



MONS PROJECT, WA

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# Nimy secures drilling contractor for imminent program at WA gallium discovery

Follow-up drilling aimed at establishing a maiden resource, enabling Nimy to capitalise on western demand for this critical metal, which is now subject to Chinese export controls

Nimy Resources (ASX:NIM) is pleased to announce that it is preparing to start the Phase 2 drilling program at its *Block 3 gallium discovery* in WA after securing Raglan Drilling to conduct the program.

The drilling is aimed at growing the extent of the known mineralisation over a further 400m strike length while also infilling the established mineralised area.

Nimy aims to complete a maiden JORC resource on Block 3 as soon as possible following completion of this program.

The resource will in turn assist the Company with its strategy to advance its collaboration agreement with US minerals specialist M2i Global.

The drilling will be funded by the proceeds of Nimy's recently-completed share placement (see ASX release dated February 26, 2025).

M2i specialises in the development and execution of a complete global value supply chain for critical minerals for the US Government and US free trade partners.

Samples from the upcoming drilling will be used for metallurgical test work, including technical studies to test gallium extraction methods.

#### Nimy Managing Director Luke Hampson said:

"Block 3 is clearly a significant high-grade discovery with mineralisation already outlined over a substantial area.

"We have tested only a small portion of the highly prospective strike length, which gives us every reason to believe we stand to grow the size of the discovery.





"Gallium is a critical metal used in many cutting-edge technologies, including top-level military applications.

"Given that China supplies virtually all the world's gallium and recently imposed restrictions on it, there is a huge opportunity for Nimy to play a role as a provider to the western world".

# Why the focus on Gallium?:

- Nimy Resources has, to our knowledge the highest grade non-aligned gallium project in the Western World;
  - China has for the foreseeable future stopped the export of gallium to the US;
  - Nimy is working with **US minerals specialist M2i Global** with the objective of providing a sustainable supply of gallium to the **US government and Defense Industrial Base in support of the Department of Defense**;
  - Gallium has a rapidly evolving focus on the world stage, with exponential growth in the usage of: Semiconductors; 5G Technology; Power Charging; Green Technologies; Telecommunications; Medical Uses; Radar and Military Applications
  - US and European Defence company stock prices have risen sharply amid growing calls for Europe to re-build its military capability;
  - The US governments strategy to slash spending on Ukraine's defence has led European Governments to prepare for big increases in military spending;
  - Estimates of the coming military spending boom extend into hundreds of billions of dollars;
  - Europe will need to secure substantial supplies of critical metals in markets currently controlled by China;
  - Australian gallium could be expected to be in strong demand as European military expenditure grows;
- Gallium prices are expected to follow demand with some projections for compound annual growth rate (CAGR) of 24.3% (\*Source: researchandmarkets.com Gallium Global Market Report 2024 January 2024).





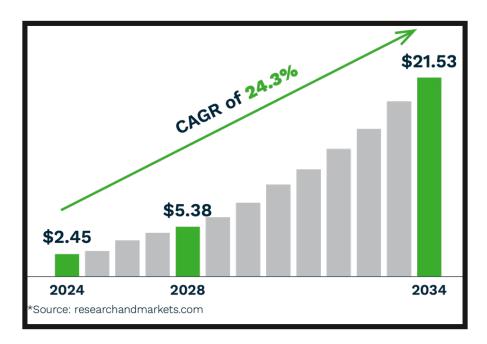


Figure 1: Total Projected Gallium market size (in USD Billion)

\*source: researchandmarkets.com (Gallium Global Market Report 2024 - January 2024)

| Country/Region | 2024 Primary Production (kg) | 2024 Share of Global market Production % |
|----------------|------------------------------|--|
| China          | 750,00                       | 0 98.4                                   |
| Japan          | 3,00                         | 0.4                                      |
| South Korea    | 3,00                         | 0.4                                      |
| Russia         | 6,00                         | 0.8                                      |
| World Total    | 762,00                       | 0 100                                    |

**Table 1: Total World Production 2024** 

source: https://pubs.usgs.gov/periodicals/mcs2025/mcs2025-gallium.pdf







Figure 2: Drill Rig at Block 3 Gallium disovery





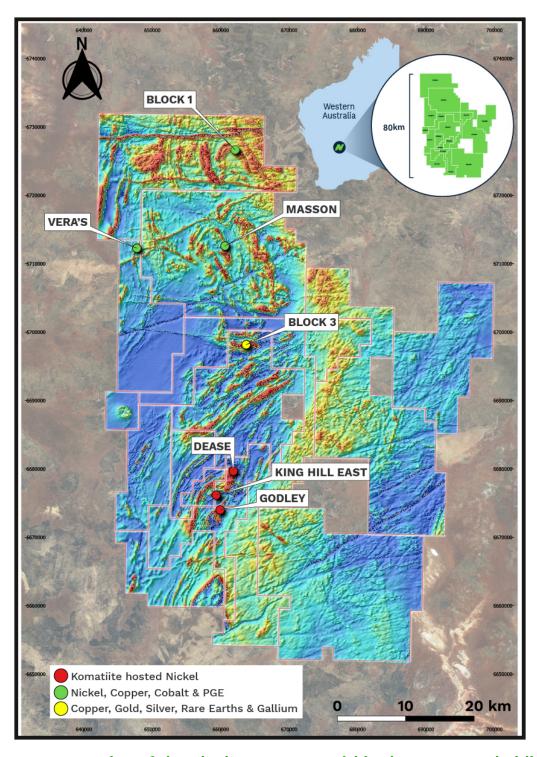


Figure 3 - Location of the Block 3 Prospect within the tenement holding.





## Previous Related Announcements:

| 18/03/25 | Curtin University signed MoU on gallium related research    |  |
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| 13/03/25 | March 2025 Exploration Update                               |  |
| 26/02/25 | Nimy set for maiden gallium resource after share placement  |  |
| 19/02/25 | Drilling to grow high-grade WA gallium discovery set        |  |
| 19/02/25 | M2i Global CEO details gallium collaboration deal with Nimy |  |
| 03/02/05 | Gallium collaboration agreement signed with M2i             |  |
| 28/01/25 | Gallium exploration target defined                          |  |
| 23/01/25 | Gallium in demand and critical for evolving technologies    |  |
| 09/01/25 | Dr. John Simonds appointed as Technical Advisor-Geology     |  |
| 11/12/24 | Nimy completes capital raise to expand gallium exploration  |  |
| 28/11/24 | Exploration update November 2024 AGM                        |  |
| 27/11/24 | Gallium soil anomaly extends high grade potential           |  |
| 19/11/24 | CSIRO kick-start and mineral indicator study secured        |  |
| 08/11/24 | Nimy receives \$1.12m R & D refund                          |  |
| 01/11/24 | Copper at depth with a 1.4km strike extension               |  |
| 09/10/24 | High grade gallium extended at Block 3                      |  |
| 07/10/24 | High grade copper trend within broad sulphide intervals     |  |
| 12/09/24 | Further massive sulphides intercepted                       |  |
| 28/08/24 | Massive sulphide mineralisation increasing at Masson        |  |
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#### **Competent Person's Statement**

The information contained in this report that pertain to Exploration Results, is based upon information compiled Nimy Resources is a Western Australian exploration by Mr. Fergus Jockel, a full-time employee of Fergus Jockel Geological Services Pty Ltd. Mr. Jockel is a Member of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy (1987) and has sufficient experience in the activity which he is undertaking to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the December 2012 edition of the Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves" (the JORC Code).

Mr Jockel consents to the inclusion in the report of the matters based upon his information in the form and context in which it appears.

#### Forward Looking Statement

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## About Nimy Resources and the **Mons Belt Project**

company that has prioritised the development of its recently discovered Mons Belt, situated 370km northeast of Perth and 140km north-northwest of Southern Cross a Tier 1 jurisdiction in Western Australia.

The Mons Belt represents a district scale discovery, spanning ~80km x 30km over 17 tenements with a north/ south strike of some 80km featuring mafic and ultramafic sequences covering ~3005km2 north of the Forrestania greenstone belt.

The Mons Belt provides a new and exciting frontier in base metal and gold exploration in Western Australia, the company is currently working with the CSIRO to advance the lithology and mineralisation types within one of Australia's newest greenstone belt discoveries in the Yilgarn Craton, a region with significant untapped potential.

Nimy Resources believes the Mons Belt offers multi commodity potential with the initial discovery of Masson (Cu, Ni, Co, Au & PGE's) in addition to Block 3 east prospect with high-grade gallium (Ga) discovered in the northern tenements.

In addition to these discoveries, the southern tenements have significant fertile komatiite sequences like those found in the Kambalda region of WA.

Nimy Resources is always mindful of its shareholders and the need to continue efforts in creating shareholder value through a methodical and science based approach.