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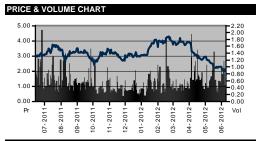
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Company Update
Metals & Mining
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Rating:	Accumulate			
Price Target:	\$4.75			

Price Target Metrics: DCF model with 7.5%

discount rate

Current Price:	\$1.90
Float:	72.7MM
Diluted Shares:	86.3MM
Short Interest:	11.8MM
Average Daily Volume:	730k
52 Week Range:	\$1.91 - \$4.44
Market Cap:	\$164MM
Cash and Investments:	\$26MM
Enterprise Value:	\$138MM
Net Cash/Sh:	\$0.30
Tangible Book/Sh:	\$0.93



ESTIMATES \$ (MMs except multiples & EPS)									
	2012	2012	2013	2013	2014	2014	2015		
	Prior	New	Prior	New	Prior	New			
Revenue									
FY	\$13.8	\$8.8E	\$57.0 \$	56.7E	\$80.5	\$80.5E	\$94.5E		
EBITDA (Adjusted)									
FY	\$(3.6)\$	(23.9)E	\$25.6	25.3E	\$43.4	\$43.4E	\$52.9E		
EPS									
FY	\$(0.04)\$	(0.34)E	\$0.26	0.27E	\$0.30	\$0.32E	\$0.40E		

Uranium Energy Corp. (AMEX: UEC)

UEC reports FY Q3 2012 production and results

Summary: UEC reported operating and financial results for the third quarter of its 2012 fiscal year that were in line with our expectations for uranium production at the Palangana mine in South Texas. UEC continues to produce U308 from the operation while expanding its output with the addition of a production area during the quarter. The main driver of growth for the company will result from construction and eventual production from the larger Goliad project; the company is still awaiting final EPA concurrence on the aquifer exemption already granted by the state of Texas before proceeding. While we still believe in the long-term business plan and strategy, we must recognize that both physical U308 prices have not rebounded as quickly as we previously estimated and the time delays experienced at Goliad will impact projected production ramp for UEC. We are lowering our estimates as a result. We reiterate an Accumulate rating and are lowering our price target to \$4.75 from \$5.25 previously.

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Highlights

UEC's Palangana production and development continues. The uranium-producing mine at Palangana continues to make progress in ramping up the amount of U3O8 that can be delivered to the Hobson processing facility. Recompletion work has been accomplished at production area #1, production area #2 is just now coming online and should be a meaningful contribution in the final quarter of the fiscal year. UEC has now submitted an application for production Area #3 to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ), which we anticipate will be developed in the next two quarters. Looking further into the future, we anticipate UEC will apply for an enlarged permit area in order to develop planned production areas #4 and #5 in 2013. The operating results and knowledge gained from Palangana should benefit the company with eventual production at the larger Goliad project.

Goliad still waiting on construction. The Goliad project is now looking like a "shovel-ready" project; everything is ready to proceed except for final concurrence from a federal authority, in this case the EPA. UEC has all necessary permits in hand to proceed with construction and only needs EPA concurrence on an aquifer exemption to initiate production. At this stage, we do not have an estimate on when the EPA will provide its concurrence opinion; however, it should be noted that the regional EPA has never denied one.

Anderson project reports initial resource. One noteworthy result on the exploration front was UEC publishing an initial NI 43-101 compliant resource calculation at the Anderson project, located in Yapavai County, Arizona. Anderson now has an indicated resource of 17.0 million pounds of U3O8 and an additional 12.0 million pounds of U3O8 in the inferred category. The company is proceeding with a scoping study on the project, which we anticipate will be complete by year-end 2012.

Russell Index rebalance. As part of the annual Russell 3000 Index rebalance/reconstitution, UEC will be deleted from the index and the Russell Micro-Cap index as of June 22. We believe this will cause some additional short-term selling pressure on the stock that is unrelated to the fundamentals of the company. The announcement is a preliminary list and it is possible that UEC could retain its membership in the indices.

Takeaways. While UEC makes progress at its Palangana producing uranium mine, a number of factors are weighing on the stock. The delay in construction and production at Goliad has been a negative consideration for investors, along with no rebound in physical spot uranium prices in 2012. We are of the opinion that UEC represents a low-risk opportunity in the United States for uranium production with an extensive portfolio of assets to leverage for the long term. We are maintaining an Accumulate rating but lowering our price target to \$4.75 (from \$5.25) which is based on our DCF analysis.

Company Description: Uranium Energy Corp. (UEC) is a production stage uranium company. As of July 31, 2010, it had interests in 50,253 acres of leased or staked mineral properties, consisting of claim blocks located in the states of Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico, Texas, Utah and Wyoming. The assets of UEC include the fully licensed and permitted Hobson in-situ recovery (ISR) processing plant; the Palangana Uranium project, Goliad project and Salvo project.

UEC DCF Model

	2012E	2013E	2014E	2015E	2016E	2017E	2018E	2019E
(US\$ '000)								
Net Revenue	8,840	56,694	80,500	94,500	99,000	100,800	100,800	97,600
Total operating costs	5,100	16,381	20,050	23,100	26,501	27,700	27,700	27,500
Corporate costs	14,000	8,000	8,000	8,000	8,000	8,000	8,000	8,000
Operating Income	(25,144)	24,739	42,788	52,338	52,937	53,332	53,332	50,624
Taxes	0	845	14,766	18,108	18,318	18,456	18,456	17,508
Total capital costs	10,000	500	500	13,000	500	500	500	500
Cash Flow	(31,576)	21,494	34,523	29,906	36,943	34,622	32,206	28,441
NPV @ 7.5%	\$403,523							
NPV / share (F.D.)	\$4.76							

Source: GHS, Company Reports

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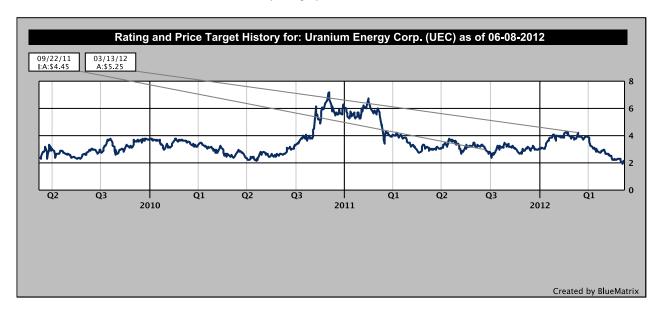
Operational and technical risk. Mining projects are exposed to operational and technical risks that may impact costs and production including technical issues with and/or potential changes in geological, mining and metallurgical parameters of the ore body, such as dilution, grade, and recoveries, as well as equipment, labor, logistics, environmental and safety issues. The timing and volume of production may significantly differ from current forecasts.

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Rating

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