## The Australian Lithium Industry – Just Getting Started

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## **ASX 50**

Listed company

Market cap<sup>1</sup>

\$14.9B

\$2.2B

Cash balance<sup>2</sup>



As at market close 31 January 2023.
Cash balance as at 31 December 2022.

## Tier 1

asset with strong growth potential

# 1 Mtpa

planned production capacity<sup>1</sup>

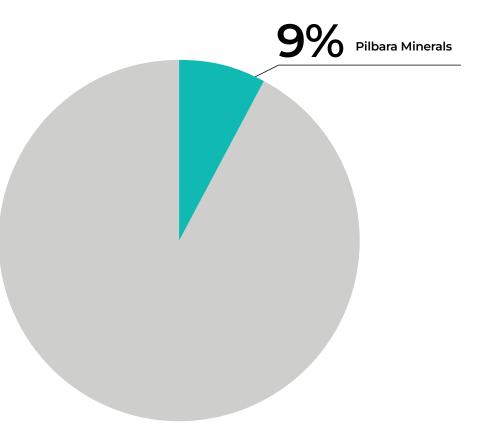
26+ year

mine life<sup>1</sup>



1. Based on combined 6.3mtpa throughput operations consisting of 1.3mtpa Ngungaju process plant and the proposed Pilgan 5mtpa expanded process plant for the P1000 expansion project. Refer to ASX Announcement 6 October 2021.

### Major lithium materials supplier





Source: Prepared using data from BMI Lithium Forecast Report – Q4 2022. Charts show market share based on estimated CY2023 global mined lithium output (Mineral & Brine, LCE), operational and highly probable (in construction).

## The energy transition – a seismic shift



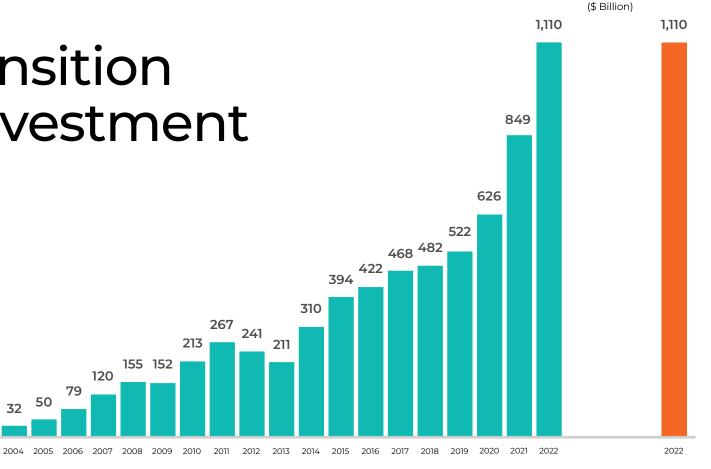
# Energy transitionleap in investment

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Low Carbon Energy Investment

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Fossil Fuels Investment

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Source: BloombergNEF 26 January 2023. Low-carbon energy investment includes sustainable materials, electrified transport, electrified heat, hydrogen, CCS, energy storage, nuclear and renewable energy investment.

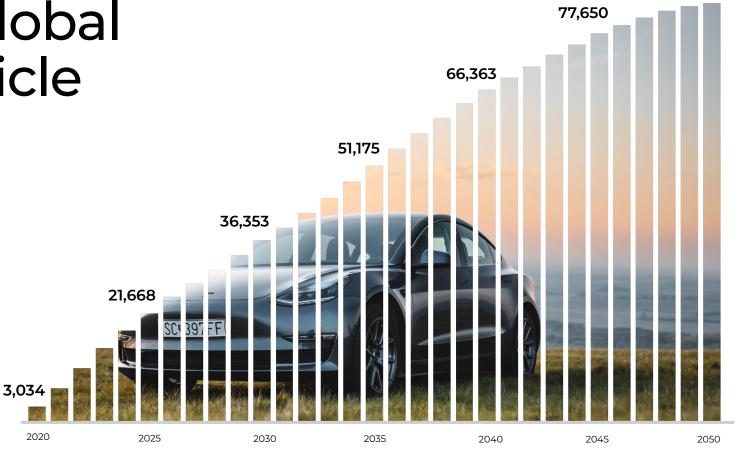
### The lithium-ion battery



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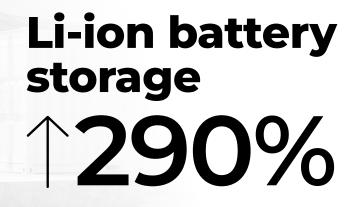
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Projected global electric vehicle sales





Source: Wood MacKenzie, Global lithium investment horizon outlook (update) Q4 2022; December 2022. EV includes BEVs and PHEVs.



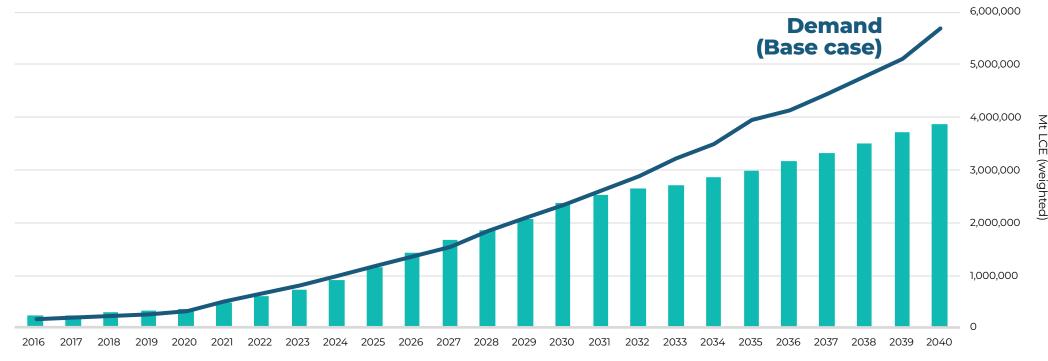
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Source: Benchmark Mineral Intelligence December 2022.

#### Lithium deficit

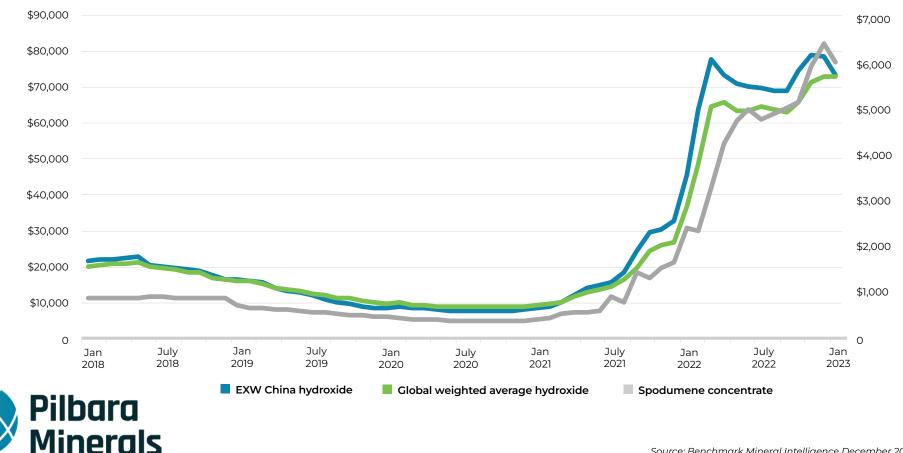




Source: Benchmark Mineral Intelligence 2022.

Supply data includes Operational Supply, Secondary (Recycling | Global Supply), Care and Maintenance / Idled Capacity, Brownfield Expansion, Highly Probable, Probable, Possible.

#### Lithium pricing reflecting increased demand



#### The Pilbara Minerals story



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> Pilgangoora Lithium-Tantalum Project officially opened by the Honourable Bill Johnston MLA Minister for Mines and Petroleum 16 November 2018

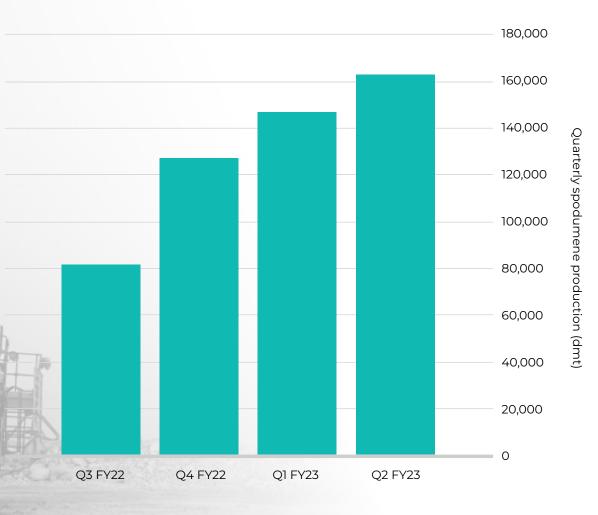
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### Production

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ASX Announcement: December 2022 Quarterly Report Presentation - 19 January 2023.

#### Expansion pathway to 1Mtpa



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#### Downstream lithium chemicals production



43,000tpa LHM facility under construction in Gwangyang, South Korea Illustration of proposed 43ktpa LHM lithium hydroxide chemical facility in Gwangyang, South Korea



# Midstream lithium chemicals R&D







# The opportunity for Australia



### Thank you

