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## Cash Position (July 31) \*

The cash and bullion asset base grew to \$30.7 million, before the July repayment of \$500,000 in debt and the final Mineral Resources Tasmania royalty payment of approximately \$2.5 million for the financial year ending 30 June 2025.

Kaiser believes that the recently reported Quarterly Report did not adequately emphasise that the company not only increased its cash position, but also covered significant once-off costs related to the Henty Gold Mine acquisition transaction, including approximately:

# Breakdown of June Quarter Once Off Costs\*

Capital Raising Brokers fees: \$1.3 million

Corporate Advisory fees: \$0.5 million

Legal fees: \$0.2 million

Auramet establishment fees and small purchase of Put Options:

\$0.8 million

Other cost paid in the June Quarter\*
Auramet Loan repayment: \$1.0 million

### Clarification of Put Options

Kaiser acknowledges that there is some confusion regarding the nature and risks of its Put Options strategy. To clarify, the Company executed a series of Put Options at a strike price of A\$4,400 per ounce, covering 6,000 ounces of gold (750 ounces per month) over an 8-month period from September 2025 to April 2026.

These Put Options represent approximately one-third of Henty's targeted monthly production of 2,000 ounces per month.

The Put Options were a requirement for securing the Company's debt facility and were fully paid during June 2025 quarter. No

additional payments are required regardless of gold price up or down movements.

This structure ensures a minimum price of AUD\$4,400 per ounce for the 750 ounces per month, providing a shareholder-friendly price protection mechanism.

The Board considers this approach prudent which is aligned with the Company's risk management objectives.

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# Kaiser Reef Production Update June Quarter

Kaiser Reef (ASX: KAU)

Reported on its gold production for the quarter ending 30 June 2025.

The newly acquired Henty Gold Mine produced 4,069 Oz gold in half a quarter, equating to over 30,000 ounces per annum if

production is maintained at the same rate.



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During the quarter, on 15 May 2025, Kaiser settled the acquisition of the Henty Gold Mine and associated Tasmanian exploration tenements ("Henty") from Catalyst Metals Limited (ASX:CYL) ("Catalyst") and has integrated Henty into the Kaiser business.

### **Highlights**

Henty Gold Mine Production (processed and reconciled) (15 May - 30 June)

- Henty bedded in under Kaiser ownership
- Tonnes (dry) processed: 35,853t
- Head grade: 4.05g/t
- Processing recovery: 87.1%
- Gold produced: 4,069oz Au

## Maldon Gold Mine Production (processed and reconciled) (1 April - 30 June)

- Includes A1 Gold Mine and ore purchases from third parties
- Tonnes (dry) processed: 10,918t
- Head grade: 2.42g/t
- Processing recovery: 89.0%
- Gold produced: 756.3oz Au

## Al Gold Mine Production (mine production reconciled) (1 April - 30 June)

- Al remains in a development phase, establishing operations below historical workings
- Tonnes (dry) mined: 4,262t
- Head grade: 4.03g/t
- Gold mined: 551.7oz Au

# Kaiser's Managing Director, Jonathan Downes, commented:

"This has been a landmark quarter for Kaiser, headlined by the acquisition of the Henty Gold Mine in Tasmania, a profitable production centre with at least a 5-year mine life, based on Reserves, and fantastic exploration potential.

"We are very pleased with the transition overall and how the Henty team has come on board with Kaiser.

"With the Henty transaction completed, Kaiser has transformed into a company with three gold projects, two operational, and two gold processing plants in a great macro environment for gold.

"This is the single biggest quarter of production for Kaiser and we look forward to building from here.

We will update the market further with our full quarterly report later in the month."

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## Catalyst Metals Sells Its Henty Gold Mine to Kaiser Reef

#### Catalyst Metals (ASX: CYL)

Has agreed to sell its Henty Gold Mine In Tasmania to Kaiser Reef (ASX:KAU). This streamlines its asset portfolio to focus on core projects.

Catalyst has retained exposure to Henty's upside while backing a new management team which will have greater focus on operational execution.



Henty Gold Mine — Tasmania



Catalyst Metals	ASX : CYL
Stage	Exploration / development
Metals	Copper / Gold
Market cap	<b>A\$1 Billion</b> @ <b>A\$4.63</b>
Location	Murchison, Western Australia

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- Catalyst has agreed to sell the Henty gold mine in Tasmania to Kaiser Reef
- The transaction has various value components that in totality appeal to Catalyst
- In exchange for Henty, Catalyst will receive:
- o A\$15m upfront cash consideration
- o A\$4m to be reimbursement from environmental bonding payments
- o A\$14m in deferred gold consideration (3,000oz of future gold production)
- o A\$14m via an ongoing equity interest (19.99% of the enlarged Kaiser)
- o 0.5% NSR royalty on gold produced from the Darwin Extension Target Zone

o An option to acquire 50% interest in a Victorian processing plant situated 100km

from Catalyst's 26 g/t gold Resource2 at the Four Eagles gold project

- The reasoning behind the transaction for Catalyst is threefold:
- o It frees up management's time to focus on Plutonic and Western Australia
- o It backs a new management team at Henty who should be better able to dedicate

the time required to realise Henty's upside

o Secures a processing solution, and a future, for Catalyst's Four Eagles gold project in

Victoria in order to create value for our shareholders in an asset that was not being

valued by the broader market

There are a number of challenges to operating in Victoria.
 By entering into this option

agreement, Catalyst has, for no cost, solved one of these key hurdles

#### Recent highlights

- The company achieved a significant milestone by processing the first ore from its Plutonic East underground mine, marking a pivotal step in its expansion strategy.
- Reflecting its growth and market presence, Catalyst Metals has been added to the S&P/ASX 300 Index, enhancing its visibility among investors.
- The company has successfully repaid all inherited debts, strengthening its financial position and enabling greater investment in growth initiatives.
- Catalyst has initiated an extensive exploration program in the Plutonic Gold Belt, aiming to double its gold production to 200,000 ounces annually over the next three years.

## Catalyst's Managing Director & CEO, James Champion de Crespigny, commented:

"Catalyst believes focus is important. 18-months ago, Catalyst committed itself to Western Australia by consolidating the Plutonic Gold Belt. Henty's operating nature means the timebrequired for it to realise value and upside of Henty was costly.

"This transaction allows Catalyst to focus on Western Australia while still sharing in the upside that can come from a new, more focused, operating team.

"The value proposition for Catalyst is compelling due to a novel transaction structure.

"Consideration is in two parts — more easily quantifiable cash and trailing payments and the harder to quantify equity in Kaiser and option over a Victorian mill.

"The equity interest is attractive in this gold

price environment while the option to solve a processing problem in Victoria has, we think, considerable value to our shareholders on an asset that is not being valued by the broader market."

## **About Catalyst Metals Limited**

An Australian gold exploration and production.

The company has established a dominant presence in several prolific gold belts across Australia, focusing on the exploration, development, and operation of gold projects.

Catalyst's key assets include the Plutonic Gold Mine in Western Australia, and significant exploration projects in Victoria's Bendigo Goldfields.

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