

Companies actively exploring for uranium in Western Australia

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It can be reasonably construed that most of the 184 tenements listed below are in project areas stated by these companies to be for uranium mining. Some companies have listed known uranium sites but as yet do not appear on Government data. Since the election of the first Gallop Government in 2001, 57 applications for tenements have been taken out for uranium mining in WA; of these 20 have been taken out since the 2005 February election. Of these 57 tenement applications, **7 have been granted by the government since 2001, three in 2003, one in 2004 and 3 in June 2005.**

It can be argued that some are not exclusively uranium tenements and therefore were able to slip through the net, but others such as the **Lake Mason** and **Anketell** deposits held by Energy Metals for Jindalee Resources (<http://www.jindalee.net/docs/JRL%20Otrly%20Dec%2004.pdf>) , **Lake Maitland** held by Redport Ltd (<http://www.redport.com/irm/content/project&mines.html>) , **Turee Creek** held by Aldershot Resources (<http://www.aldershotresources.com/projects.asp>) are clearly identified as being uranium holdings by the corporations themselves on their websites and mines department records.

This list is not exhaustive but can be presumed to be a representative sample. Many of these companies have only begun applying for tenements in the last 12 months. There appears to be a full-scale uranium rush under way.

Until the Gallop Government finally legislates against the industry, it can safely be said that its policy to prevent mining in WA has been exposed as a failure.

Bullion Minerals, listed 3 October, 2000

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Mr Doug Stewart (Non Exec. Director)

Share price: 29 January 2005 \$0.17 - 26 July 2005 \$0.13

Bullion minerals announced on 20 June 2005 that it had acquired a new portfolio comprising 14 separate uranium projects in Western Australia, the Northern Territory and Queensland.

The 12 WA projects, comprising 16 exploration license applications covering 3,020km² in Western Australia, are pegged over geology prospective for either sandstone-hosted ('roll-front') deposits or surficial 'calcrete-hosted' uranium deposits. These are:

Yoweragabbie Project: E59/1205, applied for 03/06/05

Kitchener Project: E51/1108, applied for 26/05/05

Lake Wells: E38/1810, applied for 25/05/05

Nichols Project: E38/1809, applied for 25/05/05

Cosmo Project: E38/1804 and E38/1805, both applied for 29/04/05

Salmon Gums: E63/971, E63/972 and E63/973, all applied for 29/04/05

They also list **Injiru Hills, Mount James, White Cliffs, Lake Rivers, Recruit Hill** and **Lort** as projects. No EL's listed yet.

Kalgoorlie Boulder Resources (KBR) listed 20 April, 2005

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Directors

Mr Trevor Matthews (Managing Director)

Mr David Prentice (Non Exec. Director)

Mr Ken Allen (Non Exec. Director)

Share price: 20 April 2005 \$0.22 - 26 July 2005 \$0.185

Previous Director was **Julian Fletcher Grill** (former Labor Minister for Mines) who resigned as a director on 4 Feb 2005. According to ASIC (16 June 2005) Mr Grill is one of four primary shareholders with 100 shares each. According to KBR in a letter dated 14 April 2005 to the Australian Stock Exchange, Mr Grill holds 1,125,133 of the 13,563,444 public shares. (It should be noted that the public shares constitute only 41.3% of the total shares issued.)

Kalgoorlie Boulder Resources is a newly listed mining company (April 20 2005, after raising \$3.2 million) initially established as a gold miner but already entering into agreement to earn a stake in the Lyndon project northeast of Carnarvon, WA, along with three other tenements prospective for uranium.

"Watching the political scene and seeing how things develop on that front, there seems to be a lot of discussion going on and a lot of support for a change in the uranium mining policy, which is one of the reasons why we decided it would be a good thing for the company to acquire at this stage," Managing Director Trevor Matthews said.

In addition to Lyndon, KBR has made priority applications for three exploration licenses in the Gascoyne mineral field. Two of these, the Eudamullah and Winmar Creek tenements, have been subject to reconnaissance-style uranium exploration dating back to the late 1970's. The company has an initial 50% interest in the projects, but can increase its stake to 95% through the funding of further exploration.

Eudamullah E09/1224 and E09/1225 in the Upper Gascoyne Shire, both applied for 03/06/05
Winmar Creek E09/1226 also adjacent in the Upper Gascoyne Shire, applied for 03/06/05
Lyndon E09/1180 not far away in the Carnarvon Shire, applied for 14/10/04

On the 15 July 2005 KBR announced an alliance with Cazaly Resources Limited to explore Jailor Bore E09/1194 (applied for 16/02/05) and Pell's Range E09/1193 (applied for 16/02/05) adjacent to the Lyndon deposits.

Cazaly Resources Limited, listed 31 October, 2003

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Share price: 29 January 2005 \$0.35 - 26 July 2005 \$0.25

Cazaly Resources Limited (ASX Code: CAZ) has made priority applications on the 4th May 2005 for two Exploration Licences in the Gascoyne region of WA. The two applications lie some 150 kilometres apart and are called the Pells Range and the Jailor Bore projects and are deemed to be particularly prospective for Uranium mineralisation.

The Pell's Range project contains some very significant historical results including rock samples up to 1.95 kg/t U3O8 and drilling results including 0.4m @ 0.8 kg/t U3O8 from drilling spaced at 1,600 metres and has yet to be followed up. Classic "roll front uranium" mineralisation styles similar to Manyingee are recognised at Pell's Range.

The Jailor Bore project surrounds known mineralisation at Jailor Bore, which is excised from the application area, and is prospective for calcrete hosted uranium mineralisation numerous occurrences of which occur throughout the area.

Pell's Range E09/1193, applied for 16/02/05
Jailor Bore E09/1194, applied for 16/02/05

Nova Energy, not listed yet, capital raised \$6m, **sponsoring broker** Argonaut Securities Pty Ltd

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Nova Energy, a new vehicle formed by Perth stockbroker Argonaut Capital, is making an initial public offering to finance work at two uranium projects near Wiluna WA. It was incorporated on 29 October 2004 as a public company primarily as a joint initiative between Argonaut Capital and Agincourt, to explore, evaluate and exploit the Centipede and Lake Way uranium deposits and surrounding exploration tenements in the Wiluna region of Western Australia (Wiluna Uranium Assets).

Gold miner Agincourt Resources will own half of the Nova stock.

The deposits are close to the surface and on the company's estimates combine 9000 tonnes at over a high 2lb/tonne grade, worth approx \$600 million.

The following two tenements still appear to be held by other parties while the deals are finalised.

Lake Way L53/144, E53/1120 Wiluna Operations (16km s-e of Wiluna) near-surface deposit in the lake bed; former uranium test mine.

Centipede Newmont Gold M53/224 (20km south of Wiluna) would presumably be mined as a satellite deposit to Lake Way.

Nova may also be referring to:

Turee Creek Uranium Deposit E52/1763 Aldershot Resources
Lake Way E53/1150, E53/1132 Allarrow Pty Ltd
E53/1168 Wiluna Operations

Redport Ltd, listed 28 November, 1995

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On 26 April 2005 Redport Ltd finalised an agreement which gave it a major stake in an established uranium project, which they claimed transformed Redport into a 'uranium producer'.

Redport's largest uranium purchase, Lake Maitland, is a joint venture with Fox Resources. Redport has a 30% interest now but is entitled to earn up to an 80% stake by spending \$1.6 million on exploration in the next four years. The company recently raised \$2 million to fund exploration at Lake Maitland, the most promising of the three sites, the other two being Mundong Well and Angelo River. These projects are being promoted as the main WA targets, although the company also holds ground in the Gawler Craton region of South Australia. Redport was previously known as Minotaur Gold, which separated from the former Adelaide-based Minotaur Resources in 2000.

Lake Maitland (105km S-E of Wiluna). At the time of writing the tenements appear to be held by Fox Resources on E 53/1099. Under the previous proposal by Acclaim and Aztec, Lake Maitland was to be developed as a processing hub for smaller scale deposits in the region. Applied for 11/08/03 Granted 22/06/05

Mundong Well (175km south of Onslow). Also currently held by Fox Resources on E08/1452, applied for 07/05/04
Angelo River (70km south-east of Paraburdoo), in the vicinity of Aldershot's Turee Creek target. Currently under tenements held by Simmax and Giralia (E 52/1513).

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Aldershot, a Canadian-based diversified exploration company, was one of the first junior miners to begin taking advantage of the rise in uranium prices and the WA Government's ambiguous stance on the industry. It pegged two Western Australian sites in December 2004. It also holds targets in the Northern Territory and Zambia.

Yuinmery deposit near Meekatharra (E57/593), applied for 24/11/04

Turee Creek deposits 110km west of Newman (E52/1763), applied for 09/07/04 and granted on 01/11/04

Paladin Resources, listed 29 March, 1994

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Mr Sean Llewelyn (Independent Director)

One of the local survivors of the late 1990's uranium rush that came to nothing. Since the election of the first Gallop Government in 2001 the company has concentrated on raising capital to progress its African projects. Three WA projects remain live however, and there have been recent moves to expand WA holdings which suggest the company believes their long wait to move to development may nearly be over.

Manyingee – Paladin's former flagship Western Australian project. A plan has been developed to bring this project to full feasibility within a 3 year period. It is planned that this proposed In-Situ Leach(ISL) project will produce 500 tonnes of uranium oxide per year with a mine life of at least 10 years.

(M08/86, 87, 88). Ominously, in December 2004 Paladin took out E08/1496 to the north of Manyingee, their first Western Australian acquisition in years, applied for 08/12/04

Oobagooma - Paladin's second-string project, 73km north of Derby on E04/146 and 776 (overlapping). Still held legally by AFMECO c/- Paladin resources.

Ponton E28/1523, 160km east-north-east of Kalgoorlie, north of Cundelee Aboriginal Reserve. Straddles the Queen Victoria Nature Reserve, which is also listed on the National Estate Register (site NER/9706) as the Queen Victoria Spring Nature Reserve, applied for 09/12/04.

Jindalee Resources listed 11 July, 2002

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Jindalee is the sole shareholder of Energy Metals Corporation which went on a quiet spree across WA in late 2004, acquiring the following sites:

These tenements are held by Energy Metals

Manyingee (E08/1480) overlapping Paladin's Manyingee site on the Ashburton River and covering potential extensions of the orebody, applied for 12/10/04

the **Lakeside** and **Austin Downs** uranium projects (both located on E21/120) 18km west of Cue, applied for 11/10/04

the **Mopoke Well** project, consisting of **Lake Raeside** and **Stakeyard Well** deposits 56km west of Leonora (both located on E29/568), applied for 11/10/04

the **Lake Mason** deposit 40km north east of Sandstone on E57/590, applied for 11/10/04, granted 29/06/05

the **Anketell** deposit 100km east of Mt Magnet on E 58/289, applied for 11/10/04, granted 29/06/05, adjacent to E 58/292, applied for 18/04/05

The company has also bought into the Biglyri deposits in the Ngarlia basin in the NT.

Energy Metals, not listed yet

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Energy Metals Limited has advised that it lodged a prospectus with the Australian Securities and Investment Commission ("ASIC") on 14 July 2005 as a uranium explorer.

Scimitar Resources Limited, listed 28 January, 2005

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Mr Matthew Gaudi (Non Exec. Director)
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Scimitar Resources Limited has applied for three exploration licences to explore for sandstone hosted uranium mineralisation. These exploration licences are adjacent to the Paladin Resources Ltd (ASX Code: PDN) Manyingee deposit in the North West of Western Australia, 85 km inland from the coastal township of Onslow.

Scimitar has applied for exploration licences covering a total of 1,000 sq km. The target will be similar mineralisation to that at Manyingee within the Birdrong sandstone. Exploration by CRA Exploration Pty Ltd in the 1970's and early 1980's identified a 40 km redox front. This work also identified additional channel sequences prospective for uranium mineralisation utilising ground gravity surveys and open hole drilling.

The tenement applications cover the Bennett Channel prospect identified by CRAE, which is located 20 km southwest of the Manyingee deposit. The channel area was drilled using open hole and also diamond drilling with several significant high grade drill intersections including 0.35m at 0.41% (4.11 kg/t U3O8), 3.25m at 0.28% U3O8 and 1.45m at 0.14% U3O8.

Yanrey Uranium Project E08/1493 applied for 02/12/04, E08/1490 applied for 29/11/04, E08/1489 applied for 24/11/04 and E08/1501 applied for 28/01/05

Rudall River E45/2689 applied for 26/11/04

Other Tenements held are E77/1269 applied for 02/03/05, P24/3920 applied for 11/12/03, P24/3921 applied for 11/12/03 and P24/3951 applied for 12/11/04

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Eaglefield Holdings Pty Ltd began acquiring the Mulga Rock deposits in 2000. It undertook a preliminary feasibility study on the Ambassador deposit, which indicated that an open pit producing four metals including 200 tpa Sc oxide over ten years should be viable. The other two deposits should double mine life. Metallurgical studies show high recoveries of uranium and scandium using acid leach and solvent extraction.

The Mulga Rock Deposit is part of a larger resources project named the Narnoo Project.

The Mulga Rock polymetallic deposit 250 km north east of Kalgoorlie was discovered by the Japanese government company PNC Exploration in 1979. It comprises Ambassador, Emperor and Shogun deposits, the first being some 20 km from the others and the three covering some 7 square kilometres. Mineralisation consists principally of uranium, scandium, nickel and cobalt in lignite within a sedimentary basin, with uranium apparently comprising half or less of the recoverable value of minerals. In particular the orebodies are a major scandium resource. Ore thickness is 0.5 to 5 metres at depths of 35 - 45 m.

Emperor and Shogun E39/876 applied for 11/08/2000 granted 28/02/03, E39/877 applied for 11/08/2000 granted 28/02/03, E39/1091 applied for 22/06/2004, E39/1092 applied for 22/06/2004 and E39/1114 applied for 01/02/2005

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Mr Mark Stewart (Non Exec. Director)

Goldstream is acquiring the rights to uranium and all associated minerals on a 210 square kilometre property, including the Thatcher Soak uranium deposit, near Laverton in Western Australia in exchange for 1.5 million Goldstream shares at 40c each. Drilling carried out at Thatcher Soak in the 1970s identified a shallow sheet of mineralisation extending over 7.5 kilometres with widths of up to one kilometre.

Goldstream also has uranium interests in the Northern Territory and South Australia, both areas where uranium mining is well established.

Thatcher Soak, Goldstream in their ASX report state that it acquired from South Boulder Mines NL (SBM) the sole and exclusive rights for uranium and associated minerals contained within E38/1732 which was applied for 06/08/04. Also owned by Boulder Mines is the adjacent E38/1535. Thatcher Soak 135 km NE of Laverton was formerly owned by Total Mining Australia Pty Ltd and Asarco Exploration Co Inc.

Mindax Limited, listed on **8 December, 2004**

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Mr Nicholas Smith (Director)

Have an unusual shareholding; of 28,637,395 shares, 15,287,394 are identified as being held by a large number of small shareholders.

Mindax claims to have identified a large uranium anomaly at its Maynard Hills tenements in the Sandstone-Meekatharra area of the Yilgarn Craton in Western Australia, and has submitted two additional tenement applications to fully secure the area. Mindax Ltd found the area while conducting an aerial survey over its Maynard Hill tenements.

Mindax Ltd is a junior gold explorer, a fairly new company listed with the ASX on 8 December, 2004

Managing director Greg Bromley says the uranium find anomaly is similar to those generated by the Yeelirrie calcrete style of uranium mineralisation in the northern Goldfields.

Mindax said the recently completed airborne geophysical survey indicated a significant uranium channel response associated with Noonie lake system, extending over 20 kilometres in length. Mindax said the company would conduct an exploration program "as soon as practicable".

NOTE: It is difficult to identify which of the following tenements Mindax is referring to.

Maynard Hills E57/603 applied for 11/05/05 and E57/602 applied 11/05/2005

Maynard Hills adjoining tenements E57/552 applied 01/07/02 granted 28/08/2003 is the central tenement

Uranium Exploration Australia need more data

Uranium Exploration Australia have applied for leases E52/1835 below the Karijini National Park in the Meekatharra Shire on the 16/02/05 and E36/546 to the east of Yeelirrie on 04/02/05

Drake Resources listed on 31 March, 2005

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Drake Resources announced 08/08/2005 that it has applied for two uranium exploration licences covering 115km of calcrete bearing channels in Western Australia's Eastern Goldfields region, between Wiluna and Leonora.

E36/558 and E36/557 were both applied for 25th 7 2005. They are located over Depot springs on the Depot Springs pastoral lease between Wiluna and Leonora in the Sandstone Shire, both leases are long leases in a N-S alignment joining on to each other. They extend from Lat 28.16.54/Long 120.4.57 in the South to Lat 27.32.0/Long 119.55.1 in the North.

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In August 2005 BHP Billiton announced it had completed the purchase of 100% of WMC Resources LTD shares, securing control of the world's largest uranium deposit. Control of the Yeelirrie deposit in WA also passed to BHPB.

BHP Billiton is the world's largest diversified resources company, with over 100 operations in more than 20 countries. It is one of the world's largest producers and marketers of export thermal coal, as well as receiving the crown as the world's second largest uranium producer.

BHP got its start with a silver, lead and zinc mine in Broken Hill in New South Wales, bought into iron ore in 1899 and never looked back. The company is now responsible for production of aluminium, energy coal and metallurgical coal, copper, ferro-alloys, iron ore and titanium minerals, and has substantial interests in oil, gas, liquefied natural gas, nickel, diamonds and silver.

E09/1224	E04/776	P24/3920	E38/1535
E09/1225	E28/1523	P24/3921	E57/603
E09/1226	E08/1480	P24/3951	E57/602
E09/1180	E21/120	E36/557	E57/552
E53/1099	E29/568	E36/558	M53/224
E08/1452	E57/590	E39/876	M53/336
E 52/1513	E58/289	E39/877	M53/693
E57/593	E 58/292	E39/1091	E53/447
E52/1763	E08/1493	E39/1092	E52/1763
M08/86	E08/1490	E39/1114	E53/1150
M08/87	E08/1489	E09/1193	E53/1132
M08/88	E08/1501	E09/1194	E53/1168
E08/1496	E45/2689	E38/1732	L53/144
E04/146	E77/1269	E38/1732	E53/1120

E45/1733	MC 53/3783	MC 53/4115	MC 53/5306
E45/1686	MC 53/3781	MC 53/3767	MC 53/5310
E45/1772	MC 53/3775	MC 53/1115	MC 53/5314
M45/693	MC 53/1191	MC 53/1116	MC 53/5318
M45/694	MC 53/1192	MC 53/1117	MC 53/4127
M45/695	MC 53/3150	MC 53/1118	MC 53/1100
M45/696	MC 53/4529	MC 53/3934	MC 53/1101
M45/264	MC 53/3780	MC 53/4358	MC 53/5320
M45/266	MC 53/3774	MC 53/1111	MC 53/4805
E04/903	MC 53/1189	MC 53/1112	MC 53/5321
E04/901	MC 53/1190	MC 53/1113	MC 53/1098
E04/145	MC 53/3149	MC 53/1114	MC 53/1099
E04/146	MC 53/4530	MC 53/3933	MC 53/1179
E04/776	MC 53/3773	MC 53/5303	MC 53/1180
E04/777	MC 53/1187	MC 53/5307	MC 53/1177
E04/1026	MC 53/1188	MC 53/5311	MC 53/1178
M04/237	MC 53/3148	MC 53/5315	MC 53/1175
M04/327	MC 53/4531	MC 53/4359	MC 53/1176
E53/1154	MC 53/3772	MC 53/5304	MC 53/1173
E53/1155	MC 53/1185	MC 53/5308	MC 53/1174
E36/541	MC 53/1186	MC 53/5312	MC 53/1171
E36/542	MC 53/3147	MC 53/5316	MC 53/1172
E36/540	MC 53/3771	MC 53/4360	E59/1205
E36/546	MC 53/3770	MC 53/1106	E51/1108
E52/1835	MC 53/1183	MC 53/5319	E38/1810
MC 53/3939	MC 53/1184	MC 53/5305	E38/1809
MC 53/3940	MC 53/3769	MC 53/5309	E38/1804
MC 53/3941	MC 53/1181	MC 53/5313	E38/1805
MC 53/3784	MC 53/1182	MC 53/5317	E63/971
MC 53/3782	MC 53/3768	MC 53/4126	E63/972
MC 53/3776	MC 5/1119	MC 53/1102	E63/973
MC 53/1193	MC 53/1120	MC 53/1103	
MC 53/1194	MC 53/1121	MC 53/1122	

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Rio Tinto is the world's largest private mining corporation. The company focuses on large, long-term, low cost mining operations in aluminium, copper, coal, uranium, gold, industrial minerals (such as borates, titanium dioxide feedstock, talc, diamonds) and iron ore. Rio Tinto is most active in North America, Australia, South Africa and Indonesia with additional major assets in South America, Asia, and Europe. There are more than 60 operations in around 40 countries.

Following a hostile takeover of North Limited, ownership of the Ranger and Jabiluka uranium deposits passed to Rio Tinto, putting their future in doubt.

Rio Tinto also holds the **Kintyre** uranium lease in Rudall River National Park in Western Australia, on 'Care and Maintenance'

Known Uranium Deposits in Western Australia

5 Mile Well	Emperor - Mulga Rock	Mooloo Downs	Shogun
Ambassador	Fig Well	Mt James	Stakeyard Well
Angelo River	Garden Well	Mt Mansbridge	Surrendered
Anketell	Gascoyne	Mulga Rock	Thatcher Soak
Antares	Hinkler Well	Murchison Downs	Turee Creek
Austin Downs	Jailor Bore	Myroodah	Two Mile
Barrambie	Justit Well	Nerada	Walkin Jerry Well
Bennett Well	Killi Killi Hills	Nowthanna	Watts Rise
Bilitho Bore	Kintyre	Oobagooma	Windimurra
Booree	Lake Maitland	Paddy Well	Wondinong
Browns Range Dome	Lake Mason	Pioneer	Yakabindie
Bulman Waterhole	Lake Raeside	Ponton	Yandagooge Gap
Centipede - Millipede	Lake Way	Rudall Wanman	Yanyeen
Cogla Downs	Manyingee	Scottie Well	Yeelirrie
East Kintyre	Melrose	Shader Well	Yinnietharra
Elizabeth River	Minindi Creek	Shepherd Well	

64 in total