# **Delivering returns**

# **Africa Down Under**

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#### Australian based, African focused, producer

#### Kwale Operations

Kenya Operational asset producing rutile, ilmenite and zircon.

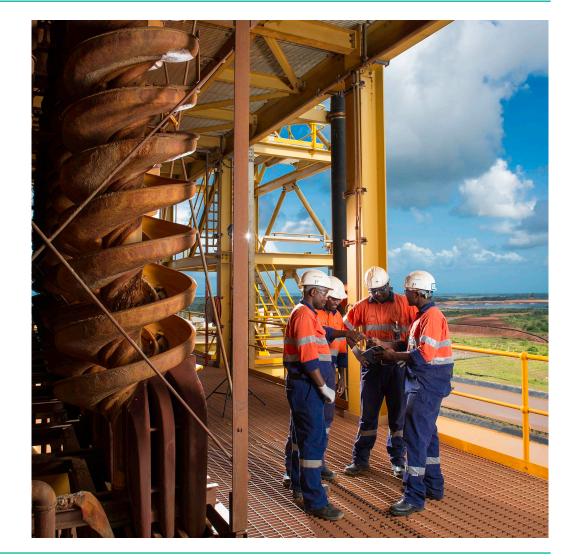
#### Toliara Project

Madagascar Mineral sands project progressing towards development.

#### Base Resources — Perth Company headquarters.

## **Building a unique mineral sands company**

- "Mid cap" pure mineral sands company.
- Established **profitable Kwale Operation** in Kenya with extensional potential.
- A **world class mineral sands development project** in the Toliara Project in Madagascar.
- Long combined mine life once the Toliara Project is developed.
- **Track record of excellence** in safety, community engagement and environmental stewardship.
- An experienced team and capacity to execute well.
- A **robust financial position** from which to grow the business and deliver returns to shareholders.
- Creating a company of **strategic relevance** in a sector likely to continue to evolve.





## **Operations successfully adapted for COVID-19**

#### Workplace

 COVID-19 response has been effective in maintaining the health and wellbeing of employees whilst continuing to deliver operational performance – balancing business needs, employee and community safety and sentiment, government policy and product markets.

#### **Community support programs**

- \$1.7m invested in Kenya and Madagascar, including for:
  - Medical equipment and supplies
  - Food distribution
  - Construction of hygiene infrastructure
- 100 high flow ventilators donated to Kenyan Ministry of Health.
- Face mask production facility established in Toliara, utilising local women to produce ~5,000 re-usable masks per week for donation to the community.





The foundation - The Kwale operation

Video available at www.basetitanium.com



**Outstanding safety outcomes indicative of performance culture** 

# **21.9** Million

Hours worked with zero Lost-Time Injuries

# **79** Months

Since last Lost-Time Injury 39 Months

With 1 Medically Treated Injury



### **Delivering "mutual benefit" – \$3.4 million invested in FY20**





3,000 small-holders participating in the Kwale Cotton Project



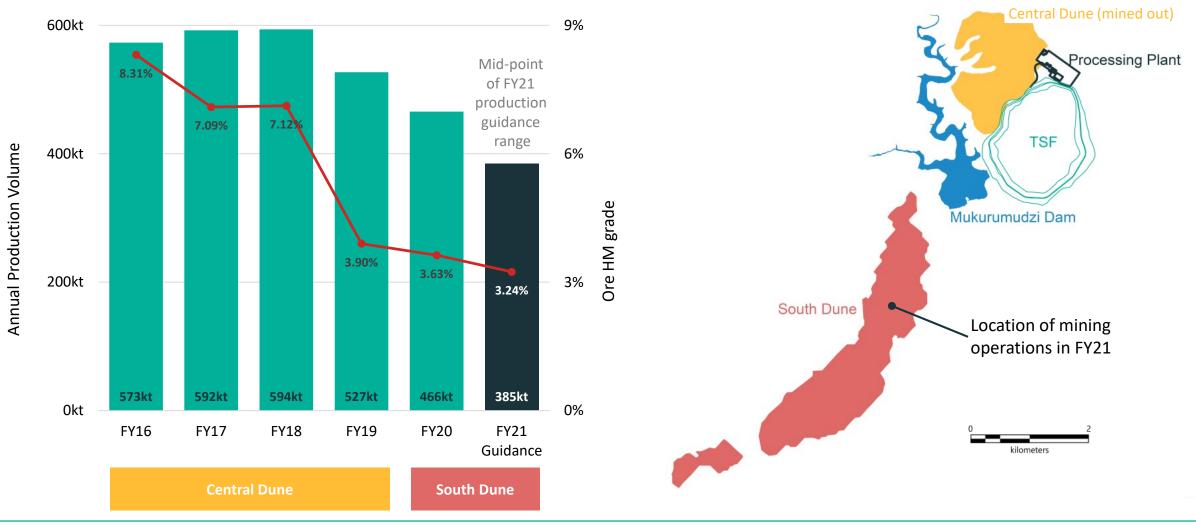








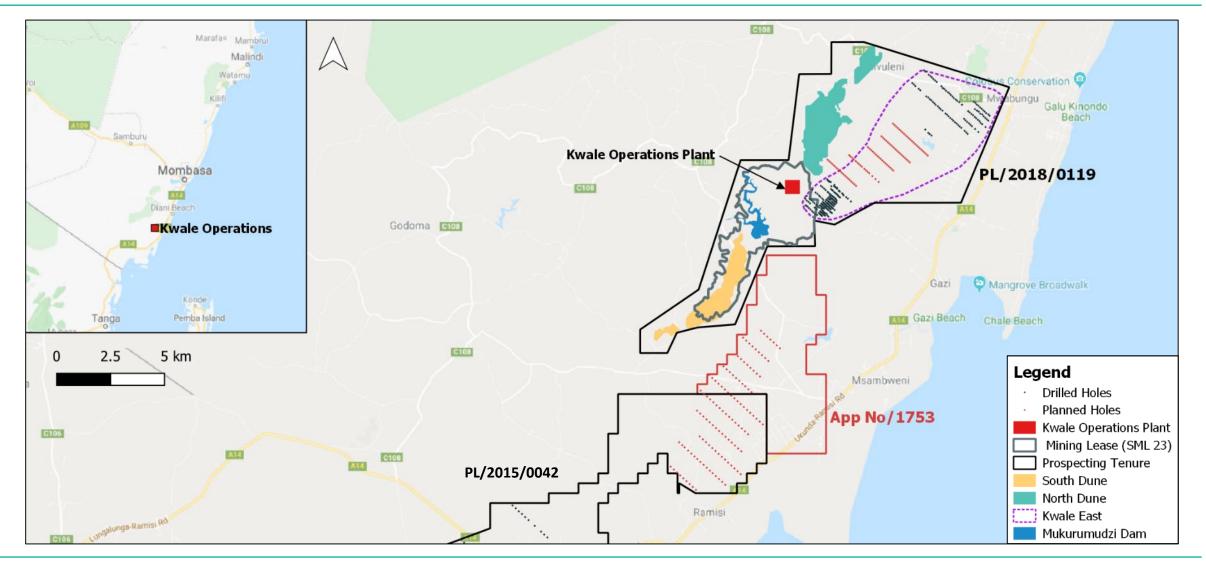
### **Kwale Operations smoothly transitioned to next phase**



1. For further information, including the guidance range and applicable assumptions, refer to Base Resources' announcement on 28 July 2020 "Quarterly Activities Report – June 2020" available at <a href="https://baseresources.com.au/investors/announcements">https://baseresources/announcements</a>.

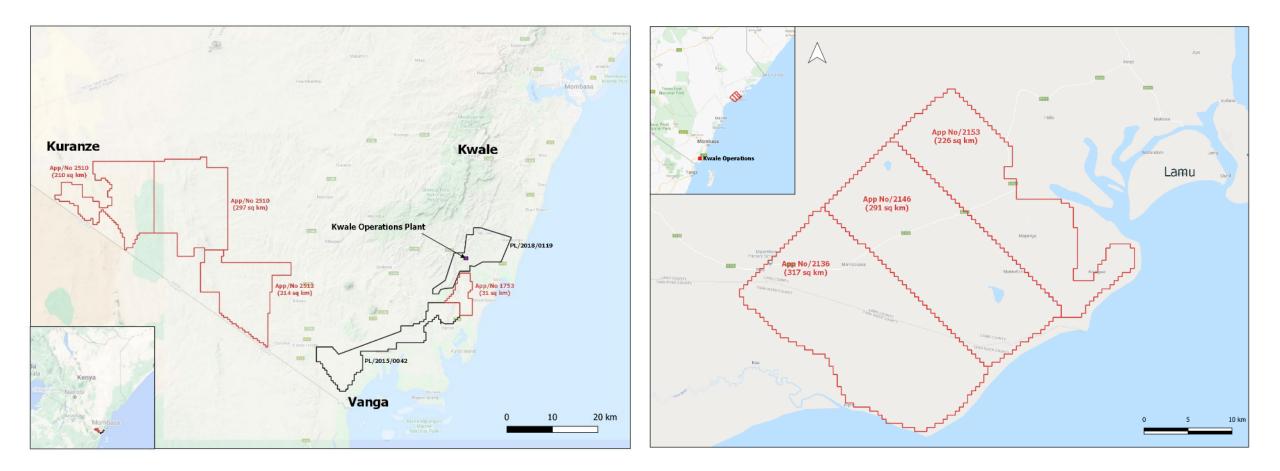


### Multiple mine life extension opportunities being explored...





### ...as well as Kenyan opportunities further afield





### **Delivering returns**

#### **Our approach**

Consistent with Base Resources' growth strategy, the Company seeks to provide returns to shareholders through both longterm growth in the Company's share price and appropriate cash distributions.

Cash not required to meet the Company's near-term growth and development requirements, or to maintain requisite balance sheet strength in light of prevailing circumstances, could be expected to be returned to shareholders.

- Maiden dividend of AUD 3.5 cents per share, unfranked, paid.
- Striking the right balance between:
  - Delivering cash returns to shareholders;
  - Retaining balance sheet strength in the face of COVID operational risks and economic uncertainty; and
  - Allowing for sensible progression of the Toliara Project pending certainty on fiscal terms and FID timing.



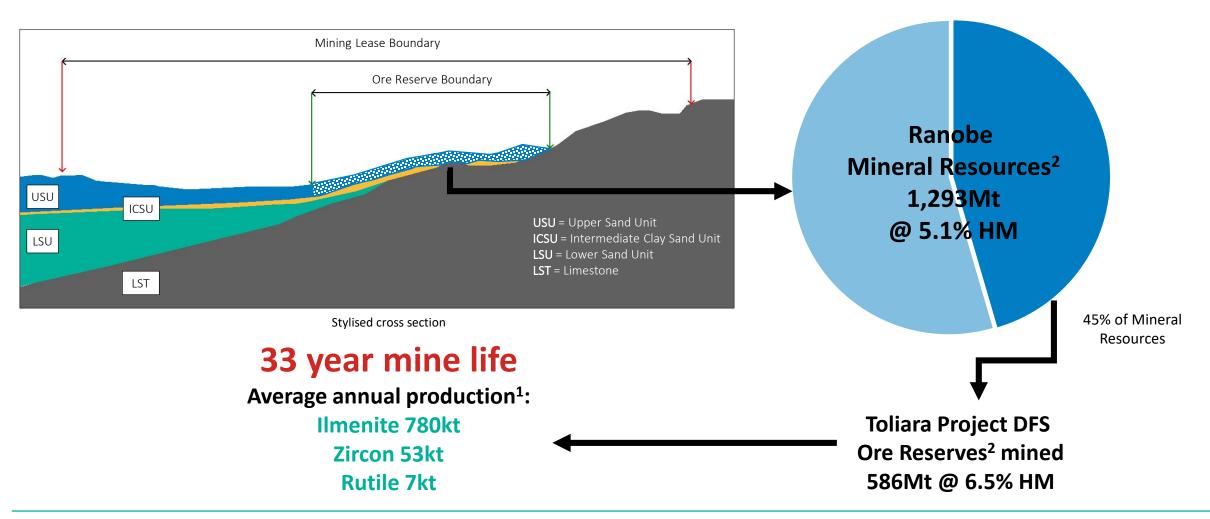


Toliara – a world class development project

Project video available at www.baseresources.com.au



### **Toliara Project Ore Reserves afford long mine life...**



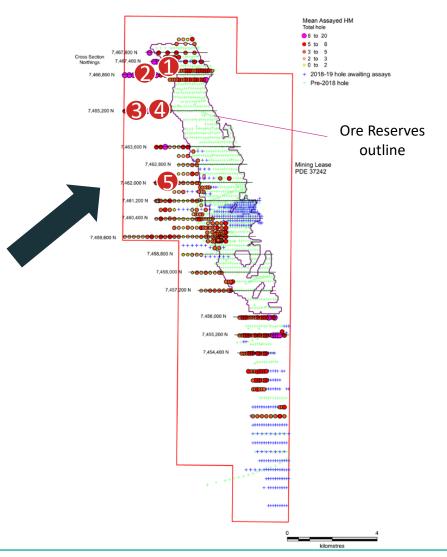
1. The anticipated annual production information is derived from the Toliara Project Definitive Feasibility Study and excludes the first and last partial operating years. For further information about that study, refer to Base Resources' announcement on 12 December 2019 "DFS reinforces Toliara Project's status as a world-class mineral sands development" available at https://baseresources.com.au/investors/announcements.

## ...with significant expansion potential

- 29,753m in 770 holes drilled in the 2018/19 program.
- Assay results received to date show material heavy mineral intercepts - particularly in the lower sand unit.
- Further drilling targeting high-grade lower sand unit zones to be planned once assaying of remaining samples is complete.
- Update to Ranobe Mineral Resource underway to incorporate the 2018/19 drill program results.

#### Notable drill results

- 12.1.6% HM, with LSU of 43.5m @ 16.5% HM
- **2** 71.5m @12.2% HM, with LSU of 41.5m @ 17.6% HM
- 81m @ 15.7% HM, with LSU of 67.5m @ 18.3% HM
- 4 87m @ 13.9% HM, with LSU of 69m @ 16.4% HM
- **S** 87m @ 9.1% HM, with LSU of 52.5m @ 13.8% HM





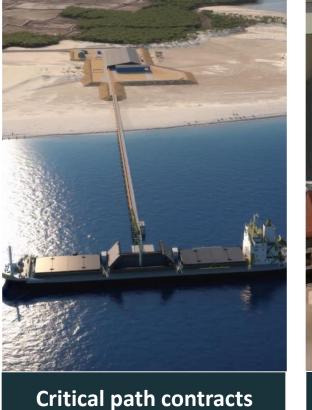
For further information in relation to the drill results on this slide, refer to Base Resources' announcement on 21 January 2020 "Toliara Project drill assays reveal significant high-grade mineralisation" available at <a href="https://baseresources.com.au/investors/announcements">https://baseresources.com.au/investors/announcements</a>. Base Resources confirms that it is not aware of any new information or data that materially affects the information included in that announcement.

### **Preparing the Toliara Project for FID and construction**

#### Project delivery preparation focused on rapid resumption of on-ground activities and post FID implementation.



Lenders' technical review





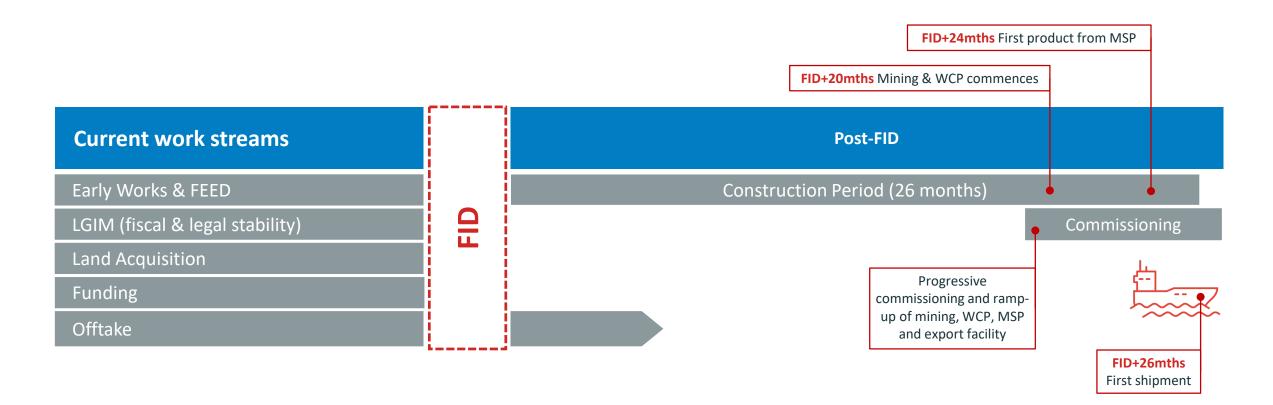


Workforce development



## **Toliara Project indicative timeline**

Planned FID has been delayed from H2 2020. Once line of sight on lifting of suspension, resumption of international travel and financial market conditions is achieved, a revised FID will be announced – with FID unlikely to be before September 2021. The next critical milestone is agreeing fiscal terms with the Government of Madagascar. We maintain readiness to accelerate progress when conditions support.





### **Delivering returns**

- **Team** with a track record of delivery.
- Consistent, **high cash flow Kwale Operations**, with extension potential.
- **Reputation for excellence** in safety, community and environment.
- A robust financial position from which to grow the business and deliver returns to shareholders.
- Market outlook supporting a clear **need for new supply.**
- A world class development asset in the **long-life Toliara Project.**









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# Appendices



### **Kwale Ore Reserves and Mineral Resources**

Category	Material	In Situ HM	НМ	SL	OS	HM Assemblage					
						ILM	RUT	ZIR			
	(Mt)	(Mt)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)			
Mineral Resources <sup>1</sup> as at 30 June 2020											
Measured	55	1.8	3.2	24	1	58	14	6			
Indicated	157	2.7	1.7	37	2	47	12	5			
Inferred	34	0.5	1.4	36	3	46	13	6			
Total	246	4.9	2.0	34	2	51	13	5			
Ore Reserves as at 30 June 2020											
Proved	35	1.2	3.5	26	0.8	58	14	6			
Probable	5	0.2	2.9	27	7	51	12	5			
Total	40	1.4	3.4	26	1.7	57	13	6			

#### Notes:

1) Mineral Resources estimated at a 1% HM cut-off grade.

2) Table subject to rounding differences.

3) Mineral Resources are reported inclusive of the Ore Reserves.

For further information on the Kwale Deposit Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves, in the case of the Kwale South Dune Deposit, refer to Base Resources' announcement on 27 July 2020 "Updated Kwale South Dune Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves estimate" and, in the case of the Kwale North Dune Deposit, refer to Base Resources on 1 May 2019 "Mineral Resource for Kwale North Dune Deposit", each of which are available at <a href="https://baseresources.com.au/investors/announcements/">https://baseresources.and Ore Reserves estimate"</a> and, in the case of the Kwale North Dune Deposit", each of which are available at <a href="https://baseresources.com.au/investors/announcements/">https://baseresources.com.au/investors/announcements/</a>. Base Resources confirms that it is not aware of any new information or data that materially affects the information included in the 27 July 2020 and the 1 May 2019 announcements and all material assumptions and technical parameters underpinning the estimates in the 27 July 2020 and the 1 May 2019 announcements continue to apply and have not materially changed. For further information on the depleted Kwale Deposit Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves as at 30 June 2020, refer to Base Resources' announcement on 13 August 2020 "2020 Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves Statement" available at <a href="https://baseresources.com.au/investors/announcements/">https://baseresources/announcements/</a>.



### **Ranobe Ore Reserves and Mineral Resources**

Category	Material	In Situ HM	НМ	SL	os _	HM Assemblage			
						ILM	RUT*	LEUC**	ZIR
	(Mt)	(Mt)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
		Min	eral Resource	es¹at 30 Jun	e 2020				
Measured	419	28	6.6	4	0	75	2	_*	6
Indicated	375	18	4.9	8	1	72	2	_*	6
Inferred	499	20	3.9	7	1	70	2	_*	5
Total	1,293	66	5.1	6	0	72	2	_*	6
		C	)re Reserves a	at 30 June 2	020				
Proved	347	24	7.0	3.8	0.1	75	1.0	1.0	5.9
Probable	239	14	5.8	4.2	0.2	73	1.3	0.8	5.7
Total	586	38	6.5	3.9	0.1	74	1.1	0.9	5.9

#### Notes:

\* Rutile reported in the Mineral Resources table is rutile + leucoxene mineral species

\*\* Recovered Leucoxene will be split between Rutile and Chloride Ilmenite products depending on product specification requirements.

1) Mineral Resources estimated at a 1.5% HM cut-off grade.

2) Table subject to rounding differences.

3) Mineral Resources are reported inclusive of the Ore Reserves.

For further information on the Ranobe Deposit Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves, refer to Base Resources' announcement on 23 January 2019 "Updated Ranobe Deposit Mineral Resources (corrected)" and the announcement on 6 December 2019 "Maiden Ranobe Ore Reserves estimate", each of which are available at <a href="https://baseresources.com.au/investors/announcements/">https://baseresources/</a> (Corrected)" and the announcement on 6 December 2019 "Maiden Ranobe Ore Reserves estimate", each of which are available at <a href="https://baseresources.com.au/investors/announcements/">https://baseresources.com.au/investors/announcements/</a>. Base Resources confirms that it is not aware of any new information or data that materially affects the information included in the 23 January 2019 and 6 December 2019 announcements and all material assumptions and technical parameters underpinning the estimates in the 23 January 2019 and 6 December 2019 announcements continue to apply and have not materially changed.

