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*Reshoring the United
States Boron Supply Chain*

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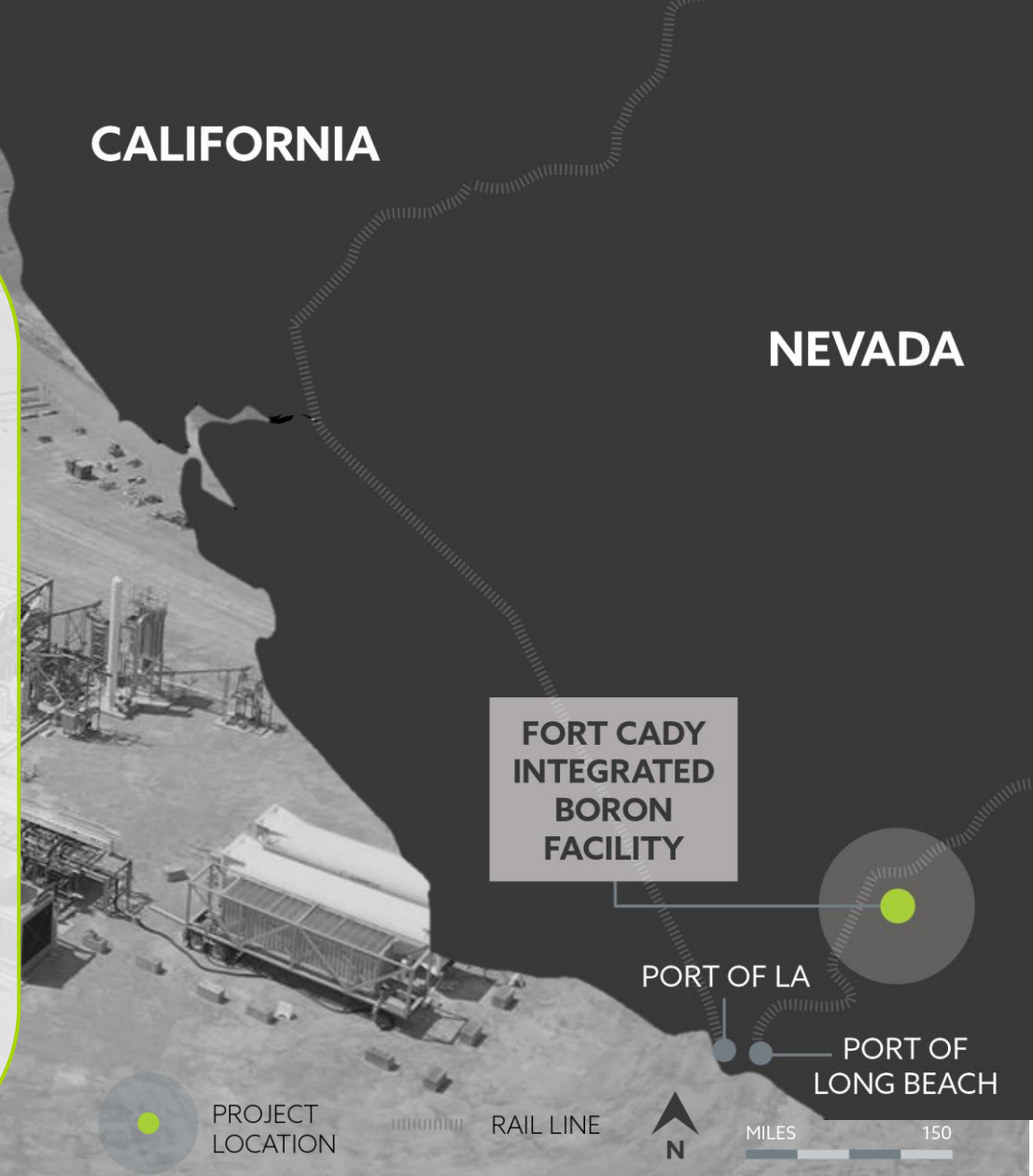
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5E Advanced Materials Summary

CALIFORNIA

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- ✓ 5E Advanced Materials trades on the Nasdaq and the ASX Stock Exchange
- ✓ Largest known new conventional (colemanite) boron deposit globally outside of Turkey
- ✓ Initial mine life of 31 years and 171M ton resource containing 7.9M tons of boric acid¹
- ✓ Currently in production at the 5E Boron Americas Complex to prove a path to commercial scale
- ✓ 5E will operate across the value chain: resource extraction, refinement, and distribution
- ✓ Commercial production fully permitted (90ktpa) with phased expansion plans²



Boron Market Segments

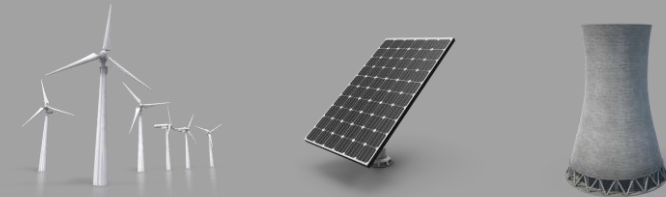
Electric Vehicles and Permanent Magnets

- Widely used (and largely not substitutable) across Electrification of Transport
- Key driver of demand in magnets needed for electric motor permanents



Global Energy Transition

- Critical material used in wide range of decarbonization technologies (wind, solar, and nuclear)
- Decreasing costs of renewable energy technologies and inputs have made them cost-competitive with fossil fuels



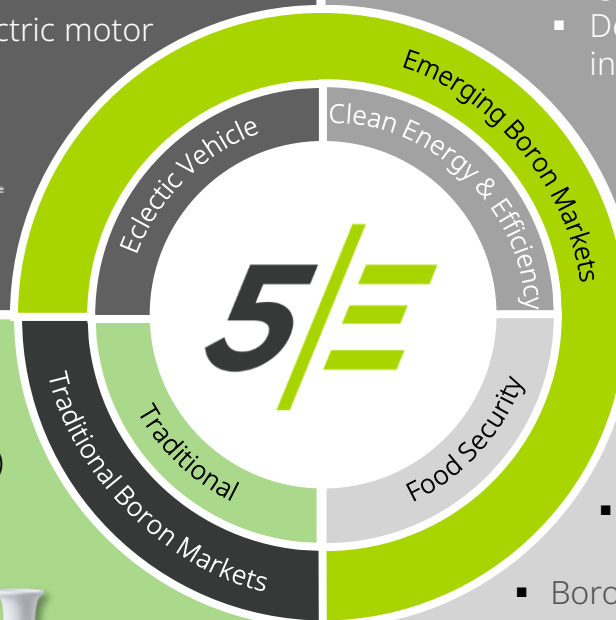
Traditional Applications

- Historical uses include:
 - Glass (borosilicate glass, fiberglass composites)
 - Ceramics
 - Cleaning agents



Food Security

- Up to 40 % of Earth's land is degraded, threatens roughly half of global GDP (US\$44 trillion)¹
- Boron is an essential micronutrient for crop health and to increase crop yields
- Boron based fertilizers are widely used commercially



\$2.15b global market 2023²

Global Boric Acid Demand CAGR of **5.4%**²

1.9M tons of new demand expected by 2031³

¹ Chronic land degradation: UN offers stark warnings and practical remedies in Global Land Outlook

² Global Market Insights, Boron Market – Industry Analysis & Forecast (2024-2030)

³ Kline Market Report

Mining & Environmental Advantage

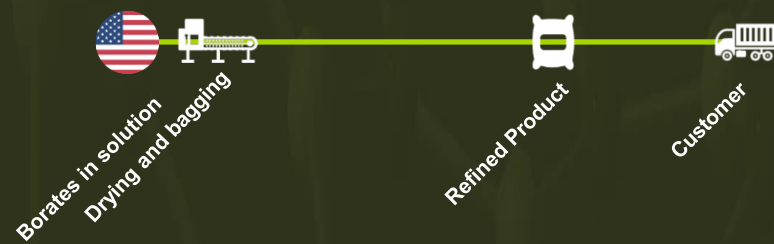
In-Situ Mining¹

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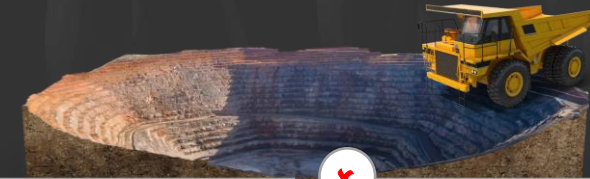


- ✓ Low land disturbance
- ✓ Efficient Processing
- ✓ No tailings dam storage
- ✓ Minimal Excavating Equipment

Streamlined
Production and Processing

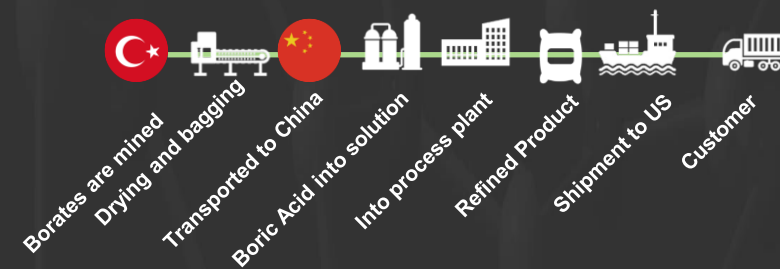


Hard Rock Mining



- ✗ Risk of pit collapse
- ✗ Equipment and labor intensive
- ✗ Significant surface area needed
- ✗ Tailings storage

Multi-Location
Production and Processing



¹ <https://www.visualcapitalist.com/sp/everything-you-need-to-know-about-in-situ-mining/#:~:text=Advantages%20of%20In%2DSitu%20Mining,operate%20without%20moving%20a%20rock>

5E Boron Americas Complex Progress



Post-Commissioning Progress:

- Commissioned Small Scale Boron Facility in April – now fully operational
 - Progressively ramped up to higher production rates
 - Successfully achieved necessary production quality
- Addressed initial operational issues with heat exchanger & screw conveyor

Production Updates:

- Production rates: One short ton per day, on specification
 - Sufficient rates to cost optimize and progress customer qualification
- Head grade: Reached 5.5 – 6%, and 10K ppm of Boron

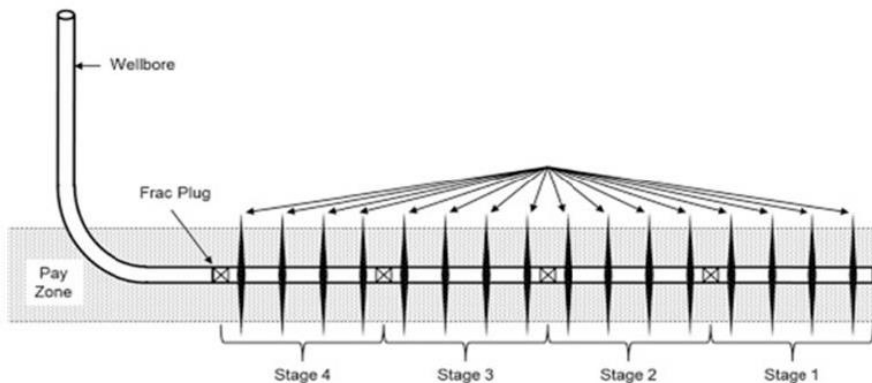
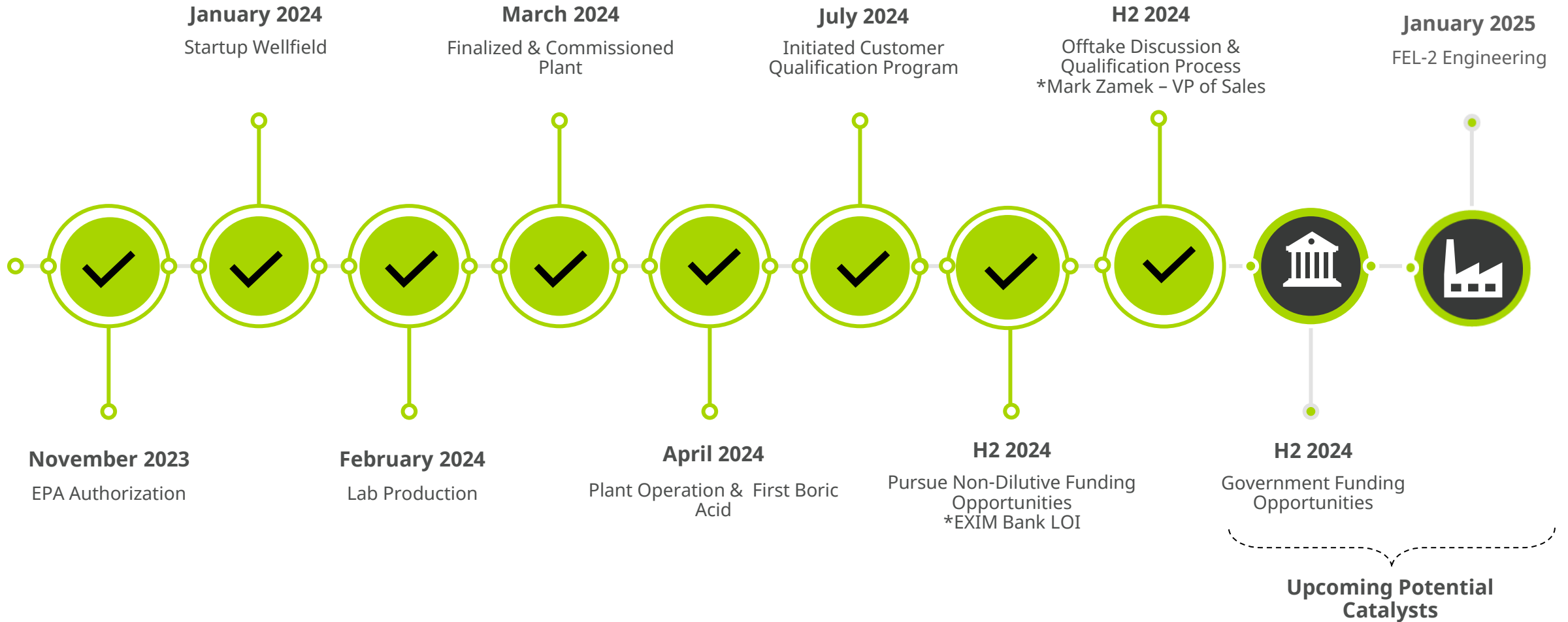


Fig 2.2.3V. Well milestone 1

Continued Project Execution:

- Further optimization of wellfield and processing operations
- Byproduct optionality creates opportunity for significant value-add
- Field data and testing show that lithium ppm exists, optimizing extraction

Milestones Achieved & Upcoming Potential Catalysts



Next Strategic Steps Forward

1. **Laying the foundation for traditional project finance**
2. **Project optimization**
 - Complete FEL-2 engineering
 - Improved CAPEX and OPEX estimates for project scaling
 - Deliver pre-feasibility study (PFS)
3. **Dedicated workstreams currently in place for:**
 - Vendor and equipment testing
 - Onsite lab testing for specification validation
 - Scenario analysis to drive optimal byproduct ratio
4. **Customer commitments**

Production Decision Pathways and Enhanced Project Optionality

Optimization work yielding multiple additional co-product and byproduct mixes based on operating capabilities

Identified operational processes that allow 5E to compliment boric acid production with value-added byproducts

Can now determine the byproduct mix that maximizes project value – with meaningfully improved returns

New processes target increasing project NPV, grow project IRR%, and reduce cash costs/capital outlays

The 4 Pillars of Project Execution



1. Optimize CAPEX and OPEX:

- Well-field and process optimization
- Developed power solutions
- Value-added byproducts



2. Data Collection and Ramp-up:

- Production quality achieved
- Ramp-up to higher rates
- Deliver product to key customers



3. FEL-2 Engineering:

- Complete Pre-feasibility report
- +/-25% CAPEX and OPEX estimates¹
- Foundation for debt financing



4. Customer Qualification and Off-Take:

- Complete customer qualification
- Negotiate off-take agreements
- Customer debt/investment financing

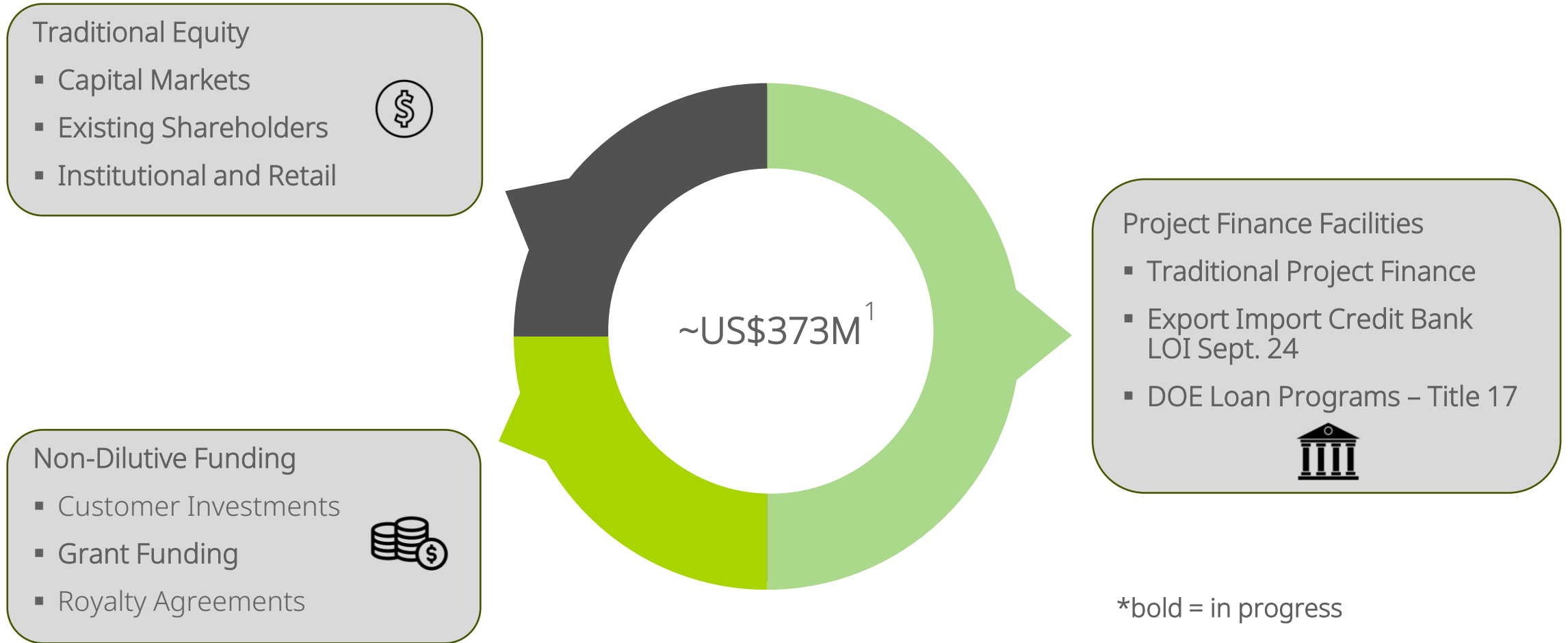
Catalysts expected to Increase NPV and Lower Commercial Cash Costs



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Project Finance Program

Commercial Phase 1 Project Funding Sources



1. Regulation S-K 1300 Initial Assessment Report with a revised report date of February 2, 2024 (using 2% cut-off grade) prepared by Qualified Person. Capital number includes Phase I, 90,000 short tons of boric acid production.

* Graphic not intended to reflect any estimated proportions of sources of funding.

United States Government – Funding Support Opportunities

FUNDING SOURCES

Department of Defense

- Defense Production Act, DPA Title III
- NDAA Funding Bill



Department of Energy

- Loan Program Office
- AMMTO Program



Export Import Bank

- Credit Facility to backstop private project finance through US Treasury



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Non-Dilutive Financing

FEAM State of the Union

Department of Defense

- Multiple applications for funding already in progress
- Funding focused on increasing current production, as well as boron derivate products

Department of Energy

- AMMTO Funding Application in evaluation to fund work to increase lithium extraction rates at the 5E Boron Americans Complex

Export Import Bank

- Letter of Support (LOI) rec'd in Sept., backstops project finance for the private sector

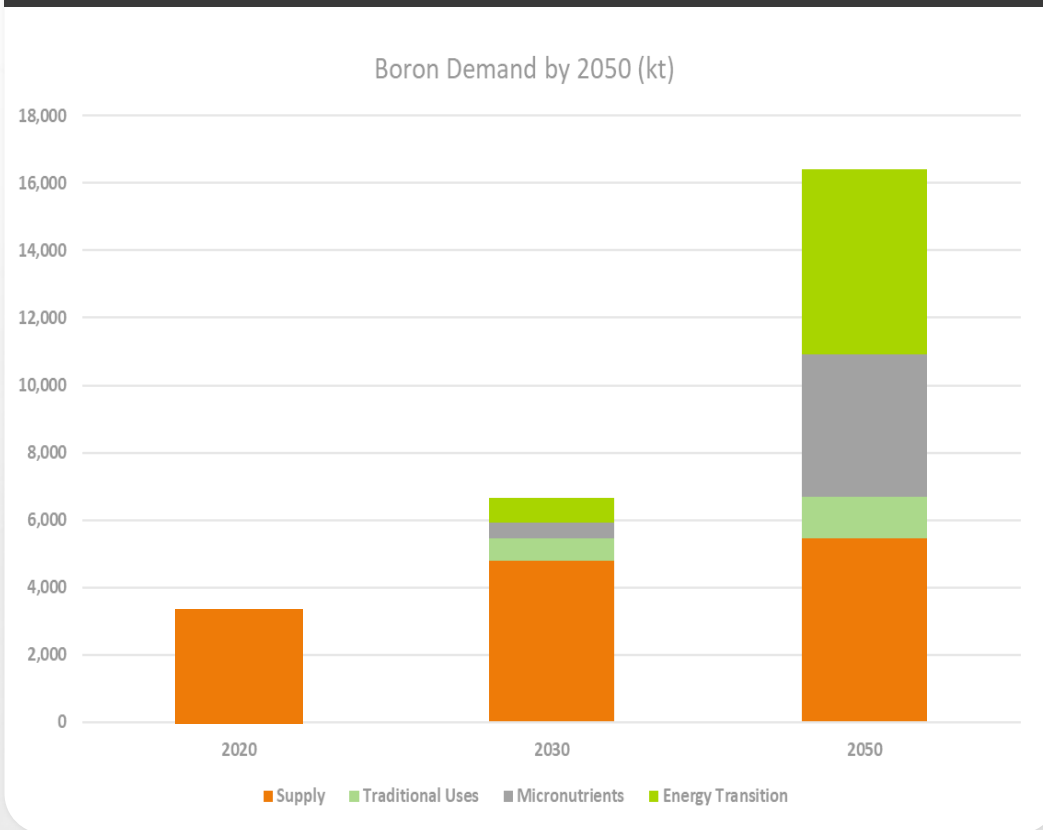


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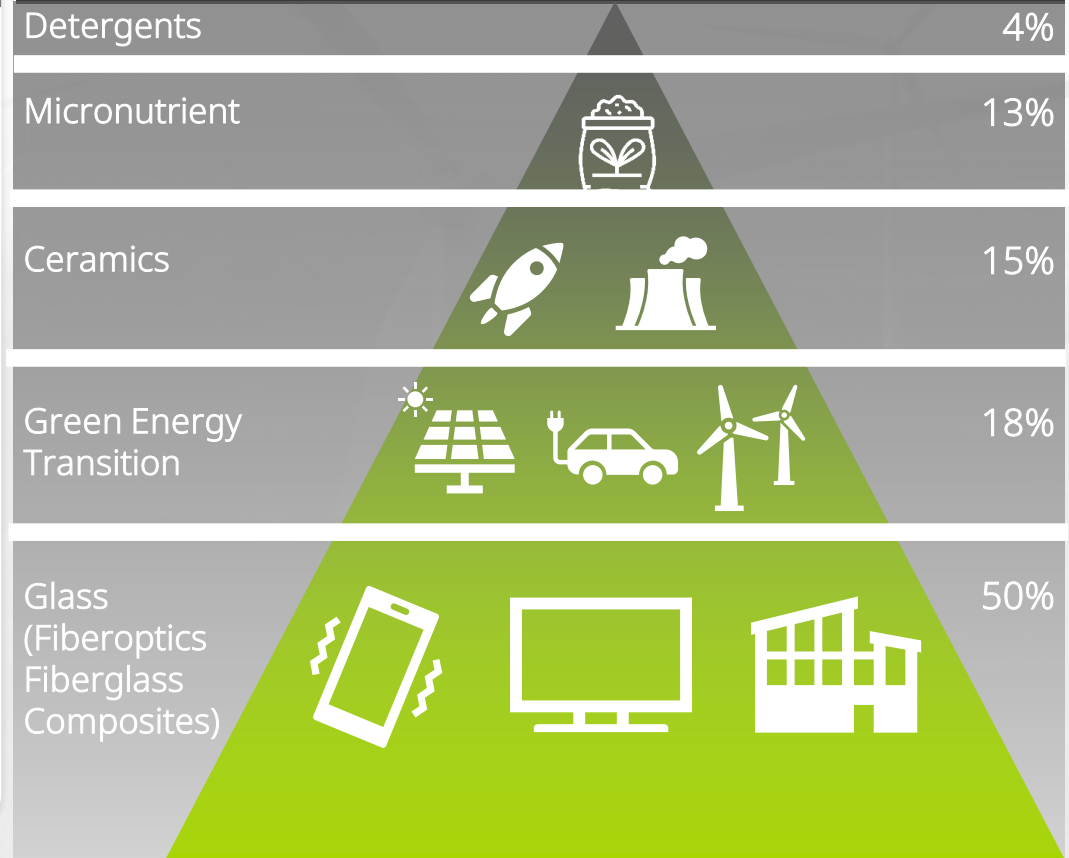
The Global Boron Market

5E is a pure-play boron investment opportunity

Boron Supply-Demand Imbalance¹



Boron Product Distribution Markets²



Note: Elemental boron figures converted to boric acid equivalent at a ratio of 1-to-5.72.

¹ Reflects management's estimates and forecasts of 'high demand' scenario, based on (among other sources) certain data provided in the following: (a) Eti Maden: 2021 Boron Sector Report; (b) Credit Suisse Equity Research Kline Market Report and Global Market Insights; and (c) Kline Market Report and Global Market Insights. Management estimates that under a 'low demand' scenario, boron demand will increase by ~2x in 2030 and ~4x in 2050 relative to 2020.

² Regulation S-K 1300 Initial Assessment Report with a revised report date of February 2, 2024 (using 2% cut-off grade) prepared by Qualified Persons.

Investment Thesis

- ✓ Fully integrated business going from mineral to application
- ✓ Limited competitive landscape to supply boron
- ✓ Tailwinds for U.S. investment into clean energy transition
- ✓ Mining the most commercially viable families of borates to process
- ✓ Solution mining process for a safer, scalable and environmentally friendly mining process
- ✓ Streamlined domestic supply chain positioning 5E ahead of its global competitors
- ✓ Well diversified end users across multiple everyday products



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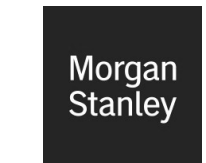
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