited | VMG | 0.445 | 94 | 126 | Buy | Mining & Civil Construction |
| 19. LogiCamms Limited | LCM | 1.05 | 63 | 53 | Buy | Resource Services |
| 20. Nomad Building Solutions Ltd | NOD | 0.250 | 35 | 58 | Neutral | Residential & Mining Services |
| | Sub-Total | | 7,587 | 8,262 | | |
| | GRAND TOTAL | | 48,983 | 53,293 | | |

Source: IRESS, Hartleys Research. * 9 Mar 2010

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