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# INVESTMENT IN OIL & LITHIUM EXTRACTION PACHELMA PROJECT

## **Project overview**

- Large-scale oil and lithium extraction project in the Pachelma aulacogen, Penza region, Russia, covering over 2,755 square kilometers of proven hydrocarbon reserves.
- Dual-commodity opportunity: Primary focus on oil extraction with significant lithium co-production potential from formation waters, creating multiple revenue streams.
- Proven reserves: Comprehensive geological studies using satellite imagery analysis and seismic surveys have identified estimated extractable oil resources of 880 million tons across two licensed areas.
- Strategic lithium potential: Formation waters contain lithium concentrations of 180-280 mg/kg in core samples, comparable to the major Kovyktinskoye field in Siberia with proven commercial lithium extraction.
- Advanced preparation stage: Licenses for Belynskiy and Nizhnelomovskiy areas are being finalized by the Project Company and will be obtained by September 15-17, 2025.
- Established infrastructure: Located in developed region with existing transport networks and industrial base, reducing operational complexity and costs.

# **Project location and Resource Base**

 The project covers the Pachelma aulacogen the largest linear geological structure in western Penza region, spanning Pachelm,



Bashmakovskiy, Nizhnelomovskiy, Zemetchino, Narovchat, Spassk, and Vadinsk districts.

- Four identified prospect areas: Belynskiy (500+ km²), Nizhnelomovskiy, Vadinskiy, and Bashmakovskiy areas, each with distinct geological characteristics and resource potential.
- Multiple production horizons:
  - Belynskaya + Irgizskaya formations (1,400-1,600m depth): 139M tons
  - Timan + Pashiy horizons (400m depth): 27M tons
  - Biisk horizon (700-800m depth): 14M tons
- Gas-condensate reserves: Additional 665 km² gascondensate field in Upper Devonian deposits at 450-500m depth with associated lithium-rich brines.
- Historical validation: Previous drilling (1950-1953, 2011-2019) confirmed abundant oil shows, core samples with oil saturation, and lithium presence, establishing geological foundation.

### **Resource Estimates & Development Costs**

The project development will require comprehensive approach covering both oil extraction and lithium recovery infrastructure:

Resource Category	Volume/Area	Est. Value
Belynskiy Area Oil Reserves	180M tons	High
Nizhnelomovskiy + Vadinskiy	500M+ tons	Very High
Bashmakovskiy Area	200M tons	High
Gas-Condensate Field	665 km²	Significant
Lithium-Rich Brines	Entire field	Strategic

# **Total Estimated Extractable Oil Resources:** 880+ Million Tons

Development phases will include drilling programs, production facilities, processing plants for oil refining, and specialized lithium extraction facilities for brine processing.

### **Investment Propositions**

Dual investment opportunities available:

### **Option 1: Lithium-focused investment**

- Acquire dedicated lithium extraction license
- Focus on lithium recovery from formation waters
- Process byproduct brines from oil operations
- Lower initial capital requirements
- Access to growing lithium market demand

### Option 2: Joint oil & lithium development

- Partnership with license holder the Project Company
- Investor provides equipment and technology
- Shared revenues from both oil and lithium production
- Comprehensive resource utilization
- Maximum return potential
- Strategic advantages:
- Proven geological reserves with historical validation
- Multiple commodity streams reducing risk
- Established regional infrastructure
- Growing global lithium demand for EV batteries
- Stable oil market fundamentals
- Timeline: Licenses finalization September 2025, with immediate development potential upon investor commitment.