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Scientific and technical information in this Presentation has been reviewed and approved by Steve Ross, P. Geo., Vice President Resource Development, of the Company, who is a "qualified person" under National Instrument 43-101 – *Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects* ("NI 43-101").

Further information about the South West Arkansas ("SWA") Project, including a description of key assumptions, parameters, methods and risks, is available in the NI 43-101 technical report titled "South West Arkansas Project NI 43-101 Technical Report & Definitive Feasibility Study, Arkansas, United States" dated October 14, 2025 (the "South West Arkansas DFS"), available under the Company's SEDAR+ profile or otherwise updated by the information provided in the Company's news release announcing a preliminary economic assessment on the Franklin Project dated September 8, 2026, and available under the Company's SEDAR+ profile.

Further information about the Franklin Project in the northeast region of Texas (the "Franklin Project") including a description of key assumptions, parameters, methods and risks, is available in the NI 43-101 technical report titled "NI 43-101 Technical Report: Maiden Inferred Resource Estimate for Standard Lithium Ltd.'s Franklin Project, Located in Hopkins, Franklin, and Titus Counties, Texas, United States" dated November 5, 2025 (the "Franklin Project Report"), available under the Company's SEDAR+ profile.

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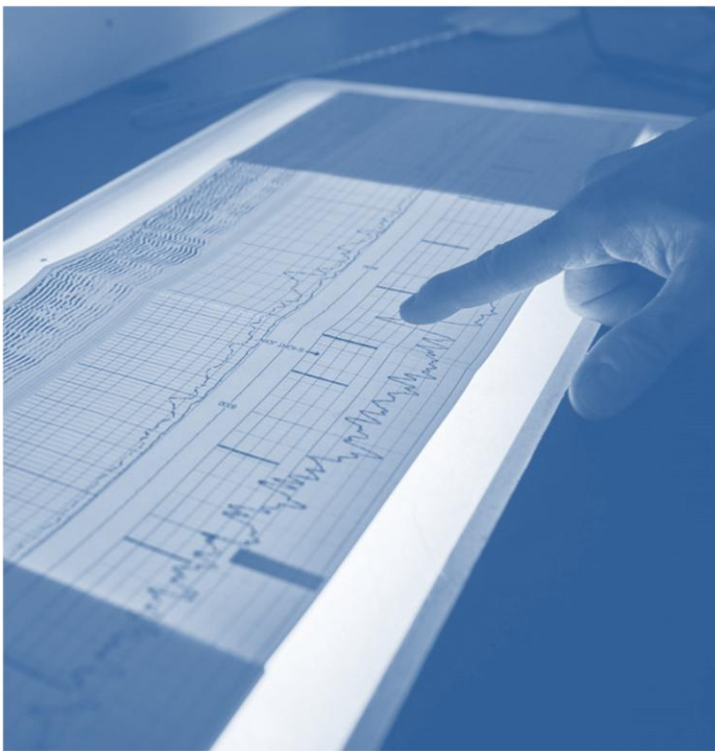
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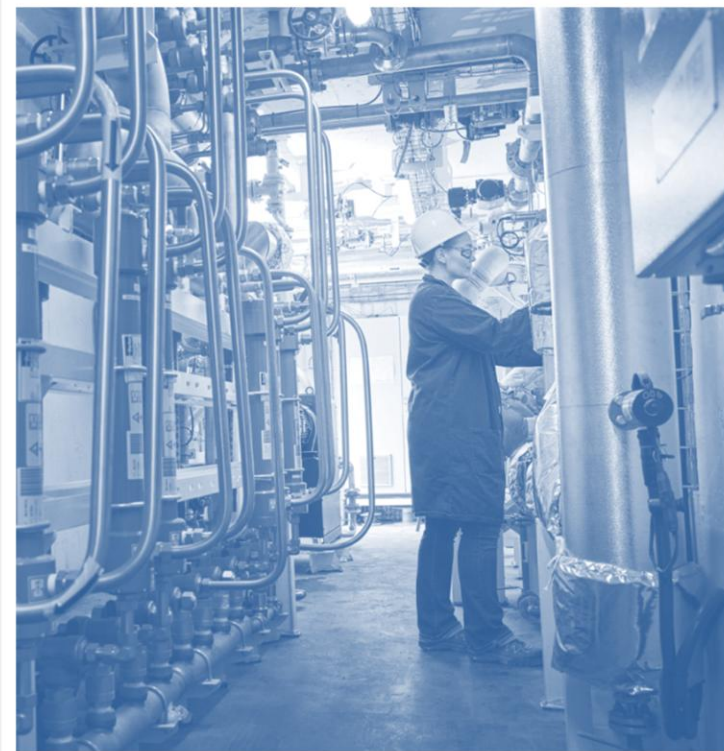
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Standard Lithium aims to be a leading low-cost sustainable U.S. lithium producer



Plans for attractive near-term commercial-scale production by applying innovative technologies to our world class assets in Arkansas and Texas



Building projects with our global partners in a region with broad stakeholder and regulatory support

Investment Highlights



Premier Lithium Resource in North America

Position in the Smackover is **large and scalable** with some of the **highest reported lithium-in-brine grades** in North America¹



Advantaged Cost Structure

High grade resource, proven commercial-scale technology and infrastructure drives low operating costs – expected to rank in **first (lowest) quartile of global cost curve**²



Strong Government Support

SWA Project identified as transparency project on Federal Permitting Dashboard³, and awarded **\$225 million grant from the U.S. Department of Energy (“DOE”)**⁴



Strategic Location

Assets located in areas with **established natural resource extraction industries, infrastructure and skilled workforce**, as well as proximity to key battery supply chains



World-Class Partners

Partnerships bring complementary resources and expertise: Equinor provides subsurface and large-project delivery experience and Aquatech aids in development of flowsheet and technology, including providing performance guarantees



Advanced and De-risked Project Development

Finalized SWA Definitive Feasibility Study (“DFS”), which supports a **highly attractive asset**, and completed extensive field testing of direct lithium extraction (“DLE”) technology to **de-risk performance**



Attractive Market Fundamentals

Global lithium demand projected to reach 3.3 million tonnes of lithium carbonate equivalent (“LCE”) by 2030 – more than doubling from 2025 levels⁵ – with **strong U.S. support for advancing domestic production**⁶

1. Standard Lithium press releases on July 15, 2025 and September 8, 2026

2. Source: Benchmark Minerals Q2 2026 Lithium Forecast

3. Standard Lithium press release on April 21, 2025. Inclusion on the Permitting Dashboard as a FAST-41 transparency project highlights the project's role in advancing domestic critical mineral lithium production and supporting U.S.

4. energy independence but does not create an assumption of project approval, favorable review or federal funding

4. DOE grant awarded to SWA Lithium LLC, a jointly-owned U.S. subsidiary of Standard Lithium and Equinor for initial phase of SWA Project

5. Q2 2026 Fastmarkets Lithium Forecast

6. Executive Order 'Immediate Measures to Increase American Mineral Production' signed March 20, 2025

Delivering Made-in-America Lithium

Standard Lithium has executed a focused strategy built on four core pillars, which we believe positions the company to deliver domestically produced lithium in 2029

SECURE THE BEST RESOURCE

- Entered Smackover through Tetra Option Agreement (part of SWA Project)



UNLOCK RESOURCE WITH PROVEN TECHNOLOGY

- Began Operations of DLE Demo Plant at Lanxess Bromine Operations



DE-RISK RESOURCE AND TECHNOLOGY

- Entered Strategic Partnership with Equinor²
- Executed DLE Technology License for SWA Project³



ALIGN WITH THE RIGHT PARTNERS

- Binding offtake agreements for SWA Project with Trafigura and LG Energy Solution⁷
- Concluded U.S. federal NEPA review⁸



- Expecting Final Investment Decision and Start of Construction by Year-End 2026
- Targeting First Commercial Production at SWA Project in 2029

2017

2020

2021

2024

2025

2026

2029

1. For further details see Aquatech press release dated September 16, 2025

2. Standard Lithium press release dated May 9, 2024

3. Standard Lithium press release dated October 28, 2024, signed license agreement with Koch Technology Solutions (now Aquatech) to deploy and use Li-ProTM Lithium Selective Sorption ("Li-Pro LSS") technology at SWA Phase 1

4. Standard Lithium press release on January 16, 2025; DOE grant awarded to SWA Lithium LLC, a jointly-owned U.S. subsidiary of Standard Lithium and Equinor for initial phase of SWA Project

5. Standard Lithium press release dated September 3, 2025

6. Franklin Project Maiden Inferred Resource Report dated November 5, 2025

7. Standard Lithium press releases dated March 9, 2026 and August 31, 2026

8. Standard Lithium press release dated May 14, 2026

The Smackover: A World-Class Lithium Resource



High-quality lithium brine resource

- Some of the highest recorded lithium concentrations outside of South America
- 8+ billion gallons of brine processed annually in Arkansas for bromine production¹



Proven reservoir with significant geological understanding

- 100+ years of energy operations
- 60+ years of continuous brine extraction operations¹
- Geologic data from thousands of wells



Significant infrastructure to support growth

- Region is home to one of North America's largest and oldest brine processing industries¹
- Gulf Coast chemical industry provides ease of access to key reagents
- Availability of water, power, natural gas, road, rail and skilled labor



1. Arkansas Department of Energy and Environment, "Lithium Facts"

2. Identified locations for Albemarle, ExxonMobil, and Chevron include both bromine and lithium operations

3. Chevron press release on June 17, 2025, Chevron acquired two leasehold acreage positions across regions in Northeast Texas and Southwest Arkansas

4. Arkansas Department of Energy and Environment dated August 2025, "Lithium Update"

Developing Highly Attractive U.S. Lithium Assets

SOUTH WEST ARKANSAS



EAST TEXAS



Ownership:

55% Standard Lithium / 45% Equinor¹

Key Highlights:

- Avg. lithium concentration of **442 mg/L** on Measured & Indicated Resource with results **up to 616 mg/L**²
- Closed **\$225 million grant** from DOE³ and included as transparency project on Federal Permitting Dashboard⁴

Key Highlights:

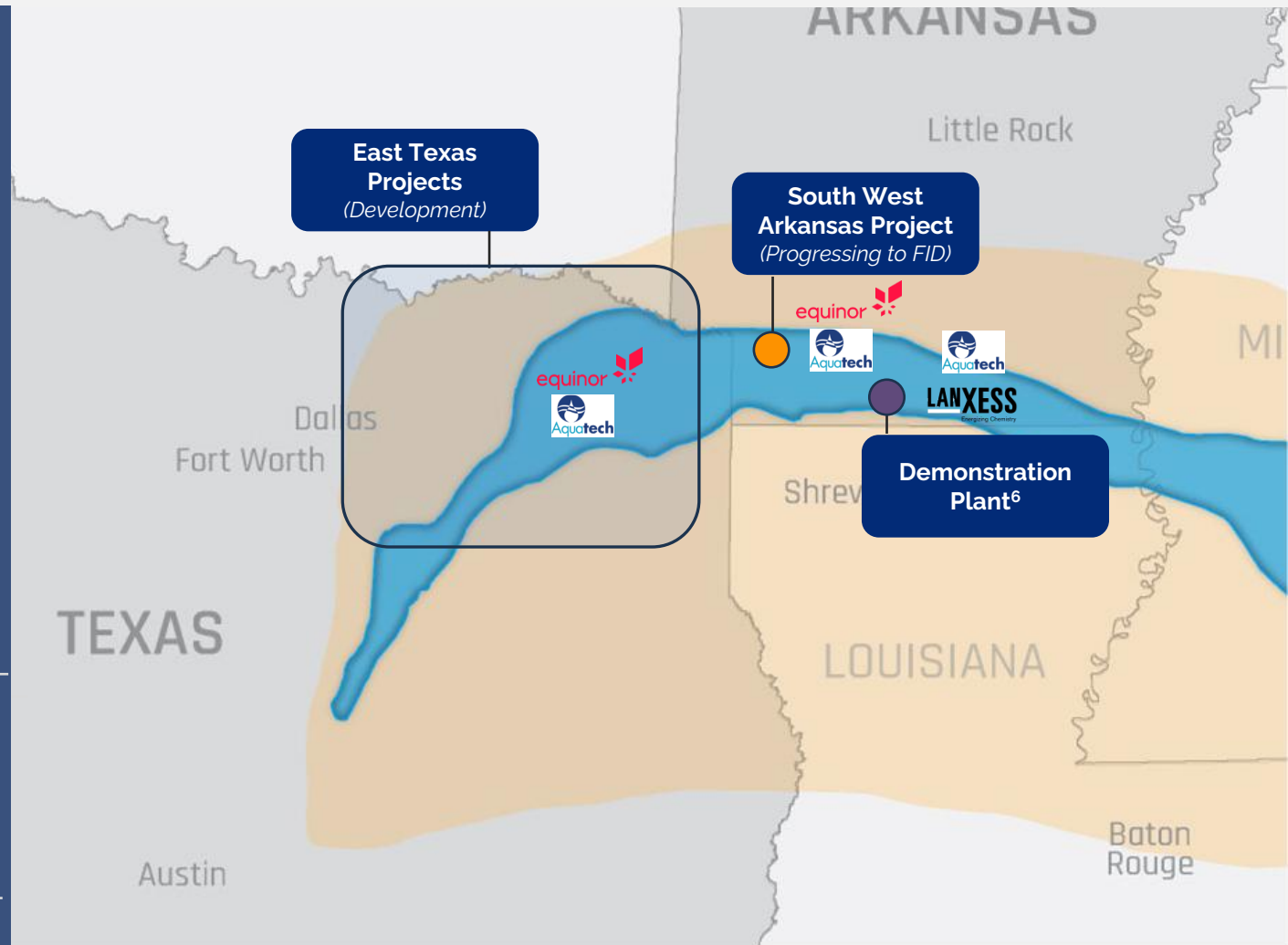
- Avg. lithium concentration of **562 mg/L** on Indicated Resource (Franklin Project) with significant potash and bromine concentrations⁵
- Potential for significant upside with further exploration

Production:

- Initial capacity of **22,500 tonnes per annum ("TPA") lithium carbonate**, with further expansion opportunity²
- Targets first commercial production in **2029**

Production:

- 70,000 TPA of potential lithium carbonate** capacity at Franklin Project⁵
- Targeting well over **100,000 TPA** lithium chemicals over multiple phases and projects in TX



1. Standard Lithium press release on May 8, 2024
 2. South West Arkansas Project DFS dated October 14, 2025 and supplemental guidance thereto; max grade referenced in press release dated July 15, 2025
 3. Standard Lithium press release on January 16, 2025; DOE grant awarded to SWA Lithium LLC, a jointly-owned U.S. subsidiary of Standard Lithium and Equinor for initial phase of SWA Project

4. Standard Lithium press release on April 21, 2025
 5. Franklin Project Preliminary Economic Assessment press release dated September 8, 2026
 6. The Company's Demonstration Plant is located at the Lanxess South facility near El Dorado, AR

South West Arkansas: First Planned U.S. Commercial DLE

MILESTONES

DLE De-Risking Complete¹

Successful field-test surpassed key performance criteria

Front-End Engineering Design & DFS Complete

DFS technical report released October 2025

Targeting FID and Construction in 2026

Offtake and debt finance process well-advanced

HIGHLIGHTS (100% Ownership Basis)²

22,500 TPA

Lithium Carbonate Production Capacity

2029

Targeted First Commercial Production

549 mg/L

Initial Grade at Start of Production

481 mg/L

Average Grade over Plant Operating Life

1.2Mt

Total Measured & Indicated Lithium Carbonate Equivalent Resource⁴

\$1.7bn

Unlevered Pre-Tax NPV₈³

20%

Pre-Tax IRR³

\$1,449mm

Total CAPEX

\$4,516 \$/t

Average Annual Cash OPEX

20+ Year

Modelled Operating Life

Note: All model outputs are expressed on a 100% ownership basis with no adjustments for project financing assumptions. Standard Lithium's economic interest in the SWA Project is 55%. Any discrepancies in the totals are due to rounding effects

1. Standard Lithium press release dated March 11, 2025

2. South West Arkansas Project Definitive Feasibility Study dated October 14, 2025 and supplemental guidance thereto

3. Assumes \$22,400/t lithium price based on average of Fastmarket's 20-year forward pricing curve

4. Includes measured & indicated resource of 922kt and 255kt, respectively; shown inclusive of reserves; excludes inferred resource of 278kt.

Franklin Project: A Premier Global Lithium Asset

MILESTONES

Maiden Inferred Resource Complete

Released September 2025

Preliminary Economic Assessment ("PEA") Complete

Technical Report being finalized

Targeting Preliminary Feasibility Study in 2027

Including further evaluation of bromine and potash opportunities

HIGHLIGHTS (100% Ownership Basis)¹

70,000 TPA

Lithium Carbonate Production Capacity

Early 2030's

Potential First Commercial Production

562 mg/L

Initial Lithium Grade at Start of Production

515 mg/L

Average Grade over Plant Operating Life

1.8Mt

Total Indicated LCE Resource⁴

\$5.0bn

Unlevered Post-Tax NPV₈²

24%

Post-Tax IRR²

\$49.9k/t

Capital Intensity³

\$4,226/t

Average Annual Cash OPEX

2.7Mt

Total Indicated Bromide Resource⁴

15.1Mt

Total Inferred Potash Resource⁴

Note: All model outputs are expressed on a 100% ownership basis with no adjustments for project financing assumptions. Standard Lithium's economic interest in the Franklin Project is 55%. Any discrepancies in the totals are due to rounding effects

1. Franklin Project PEA press release dated September 8, 2026. The PEA is preliminary in nature and includes Inferred Mineral Resources that are considered too speculative to have the economic considerations applied to them that would enable them to be categorized as Mineral Reserves and there is no certainty that the PEA will be realized

2. Assumes \$22,400/t lithium price and a 20-year modelled operating life

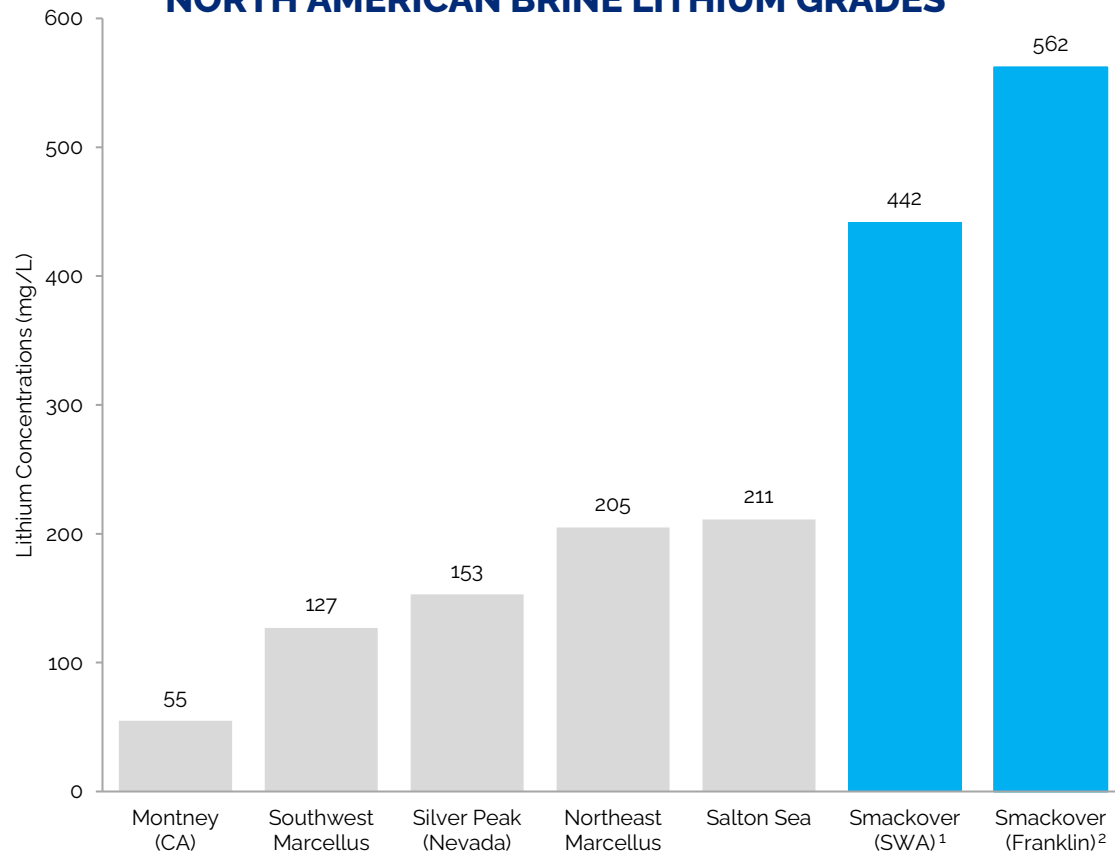
3. Calculated as initial CAPEX divided by annual production capacity of lithium carbonate

4. Excludes inferred lithium and bromide resource of 2.1Mt and 3.1Mt, respectively. Bromide is the ionized form of the commercial product bromine and potash is potassium chloride

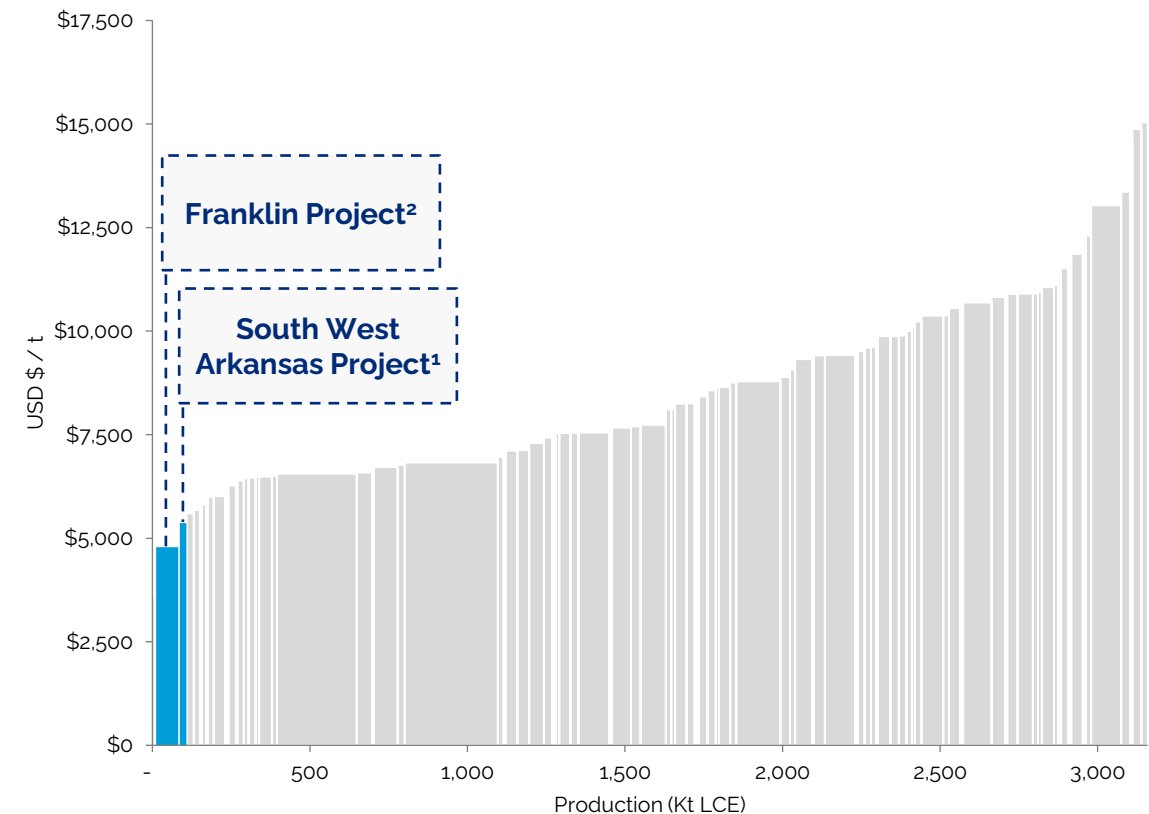
Compelling Economics Driven By High Grades

The Smackover Formation's high lithium concentration drives low-cost estimates
Standard Lithium anticipates its projects to rank among first quartile on global lithium cost curve

NORTH AMERICAN BRINE LITHIUM GRADES



GLOBAL LITHIUM PRODUCTION COST CURVE³



1. South West Arkansas Project Definitive Feasibility Study dated October 14, 2025. Average lithium concentration of Measured & Indicated Resource. Average operating costs based on annual production capacity of 22,500 tonnes of lithium carbonate. Includes royalties and excludes sustaining and closure CAPEX
2. Franklin Project PEA press release dated September 8, 2026. Average lithium concentration of Indicated Resource. Average operating costs based on annual production capacity of 70,000 tonnes of lithium carbonate. Includes royalties and excludes sustaining and closure CAPEX
3. Source: Benchmark Minerals July 2026 Forecast. Reflects C1 costs which include mining/extraction, processing, G&A, transportation, port loading & storage, concentrate shipping, chemical conversion, chemical shipping, by-product credits plus royalties/production taxes. Based on 2030 LCE production and cost

Strong U.S. Government Support

Support from Department of Energy and Executive Office's National Energy Dominance Council reinforces SWA Project importance and development timeline

Recipient of \$225m DOE Grant

- Received a **\$225 million grant from the DoE** to support the SWA Project's construction¹
- Grant aims to **increase production of critical minerals in the U.S.**



Designated as Federal Transparency Project

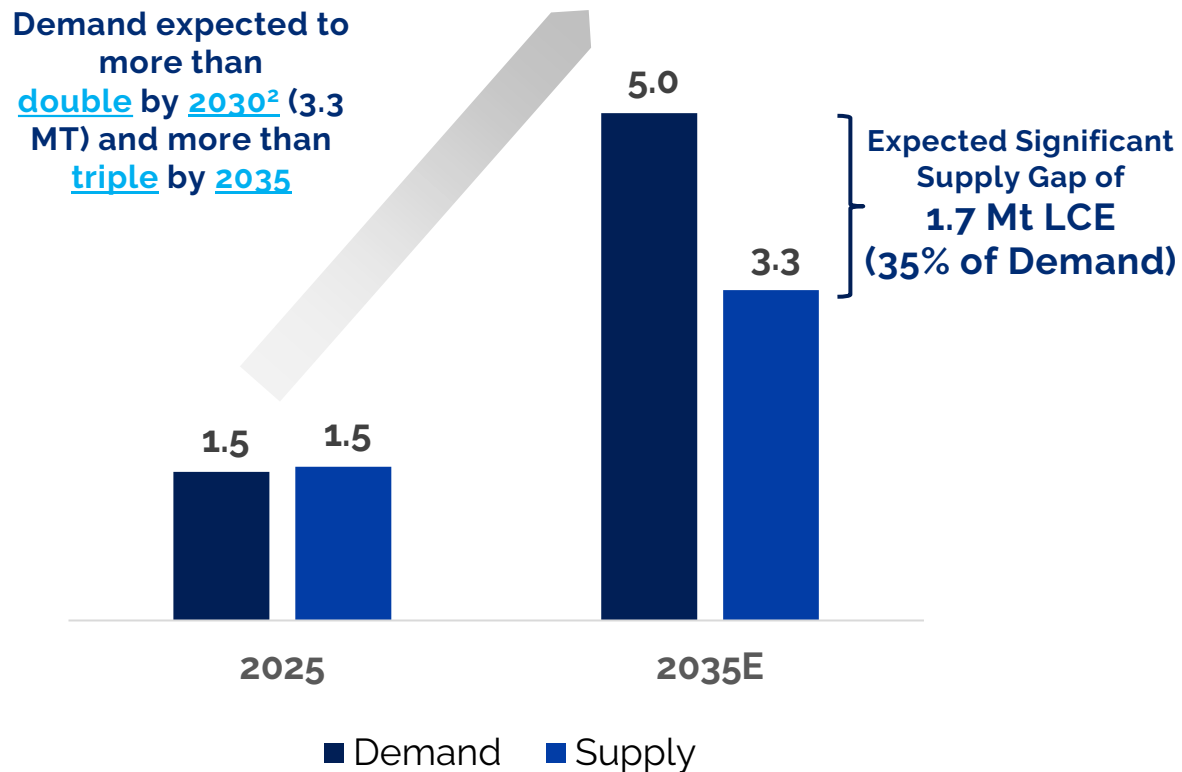
- SWA Project has been included on the Federal Permitting Dashboard as a **FAST-41 transparency project**²
- SWA is one of a small group of domestic lithium projects with this designation

1. Standard Lithium press release on January 16, 2025; DOE grant awarded to SWA Lithium LLC, a jointly-owned U.S. subsidiary of Standard Lithium and Equinor for initial phase of SWA Project

2. Permitting Council press release dated April 18, 2025, "Trump Administration Advances First Wave of Critical Mineral Production Projects". Inclusion on the Permitting Dashboard as a FAST-41 transparency project highlights the project's role in advancing domestic critical mineral lithium production and supporting U.S. energy independence but does not create an assumption of project approval, favorable review or federal funding

Compelling Lithium Market Fundamentals

GLOBAL LITHIUM DEMAND & SUPPLY (MT LCE)¹



Lithium is Powering Artificial Intelligence (AI)

- Unprecedented need for power from generative AI driving a projected **29% CAGR** for the storage market in the U.S.³
- Global use of lithium in battery storage systems expected to grow at a **16% CAGR** over the next 10 years¹

Lithium is Driving Electric Mobility

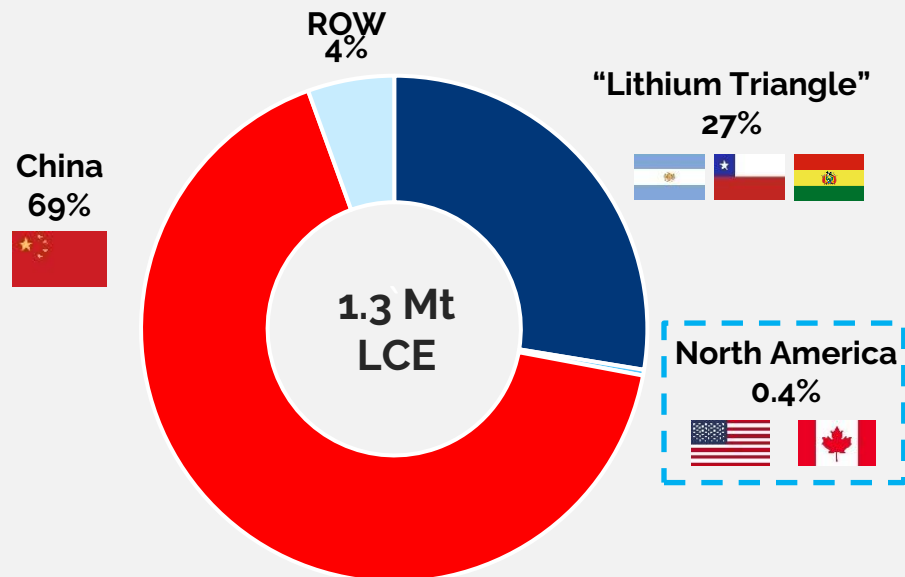
- Lithium demand from EVs expected to grow at **22% CAGR** in the U.S. over the next 10 years, outpacing the projected **15% CAGR** for global demand growth from EVs¹

1. Source: Q2 2026 Fastmarkets Lithium Forecast. CAGRs shown for 2025E – 2035E
2. 2030E projected demand and supply of 3.3Mt LCE and 2.9Mt LCE, respectively
3. Source: Global Market Insights report "U.S. Storage Market Size – By Technology, By Application, Analysis, Share, Growth Forecast, 2025 – 2034" dated March 2025

Growing Need for Domestic U.S. Lithium

U.S. Highly Reliant on China and Other Countries for Lithium

2025E LITHIUM CHEMICALS PRODUCTION BY REGION¹



North America accounts for ~13% of global lithium demand with minimal lithium chemical production today

Conventional Lithium Assets Facing Challenges

Water scarcity making traditional low-cost brine pond growth challenging

Lengthy permitting timelines, with vocal stakeholder or activist concerns

Governments seeking greater share of economics or supply chain

Spodumene processing dominated by China (~80% in 2025)¹

Strategic Access to Domestic Market



U.S. needs significant supply growth to meet forecasted lithium demand

- We believe our advantaged location gives SLI a competitive edge to be a key supplier to **emerging energy security and storage, electric vehicle and battery manufacturing markets in North America**
- Existing access to road, rail, navigable rivers, and close tie-in to gulf coast are key sustainable strategic advantages to SLI's asset base
- Local workforce and regulatory regimes that have over half a century of experience, oil and gas production, refining and chemical manufacturing



~100 Miles to TX



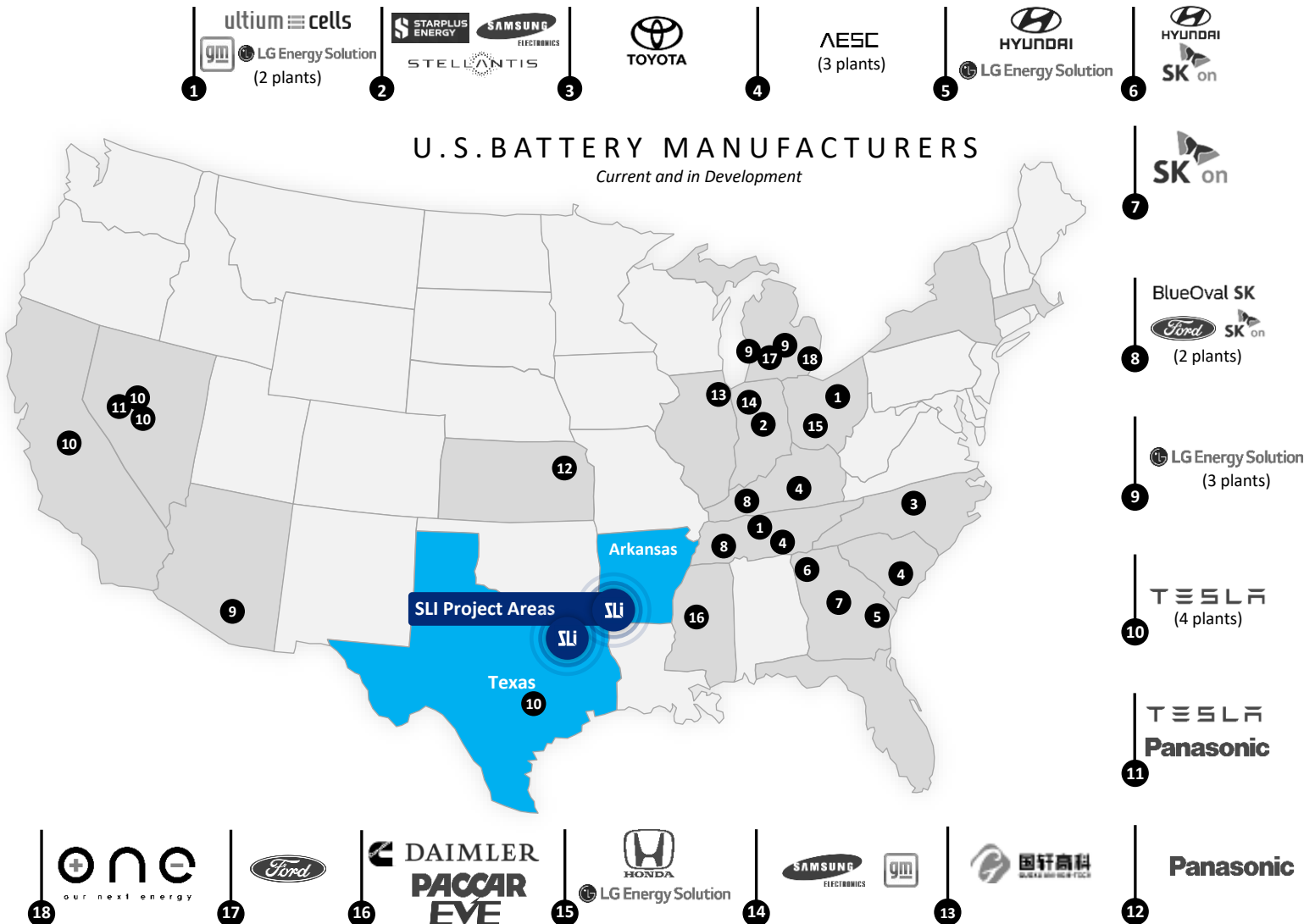
~700 Miles to TN



~1,000 Miles to MI

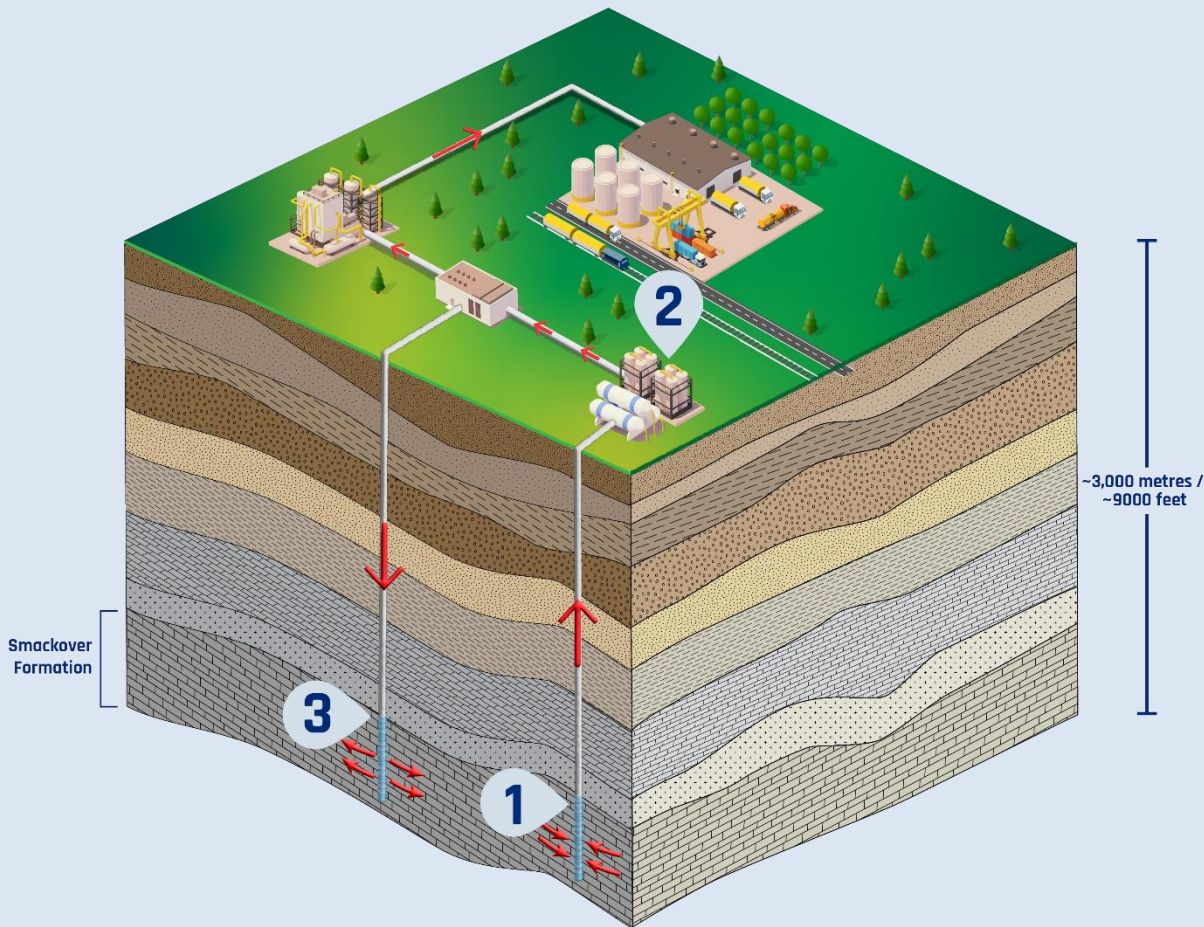
Current Supply Chain

20,000+ Nautical Miles to U.S. Manufacturing¹



High Value Strategic Partnerships

From Brine to Battery Grade Lithium – Leveraging Strategic Partnerships



Refining and Direct Lithium Extraction

- Utilizing Aquatech's proprietary Lithium Selective Sorption ("LSS") process across the Smackover
- Standard Lithium has regional exclusivity in the Smackover for the LSS process



Reservoir and Well Development

- Equinor's proven capabilities in reservoir and well development support project success



Production and Reinjection

- Equinor brings significant experience in designing and delivering onshore facilities
- Standard Lithium's Demonstration Plant provides de-risking and valuable learnings to go forward production

De-Risked DLE Technology

✓ Operating commercial-scale Demonstration Plant

- Lithium Selective Sorption unit supplied by KTS (now Aquatech) is believed to be the largest known commercial-scale column operating in a DLE facility
- Has consistently achieved targeted >95% lithium recovery and average key contaminant rejection of >99%
- Processed 42 million gallons of brine since 2020, equating to ~180 tonnes of LCE¹

✓ Successful field-test at SWA Project

- Performed field test on brine from an SWA well and achieved >99% lithium recovery and rejection of key contaminants²
- Field test produced 970 gallons of purified 6% lithium chloride solution²
- Viewed as final testing of flowsheet and underpins SWA Project's FEED and DFS

✓ Technology performance guarantee from Aquatech

- License agreement with Aquatech to deploy and use their DLE technology includes certain technology performance guarantees:
 - +95% lithium recovery and +99% contaminant rejection (including calcium, sodium, potassium, and magnesium)
 - Includes water use, as well as security of supply for the sorbent

1. Illustrative calculation based on average input of 214 mg/L; does not reflect actual LCE produced or sold
 2. Standard Lithium press release dated March 11, 2025

Large Demonstration Plant in Operation Since 2020



Pathway to Final Investment Decision at SWA

Key Milestones at South West Arkansas Project

FEED & DFS Results



- Flowsheet has been finalized and DLE technology de-risked through successful field test at SWA

NEPA Review



- Concluded National Environmental Policy Act with Finding of No Significant Impact from Federal government¹
- Required in connection with \$225 million grant from Department of Energy

Key Construction Contracts



- Awarded EPCM (Wood) and EPCC (S&B/Hatch) agreements for well field and Central Processing Facility, respectively²
- Includes Limited Notices to Proceed in advance of a Final Investment Decision

Customer Offtake (advancing)



- Signed second agreement with LG Energy Solution for 8ktpa in Aug 2026, bringing total offtakes to ~90% of target³
- Signed first agreement with Trafigura for 8ktpa⁴
- In advanced discussions and aim to conclude process shortly

Project Finance (advancing)



- Received Indications of Interest for >\$1B in project finance debt led by three major Export Credit Agencies and group of commercial banks⁵
- Well-progressed, with final negotiation subject to result of offtake process

Expect to reach FID and begin construction in 2026, with first commercial production targeted in 2029

1. Standard Lithium press release dated May 14, 2026
 2. Standard Lithium press releases dated May 21, 2026 and May 26, 2026
 3. Standard Lithium press release dated August 31, 2026
 4. Standard Lithium press release dated March 9, 2026
 5. Standard Lithium press release dated December 9, 2025

Capital Formation “Pyramid”

Standard Lithium is committed to maximizing shareholder returns through a strategic and methodical approach to capital formation

Leveraging strategic partnerships to maximize project success

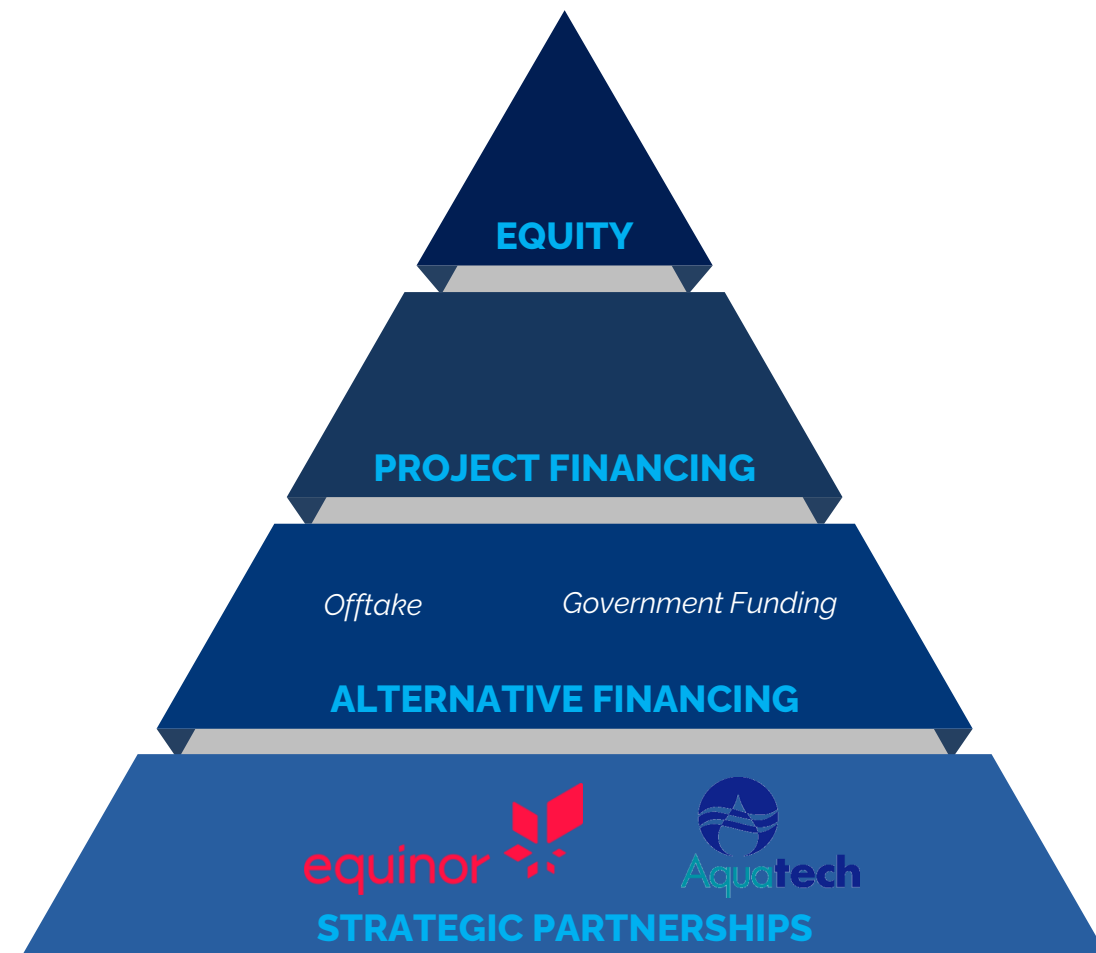
- Standard Lithium has secured investments from Equinor and Koch Industries
- Industry-leading partners bring technical, operational and strategic capabilities in addition to financial strength

Prioritizing low-cost, limited-recourse financing

- Closed \$225 million grant from the DOE which will support construction of Phase 1 of the SWA Project¹
- Process advancing to secure roughly \$1.1B in targeted project debt financing along with customer offtake²

Focused on maximizing shareholder value by limiting dilution

- Equinor investment done at the project level without issuance of any Standard Lithium shares
- **Prioritize and execute at the “base of the pyramid and build up”**, lowering the cost of capital as we de-risk the projects, minimizing parent company equity raise requirements



Capitalization & Liquidity



Financial Highlights

- Positive working capital with no revolving or term debt obligations¹
- Closed a \$130 million follow-on public offering on October 20, 2025²
- Closed a \$225 million grant from the DOE in January 2025³, one of the largest ever awarded to a U.S. critical minerals project
- One of largest shareholders (Koch, ~6% of total outstanding shares) is long-standing strategic partner⁴

Liquidity & Capitalization¹ (USD millions)

Cash	\$137.3
Debt	\$0
Basic Shares Outstanding (mm) ⁵	246.4
Share Price (USD)	\$2.64
Market Capitalization (mm)	~\$650



Source: FactSet

1. Liquidity as of 6/30/2026 balance sheet, NYSE trading data as of August 27, 2026

2. Standard Lithium press release dated October 20, 2025

3. DOE grant awarded to SWA Lithium LLC, a jointly-owned U.S. subsidiary of Standard Lithium and Equinor for initial phase of SWA Project

4. Ownership figures as per Koch, Inc. Form 13-F dated March 31, 2026

5. Basic shares outstanding as of August 10, 2026 Management's Discussion & Analysis



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Appendix

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Management Team



David Park
CEO & Director

David Park is an experienced executive with 28+ years in the energy and industrial sectors. He most recently served as President of Koch Strategic Platforms and previously as SVP of Strategy and Business Development at Georgia-Pacific, leading new platform acquisitions. He has held roles as President of TrueNorth Energy and CFO for Koch's Canadian exploration, pipeline, and energy trading business.

Earlier in his career, he worked as an International Business Development Specialist at Atomic Energy of Canada Ltd. David holds a B.S. in Economics from Texas A&M University and an M.A. in Economics from George Mason University.



Dr. Andy Robinson
President, COO & Director

Andy Robinson, co-founder of Standard Lithium, is a Geoscientist, experienced executive, team builder and project developer with 25+ years of strategic and executive experience. Andy has held senior technical, corporate & executive roles with private and public resource, power and energy companies in Europe and North America. Andy is a pioneer in lithium extraction and purification technology and holds a Ph.D. in Geochemistry from the University of Bristol, UK.



Salah Gamoudi
CFO

Salah Gamoudi most recently served as EVP and CFO of SandRidge Energy (NYSE:SD) from 2020–2023, where the company delivered significant shareholder value over his tenure. He previously held senior executive roles at public natural resource companies, driving turnarounds, restructurings, and an IPO. Earlier in his career, he worked in energy and natural resources across private equity, audit, and consulting with LRR Energy, Lime Rock Resources, Deloitte, and Ernst & Young. Mr. Gamoudi earned an M.B.A. with honors from Wharton and a B.A. in Accounting from Portland State University. He is also a Certified Public Accountant.



Mike Barman
Chief Development Officer

Mike Barman has nearly 20 years of experience advising senior executives and boards, most recently as Managing Director in Investment Banking at Stifel Nicolaus Canada (formerly GMP Securities). While at Stifel, he advised on 30+ M&A and corporate transactions totaling over \$22 billion, and led or co-led 80+ financings, raising more than \$10 billion in equity and debt capital. He holds a Master of Financial Economics and an Honours B.A. in Economics from the University of Toronto, where he received the C.L. Burton Open Scholarship for academic excellence.

South West Arkansas Project | DFS Results

Definitive Feasibility Study Highlights

- **First commercial production targeted in 2029** with initial capacity of 22,500 tpa battery-quality Li_2CO_3 . Would mark the first commercial lithium output from the Smackover Formation
- **20+ year operating life** supported by Resource & Reserve modeling with 481 mg/L average lithium concentration over production plan and ample opportunity for future expansion
- **Strong economics:** \$1.7bn unlevered pre-tax NPV₈, 20.2% IRR and \$22,400/t lithium price based on average of Fastmarket's 20-year forward pricing curve
- **Low costs:** Average operating cost of \$4,516/t and all-in cost of \$5,924/t
- **\$1.45B Total CAPEX:** Class III estimate informed by 18-month front-end engineering design, with 12.3% contingency and improved capital intensity expected on future expansion phases
- **Upgraded Resource definition:** Proven Reserves of 447,000 t LCE at 481 mg/L; Measured & Indicated Resource of 1,177,000 t LCE at 442 mg/L
- **First U.S. commercial DLE** using Aquatech Lithium Selective Sorption process with performance guarantees and regional exclusivity in Smackover under Joint Development Agreement³

Definitive Feasibility Study Summary¹ (100% Ownership Basis)

Annual Production Capacity of Li_2CO_3	tpa	22,500
Modeled Plant Operating Life	years	20
Brine Flowrate at Start of Production	bbl/d	148,000
Average Brine Flowrate over Modeled Plant Operating Life	bbl/d	168,000
Lithium Grade at Start of Production	mg/L	549
Average Lithium Grade over Plant Operating Life	mg/L	481
Total CAPEX	\$mm	1,449
Average Annual Cash OPEX	\$/t	4,516
Average Annual All-in OPEX ²	\$/t	5,924
Selling Price	\$/t	22,400
Discount Rate	%	8.0
Net Present Value (NPV) Pre-Tax	\$mm	1,666
Net Present Value (NPV) After-Tax	\$mm	1,275
Internal Rate of Return (IRR) Pre-Tax	%	20.2
Internal Rate of Return (IRR) After-Tax	%	18.2

Note: All model outputs are expressed on a 100% ownership basis with no adjustments for project financing assumptions. Standard Lithium's economic interest in the Project is 55%. Any discrepancies in the totals are due to rounding effects

1. South West Arkansas Project Definitive Feasibility Study dated October 14, 2025

2. Includes operating expenditures, royalties, sustaining capital and closure costs. Royalties include quarterly gross lithium royalty of 2.5% as approved by the Arkansas Oil and Gas Commission ("AOGC"), an additional brine fee of \$65/acre per year and override fees payable on certain optioned brine leases

3. For further details of acquisition of KTS direct lithium extraction technology see Aquatech press release dated September 16, 2025

Franklin Project | PEA Results¹

Preliminary Economic Assessment Highlights

- **Robust lithium project economics:** unlevered after-tax NPV₈ of \$5.0 billion, an IRR of 24.0%, and a 3.1-year payback period assuming price of \$22,400/t
- **Globally significant production scale:** production capacity of 70ktpa battery-quality lithium carbonate. Initial production could begin in the early 2030's with additional potential for a longer operating life and further expansion
- **Competitive operating cost estimate:** average annual lithium cash operating costs of \$4,226/t, and average annual all-in costs, including cash operating cost, royalties, sustaining capital and closure costs, of \$5,054/t
- **Increased exploration activities support significantly larger and upgraded Mineral Resource definition:** new Indicated Resource is 1.77M tonnes LCE at an average lithium concentration of 562 mg/L for 0.59 km³ of brine volume and upgraded Inferred Resource is 2.13M tonnes LCE at an average concentration of 572 mg/L for 0.70 km³ of brine volume
- **Extensive brine mineral leasing for the Franklin Project:** brine mineral leasing ongoing since 2022 now encompassing 44,541 hectares (110,064 acres), an increase of 37% from the Maiden Inferred Resource Report. 30,994 hectares (76,588 acres) gross mineral area leased to support Resource
- **Additional value creation potential from bromine:** considers a scenario based on bromine commercial opportunity of 50ktpa
- **Possible future upside from potash:** does not assume potash contribution, but highlights another possible source of future upside subject to evaluation

PEA Summary (100% Ownership Basis)

Lithium Facility and Wellfield

Annual Production Capacity of Lithium Carbonate	tpa	70,000
Average Production over Modelled Plant Operating Life	tpa	64,600
Modelled Plant Operating Life	years	20
Average Brine Flowrate over Modelled Plant Operating Life	bbL/d	455,000
Lithium Concentration at Start of Production (Year 1)	mg/L	562
Average Lithium Concentration over Plant Operating Life	mg/L	515
Initial CAPEX (<i>includes 20% contingency</i>)	\$ million	3,496
Capital Intensity	\$'000/t	49.9
Average Annual Cash Operating Cost	\$/t	4,226
Average Annual All-in Cost	\$/t	5,054 ²
Lithium Carbonate Selling Price	\$/t	22,400
NPV (After-Tax)	\$ million	4,992 ³
IRR (After-Tax)	%	24.0 ³
Payback Period (After-Tax)	years	3.1 ³

Note: All model outputs are expressed on a 100% ownership basis with no adjustments for project financing assumptions. Standard Lithium's economic interest in the Project is 55%. Any discrepancies in the totals are due to rounding effects. No bromine or potash is considered in the economic case shown

1. Franklin Project PEA press release dated September 8, 2026. The PEA is preliminary in nature and includes Inferred Mineral Resources that are considered too speculative to have the economic considerations applied to them that would enable them to be categorized as Mineral Reserves and there is no certainty that the PEA will be realized
2. Non-GAAP financial measure that includes cash operating cost, royalties, sustaining capital and closure costs. Royalties include gross revenue lithium royalty of 2.5%. Lithium royalties in Texas are established on a lease-by-lease basis and are agreed between the lessor and lessee. The exact royalties signed by Smackover Lithium are confidential and commercially sensitive, but 2.5% is used in the project economics as a representative rate
3. Illustrative after-tax calculations based on assumption that the Project corporate entity is taxed as a stand-alone US C-Corporation and does not include the potential impact of currently held corporate net operating losses or credits, nor potential tax shields generated from financing. Assumes a U.S. Federal income tax rate of 21% and a State of Texas franchise tax rate of 0.59% (net of federal benefit)

Technology | Proven at Commercial-Scale

- In March 2024, Standard Lithium successfully installed and commissioned the Li-Pro™ Lithium Selective Sorption (LSS) commercial scale unit supplied by KTS (now Aquatech) at its Demonstration Plant¹
- This unit is believed to be the largest known commercial-scale column operating in a DLE facility
- **On Oct. 28, 2024, SWA Lithium, the JV between SLI and Equinor which is developing the SWA Project, announced that it entered into a license agreement with KTS (now Aquatech) to deploy and use their Li-Pro LSS technology at the JV's commercial plant for SWA Phase 1**
 - The license agreement includes certain technology performance guarantees for lithium recovery (+95%), contaminant rejection (+99%)², and water use
- Have consistently achieved targeted lithium recovery and average key contaminant rejection rates while operating
- Over **15,000 operational cycles** using Li-Pro™ LSS technology and roughly **42 million gallons (1 million barrels)** of Smackover brine processed in total since 2020
 - Equates to **~180 tonnes LCE** processed through the Company's DLE flowsheet³



1. For further details see Aquatech press release dated September 16, 2025
2. Impurities included in performance guarantee include calcium, sodium, potassium and magnesium
3. Illustrative calculation based on average input of 214 mg/L; does not reflect actual LCE produced or sold

SWA | Successful Field-Test

Successfully completed the de-risking of our DLE technology with a field-test at South West Arkansas

- Field-pilot DLE facility exceeded key performance criteria to confirm engineering design – ***recovered over 99% of lithium from brine, sourced from SWA Project well***
- Rejection of key contaminants all within acceptable tolerance of design criteria
- Field-pilot plant completed nearly 500 DLE cycles, processing 2,385 barrels of brine
- Approximately 970 gallons (23 barrels) of concentrated and purified lithium chloride solution (6% LiCl solution) produced
- Lithium chloride solution sent off-site to potential equipment vendors for conversion into battery-quality lithium carbonate with positive results
- ***Samples expected to play a key role in qualification process with prospective off-take partners***
- Field-test is viewed as ***final testing of flowsheet*** and results underpin the SWA Project's FEED and DFS
- Data from field-test supplements the roughly 40 million gallons of brine processed at Standard Lithium's Demonstration Plant since 2020



Equinor | International Pioneers in the Energy Transition

Equinor are energy experts and world-leaders in renewable and low carbon solutions



An international energy company headquartered in Norway with operations in oil & gas, renewables and low carbon solutions

Equinor is a leading multinational energy company with operations across 36 countries

- Historically focused on oil & gas, Equinor has expanded its presence in renewables & low carbon as well as innovation and digital
- Equinor has a strong commitment to sustainability, evidence of which can be found in its commitment to the battery value chain

Equinor is a global premier resource developer with significant experience in project development and onshore facilities

- In addition to significant experience in subsurface assessment and production, Equinor has a track record of project development and execution with onshore facilities around the world
- Equinor's ability to provide resource development and facilities expertise significantly de-risks project execution

Equinor is one of the world's largest energy companies

- Equinor brings a multi-billion dollar market cap and investment grade balance sheet to support project execution

Aquatech | Critical Minerals & Metals Resource Recovery



Aquatech brings significant expertise in lithium extraction and refining



Enabling the energy transition by delivering complete water and process technology solutions to solve water scarcity and ensure critical minerals security

Pioneering sustainable solutions

- Established in 1981 in Canonsburg, Pennsylvania with offices throughout the US, India, Europe, the Middle East and China, and a process technology R&D center in Wisconsin
- Successfully executed more than 2,000 site solutions in over 60 countries globally
- End-to-end process solutions to produce technical and battery-grade lithium hydroxide, lithium carbonate and lithium salts
- Received minority growth investment from Cerberus' Supply Chain and Strategic Opportunities platform in April 2025

Significant alignment between Standard Lithium and Aquatech¹

- Joint Development Agreement with Aquatech (successor to Koch Technology Solutions) to collaborate on technology & process solutions for commercial DLE
- License agreement to deploy and use Li-Pro LSS technology at the commercial processing facility for initial phase of the SWA Project²

1. Aquatech acquired Koch Technology Solutions direct lithium extraction technology. For further details see Aquatech press release dated September 16, 2025
2. Standard Lithium press release dated October 28, 2024; license agreement was executed by SWA Lithium, the JV between Standard Lithium and Equinor which is developing the SWA Project

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