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# Lakes Oil NL Annual General Meeting 2014 Chairman's Address to Shareholders

### **Chairman's Address to Shareholders**

Please find attached the Chairman's address to Shareholders to be presented at today's Annual General Meeting.

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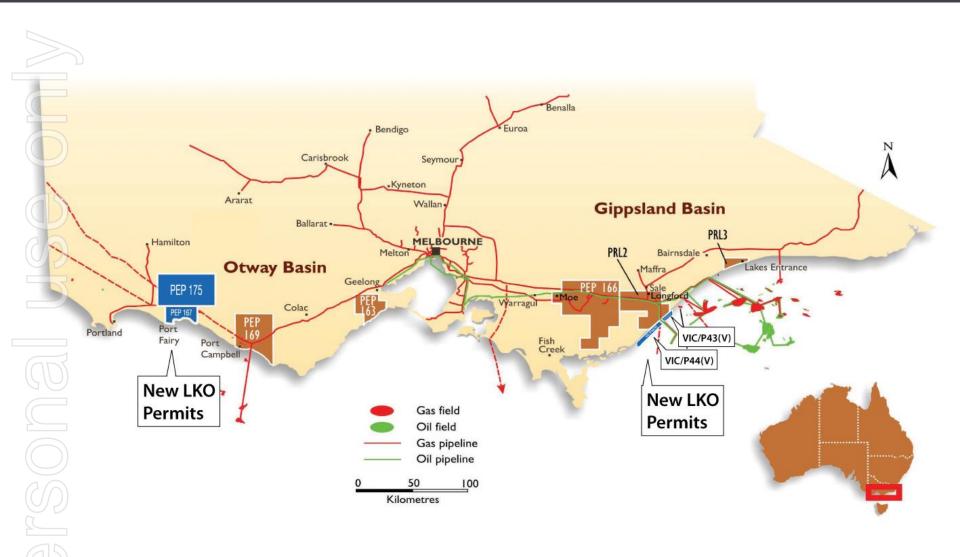
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### New Victorian Permits





# Exploration

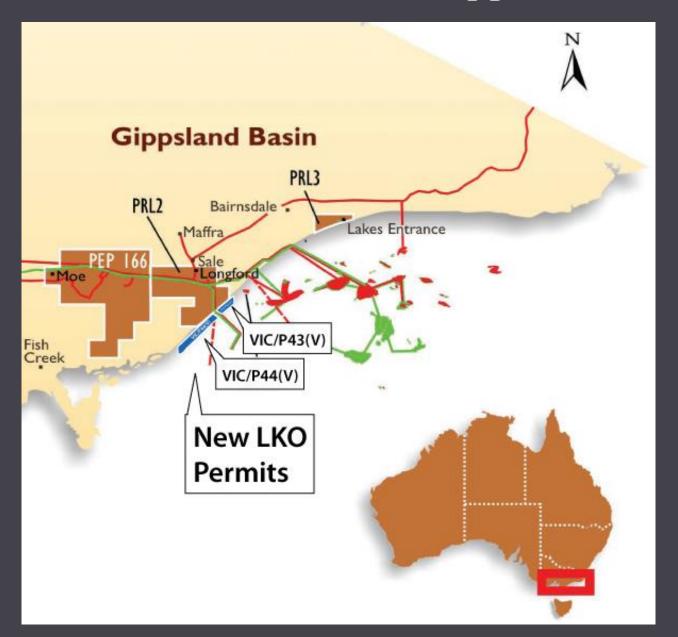


### Permits - Otway Basin PEP 169, PEP 167, PEP 175, PEP 163





### Permits – Offshore Gippsland



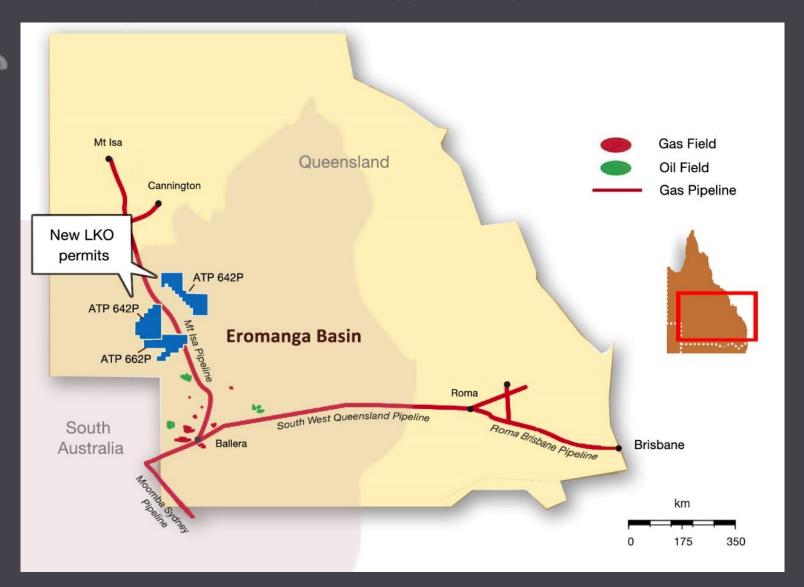


## Diversifying out of Victoria



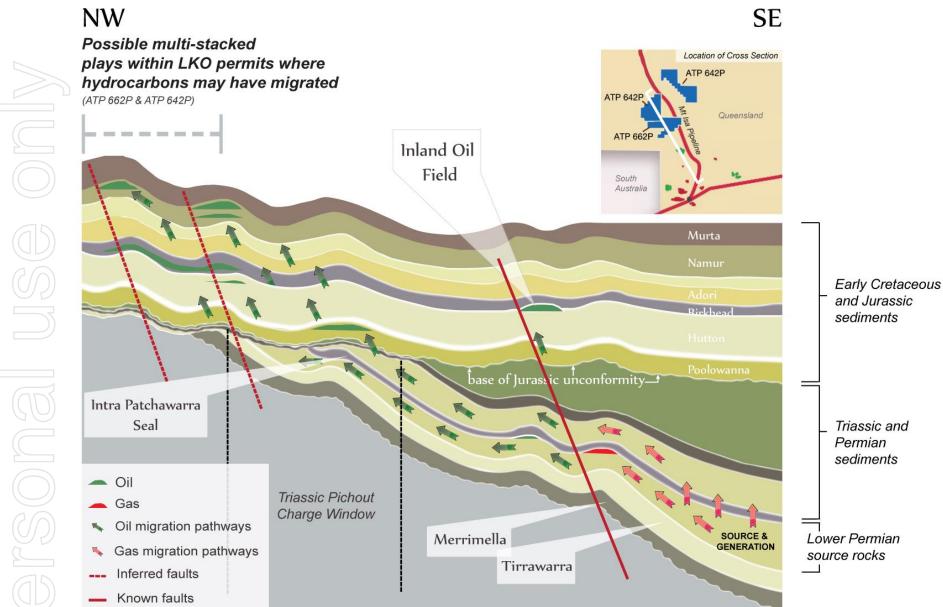


### New Queensland Permits ATP 642P & ATP 662P





### Eromanga basin Queensland





## Exploration

Where to now for Lakes Oil?



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The State Government announced on 21 November 2013 that the ban on all hydraulic fracturing will be extended until July 2015

The proposed 2014 programs by Lakes Oil did not involve hydraulic fracturing

Lakes Oil's activities are subject to the Petroleum Act not the Minerals Act which covers CSG

Lakes Oil is not involved in CSG exploration



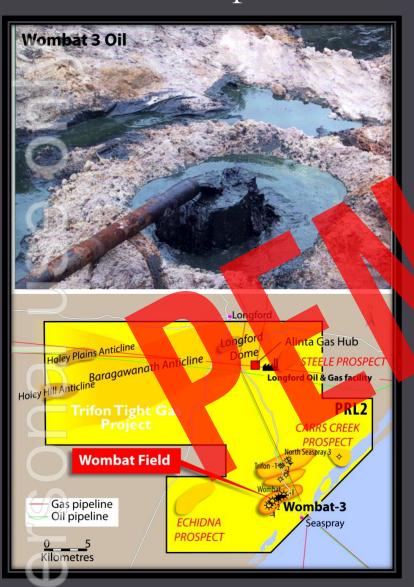
### PEP 169 Otway Basin

Proposed Otway 1 conventional well





### PRL 2 Proposed Wombat 3 oil zone flow test



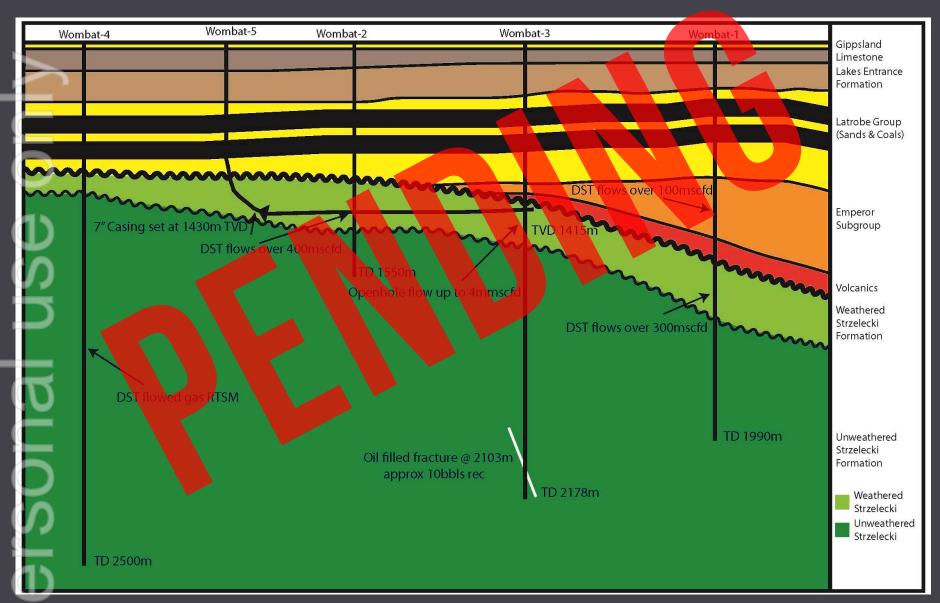


Lakes plans to isolate the oil bearing zone in Wombat 3

- plan to install a downhole pump over the interval.
- installation of the pump will hopefully result in a substantially higher rate than achieved previously.
- plan to carry out this program as soon as possible subject to all approvals.

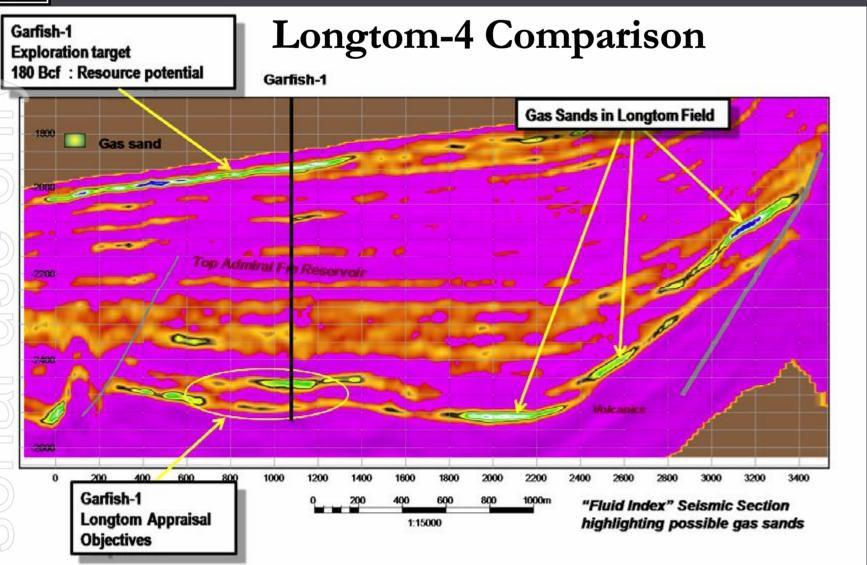


# Proposed Wombat 5 conventional horizontal well schematic





### Proposed Wombat 5



Source : Nexus Energy website



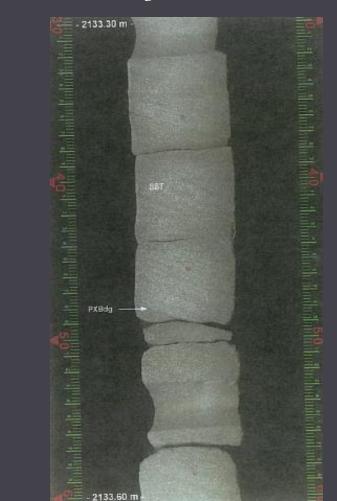
### Wombat 5

### Similar Lithologies between fields





Longtom-2 core





# The Australian Newspaper 31st July 2014



### Lakes Oil cries double standards as Origin approved

### EXCLUSIVE

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AN Origin Energy plan to access \$200 million of Bass Strait gas from onshore Victoria has drawn accusations of double standards from the Gina Rinehart-backed Lakes Oil, which has been banned from drilling nearby.

in plans kept largely under variety Origin, onshore drilling all start near the coastal Victorian lown of Warmambool next month.

The well, the first of two planned, will turn underground and head out under Bass Strait to occess the big Halladale/Black watch field, which Origin estimates contains 100 billion cubic feet of gas.

At recent contract prices, the resource could fetch \$800m in revenue.

The Origin plan was spared from a controversal state povernment blanker ban on onshore drilling put in place this year because at is accessing an offshore field.

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"I don't want to stop Origin drilling \_\_cood luck to them. I am saying there are two standards here," Mr Annelis said.

"The government is protecting gas that will come on at a high price and stopping the gas that will come on at a lower price."

Lakes, which also has a well at the Victorian coastal town of Seaspray halted by the ban, has positioned itself as a potential supplier of cheaper gas to manufacturers in the face of big east coast gas price hikes as Queensland's LNG industry ramps up.

Mr Annells said if the Origin well had passed a rigorous enough approvals process to be deemed safe, his well should also be seen as safe because any gas would pass through exactly the same underground aquifers and structures.

Mrs Rinehart owns 19 per cent of Lakes.

Origin's wells, which will involve horizontal drilling techniques and probably cost more than \$10m each, are production wells, while the \$3m Lakes vertical well is an exploration well.

Lakes and partner Armour Energy hope it find conventional gas close to Origin's Iona plant.



## Key concerns

- Protection of freshwater aquifers
- That induced fractures could extend into aquifer zone

