
QUARTERLY ACTIVITIES REPORT FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

Exploration

- Retention Licence application, R52/10, covering both the Wodger and Forest copper resources, (24Mt at 1.7% Cu for 41,500t Cu¹), and area of potential mining infrastructure within the Forrest Project was submitted and granted.
- Subsequent to the reporting period, E52/1659 and E52/1671, were withdrawn from the Forrest Project JV with Westgold.
- Auris continues to sell surplus assets and reduce expenditure commitments and costs where possible while strategically advancing high-quality targets within the Bryah Basin and assessing new complementary project opportunities.

Corporate

- Cash balance at 31 December 2024 of ~\$1.34M.

Gold and base metals explorer **Auris Minerals Limited** (“Auris” or “the Company”) (ASX: AUR) is pleased to provide its Quarterly Activities Report for the quarter ended 31 December 2024.

Commenting on the December quarter, Auris Managing Director, Mike Hendriks said:

“We are pleased to have obtained a retention licence over the Forrest and Wodger copper deposits as this along with the withdrawal of the supporting exploration licences will reduce our annual exploration commitment on the Forrest Project by \$100,000 while retaining our interests in the prospective copper resource as we review how best to maximise value for shareholders from these deposits.”

We thank Westgold for their support in achieving the retention licence which they retain a 20% interest and for allowing us to store the Forrest drill core at Fortnum, enabling Auris to relinquish our warehouse lease at Bibra Lake which expires 31 March 2025. This along with further cost cutting measures will ensure our existing cash reserves are best utilised on key targets in the existing portfolio, and potential new opportunities which we continue to assess.”

Company Overview

Auris is exploring for base metals and gold in the Bryah Basin of Western Australia. Auris has consolidated a tenement portfolio of 285km², which is divided into three well-defined project areas: Forrest, Doolgunna and Morck Well, (Figure 1).

Auris manages exploration on all tenements, including those that are subject to arrangements with third parties.

¹ - Refer ASX Announcement 2 July 2020

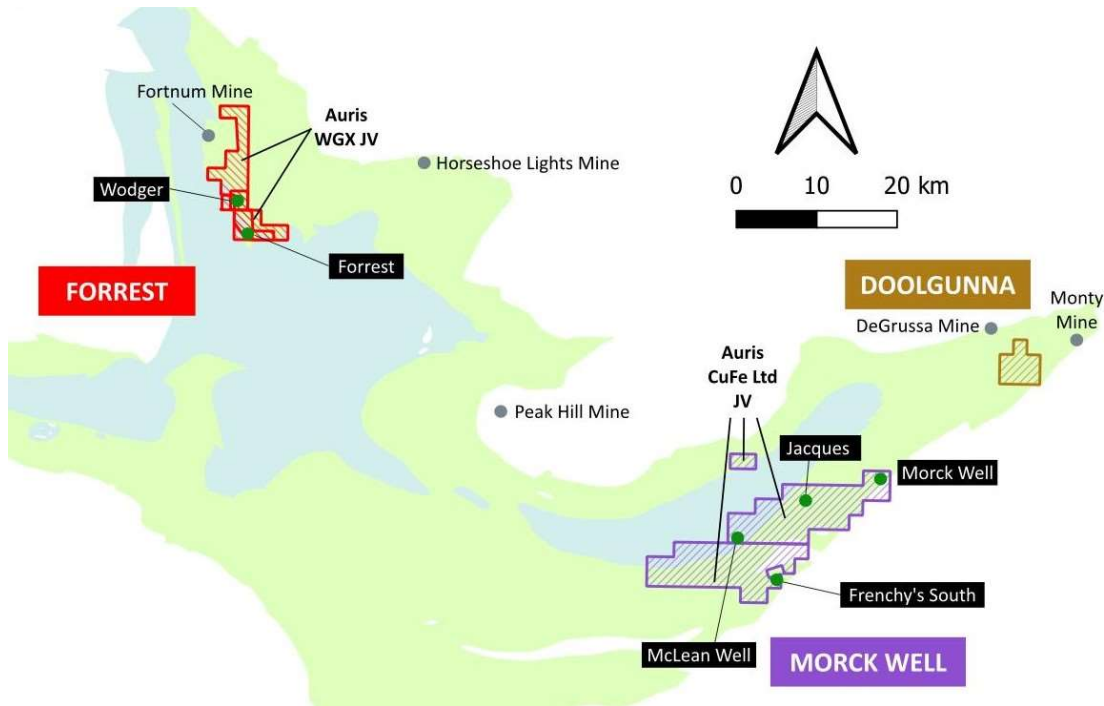


Figure 1: Auris' copper-gold exploration tenement portfolio, with Westgold (WGX) and CuFe Ltd JV areas indicated (as of 31 December 2024)

Notes:

1. The Forrest Project tenements E52/1659 and E52/1671 have the following outside interests:
 - Auris 80%; Westgold Resources Ltd 20% (ASX:WGX). Westgold Resources Ltd interest is free carried until a Decision to Mine
 - Westgold Resources Ltd own the gold rights over the Auris interest.

Note: See below at Section 1. for changes subsequent to the quarter end.
2. The Morck Well Project tenements E51/1033 and E52/1672 have the following outside interests:
 - Auris 80%; CuFe Ltd 20% (ASX:CUF). CuFe Ltd interest is free carried until a Decision to Mine

EXPLORATION

1. FORREST PROJECT (80% AUR, 20% WGX)

The Forrest Project includes tenements E52/1659, E52/1671 and now, R52/10, which host the Wodger and Forrest copper deposits and fall under an agreement with Westgold Resources Limited (“WGX”) whereby WGX own all gold rights and a 20% free carried interest until a decision to mine for all copper rights.

During the reporting period, retention licence application, R52/10, covering both the Wodger and Forrest copper resources and area of potential mining infrastructure area was submitted. Subsequent to the quarter end, on 6 January 2025, retention license R52/10 was granted, (80% Auris, 20% Westgold).

On 1 January 2025, the remaining portions of exploration licences, E52/1659 and E52/1671, which were not consumed by the grant of the retention licence, were withdrawn from the joint venture with Westgold.

The above actions result in Auris retaining its 80% interest in both the Wodger and Forrest copper resources whilst reducing the financial obligations of the project by reducing annual commitments for the project by \$100,000.

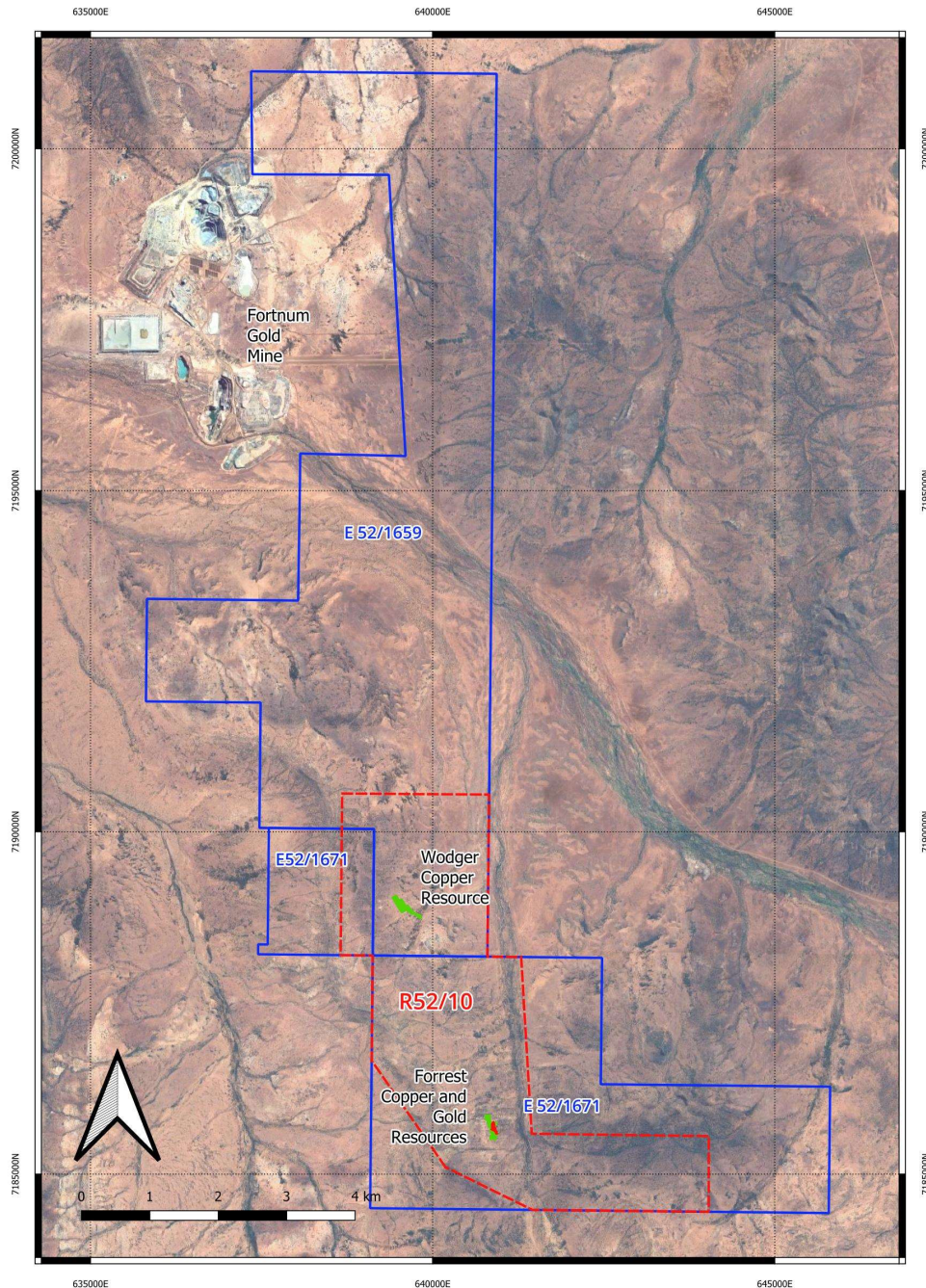


Figure 2: Forrest Project tenement portfolio

2. CORPORATE SUMMARY

Cash position

The Company had a cash position of ~\$1.34M at 31 December 2024.

Details of mining exploration activities

Details of exploration activities during the quarter are set out above.

The \$82,000 amount of exploration and evaluation expenditure capitalised (and expensed), is comprised of expenditure relating to geological staff salaries, tenement administration and maintenance and project evaluation.

Details of mining production and development activities

No production and development activities were undertaken during the quarter.

Details of tenement activities

Application for extension of term for E52/1672 for a further 1 year was granted on 10 December 2024. Application for extension of term for E51/1033 for a further 1 year was granted on 10 December 2024. Application for extension of term for E52/1671 for a further 1 year was applied for on 18 November 2024.

Application for retention licence, R52/10, was submitted on 28 October 2024.

Retention licence, R52/10, was granted on 6 January 2025 for a period of 5 years.

Details of related party payments

The aggregate amount of payments to related parties and their associates included in the current quarter Cash flows from operating activities was \$55,000, comprising Directors fees and superannuation.

This release is authorised by the Board.

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Competent Person's Statement

Information in this announcement that relates to exploration results is based on and fairly represents information and supporting documentation prepared and compiled by Mr Matthew Svensson, who is a Member of the Australian Institute of Geoscientists. Mr Svensson is Exploration Manager for Auris Minerals Limited. Mr Svensson has sufficient experience, which is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration, and to the activity which he is undertaking to qualify as a Competent Person, as defined in the 2012 Edition of the Australasian Code for Reporting Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves. Mr Svensson consents to the inclusion in the announcement of the matters based on this information in the form and context in which it appears.

No New Information

Except where explicitly stated, this announcement contains references to prior exploration results and Mineral Resource estimates, all of which have been cross-referenced to previous market announcements made by the Company. The Company confirms that it is not aware of any new information or data that materially affects the information included in the relevant market announcements and, in the case of estimates of Mineral Resources that all material assumptions and technical parameters underpinning the results and/or estimates in the relevant market announcement continue to apply and have not materially changed.

Forward Looking Statements

This announcement has been prepared by Auris Minerals Limited. This document contains background information about Auris Minerals Limited and its related entities current at the date of this announcement. This is in summary form and does not purport to be all inclusive or complete. Recipients should conduct their own investigations and perform their own analysis in order to satisfy themselves as to the accuracy and completeness of the information, statements and opinions contained in this announcement. This announcement is for information purposes only. Neither this document nor the information contained in it constitutes an offer, invitation, solicitation or recommendation in relation to the purchase or sale of shares in any jurisdiction.

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Any forward-looking statements in this announcement speak only at the date of issue of this announcement. Subject to any continuing obligations under applicable law and ASX Listing Rules, Auris Minerals Limited does not undertake any obligation to update or revise any information or any of the forward-looking statements in this document or any changes in events, conditions or circumstances on which any such forward-looking statement is based.

Table 1: Schedule of Mining Tenements as at 31 December 2024

Tenement Number	Registered Holder	Date Granted	Area	Area Sq km	Note
Doolgunna Project					
E52/2438	Auris Minerals Limited	11/02/2010	7bk	21.68	1
Morck Well Project					
E51/1033	Auris Exploration Pty Ltd 80%; Jackson Minerals Pty Ltd 20%	22/09/2005	33bk	100.77	2
E52/1672	Auris Exploration Pty Ltd 80%; Jackson Minerals Pty Ltd 20%	22/09/2005	35bk	108.02	2
Forrest Project					
E52/1659	Auris Exploration Pty Ltd 80% Aragon Resources Pty Ltd 20%	27/01/2004	13bk	34.09	3,4,5
E52/1671	Auris Exploration Pty Ltd 80% Aragon Resources Pty Ltd 20%	23/11/2004	7bk	21.43	3,4,5
R52/10	Auris Exploration Pty Ltd 80% Aragon Resources Pty Ltd 20%	06/01/2025	1,449ha	14.49	3,4
Notes:					
Auris Exploration Pty Ltd (AE) is a wholly owned subsidiary of Auris Minerals Limited.					
1. Ascidian Prospecting Pty Ltd hold a 1% gross revenue royalty from the sale of all minerals.					
2. Peak Hill Sale Agreement: AE 80%, Jackson Minerals Pty Ltd 20% & free carried to a decision to mine.					
3. Westgold Resources Limited owns gold mineral rights over the AE interest.					
4. AE 80%, Westgold Resources Limited 20% & free carried to a decision to mine.					
5. Tenement withdrawn from JV with Westgold subsequent to reporting period.					

Appendix 5B

Mining exploration entity or oil and gas exploration entity quarterly cash flow report

Name of entity

Auris Minerals Ltd

ABN

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Quarter ended ("current quarter")

31 DECEMBER 2024

Consolidated statement of cash flows	Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (6 months) \$A'000
1. Cash flows from operating activities		
1.1 Receipts from customers	-	-
1.2 Payments for		
(a) exploration & evaluation (if expensed)	(7)	(26)
(b) development	-	-
(c) production	-	-
(d) staff costs	(55)	(107)
(e) administration and corporate costs	(76)	(189)
1.3 Dividends received (see note 3)	-	-
1.4 Interest received	20	43
1.5 Interest and other costs of finance paid	-	-
1.6 Income taxes paid	-	-
1.7 Government grants and tax incentives	-	-
1.8 Lease and other income	4	6
1.9 Net cash from / (used in) operating activities	(114)	(273)
2. Cash flows from investing activities		
2.1 Payments to acquire:		
(a) entities	-	-
(b) tenements	-	-
(c) property, plant and equipment	-	-
(d) exploration & evaluation	(75)	(219)
(e) investments	-	-
(f) other non-current assets	-	-

Consolidated statement of cash flows		Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (6 months) \$A'000
2.2	Proceeds from the disposal of:		
	(a) entities	-	-
	(b) tenements	-	-
	(c) property, plant and equipment	23	23
	(d) investments	-	-
	(e) other non-current assets	-	-
2.3	Cash flows from loans to other entities	-	-
2.4	Dividends received (see note 3)	-	-
2.5	Other (provide details if material)	-	-
2.6	Net cash from / (used in) investing activities	(52)	(196)

3.	Cash flows from financing activities		
3.1	Proceeds from issues of equity securities (excluding convertible debt securities)	-	-
3.2	Proceeds from issue of convertible debt securities	-	-
3.3	Proceeds from exercise of options	-	-
3.4	Transaction costs related to issues of equity securities or convertible debt securities	-	-
3.5	Proceeds from borrowings	-	-
3.6	Repayment of borrowings	-	-
3.7	Transaction costs related to loans and borrowings	-	-
3.8	Dividends paid	-	-
3.9	Other (provide details if material)	-	-
3.10	Net cash from / (used in) financing activities	-	-

4.	Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents for the period		
4.1	Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	1,509	1,812
4.2	Net cash from / (used in) operating activities (item 1.9 above)	(114)	(273)
4.3	Net cash from / (used in) investing activities (item 2.6 above)	(52)	(196)
4.4	Net cash from / (used in) financing activities (item 3.10 above)	-	-

Consolidated statement of cash flows		Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (6 months) \$A'000
4.5	Effect of movement in exchange rates on cash held	-	-
4.6	Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	1,343	1,343

5.	Reconciliation of cash and cash equivalents at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts	Current quarter \$A'000	Previous quarter \$A'000
5.1	Bank balances	70	86
5.2	Call deposits	1,250	1,400
5.3	Bank overdrafts	-	-
5.4	Other (provide details)	23	23
5.5	Cash and cash equivalents at end of quarter (should equal item 4.6 above)	1,343	1,509

6.	Payments to related parties of the entity and their associates	Current quarter \$A'000
6.1	Aggregate amount of payments to related parties and their associates included in item 1	55
6.2	Aggregate amount of payments to related parties and their associates included in item 2	-
Note: if any amounts are shown in items 6.1 or 6.2, your quarterly activity report must include a description of, and an explanation for, such payments		

Payments included in item 6.1 are related to fees and remuneration (inclusive of superannuation) paid to Directors.

7. Financing facilities	Total facility amount at quarter end \$A'000	Amount drawn at quarter end \$A'000
<i>Note: the term "facility" includes all forms of financing arrangements available to the entity.</i>		
<i>Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the sources of finance available to the entity.</i>		
7.1 Loan facilities	-	-
7.2 Credit standby arrangements	-	-
7.3 Other	-	-
7.4 Total financing facilities	-	-
7.5 Unused financing facilities available at quarter end		-
7.6 Include in the box below a description of each facility above, including the lender, interest rate, maturity date and whether it is secured or unsecured. If any additional financing facilities have been entered into or are proposed to be entered into after quarter end, include a note providing details of those facilities as well.		
N/A		

8. Estimated cash available for future operating activities	\$A'000
8.1 Net cash from / (used in) operating activities (Item 1.9)	(114)
8.2 (Payments for exploration & evaluation classified as investing activities) (item 2.1(d))	(75)
8.3 Total relevant outgoings (Item 8.1 + Item 8.2)	(189)
8.4 Cash and cash equivalents at quarter end (Item 4.6)	1,343
8.5 Unused finance facilities available at quarter end (Item 7.5)	-
8.6 Total available funding (Item 8.4 + Item 8.5)	1,343
8.7 Estimated quarters of funding available (Item 8.6 divided by Item 8.3)	7.11
<i>Note: if the entity has reported positive relevant outgoings (ie a net cash inflow) in item 8.3, answer item 8.7 as "N/A". Otherwise, a figure for the estimated quarters of funding available must be included in item 8.7.</i>	
8.8 If Item 8.7 is less than 2 quarters, please provide answers to the following questions:	
8.8.1 Does the entity expect that it will continue to have the current level of net operating cash flows for the time being and, if not, why not?	
N/A	
8.8.2 Has the entity taken any steps, or does it propose to take any steps, to raise further cash to fund its operations and, if so, what are those steps and how likely does it believe that they will be successful?	
N/A	
8.8.3 Does the entity expect to be able to continue its operations and to meet its business objectives and, if so, on what basis?	
N/A	
<i>Note: where item 8.7 is less than 2 quarters, all of questions 8.8.1, 8.8.2 and 8.8.3 above must be answered.</i>	

Compliance statement

- 1 This statement has been prepared in accordance with accounting standards and policies which comply with Listing Rule 19.11A.
- 2 This statement gives a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

Date: 22 January 2025

Authorised by: By the Board

(Name of body or officer authorising release – see note 4)

Notes

1. This quarterly cash flow report and the accompanying activity report provide a basis for informing the market about the entity's activities for the past quarter, how they have been financed and the effect this has had on its cash position. An entity that wishes to disclose additional information over and above the minimum required under the Listing Rules is encouraged to do so.
2. If this quarterly cash flow report has been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, the definitions in, and provisions of, *AASB 6: Exploration for and Evaluation of Mineral Resources* and *AASB 107: Statement of Cash Flows* apply to this report. If this quarterly cash flow report has been prepared in accordance with other accounting standards agreed by ASX pursuant to Listing Rule 19.11A, the corresponding equivalent standards apply to this report.
3. Dividends received may be classified either as cash flows from operating activities or cash flows from investing activities, depending on the accounting policy of the entity.
4. If this report has been authorised for release to the market by your board of directors, you can insert here: "By the board". If it has been authorised for release to the market by a committee of your board of directors, you can insert here: "By the [*name of board committee – eg Audit and Risk Committee*]". If it has been authorised for release to the market by a disclosure committee, you can insert here: "By the Disclosure Committee".
5. If this report has been authorised for release to the market by your board of directors and you wish to hold yourself out as complying with recommendation 4.2 of the ASX Corporate Governance Council's *Corporate Governance Principles and Recommendations*, the board should have received a declaration from its CEO and CFO that, in their opinion, the financial records of the entity have been properly maintained, that this report complies with the appropriate accounting standards and gives a true and fair view of the cash flows of the entity, and that their opinion has been formed on the basis of a sound system of risk management and internal control which is operating effectively.== == == == ==