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Arizona Mining Inc.

Increasing price target following successful step out drilling

Our view: We have increased our price target as successful step out drilling demonstrates the potential to expand the resource. We see further share price upside with an aggressive exploration program underway to provide catalysts and the zinc price is rallying.

Key points:

Price target to \$3.00

- We have increased the scale of the operation and resource assumption in our model which took our NAVPS to \$3.74 from \$2.53. We now model an underground operation that ultimately ramps up to 10,000tpd based on an 80Mt resource. This is up from our prior assumptions of 6,000tpd and 39Mt (the current resource size) following successful step out drilling which we believe demonstrates the potential for a meaningful resource increase.
- Our \$3.00 target price is based the average of 0.7x our NAVPS estimate and an EV/lb valuation. Our NAV multiple reflects the early stage nature of the project and is inline with peers. We continue to use a \$0.03/lb ZnEq EV/lb multiple which reflects the current trading range and recent transactions and resulting in an EV/lb target of \$3.17.
- The average pre-production base metals transaction over the past 2 years was done at \$0.29 ZnEq which would imply a \$1.25 AZ share price based on the current resource of 39Mt (or \$2.32 based on a 80Mt resource), while the recent Nevsun-Reservoir transaction was done at \$0.08 ZnEq which would imply an AZ share price of \$3.08 based on 39Mt (or \$6.03 based on 80Mt).

2016 Drilling Program Showing Potential to Grow Deposit

- The 2016 exploration program has returned several high grade intercepts which are step out holes from the current resource and above the resource grade of 11% ZnEq (see page 3). Highlights include 18.7m at 38% zinc equivalent and in a stepout hole 253m to the west with 17.4m at 49% ZnEq in a step out hole to the south west.
- Funded for 2016: The company recently raised C\$16M from Osisko Gold Royalties and C\$18M in a private placement to fund the 2016 drill campaign.
- Scale of the deposit supports a meaningful zinc project: Zinc remains our preferred base metal and the prices have begun to rally. The Taylor deposit has a sizable resource of 39.4 Mt at a relatively high grade of 11% ZnEq which places it in the top 20% of zinc deposits globally for metal content. We believe the deposit would support a large scale underground mine, assuming infill drilling confirms grade continuity. Initial metallurgical testing indicates a clean concentrate could be produced using standard flotation and the geometry appears to support bulk underground mining.

Outperform Speculative Risk

TSX: AZ; CAD 1.86

Price Target CAD 3.00 ↑ 2.00

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Scenario Analysis*

4	Downside Scenario	Current Price	Price Target	Upside Scenario	
	0.25	1.86	3.00	4.00	
	↓ 87%		† 61%	† 115%	

*Implied Total Returns

Key Statistics

Shares O/S (MM):	262.5	Market Cap (MM):	488
Dividend:	0.00	Yield:	0.0%
NAVPS:	3.74	P/NAVPS:	0.50x
		Avg. Daily Volume:	305.208

RBC Estimates

FY Dec	2015A	2016E	2017E	2018E
EPS, Adj Diluted	(0.01)	0.00	0.00	0.00
P/AEPS	NM	NM	NM	NM
CFPS, Adj Diluted	(0.01)	0.00	0.00	0.00
P/CFPS	NM	NM	NM	NM

Management and Insiders own ~40% of the shares All market data in CAD; all financial data in USD; dividends paid in CAD.

Target/Upside/Downside Scenarios

Exhibit 1: Arizona Mining Inc.



Source: Bloomberg and RBC Capital Markets estimates for Upside/Downside/Target

Target price/base case

Our base case and target price C\$3.00 is based on the average of 0.7x our NAVPS estimate of C\$3.74 and an EV/lb multiple of U\$0.03/lb. Our base case assumes an underground operation starting at 6,000 tpd with initial capex of \$500MM ramping up to 10,000tpd with \$200MM of expansion capital. We also use long term price assumptions of US\$1.00/lb zinc, US\$0.85/lb lead, US/CAD of 0.80, and an 8% discount rate. We also assign a nominal value for the Central silver-manganese Deposit.

Upside scenario

Our C\$4.00 upside scenario assumes grades are 10% higher which could be the case if a higher grade section of the deposit can be delineated and selectively mined.

Downside scenario

Our downside scenario of C\$0.25 assumes that the permitting timeline is longer than expected. In this case, we value both projects on an in-situ basis at \$0.005/lb ZnEq for Taylor and \$0.10/oz Ag for the Central Project.

Investment summary

Sizable resource with exploration potential: The Taylor Deposit currently has a resource of 39Mt at high grades of 11% ZnEq, which would rank in the top 20% globally in terms of zinc content. We believe there is significant upside potential for this resource to increase, with a drilling program planned in H1/16 and PEA expected in H2/16.

Patented mining claims provide visible path to permitting: Exploration and exploitation of the Taylor Deposit is expected to occur exclusively on patented mining claims on private lands. Management believes this would require only permitting at the state level, which would provide a more viable path to permitting.

A longer dated opportunity but production is well-timed: While the Taylor Project remains a longer dated opportunity, with our estimate of first production in 2021E, we believe the project is well-timed to help fill a growing deficit in the zinc market, which should provide support for strong pricing.

Key Risks

We rate the shares Speculative Risk:

- Exploration risk: The initial inferred resource was based on only 25 drill holes and a considerable amount of infill drilling would be required to prove the continuity and grade of the deposit.
- Permitting Risk: Other projects in Arizona have had issues with permitting, notably Hudbay's Rosemont project. However, we believe the fact that Taylor would likely be an underground mine and the project could possibly be entirely on patented land, which has a simpler permitting process, could make permitting more manageable than a larger open pit project.
- Financing risk: Additional financing would be required to move the project through feasibility, permitting, and construction.
- Metal price volatility: Arizona Mining, like all of the companies in our universe, is exposed to variations in metal prices.

Potential Catalysts

- H2/16: Exploration drilling program
- H1/17: Resource update and PEA for Taylor deposit
- Ongoing: Permitting and financing updates

Drill results to date support our thesis for significant potential resource growth

The 2016 exploration program has returned numerous high grade intercepts to date that have been well above the current resource grade of 11% ZnEq (4.5% Zn, 4.5% Pb). We list highlights from drill results to date (Exhibit 2), along with the updated drill map (Exhibit 3). Of note is that recent drilling has encountered significant copper mineralization in HDS-348, while a recent step out hole targeting the unpatented land claims (HDS-350) has encountered further high grade mineralization, suggesting the potential for continuity of the deposit. Further drilling on the unpatented land is expected in the latter part of H2/16.

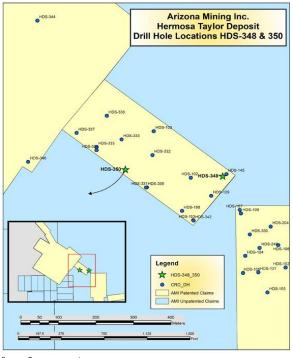
Exhibit 2: Summary of step out drilling results well above resource grade of 11% ZnEq

Summary from the 2016 exploration drilling program:

	Grade												
	Cu	Zn	Ag	Ag Pb		Length							
	%	%	g/t	%	%	m							
HDS-338	0.28%	11.8%	319.5	17.3%	37.3%	18.7							
HDS-339	0.17%	22.7%	302.4	23.1%	52.9%	17.4							
HDS-340	1.09%	3.0%	316.1	22.7%	35.5%	9.1							
HDS-342	0.86%	14.2%	123.1	10.2%	29.1%	14.5							
HDS-342	0.20%	7.9%	396.0	5.7%	24.3%	15.4							
HDS-341	0.18%	2.0%	62.0	3.1%	7.0%	10.2							
HDS-344	0.04%	4.6%	87.0	5.5%	12.2%	11.9							
HDS-348	1.50%	8.8%	953.0	6.1%	43.6%	9.4							
HDS-350	0.20%	19.0%	76.0	11.1%	31.9%	19.4							

Source: Company reports, RBC Capital Markets

Exhibit 3: Drill location map on the Taylor Deposit

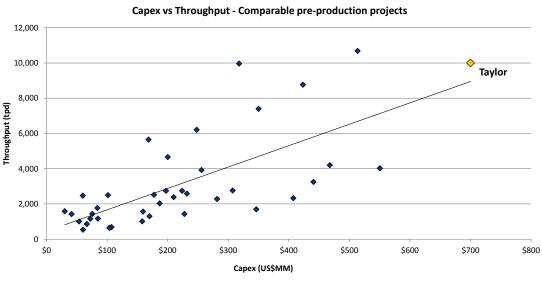


Source: Company reports

Adjusting our estimates for a larger operation

With drill results to date demonstrating the potential for a significantly larger resource, we have updated our estimates to account for an operation of comparable size and scale. We have adjusted our estimates to model a 10Ktpd operation (previously 6Ktpd), with a three year ramp up period and first production in 2021E, getting to full scale production by 2023E. Accordingly, we have increased our capital estimate to \$700M (from \$500M), which is relatively conservative versus other comparable pre-production zinc projects (Exhibit 4).

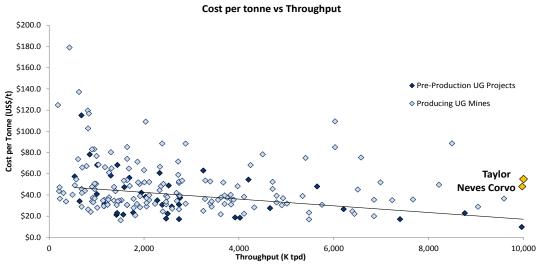
Exhibit 4: We model a 10Ktpd operation at Taylor with initial capex of \$700M, in-line with other pre-production zinc projects



Source: Company reports, Wood Mackenzie, RBC Capital Markets estimates

Furthermore, we have updated our cost per tonne estimate to \$65/t (from \$50/t), which includes \$55/t for mining and milling. This is in-line with Lundin's Neves Corvo operation, which has a comparable throughput of ~10Ktpd (Exhibit 5, which is mining + milling).

Exhibit 5: Cost per tonne (ex G&A) versus throughput



Source: Company reports, Wood Mackenzie, RBC Capital Markets estimates

NAV Valuation: Reflecting the potential of the Taylor Project

Our target price of \$3.00/share is based on the average of 0.7x our base case 2016E NAV and our EV/lb calculation. Our base case NAVPS of \$3.74 using a long term zinc price of \$1.00/lb and long term lead price of \$0.85/lb along with an 8% discount rate.

We assume first production at the Taylor Project in 2021E (implying 5 years of engineering, permitting and construction) with a staged ramp up to 360 MMlbs ZnEq on a 10,000 tpd operation at low zinc C1 cash costs of \$0.03/lb over a 19 year mine life. We also assign a nominal value of \$0.15/oz Ag to the Central Project, which has a large silver-manganese resource.

Exhibit 6: Net Asset Value (NAV) Breakdown for AZ highlights the potential of the Taylor Deposit

Net Asset Value - Arizor	na Mining								
		Discount		NAV	NAV RBCCM				
	Location	Rate	Ownership	C\$mm	C\$/shr				
Development Projects	_								
Taylor Deposit (Zn-Pb-Ag)	AZ	8.0%	100%	\$975	\$3.53				
Central Deposit (Ag-Mn)	AZ	295MMoz	@ US\$0.15/oz Ag	\$28	\$0.10				
OPERATING NAV				\$1,004	\$3.63				
Corporate & Other	_								
Cash (assumes in the money o	ptions/warrants	s exercised)		\$37	\$0.14				
Debt				\$	\$-				
Corporate G&A (after tax)		8.0%		(\$7	(\$0.03)				
CORPORATE NAV				\$30	\$0.11				
NET ASSET VALUE				\$1,034	\$3.74				
Shares Outstanding F.D.					276.5				
P/NAV					0.48x				

Discount Rate

NAV Valuation	Value	Multiple	Target
Operating @ 8.0%	\$3.63	0.70x	\$2.54
Corporate	\$0.11	1.00x	\$0.11
			\$2.65
EV/lb Valuation			
Taylor (ZnEq MMlbs)	19,085.6	U\$0.03/lb	\$2.69
Central (Ag MMoz)	295.1	U\$0.15/oz	\$0.21
			\$3.01
Average			\$2.83
Target Price			\$3.00
Current Share Price			\$1.80
Implied Return			66.7%

	\$0.80	\$0.90
5%	\$4.37	\$5.24
8%	\$2.56	\$3.15
10%	\$1.79	\$2.25
15%	\$0.71	\$0.98

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\$0.80	\$0.90	\$1.00	\$1.10	\$1.20
\$4.37	\$5.24	\$6.12	\$6.92	\$7.69
\$2.56	\$3.15	\$3.74	\$4.28	\$4.80
\$1.79	\$2.25	\$2.72	\$3.14	\$3.55
\$0.71	\$0.98	\$1.25	\$1.49	\$1.73

Long Term Zinc Price (US\$/lb)

Source: RBC Capital Markets Estimates

Relative Valuation – trading above base metal peers on current resource

AZ currently trades at a premium to peers at 3.5¢/lb ZnEq on an EV/lb basis versus peers at 1.2¢. We believe that this is in part attributed to market expectations pricing in the potential for an increase in the resource and grade at Taylor.

Reservoir Minerals was taken out for \$0.18/lb CuEq and the project had a total resource of 4,300MMlbs at 5% CuEq (or 9,500 MMlbs at 12% ZnEq) which is similar in scale to the current Arizona Mining resource.

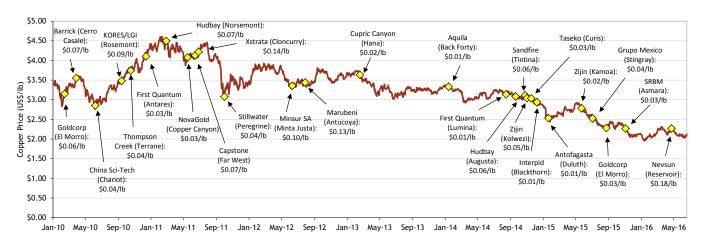
Exhibit 7: AZ is currently trading above peers on an EV/lb basis (both CuEq and ZnEq)

Company	Sym- Exch	Share Price \$/sh	YTD Performance	Shares O/S MM	Mkt. Cap US\$MM	EV US\$MM	M&I ZnEq MM lbs	M&I+I ZnEq MM lbs	M&I+I ZnEq Grade (%)	EV / CuEq M&I+I (¢/lb)	EV / ZnEq M&I+I (¢/lb)	Wkg Cap (\$mm)	Area of Major Exploration
Aquila Resources	AQA-T	\$0.24	40%	221	\$40	\$47	3,033	3,475	9.0%	3.3¢	1.3¢	\$1	Michigan
Balmoral Resources	BAR-T	\$0.92	114%	125	\$87	\$64	753	766	9.8%	20.6¢	8.3¢	\$6	Quebec
Canada Zinc Metals	CZX-V	\$0.28	104%	152	\$33	\$26	4,342	5,800	9.5%	1.1¢	0.4¢	\$7	British Columbia
Canadian Zinc Corp	CZN-T	\$0.36	238%	259	\$71	\$69	4,124	7,693	22.2%	2.2¢	0.9¢	\$2	Northwest Territories
Heron Resources	HER-T	\$0.17	113%	415	\$52	\$34	25,289	5,220	0.3%	1.6¢	0.7¢	\$17	Australia
Ivanhoe Mines	IVN-T	\$1.15	89%	779	\$685	\$390	79,998	132,966	7.0%	0.7¢	0.3¢	\$324	DRC, South Africa
NGEX Resources	NGQ-T	\$1.19	83%	205	\$202	\$200	54,304	87,327	1.3%	0.6¢	0.2¢	\$1	Chile/Argentina
Nevada Copper	NCU-T	\$0.58	-12%	88	\$40	\$128	17,800	19,754	1.5%	1.6¢	0.6¢	(\$91)	Nevada
Novacopper	NCQ-T	\$0.77	95%	105	\$62	\$50	9,325	24,484	5.4%	0.5¢	0.2¢	\$12	Alaska
Polymet	POM-T	\$1.01	-7%	278	\$208	\$261	15,132	20,687	1.7%	3.1¢	1.3¢	\$2	Minnesota
Rox Resources	RXL-AU	\$0.02	83%	1,181	\$19	\$17	296	6,397	9.2%	0.6¢	0.3¢	\$1	Australia
Western Copper and Gold	WRN-T	\$1.08	184%	94	\$81	\$73	25,966	53,369	0.8%	0.3¢	0.1¢	\$8	Yukon
								Average		3.0¢	1.2¢		_
Arizona Mining (Taylor only)	AZ-T	\$1.80	454%	233	\$321	\$327	0	9,400	11%	8.6¢	3.5¢	\$25	Arizona

^{*} Covered by RBC Capital Markets

Source: Company reports, RBC Capital Markets estimates

Exhibit 8: Deal time series - base metal deals (CuEq basis)



Source: Company reports, RBC Capital Markets



Arizona Mining (TSX-AZ)							Outperfori Speculative Ri
Valuation	2014A	2015A	2016E	2017E	2018E	2019E	12-Month Target C\$3.0
EPS, adjusted	(\$0.01)	(\$0.01)	(\$0.00)	(\$0.00)	(\$0.00)	\$0.00	Analyst Sam Crittendo
EPS Growth	n.m.	n.m	n.m	n.m	n.m	n.m	(416) 842-78
P/EPS	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.	893.9x	sam.crittenden@rbccm.co
CFPS	(\$0.01)	(\$0.01)	(\$0.00)	(\$0.00)	(\$0.00)	\$0.00	Share Price C\$1.
P/CFPS	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.	857.2x	52-Week High C\$1. 52-Week Low C\$0.
EV/FBITDA Dividend Per Share	n.m \$0.00	n.m \$0.00	n.m \$0.00	n.m \$0.00	n.m \$0.00	n.m \$0.00	Market Capitalization (MM) C\$383
Dividend Yield (%)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	Shares Outstanding (MM) 2
Franking (%)	-	-	-	-	-	-	Float (MM) 2
Weighted Avg. Shares Outstanding (millions	145	152	255	308	499	658	Year-end 31-D
Average Share Price	\$0.49	\$1.80	\$1.80	\$1.80	\$1.80	\$1.80	Reporting Currency U
P&L (millions)	2014A	2015A	2016E	2017E	2018E	2019E	200 DAYS 23.04.15 - 20.01
Net Revenue	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	
Operating Costs	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	1.60
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SG&A	\$1.4	\$1.0	\$1.5	\$1.5	\$1.5	\$1.5	18
Exploration	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	on July
Other Expenses	\$0.2	\$0.6	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	CO The second se
EBITDA	(\$1.6)	(\$1.6)	(\$1.5)	(\$1.5)	(\$1.5)	(\$1.5)	ACT 1998 19
DD&A	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	130
EBIT	(\$1.6)	(\$1.6)	(\$1.5)	(\$1.5)	(\$1.5)	(\$1.5)	
Net Interest Expense	\$0.0	\$0.1	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	المال المال المال المال المالية
Other Income/(expense)	(\$0.0)	\$0.3	\$0.0	\$0.3	\$0.5	\$3.4	
Taxes	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.4	\$0.4	\$0.3	(\$0.6)	
Equity & Associate Interests	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	Priced as of market close July 21, 2016
Minority Interests	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	
Net Earnings	(\$1.6)	(\$1.5)	(\$1.0)	(\$0.8)	(\$0.7)	\$1.3	\$0 +
Preferred Dividends & Other	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	2015E 2019E 2019E
Net Earnings to Common Adjustments	(\$1.6) \$0.0	(\$1.5) \$0.0	(\$1.0) \$0.0	(\$0.8) \$0.0	(\$0.7) \$0.0	\$1.3 \$0.0	(\$50) + ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~
Adjusted Net Earnings	(\$1.6)	(\$1.5)	(\$1.0)	(\$0.8)	(\$0.7)	\$1.3	(***)
Cash Flow (millions)	2014A	2015A	2016E	2017E	2018E	2019E	
Net Earnings						\$1.3	(\$100) +
DD&A	(\$1.6)	(\$1.5)	(\$1.0)	(\$0.8)	(\$0.7)		
	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	(\$150) \perp
Deferred Taxes	\$0.0	\$0.0	(\$0.0)	(\$0.0)	(\$0.0)	\$0.1	
Working Capital & Other	\$0.1	\$0.6	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	Sales (mm\$, LS) ——Free Cash Flow (mm\$, RS)
Operating Cash Flow	(\$1.5)	(\$0.9)	(\$1.1)	(\$0.9)	(\$0.8)	\$1.4	
CAPEX	(\$2.8)	(\$3.7)	(\$10.0)	(\$20.0)	(\$20.0)	(\$100.0)	
Free Cash Flow	(\$4.3)	(\$4.6)	(\$11.1)	(\$20.9)	(\$20.8)	(\$98.6)	\$0 +
Preferred Dividends	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	(\$100) + 25
Issuance /(Repayment) of Debt	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	
Common Dividends Dividends Paid to Minority Interests	\$0.0 \$0.0	\$0.0 \$0.0	\$0.0 \$0.0	\$0.0 \$0.0	\$0.0 \$0.0	\$0.0 \$0.0	(\$200) + -20%
Dividends Paid to Minority Interests Issuance/Buyback of Common Shares	\$1.3	\$0.0 \$0.5	\$31.5	\$50.0	\$250.0	\$0.0 \$0.0	(\$300) + -30%
Other Financing Activities	\$2.3	\$4.6	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	(\$400) + -40%
Acquisition/Disposal of Assets	(\$2.8)	(\$3.7)	\$0.0	(\$20.0)	(\$20.0)	(\$100.0)	
Other Investing Activities	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	(\$500) \(\psi \) -50%
Net Change in Cash	(\$0.6)	\$0.4	\$53.1	\$29.1	\$529.2	(\$98.6)	Net Debt (mm\$, LS) ——Net Debt/Total Capitalization (RS)
Balance Sheet (millions)	2014A	2015A	2016E	2017E	2018E	2019E	
Cash & Short-term Investments	\$0.0	\$0.4	\$53.5	\$82.6	\$611.8	\$513.2	10% ¬
Total Current Assets	\$0.2	\$0.7	\$53.7	\$82.8	\$612.1	\$513.5	
Property, Plant & Equipment	\$70.4	\$73.6	\$73.6	\$93.6	\$113.6	\$213.6	
Total Assets	\$70.9	\$74.5	\$127.6	\$176.7	\$726.0	\$727.3	004
Short-term Borrowing & Debt Due in One Y€	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	0% — ш ш ш
Total Current Liabilities	\$1.0	\$1.7	\$1.7	\$1.7	\$1.7	\$1.7	2014A 2017E 2017E 2019E
Long-term Debt	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$300.0	\$300.0	
Total liabilities	\$2.2	\$2.0	\$2.0	\$2.0	\$302.0	\$302.0	-10%
Minority Interests	\$0.0	\$0.0 \$73.5	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	
Common Shareholders' Equity	\$68.7 \$70.0	\$72.5 \$74.5	\$125.6 \$127.6	\$174.7 \$176.7	\$424.0	\$425.3	ROE ROCE
Total Liabilities & Shareholders' Equity	\$70.9	\$74.5	\$127.6	\$176.7	\$726.0	\$727.3	

Priced as of market close, July 21, 2016 ET.
Source: Company reports, RBC Capital Markets estimates



Arizona Mining								Outperform
(TSX-AZ)								Speculative Risk
Ratio Analysis	2014A	2015A	2016E	2017E	2018E	2019E	12-Month Target	C\$3.00

Ratio Analysis	2014A	2015A	2016E	2017E	2018E	2019E	12-Month Target
Sales Growth (%)	nm	nm	nm	nm	nm	nm	
EBITDA/Sales (%)	nm	nm	nm	nm	nm	nm	
EBIT/Sales (%)	nm	nm	nm	nm	nm	nm	
Net Earnings/Sales (%)	nm	nm	nm	nm	nm	nm	
Effective Tax Rate	0.0%	0.0%	30.0%	30.0%	30.0%	30.0%	
Net Interest Coverage (EBIT/Interest Charge	-45.9x	-11.6x	nm	nm	nm	nm	
Net Debt/Equity	-0.1%	-0.6%	-42.6%	-47.3%	-73.5%	-50.1%	
Net debt/ Total Capitalization	-0.1%	-0.6%	-42.6%	-47.3%	-43.1%	-29.4%	
Return on Assets (ROA)	-2%	-2%	-1%	-1%	0%	0%	
Return on Equity (ROE)	-2%	-2%	-1%	-1%	0%	0%	
Return on Capital Employed (ROCE)	-5%	-2%	-1%	-1%	0%	0%	
Commodity & FX Assumptions	2014A	2015A	2016E	2017E	2018E	2019E	
Copper Price (US\$/lb)	\$3.11	\$2.50	\$2.10	\$2.25	\$2.50	\$2.75	
Zinc Price (US\$/lb)	\$0.98	\$0.88	\$0.85	\$1.10	\$1.30	\$1.50	
Lead Price (US\$/lb)	\$0.95	\$0.81	\$0.79	\$0.81	\$0.81	\$0.82	
Gold Price (US\$/oz)	\$1,266	\$1,160	\$1,322	\$1,500	\$1,500	\$1,400	
Silver Price (US\$/oz)	\$19.09	\$15.70	\$19.25	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$22.00	
C\$/US\$	\$0.91	\$0.78	\$0.75	\$0.78	\$0.79	\$0.79	
Production (attributable)	2014A	2015A	2016E	2017E	2018E	2019E	
Total Zinc (MM lbs)	_	-	-	-	-	_	
Total Lead (MM lbs)	_	-	_	_	_	-	
Total Silver (000 oz)	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cash Costs:	2014A	2015A	2016E	2017E	2018E	2019E	
-			\$0.00		\$0.00		
Zinc (US\$/lb)	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Operating Profits (million)	2014A	2015A	2016E	2017E	2018E	2019E	
Total	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	

Estimated NAV Break-Down	C\$/sh	% Assets
Taylor Deposit (Zn-Pb-Ag)	\$3.53	97%
Central Deposit (Ag-Mn)	\$0.10	3%
Gross Asset Value	\$3.63	100%
Cash & Investments	\$0.14	
Debt	\$0.00	
Net Corporate Overheads	(\$0.03)	

\$3.74 Net Asset Value

Price/NAV 0.5x

Priced as of market close, July 21, 2016 ET.
Source: Company reports, RBC Capital Markets estimates

Valuation

Our target price of C\$3.00/share is based on the average of 0.7x our 2016E Operating NAV and our EV/lb calculation. The 0.7x NAVPS multiple is in line with early stage base metals peers and we believe is appropriate for this point in the cycle as the companies tend to trade at large discounts to NAV when spot prices are below long term price assumptions. Our target supports our Outperform, Speculative Risk rating.

Price target impediments

Risks to rating and price target include:

Exploration risk: The initial inferred resource was based on only 25 drill holes and a considerable amount of infill drilling would be required prove the continuity and grade of the deposit.

Permitting Risk: Other projects in Arizona have had issues with permitting; however, we believe the fact that Taylor would likely be an underground mine and the project could possibly be entirely on patented land, which has a simpler permitting process, could make permitting more manageable than a larger open pit project.

Financing risk: Additional financing would be required move the project through feasibility, permitting, and construction.

Metal price volatility: Arizona Mining, like all of the companies in our universe, is exposed to variations in metal prices.

Company description

Arizona Mining is a exploration stage base metals company advancing the Hermosa Project in Arizona, USA. The project consists of the Taylor Deposit, a zinc-lead-silver deposit which was discovered in 2015, and the Central Deposit, which is a silver-manganese deposit.



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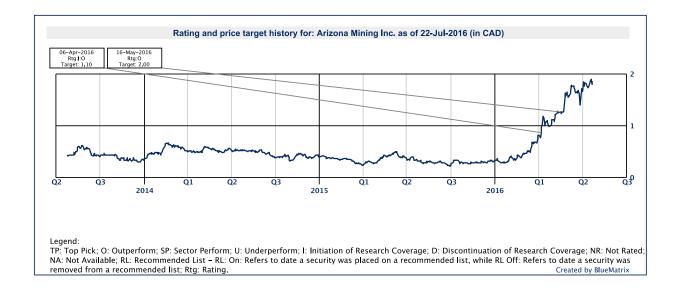
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