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Ticker: GMIN CN4Q23 net cash: US\$20mProject: TocantinzinhoMarket cap: C\$976mPrice: C\$2.18/shCountry: BrazilREC. (unc): BUYTARGET (+80c): C\$2.80/shRISK RATING (unc): HIGH

With the construction now significantly advanced at 89% (vs. 58% in October when we were on site), the majority (98%) of the build capex committed, and most big construction tickets complete or in final commissioning (i.e. powerline, primary crusher, CIL circuit / TSF), the team's 'on time and on budget' mantra remains intact. While the 80:20 rule suggests that final bits of project timelines may be most resource intensive to 'get it over the line', with (i) powerline already commissioned, (ii) pre-production mining advanced with 1Mt of ore stockpile in place ahead of the plant's commissioning (positive reconciliation of 'waste' to 'not waste' implies a lower strip), and (iii) final touches on piping and prepwork for commissioning activities, we see a de-risked critical path and expect a smooth transition from construction to operation in the coming months. On funding, GMIN has ~US\$32m available to draw down (Franco) vs. US\$9m of capex spend remaining, implying a healthy buffer to cover working capital to free cash flow—before considering any cash injection from the ITM warrants (up to ~US\$70m). Today, we update for financials and lift our 0.6xNAV multiple to 0.8x on further de-risked project construction ahead of commercial production. As such, we maintain our BUY rating and lift our C\$2.00/sh Price Target to **C\$2.80/sh** based on 0.8xNAV_{5%-1850}. Looking forward, declaring commercial production, perfectly timed with gold recently achieving all time highs, remains the main catalyst. In our view, the plant commissioning (electrical, piping, and instrumentation) progress is a key metric for investors to watch ahead of this.

<u>Valuation / re-rate potential:</u> While the stock is up +66% YTD, we note that at spot US\$2,350/oz gold price, our \$1bn FF FD 1xNAV $_{5\%-1,850}$ lifts towards C\$1.5bn or $^{\sim}$ C\$4.90/sh NAV, putting the stock at 0.5xNAV vs. producers trading at 1.2xNAV. In our view, Tocantinzinho is just the beginning for this multi-asset gold producer in the making, led by a seasoned team with an incredible track record. We think long-term investors have the potential to generate strong returns holding GMIN shares from (i) the imminent re-rate as it pivots from producer to developer (and high gold prices) and (ii) from value accretive M&A to build its second mine.



Figure 1. Project timelines to 2H24 commercial production

Source: G Mining

Top mine builder on track to do it again; strong re-rate momentum: PT lifted +80c to \$2.80/sh

Tocantinzinho (TZ) is now 87% completed (incl. physical construction at 89%) and remains on track to achieve commercial production in 2H24. Detailed engineering, procurement and powerline are complete.

To date, <u>US\$449m have been committed</u> (US\$443m spend + US\$16m open commitments) <u>representing 98% of the project's total capex</u> (US\$458m), and trending in line with the FS schedule. <u>With physical construction at 89%</u>, primary crusher, ore reclaim tunnel construction, and CIL circuit are complete with commissioning activities planned in April, while gravity and flotation circuits and SAG and Ball Mill installation are in advanced stages with commissioning planned for May. Flotation TSF is 100% complete, with CIL TSF well progressed with revegetation of the external slopes ongoing. <u>Powerline</u> construction and TZ substations are complete and commissioned with energization to follow imminently. <u>Pre-production mining</u> activities are on-going with 11.4Mt of material (incl. 1Mt of ore in stockpiles) excavated from the starter pit since September 2022. Notably, the <u>reserve model reconciles positively</u> due to ore identified outside of the FS reserve model, with "**5koz @ 1.12g/t** in the high-grade stockpile and "**21.8koz @ 0.77g/t** in the low-grade stockpile. On <u>staffing</u>, 1,680 employees and contractors are on site, with 95% of the total workforce from Brazil and most of the senior management and senior staff positions filled during the construction period. <u>Next catalysts</u>: (i) process plant commissioning in 2Q24 and (ii) commercial production in 2H24.

Figure 2. (A) Grinding mills assembly and (B) CIL circuit

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Figure 3. (A) Water services and (B) CIL electrical room

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Figure 4. Mine infrastructure and process plant area

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Why we like G Mining

- 1. Vanilla open pit gold mine with scarcity value given 150-190koz pa production
- 2. Chance to buy into well-supported first-ever build-team going owner with G Mining
- 3. ~US\$1bn NAV5%-1850 or ~C\$3.50/sh once in production
- 4. Construction experience in S America, and in high-rainfall locations
- 5. Well-funded with US\$138m pro-forma cash and US\$115m undrawn debt/finance

Catalysts

- 1Q24: First pour
- 2H24: First production

Research

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Ticker: GMIN CN Author: B Gaspar	Price/ MC Rec / 0.82	: xNAV PT:	C\$2.18/sh BUY, C\$2	i, C\$976m :.8/sh			0.77x C\$3.80/sh		Asset: Country:	TZ Brazil	
Commodity price	CY22A	CY23A	CY24E	CY25E	CY25E	Resource / reserve (1Q22)	Tonnes	Grade	0.	inces	
Gold price	1,767	1,950	2,256	2,006	1,850	Resource	50Mt	1.35g/t		52koz	
SOTP project valuation*	1,101	1,000	2,200	2,000	1,000	Reserve	49Mt	1.30g/t		42koz	
oon project valuation		US\$m	O/ship	NAVx	C\$/sh	Project: USES as of 4Q23	TOME	1.009/1		SOURCES	as of 4023
Asset NPV@ 4Q23 build		1,302	100%	1.00x	3.37	Residual capex:	US\$52m	Ca		st Au options:	
Cash 4Q23		52	100%	1.00x	0.14	Fin. cost, G&A, expl'n, wc:	US\$16m	0.		rawn stream:	US\$0m
Debt (4Q23)		(32)	100%	1.00x	(0.08)	Taxes recoverable post Au:	US\$31m			senior Debt	US\$75m
Cash from options		83	100%	1.00x	0.21	TOTAL USES:	US\$99m	_		quipment fin.:	US\$0m
Resources ex inventory @ US\$50/oz		6	100%	1.00x	0.01	Buffer pre tax recov.:		-		SOURCES:	
G&A / fin / stream costs		(316)	100%	1.00x	(0.82)	Buffer post tax recov.:					
Asset NAV5% US\$1850/oz		1,094	1	1.00%	2.83	Capital structure	Basic	FD for Op	tions	FD for buil	ld
*Shares diluted for options mine build			J Market P/N	AV5 _{0/ today}		Pro Forma Shares (m)	447.6	508.4		508	<u>, </u>
Company NAV: (US\$m, ungeared)*			markoti /i	7 (V O % 100ay	0.17X	Ratio analysis (CY to Dec 31)	CY22A	CY23A	CY24E	CY25E	CY26E
Company NAV (C\$m)	\$1650oz	\$1750oz	\$1850oz	\$205007	\$2350oz	Average shares out (m)	336.1	447.5	447.6	447.6	447.6
Discount rate: 9%	737	820	903	1,068	1,317	EPS (US\$/sh)	-	-	0.10	0.17	0.16
Discount rate: 7%	810	901	991	1,172	1,443	CFPS (US\$/sh)	-	_	0.10	0.09	0.30
	896	995	1,094	1,172		, ,		955.5		939.6	
Discount rate: 5%		29%	31%	35%	1,591 41%	EV (US\$m)	651.2	955.5	981.8	939.6 4%	805.7 14%
Ungeared project IRR:						FCF yield (%)	-	-			
Company NAV (C\$/sh)	\$1650oz					PER (x)	-	-	22.2x	12.7x	13.3x
Discount rate: 9%	1.91	2.12	2.34	2.77	3.41	EV/EBITDA (x)	-	-	12.2x	6.0x	4.8x
Discount rate: 7%	2.10	2.33	2.57	3.03	3.74	Income statement	CY22A	CY23A	CY24E	CY25E	CY26E
Discount rate: 5%	2.32	2.58	2.83	3.35	4.12	Netrevenue (US\$m)	-	-	101.5	292.9	336.8
*Project NPV, ex fin. costs and cent G8						COGS (US\$m)	-	-	3.0	101.2	130.7
Group NAV over time^	Jun-24	Jun-25	Jun-26	Jun-27	Jun-28	Gross profit (US\$m)	-	-	98.5	191.7	206.1
TZ NPV net aq'n pmt (US\$m)	1,466.6	1,454.7	1,401.1	1,294.0	1,150.8	D&A, attrib (US\$m)	0.1	0.1	17.1	48.0	62.3
G&A and fin. costs (US\$m)	(323.6)	(308.8)	(273.0)	(239.1)	(199.4)	G&A + sh based costs (US\$m)	5.0	7.5	7.7	5.7	5.7
Net cash prior qtr (US\$m)	(41.7)	8.1	75.8	195.4	338.9	Expln + fin. cost (US\$m)	(3.2)	(0.4)	16.5	38.8	42.3
Cash from options (US\$m)	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5	82.5	Taxes (US\$m)	-	-	13.3	22.7	22.5
Resource ex rsvr (US\$m)	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.5	Net income (US\$m)	(1.9)	(7.2)	43.9	76.6	73.3
NAV FF FD (US\$m)	1,189	1,242	1,292	1,338	1,378	EBITDA (US\$m)	(1.8)	(7.1)	80.4	156.1	166.8
Shares in issue (m)	448	448	448	448	448	Cash flow, attrib.	CY22A	CY23A	CY24E	CY25E	CY26E
1xNAV5%/sh FF FD (C\$/sh)*	3.50	3.65	3.80	3.93	4.05	Add D&A / share bsd (US\$m)	1.4	1.8	18.8	49.7	64.0
0.8	x NAV PT:	C\$2.90				Adjust fin. cost (US\$m)	-	-	-	-	-
Geared NAV and PT, diluted for buil	ld, net G&	A and fin.	costs^			Change in wkg cap (US\$m)	0.9	9.3	27.8	18.1	(4.7)
NAV at first gold (C\$m)	\$1650oz	\$1750oz	\$1850oz	\$2050oz	\$2350oz	Other non-cash (US\$m)	(3.7)	235.0	(55.5)	(36.2)	9.4
Discount rate: 9%	1,082	1,181	1,279	1,475	1,770	Cash flow ops (US\$m)	(3.3)	239.0	34.9	108.2	142.0
Discount rate: 7%	1,163	1,269	1,374	1,585	1,902	PP&E - build + sust. (US\$m)	66.2	300.5	62.2	66.0	8.1
Discount rate: 5%	1,256	1,370	1,483	1,711	2,053	PP&E - expl'n (US\$m)	13.7	4.1	-	-	-
Geared project IRR:	26%	28%	31%	35%	40%	Cash flow inv. (US\$m)	(79.9)	(304.6)	(62.2)	(66.0)	(8.1)
Price target (C\$/sh)*	\$1650oz	\$1750oz	\$1850oz	\$2050oz	\$2350oz	Share issue (US\$m)	128.5	0.0	-	-	-
Discount rate: 9%	2.10	2.35	2.55	3.00	3.65	Debt draw (repay) (US\$m)	(1.1)	31.3	73.5	(0.6)	(2.2)
Discount rate: 7%	2.25	2.50	2.75	3.20	3.90	Cash flow fin. (US\$m)	127.4	31.3	73.5	(0.6)	(2.2)
Discount rate: 5%	2.40	2.65	2.90	3.40	4.15	Net change in cash (US\$m)	44.1	(34.3)	46.3	41.6	131.7
^Project NPV incl grp SG&A & fin. cost,	+net cash,	; *diluted fo	r build equ	ity		Balance sheet	CY22A	CY23A	CY24E	CY25E	CY26E
Production	JunQ25		JunQ27		JunQ29	Cash (US\$m)	81.9	52.4	98.7	140.3	272.0
Gold production (000oz)	93	203	161	205	232	Acc rec., inv, prepaid (US\$m)	1.3	9.8	11.0	39.4	34.5
AISC cost (US\$/oz)	331	515	648	510	451	PP&E + other (US\$m)	173.4	525.6	555.0	573.0	518.8
Y1 = 12M to Jun 30, 2025						Total assets (US\$m)	257	588	665	753	825
Gold prod'n (LHS,	000oz)	→ AIS	C (RHS, U	S\$/oz Au)		Debt (US\$m)	0.4	32.3	104.8	104.2	102.0
300koz					900/oz	Accounts payable (US\$m)	12.2	27.0	0.5	10.9	10.6
200koz					600/oz	Stream liab / oth (US\$m)	2.7	265.3	250.7	250.7	250.7
200K02			-	$\downarrow \diamond$	000/02	Total liabilities (US\$m)		324.7	356.0		363.4
100koz					300/oz		15.3			365.8	
						Issued capital (US\$m)	250.1	239.0	240.6 68.0	242.3	244.0 217.9
					- 0/oz	Retained earnings (US\$m)	(8.8)	24.1	00.0	144.6	217.9
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