

MTM Critical Metals Limited

Turning trash into cash in a flash

June 2025

Recommendation: BUY

- Turning e-scrap into saleable metals using transformative patent protected IP
- Near term revenues from gold, gallium and germanium
- Pilot plant commissioning 2025, commercial production 2026

ASX: MTM

Share Price: \$0.43

Target Price: \$0.96

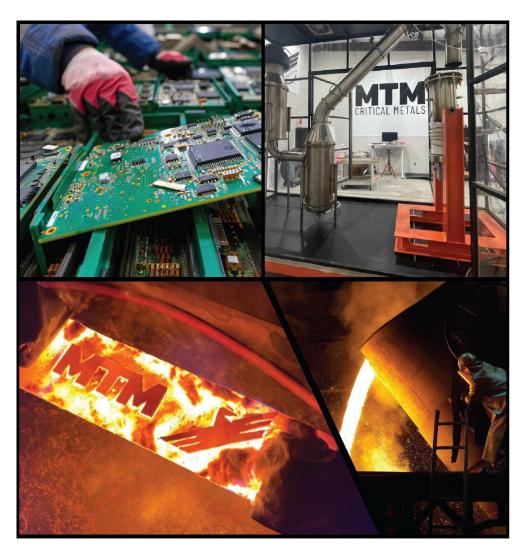
M/Cap.: \$197M

Valuation: \$0.96/share

Valuation: \$662M

Shares/options: 458.3

Monthly T/over: \$50M



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| | ure 1: Top 20 Shareholders (Dated April 2025) | | |
| | Name | Amount | % |
| 1 | Pengana Capital Natural Resource Fund | 27,586,207 | 6.02 |
| 2 | Terra Capital Natural Resource Fund Terra Capital Green Metals Fund | 21,500,000 21,500,000 | 4.69 4.69 |
| 3 4 | Investitech LLC | 20,000,000 | 4.36 |
| 5 | Hills Limited | 10,686,123 | 2.33 |
| 6 | Ariel Malik | 10,494,162 | 2.29 |
| 7 | Fortify Advisory Pty Ltd | 9,124,591 | 1.99 |
| 8 | Sandton Capital Advisory Pty Ltd, Asset Management Arm | 9,124,591 | 1.99 |
| 9 | John Hughan | 8,135,031 | 1.77 |
| 10 | Weyburn Group Pty Ltd | 7,667,724 | 1.67 |
| 11 | Jindabyne Capital Pty Ltd | 7,000,000 | 1.53 |
| 12 | Bowman Gate Pty Ltd | 5,848,215 | 1.28 |
| 13 | John Hannaford | 5,341,839 | 1.17 |
| 14 | The Code Flag Z Trading Company Pty Ltd | 4,000,000 | 0.87 |

Source: Iress

Total

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Avdo Tabakovic

William Brooks

Chunyan Niu

Rice William Marsh University

David Izzard

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A\$0.96

MTM Critical Metals Ltd (MTM) BUY

Share Price: A\$0.43

Turning trash into cash in a flash

Most companies dig holes to find gold. MTM finds it in the laptop you threw away last year. E-scrap is the richest undeveloped gold mine on Earth, with grades >100x those of the average mine. MTM's Flash Joule Heating tech (FJH) is proven at lab-scale and its pilot plant will commission by year end. Commercial production is targeted for 2026. Once you understand the capex and complexity of existing e-scrap recycling, you'll understand why customers and suppliers alike are wanting to work with MTM. With high-grade e-scrap offtake locked in, patent-protected IP, and the imminent addition of very high margin gallium and germanium feedstock streams, we see MTM building a low capex, modular, cash-generating metals business. We initiate with a BUY rating and A\$0.96/sh price target.

What does MTM do?

- FJH extracts metals from e-waste and industrial scrap
- The process has low capex, is modular, uses ~90% less energy than smelting, while delivering 95%+ recoveries in seconds, delivering separate saleable metal products
- Incumbents use high capex smelting. MTM's low capex (~US\$4m per line), pre-permitted U.S. site, and modular rollout strategy allows it to deploy profitably at small scale
- MTM has locked in 1,100tpa of gold-rich feedstock for five years, 3x initial capacity, positioning it to scale rapidly with additional lines deployable in under 12 months
- Indium Corp. partnership will add semiconductor scrap, with ultra-high margin gallium and germanium (Ga/Ge)

High margin, fast payback, low capex scalable growth

- 1tpd pilot plant delivers US\$6.1m p.a. at 53% EBITDA margins on e-scrap, with a 3.3-year capex payback
- Margins are strong due to high recoveries, an energy efficient process, no acid required & minimal waste
- Semiconductor scrap offers material cashflow upside, delivering 10x EBITDA per tonne through the same plant

Undervalued entry ahead of re-rating catalysts

- Our valuation assumes MTM treats 5% of the 1.6Mtpa of high-grade e-scrap generated in the USA, in time
- Our A\$0.96/sh valuation is conservative as we await execution of the pilot plant, capacity expansions and commercialisation strategy as Ga/Ge contracts land
- While we assume plant expansion is equity and debt funded, MTM is likely to qualify for DoD/DoE grants

Key Dates Ahead - de-risking now, re-rating soon

- 2H 2025 Contract terms on gallium/germanium
- Dec Q 2025 Pilot plant commissioning (1tpd)
- 1H 2026 First material metals revenues
- End 2026 Commercial production achieved

Company Data

| Shares – ordinary (M) | 458.3 |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| Market capitalisation (\$M) | 197 |
| 12 month low/high (\$) | 0.02/ 0.43 |
| Average monthly turnover (\$M) | 23 |
| GICS Industry | Metals & Mining |

Target Price:

Board

| Director | Position | Executive | Independent |
|----------------|----------|-----------|-------------|
| Michael Walshe | MD/CEO | Yes | No |
| John Hannaford | Chair | No | Yes |
| Anthony Hadley | NED | No | Yes |
| Paul Niardone | NED | No | Yes |

Financial Summary (fully diluted/normalised)

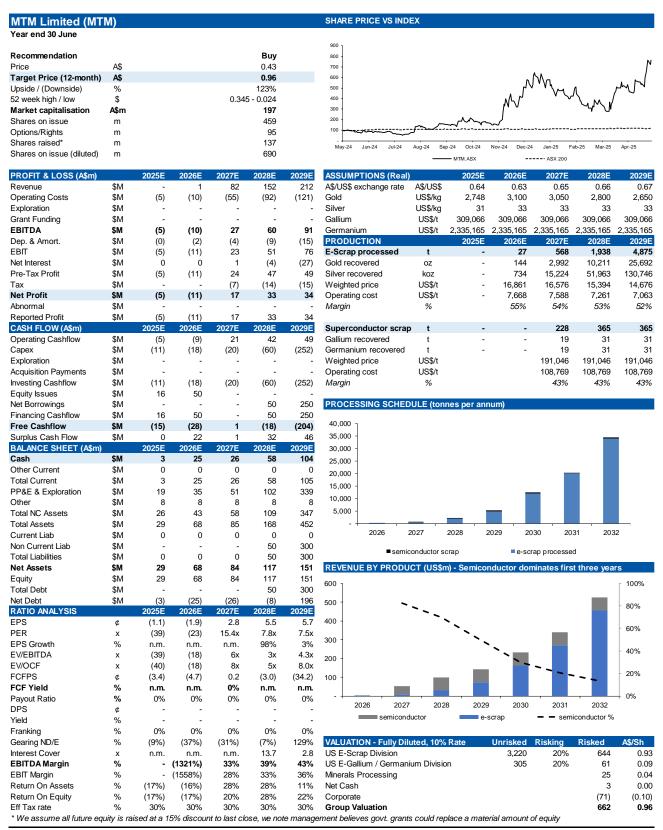
| Year end June | 2025F | 2026F | 2027F | 2028F | 2029F |
|--------------------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| Revenue (\$M) | - | 1 | 82 | 152 | 212 |
| Costs (\$M) | (5) | (10) | (55) | (92) | (121) |
| EBITDA (\$M) | (5) | (10) | 27 | 60 | 91 |
| NPAT (\$M) | (5) | (11) | 17 | 33 | 34 |
| EPS (¢ps) | (1.1) | (1.9) | 2.8 | 5.5 | 5.7 |
| EPS growth (%) | n.m. | n.m. | +100% | 98% | 3% |
| PER (x) | (39.4) | (22.9) | 15.4 | 7.8 | 7.5 |
| Op. Cashflow (\$M) | (5) | (9) | 21 | 42 | 49 |
| OCFPS (¢ps) | (1.1) | (2.1) | 4.6 | 9.2 | 10.7 |
| POCFPS (x) | (40.5) | (20.8) | 9.4 | 4.7 | 4.0 |
| EV (\$M) | 195 | 172 | 171 | 139 | 93 |
| EV / EBITDA (x) | (38.9) | (18.0) | 6.4 | 3.2 | 4.3 |
| Payout ratio (%) | - | - | - | - | - |
| Dividends (¢ps) | - | - | - | - | - |
| Yield (%) | - | - | - | - | - |
| Franking (%) | - | - | - | - | - |

MTM - performance over one year





Analysis



Source: Petra Capital, Fully diluted for a A\$50m equity raising in 2026 via 132m shares at A\$0.38/sh



Executive Summary

Disruptive technology with early commercial traction

MTM's Flash Joule Heating (FJH) process is a one-step, acid-free, low-carbon and low-energy intensity metal recovery system that achieves >95% recovery of gold, copper and silver from e-waste scrap and gallium/germanium from semiconductor scrap. Unlike traditional smelting or hydrometallurgy, FJH uses a high-voltage pulse to instantaneously heat material to 1,000-3,000°C, separating metals as saleable chlorides in milliseconds. The pilot-scale flowsheet has been validated on real-world feedstock, and MTM will commission its 1 tonne per day pilot plant in Q4 2025. The FJH system's modularity, low capex, and high recovery make it scalable. If the pilot plant executes to plan, we see a material rerating when commercial production accelerates through CY2026.

E-waste is no longer a problem ... it's the richest source of gold on Earth

Printed circuit boards (PCBs) recovered from data centres and industrial equipment hold metal grades many times greater than traditional mines. MTM has successfully produced metal from feedstock grading 551 g/t gold, 42% copper, and 13% tin. The company has locked in two supply agreements totalling 1,100tpa of ultra-high-grade e-scrap supply. This is triple the initial plant capacity; if the team can execute on engineering and ramp up, we expect revenues to grow quickly. This scrap delivers an estimated in-situ value of US\$22,500/t, with gold contributing ~80% of revenue. Globally, over US\$80 billion in metals is discarded in e-waste each year. If we look at MTM's starting market in the U.S., the initial focus will be on the 1.6Mtpa of gold in PCB's. If MTM can achieve a 5% market share in PCB over time, it would be a 496kozpa gold producer (top 3 on ASX).

Scalable U.S. pilot plant and locked-in feedstock

MTM's first plant is located on a pre-permitted industrial site in Texas, 40 minutes from Houston Port, with capacity for 4–5 FJH units (1tpd each) and expansion rights to another 20 acres. The plant is designed with KnightHawk Engineering who previously built and commissioned a similar FJH plant in Canada for use in graphene markets. MTM's first two feedstock suppliers, Dynamic Lifecycle and Plastic Recycling Inc, will provide supply of 1,100tpa of high-grade scrap over five-years. These locked-in volumes support predictable revenue and enable MTM to scale rapidly if pilot success is achieved. Scrap pricing is market based on contained value, guided by MTM at around 20% of in-situ value.

Attractive fundamental economics from gold, gallium and germanium

We expect MTM to produce operating cashflow in CY2026 by processing both e-waste PCBs and semiconductor scrap (Ga/Ge). While PCB scrap yields US\$6.1m/year in revenue from the pilot plant, Ga/Ge scrap has 11x the revenue (US\$69.7m), significantly accelerating payback. The same capex and plant footprint can process both streams. A contract with Indium Corporation outlining the economics of Ga/Ge is a significant near-term catalyst. In addition, Ga and Ge are on the U.S. Department of Defense's critical minerals list, and MTM's unique ability to isolate them into metal chlorides is aligned with government procurement goals. There is potential for favourable government funding pathways as we have seen with peers (eg. IPX secured US\$60m in DoD funding for titanium).

A\$0.96/sh price target - Buying asymmetric upside at an inflection point

MTM sits at a classic asymmetric inflection point. FJH is validated at lab scale, but the team must now prove it at commercial scale. Both upstream (e-scrap) and downstream (Indium Corp) partners are backing the rollout. Pilot plant economics are strong: US\$10m capex yields US\$6.1m revenue at 53% EBITDA margins, with a 3.3-year payback. Additional lines offer a 1.3-year payback if results are replicated. Assuming 5% U.S. market share (80,000tpa PCB e-scrap) is achieved over an 8 year period, we calculate a A\$3.2bn NPV₁₀. Higher margin semiconductor scrap could add US\$31m/yr EBITDA and A\$306m NPV₁₀ from just one 365tpa plant. We risk-weight both at 20% of NPV in our price target. Minerals processing is valued at a nominal A\$25m pending further progress. Including cash and deducting corporate costs, we value MTM at A\$662m or A\$0.96/sh. This assumes A\$50m in equity funding is needed to reach positive cash generation (132m shares at A\$0.38/sh). Long term, 5% share of the U.S. PCB scrap market (80,000tpa) could generate A\$1.7bn revenue and A\$835m EBITDA. Peer recyclers trade at ~10x EV/EBITDA, offering re-rating potential post-commercialisation.



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