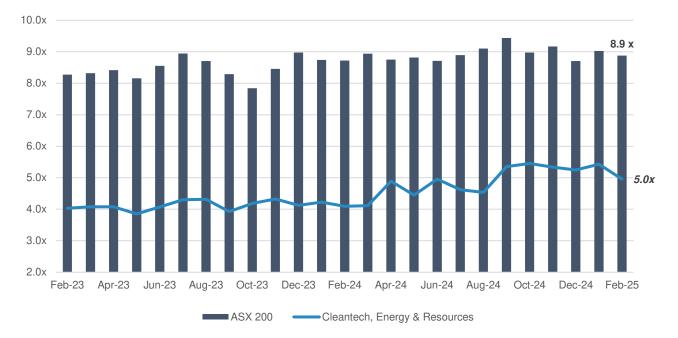


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#### **VALUATION MULTIPLES**

Forward EV / EBITDA Multiples (monthly to 28/02/2025) Source: FactSet Research Systems Inc.

Multiples in the Cleantech, Energy & Resources sector have decreased over the period. At the end of February, the sector traded on a forward EV / EBITDA multiple of 5.0x, compared to the ASX200 on 8.9x.



Average Values and Trading Multiples (monthly to 28/02/2025) Source: FactSet Research Systems Inc.

| Subsector                     | Enterprise Value<br>(\$ m) | EV/EBITDA<br>FY2025 | EV/EBIT<br>FY2025 | Price / Earnings<br>FY2025 |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|
| Energy & Utilities            | 340                        | 20.9x               | 35.1x             | 53.2x                      |
| Environmental Services        | 7,500                      | 9.4x                | 18.3x             | 28.8x                      |
| Metals & Mining               | 418,820                    | 3.6x                | 10.7x             | 15.1x                      |
| Oil & Gas                     | 98,514                     | 5.1x                | 10.4x             | 9.8x                       |
| Cleantech, Energy & Resources | 529,423                    | 4.4x                | 11.4x             | 15.9x                      |

Note: Multiples are based on the forward year of the reported period, which for the majority of companies in the sector is FY2025. Difference in forward EV/EBITDA multiples between Figure and Table are representative of the timing difference between month-end result, and current day result.

<sup>1</sup> The InterFinancial Cleantech, Energy & Resources Index set is an unweighted index comprising Cleantech, Energy & Resources sector related companies trading on the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX). Estimates are sourced from FactSet Research Systems Inc.



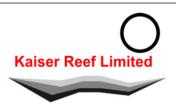
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#### **MERGER & ACQUISITION NEWS...**







#### Value: \$1.93 bn

**Ramelius Resources** has entered into a binding agreement to acquire the remaining 80.95% of **Spartan Resources Ltd**, in a scheme of arrangement. Spartan shareholders will receive \$0.35 cash per share and 0.6975 Ramelius shares for every share held, at a consideration of \$.93 bn AUD.

Value: \$15.00 m

**EcoJoule Energy Pty Ltd**, which is an Australian power management products and software provider , has been acquired by investment management players **Ellerston Capital Ltd** and **Fifth Estate Asset Management**. The acquisition was at a deal value of \$15 m.

Value: \$30.00 m

The Henty Gold Mine is set to be acquired by Australian exploration company Kaiser Reef Ltd, at an approximate deal value of \$30 m.



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#### DRILLING FOR DEALS...

- Amplitude Energy and O.G. Energy have entered a JV agreement for the progression of the East Coast Supply Project (ECSP) on a 50/50 basis. The project will deliver additional gas supply to the Australian East Coast, through the Athena Gas Plant.
- **Regis Resources** has entered the second auction round for the sale of the **Ravenswood gold mine**, alongside a potential second round entry from **Gold Road Resources**. Several overseas suitors also remain in the race and are understood to have submitted higher bids than their local counterparts.
- Australian renewable energy developer Edify Energy has hired advisor Lazard Australia regarding a \$3 bn pipeline of renewable energy development projects.
- Australian mining giant Rio Tinto has been battling activist pressure from Palliser Capital, which is seeking to put in place a
  motion that ends the group's dual listing in Sydney and London to redomicile in Australia.
- Advance Metals Limited has entered into a binding agreement with Serra Energy Metals Corp. to acquire a joint 80% stake in the Myrtleford and Beaufort Gold Projects.
- Queensland's renowned Kestrel steelmaking coal mine has been considered as a potential acquisition target for Australian thermal coal miner New Hope Corp Ltd.
- ConocoPhillips has expressed interest in smaller scale LNG M&A opportunities within the Australian market, with players in the Canyon gas field seen as a strong conviction area for potential deals.
- Australia's sovereign wealth fund, the Future Fund, is expected to sign an agreement in relation to its 19.99% stake
  acquisition in Transgrid from Canadian pension fund OMERS.



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