Current Price: C\$0.065 Fair Value: C\$0.28



Sector / Industry: Junior Resource

Kingman Minerals Ltd. (TSXV: KGS / OTCQB: KGSSF / FSE: 47A1)

Preparing a Maiden High-Grade Gold Resource -Initiating Coverage

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Head of Research

BUY

Risk: 5

Highlights

- > Kingman is focused on the Mohave gold project in Arizona, which includes the historically producing Rosebud gold mine.
- Historical inferred resources of 568 Koz Au (17 g/t), and 2.18 Moz Ag (65.49 g/t), and indicated resource of 9.1 Koz Au (20.13 g/t) and 29 Koz Ag (64.8 g/t). We note that these are very high gold grades.
- > High-grade samples from mineralized veins in Rosebud's underground infrastructure returned 688 g/t Au and 468 g/t Ag over 0.18 m, and 252 g/t Au and 341 g/t Ag over 0.46 m.
- > Phase 1 drilling (five holes/778 m) completed earlier this year returned high grades over short intercepts.
- ➤ Kingman is planning a 24-drill hole program to test for high-grade gold areas along strike and depth in unexplored areas below the oxidized zone. A maiden NI 43-101 compliant resource is expected in two months.
- We are expecting gold prices to strengthen in H2-2021, as inflation kicks in from a global economic recovery.
- Kingman's shares are trading at \$11/oz vs the sector average of \$59/oz.

Risks

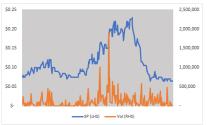
- The value of the company is dependent on gold prices.
- Access to capital and share dilution.
- The upcoming NI43-101 compliant resource estimate might not confirm historical resources.
- Exploration and development.

Equity Analyst

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Price and Volume



	YTD	12M
Ret.	-41%	-13%
TSXV	2%	31%

Company Data

52 Week Range	\$0.06 - \$0.24
Shares O/S	55M
Market Cap.	C\$3.6M
Yield (forward)	N/A
P/E (forward)	N/A
P/B	2.1x

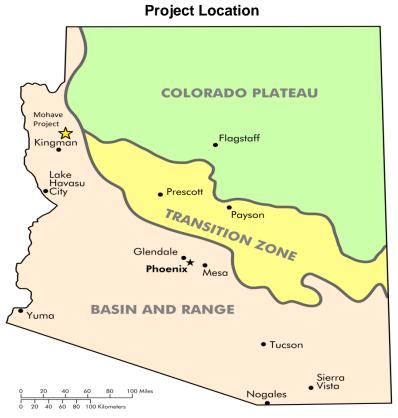
Key Financial Data (FYE - Sept 30)				
(C\$)	2020	2021 (6M)		
Cash	\$93,229	\$674,415		
Working Capital	-\$254,287	\$566,393		
Mineral Assets + PPE	\$473,427	\$1,094,537		
Total Assets	\$575,403	\$1,809,537		
Net Income (Loss)	-\$737,302	-\$1,623,602		
EPS	-\$0.04	-\$0.05		

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Mohave Project

Kingman is focused on developing the gold-silver Mohave project located in Mohave county in Arizona.



Source: Company

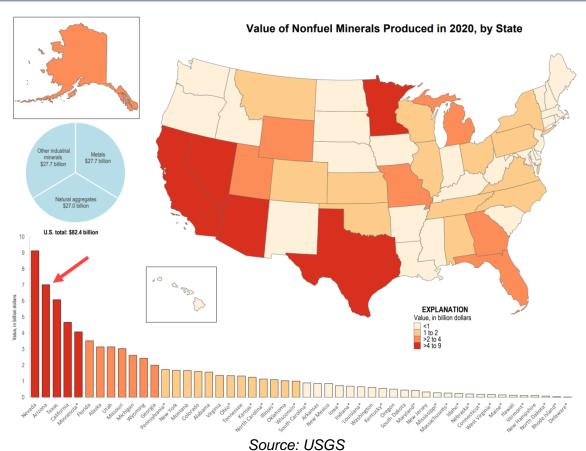
Kingman has an option agreement to acquire a 100% interest in the project for \$289k.

Arizona

In 2020, Arizona was the second largest producer of non-fuel minerals in the U.S., outranked only by Nevada. Copper, molybdenum, construction material, and aggregates are the primary commodities produced in Arizona. The state is also the top producer of copper, and accounts for 74% of copper output in the U.S.



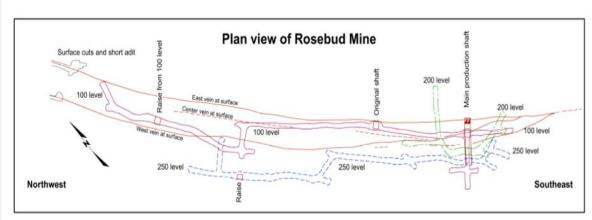




Location and Infrastructure

The project (covering 413 acres) is in the Music Mountain district, and 35 miles (56.3 km) from the town of Kingman. It is directly accessible by car through Route 66, and a paved highway. The historically producing Rosebud gold mine within the project, has an underground development, including a 400-ft shaft, and 2,500 ft of drifts, raises, and crosscuts.

Accessible by a paved highway



Source: Company



Due to the arid climate of the area, historical reports for Rosebud confirm sparse access to water. According to reports from the 1980's, workings below the 250 level were flooded, which possibly indicates that the water table could be nearby. The existing infrastructure does not have a facility to process ore. However, Northern Vertex's (TSXV: NEE) facility at the Moss mine is 80 km from Mohave.



Source: Company

Mineralization

Mohave county is known for highgrade epithermal deposits In the 1980s, Mohave county ranked second among gold-producing counties in Arizona. Most deposits in the county were classified as epithermal and mesothermal deposits. These types of deposits are well-known to have high ore grades and can be mined through open pit, underground, or both methods.

The Rosebud mine had eight individual veins and one prominent double vein (Southwick vein) which extended from the northwest corner to almost the southeast corner of the claims block. The width of veins varied from <1 ft (0.3m) to >16 ft (4.9m).

Historical Resource and Production

The Music Mountain and Rosebud claims covered the historical Music Mountain mining camp. The Music Mountain claims encompass 19 veins spanning over 23 km, where only 3.7 km, or 16% of the total length was surveyed. The surveyed veins contain high-grade indicated resources @ 18.55 g/t Au (57.2 Koz) and 101.49 g/t Ag (312.8 Koz), and inferred resources @ 16.56 g/t Au (348.6 Koz) and 75.09 g/t Ag (1.58 Moz). Kingman is planning to expand their land package in the region.



Rosebud is adjacent to Music Mountain. Similar to Music Mountain, Rosebud's resource has notably high gold grades.

Historical Resources (Rosebud)

568 Koz inferred at 17 gpt Au

Au (g/t)	Ag (g/t)	Tonnage (tonnes)	Au (oz)	Ag (oz)	Mineral category
20.13	64.80	14,116	9,134	29,408	Total indicated resources
17.04	65.49	1,036,147	568,049	2,177,642	Total inferred resources

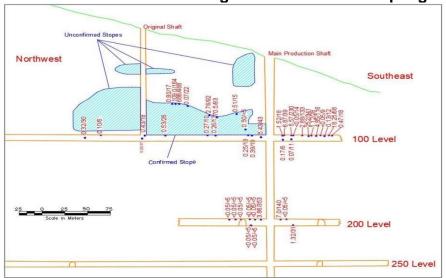
Source: Company / FRC

No production figures are available, but historical grades ranged between 15-20 opt (514.2-685.6 g/t) Au.

Current Exploration

688 g/t Au and 468 g/t Ag over 0.18 m During inspection of the shafts, and the existing mine infrastructure at the 100-ft and 200-ft levels, Kingman outlined high-grade veins. Two samples were extracted from the 100 and 200 ft levels: 688 g/t Au and 468 g/t Ag over 0.18 m, and 252 g/t Au and 341 g/t Ag over 0.46 m.

Cross section of the Rosebud underground mine with sampling locations



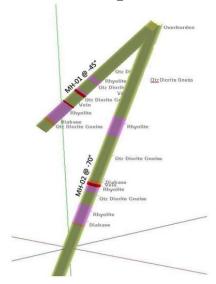
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Mineralized veins intersected in the successful phase 1 drill program

A phase I drill program (five holes) was designed to validate past high-grade intercepts, and to test historical resources at the Rosebud mine. All five holes intersected mineralized veins connected to the veins exposed in Rosebud's underground development. All five returned high grades over short intercepts.



Strip log of two drillholes showing mineralized vein intersections



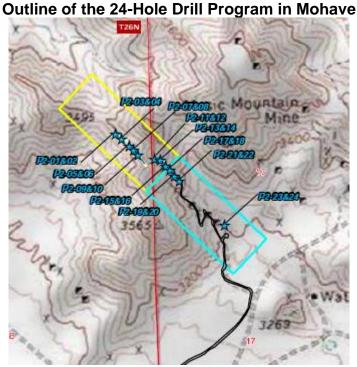
Five Completed Holes Drilled in Mohave

Hole ID	Total depth (m)	Mineralized vein intersection?	Purpose	Key Results
MH-01	68.6	Yes	Intersect two mineralized veins exposed in Rosebud	15.2g/t gold over 1.3FT (0.4 M) & 320 g/t silver
MH02	346.0	Yes	Verify vein thickness and grade of previous exploration reports	94.5 g/t gold and 40.2 g/t silver over 1 ft (0.3 m)
MH-03	139	Yes	Confirm two vein structures separated by a rhyolite dike	44.7 g/t gold & 190 g/t silver from 268-269 ft (82.7-83.0 m)
MH-04	269	Yes	Intersect two mineralized veins at depth	6.76 g/t Au and 26.3 g/t Ag over 1.25 fteet
MH-05	137	Yes	Confirm location and vein types of historically reported structures	6.0 g/t Au over 4 feet; 23.3 g/t Au over 1 feet

Source: Company

With the positive outcome of the first phase of the drill program, Kingman is planning to conduct a 24-drill hole program to explore other areas within Mohave, particularly the NW and SE extension of the individual eight veins. The objective of Phase II drilling, especially in the NW extension, is to assess the lateral length and vertical depth (down to 2,000 ft/610 m) extent of the mineralized veins.





Source: Company

Technical report to be published in the next two months

Upon completing Phase II, Kingman is planning to complete a maiden NI 43-101 compliant resource estimate by September. **Management expects to confirm and possibly add to the historic resource.**

Other Projects

The company has another project in Canada which it may pursue should they choose to diversify outside of Mohave in Arizona.

Project	Covette		
Location	James Bay, Quebec, Canada		
Components	Comprised of 12 contiguous claims		
Ownership	Option agreement - \$1.25M to acquire a 100% interest		

Source: Company / FRC



Management and Directors

Management and board hold 7%

Management and Board	Shares	% of Total
Peter Born - CEO and Director	250,000	0.45%
Arthur Brown -Chairman and CFO	3,125,000	5.66%
Cyrus Driver - Independent Director	450,000	0.82%
	3,825,000	6.93%

Source: Company

Brief biographies of the management team and board members, as provided by the company, follow:

Dr. Peter Born, P. Geo – CEO and Director

Dr. Peter Born is a registered professional geologist with the Association of Professional Geoscientists of Ontario and is a Fellow of the Geological Association of Canada. He has more than 35 years of experience doing exploration, project generation, and management. He previously worked as senior geologist with Western Mining Corporation (WMC at Meliadine in Nunavut) as well as a consultant/senior geologist, modeling the Aquarius (Timmins) ore body with Echo Bay Mines. Dr. Born holds a Ph.D. in Earth Sciences and has decades of experience in the Abitibi greenstone and gold belt (Ontario and Quebec) especially the 80M ounce Timmins gold camp, Northern Ontario, which was the study area for his Ph.D. research back in the 1990s.

Arthur Brown - Chairman and CFO

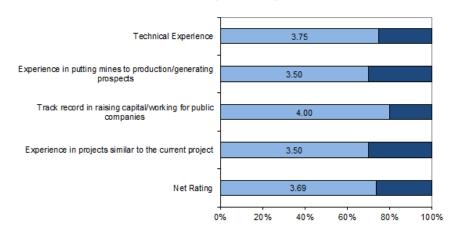
Art brings 36 years of business experience to Kingman's board. He has served on the boards of eight other companies in sectors ranging from technology to oil & gas and mineral exploration. Mr. Brown has substantial knowledge and experience in corporate structure and development, financings and venture capital.

Cyrus Driver - Independent Director

A chartered accountant, Cyrus was founding partner in the firm of Driver Anderson since its inception in 1982 and a retired partner in the firm of Davidson and Company LLP. Whilst providing general public accounting services to a wide range of clients, he specializes in servicing TSX Venture listed companies and members of the brokerage community. His wide knowledge of the securities industry and its rules have enabled him to give valuable advice to clients with respect to finance, taxation and other accounting related matters. Cyrus currently serves as director and or CFO of several TSX-V listed companies.

Our net rating on the company's management team is 3.7 out of 5.0

Management Rating



Strength of Board

	Poor	Average	Good
Three board members; one independent	X		
Directors' share ownership			x
The Audit committee is composed of two board members, one independent	x		
Management compensation is decided by the board		х	

Source: FRC

Only one independent director

Financials

\$0.57M in working capital as of March 31, 2021

C\$ - YE (Sept 30)	2020	2021 (6M)
Cash	\$93,229	\$674,415
Working Capital	-\$254,287	\$566,393
Current Ratio	0.29	5.41
Monthly Burn Rate (G&A)	-\$52,905	-\$149,476
Cash from Financing Activities	\$997,522	\$2,366,598
Cash spent on Properties	-\$210,927	-\$621,110

Source: FRC / Company

Stock Options and Warrants: 5.37M options (weighted average exercise price of \$0.16) and 36.75M warrants (\$0.12). None of the options/warrants are in-themoney.



Valuation

KGS' shares are trading at \$11/oz vs the sector average of \$59/oz

	Company	EV / Resource
1	Pure Gold Mining Inc.	\$313.09
2	Victoria Gold Corp	\$279.09
3	Osisko Mining	\$243.11
4	Marathon Gold Corp.	\$212.32
5	Bonterra Resources	\$98.54
6	Probe Metals	\$80.01
7	Monarch Mining	\$73.02
8	GMV Minerals	\$66.86
9	Sabina Gold	\$65.36
10	Fury Gold	\$64.71
11	Nighthawk Gold Corp.	\$62.31
12	Maple Gold Mines Ltd.	\$56.95
13	Gowest Gold Ltd.	\$52.53
14	Renforth Resources	\$48.61
15	Gold Springs	\$40.34
16	O3 Mining	\$34.70
17	Moneta Porcupine Mines Inc.	\$27.57
18	Gatling Exploration	\$23.89
19	Southern Empire	\$12.02
20	Kingman	\$11.48
	Average (excl outliers)	\$59.35

^{*} Net Resource = 100% of M&I + 50% of Inferred Resources

Source: FRC / S&P Capital IQ / Various Companies

Applying \$59/oz to KGS' resource, we arrived at a fair value estimate of \$0.28 per share. We are including potential share dilution from a \$1M equity financing at current prices. **We are initiating coverage with a BUY rating.** Key catalysts include strong gold prices, phase II drilling, and the maiden resource estimate.

Risks

We believe the company is exposed to the following key risks:

- > The value of the company is dependent on gold prices.
- Access to capital and share dilution.
- ➤ The upcoming NI43-101 compliant resource estimate might not confirm historical resources.
- > Exploration and development.

rating of 5

As with most junior

exploration/develop

ment companies, we are assigning a risk



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