LITHIUM IONIC

The Next Significant Lithium Producer in Brazil's "Lithium Valley"

We are advancing a long-life, low-cost lithium operation with near-term production of high-quality spodumene concentrate to support the global EV and battery supply chains.

Investment Opportunity

+14,000 ha within the "Lithium Valley", in the mining-friendly state of Minas Gerais, Brazil

> +300 mines operating in Minas Gerais, a state with a highly efficient and expeditious permitting process

Established lithium-producing district provides strong "proof of concept"

Flagship project located <4km from lithium producer Sigma Lithium (270ktpa) and CBL's lithium mine (36ktpa)

Existing Infrastructure

Our projects are located close to existing infrastructure, incl. roads, water, hydroelectric power and commercial ports – offering potential to significantly reduce CAPEX/OPEX compared to peers.

PEA: Strong Foundation for Growth

Initial Phase (Bandeira): Post-tax NPV8% of \$1.6B; IRR of 121%; 20-year mine life producing 217,700tpa of high-quality spodumene concentrate (5.5% Li2O)

Proven Brazilian Team

+80 years of cumulative experience in exploration and mining in Brazil; Proven track record of permitting and developing mining projects.

Rapid Development to Production

Definitive Feasibility Study expected in early 2024; Completion of an EIA expected in H1 2024; Construction permits expected mid-2024. All LTH projects granted "Priority Status" by Minas Gerais State. TSXV: LTH OTCQX: LTHCF FSE: H3N







Growing Demand for Lithium

Lithium is crucial to the energy storage sector and to the global energy transition.

The price of lithium carbonate (LCE), the raw material used in lithium-ion batteries, soared in 2022 from a 5-yr avg. of ~\$14,000/t to +\$80,000/t.

According to Benchmark Minerals Intelligence, demand for LCE is set to increase to 2.4Mt in 2030, compared with around 600,000t in 2022.

Mineral Resource Estimate

(June & Oct 2023)

Measured & Indicated:

16.69Mt grading 1.41% Li₂O (582,098t LCE) Inferred:

16.21Mt grading 1.34% Li₂O (538.486t LCE)

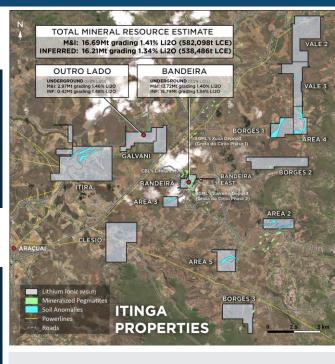
Preliminary Economic Assessment

(October 2023)

Near-term production of high-quality, low-cost lithium concentrate.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Post-tax NPV: \$1.6B (~C\$2.2B); IRR: 121%
- Mine life: 20 years
- LOM production: 217,700tpa of high-quality spodumene concentrate at 5.5% Li2O ("SC5.5") equivalent
- Underground mine with a low environmental footprint
- Annual throughput: 1.3Mtpa
- Payback: 14 months
- CAPEX: **\$233M** (incl. 25% contingency)
- Pre-tax free cash flow: \$243M/yr
- All-in OPEX: \$349/t SC5.5



Corporate Overview

Share Price (1/14/2024) **Shares Outstanding** Market Capitalization Cash Balance (Dec. 2023) C\$1.34 138,185,554 C\$185 Mil ~C\$10 Mil

Research Coverage



CLARUS

Desjardins

STIFEL GMP

BMO



Upcoming Catalysts

Drilling begins at Bandeira Lithium Ionic begins trading on the TSXV Initial met test work complete

> Acquisition of **Neolit Minerals** (Salinas Properties)

50,000m drill program to upgrade/expand resources

Bandeira:

Application for the Concomitant Environmental and Installation License ("LAC", or Licença Ambiental Concomitante)

> Bandeira Definitive Feasibility Study underway by SNC Lavalin; Completion target

> > Salinas: Initial MRE

Bandeira: EIA completion target

Lithium Ionic continues to assess and consolidate prospective lithium properties in the "Lithium Valley" of Brazil 14,182ha мау 2022 **1.300ha**

> Bandeira LAC approval/Construction

permit expected

2024 2022 2023

Maiden MRE

PEA and updated MRE for Bandeira

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^{*} See press release dated June 27 and Oct. 19, 2023