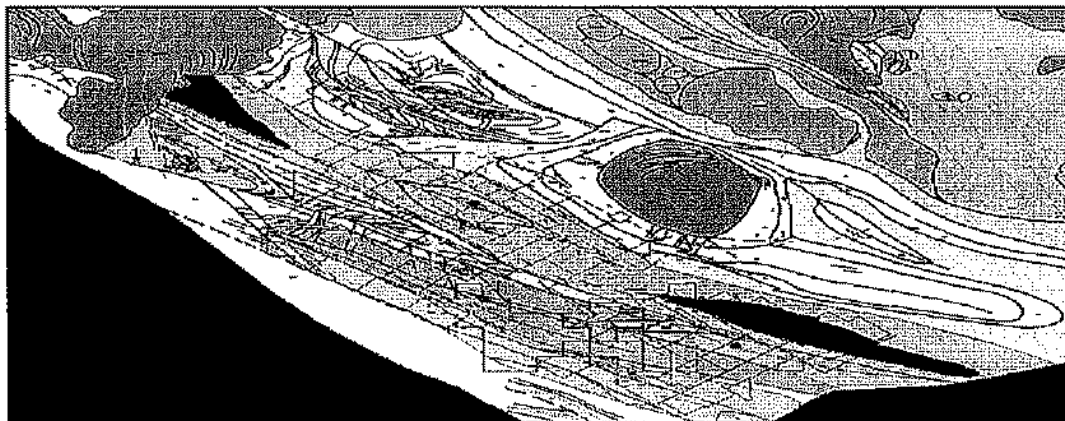
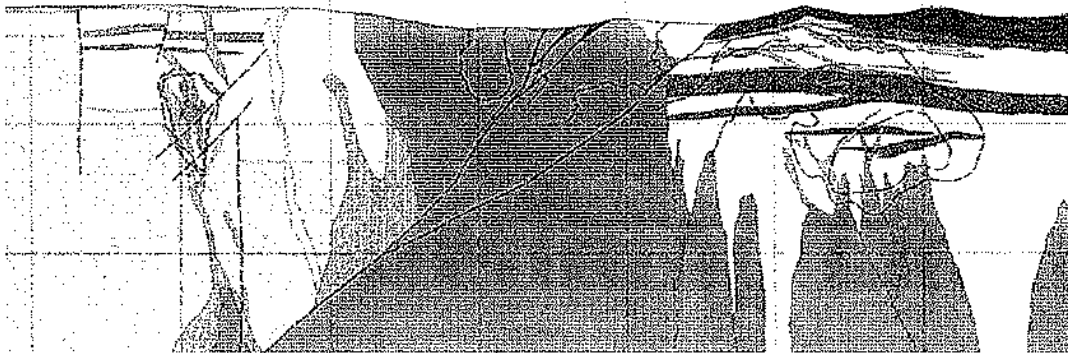
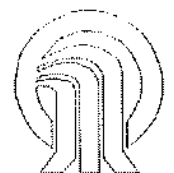


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**Exploration Seminar
April 2003**



Introductions

Dan Wood :	Executive General Manager Exploration
Patrick Creenaune :	Regional Exploration Manager Qld & SW Pacific
John Holliday :	Regional Exploration Manager SE Australia
Graham Howard :	Telfer Geology Manager
Mark Miller :	Regional Exploration Manager WA Proterozoic

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Presentations

Strategy, Indonesia & Americas :	→ Dan Wood
Cadia District Exploration :	→ John Holliday
Ashburton/Telfer Regional Expl :	→ Mark Miller
Telfer Dome :	→ Graham Howard
Cracow Exploration :	→ Patrick Creenaune
Conclusion:	→ Dan Wood

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Newcrest Philosophy – An Exploration View

- find it
- develop it
- mine it
- make a profit

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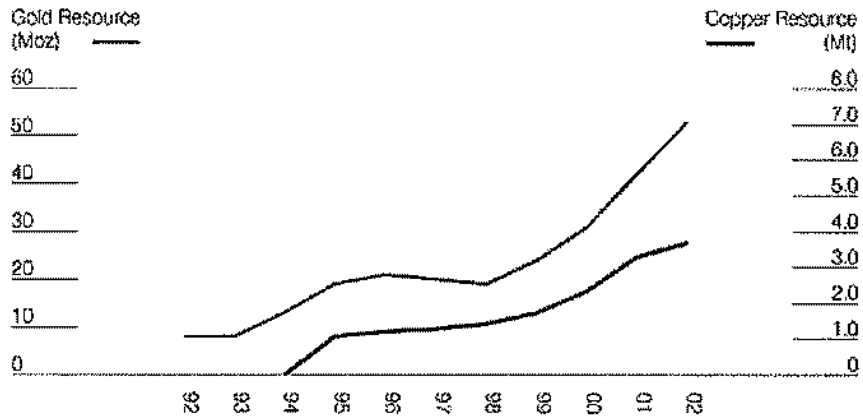
**We have discovered
every deposit
we mine**

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Growth in Resources

Growth in Resources



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**Our resource addition cost
has been \$13/oz*
to discover and define gold**

*** excludes copper credit**

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Exploration Expenditure **1991 - 2002**

Discovery Exploration	\$ 390.6 M
Resource Definition	\$ 100.5 M
Feasibility Drilling	\$ 184.5 M
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	\$ 675.6 M

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Setting the Industry Scene

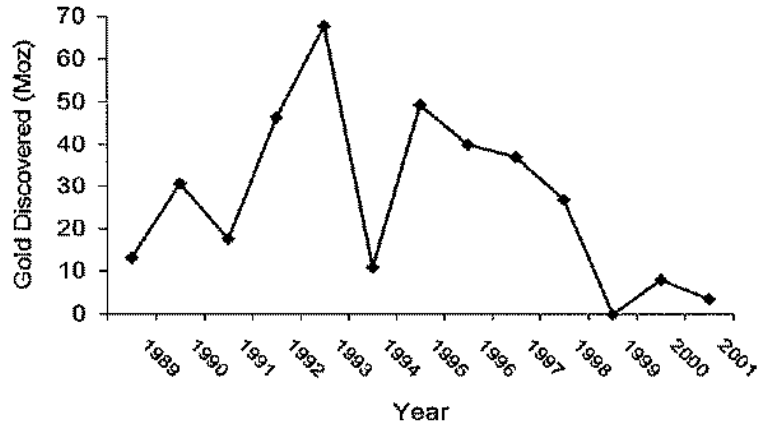
(the gold dilemma)

- **most gold deposits are small**
- **90% less than 3.2Moz resource**
- **natural limit to sustainable production**

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Gold Discovered 1989-2001

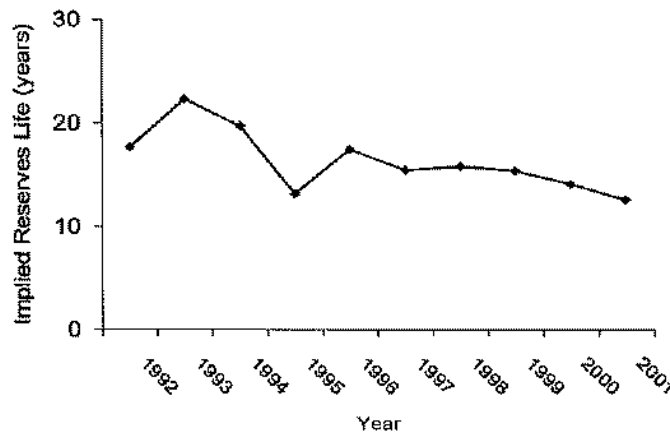


(Source: Metals Economic Group)

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Implied Years of Reserves Life (Senior Producers)



(Source: Metals Economic Group)

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Industry Exploration Expenditure **(Gold)**

- **74% reduction since 1997**

From: US\$ 2,964 million

To: US\$ 783 million

(Metals Economics Group)

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**The impact of reduced
exploration expenditure
since 1997 hasn't
been seen yet**

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Average Gold Exploration Budget

\$/oz produced, 1992 - 2001

	\$/oz **
Anglogold *	15
Barrick	39
Goldfields	11
Kinross	44
Newmont	40
Placer	56

* 1998-2001

** converted to A\$1.00-US\$0.55

(Source: Metals Economics Group)

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\$40/oz Budget - Reserves Efficiency (1992 - 2001)

Implied reserves life

- **Barrick :** **14** ⇒ **10 years**
- **Newmont :** **14** ⇒ **10 years**
- **Placer :** **9** ⇒ **15 years**

(Metals Economic Group)

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Business Implications – An Exploration View

- work within Nature's constraints
- growth in margin vs ounces
- seek a sustainable balance

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Sustainable Balance – An Exploration View

- large base-load production
- high-margin supplements

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Exploration Demands

- need giant deposits (>10Moz)
- focus on quality

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Dispelling Junior Company Myth

**“Majors have been more effective at
discovering significant new ore bodies
than juniors and intermediates”**

(Metals Economics Group, 2000)

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Giant Deposits

Mainly :

- porphyry
- sediment-hosted
- epithermal

Some :

- greenstone-hosted (Archean)

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**All of these deposit
types can produce
high-margin deposits**

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Our Focus

- | | |
|------------------------|--|
| Porphyry | ■ Australia (NSW, Vic) |
| Sediment-hosted | ■ Australia (W.A.)
■ U.S.A. (Nevada) |
| Epithermal | ■ Australia (Qld)
■ Indonesia
■ U.S.A. (Nevada) |

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Primary Objectives

- **Maximise Cadia, Telfer and Gosowong**
- **Realise Cracow**
- **Cadia / Telfer scale discovery**

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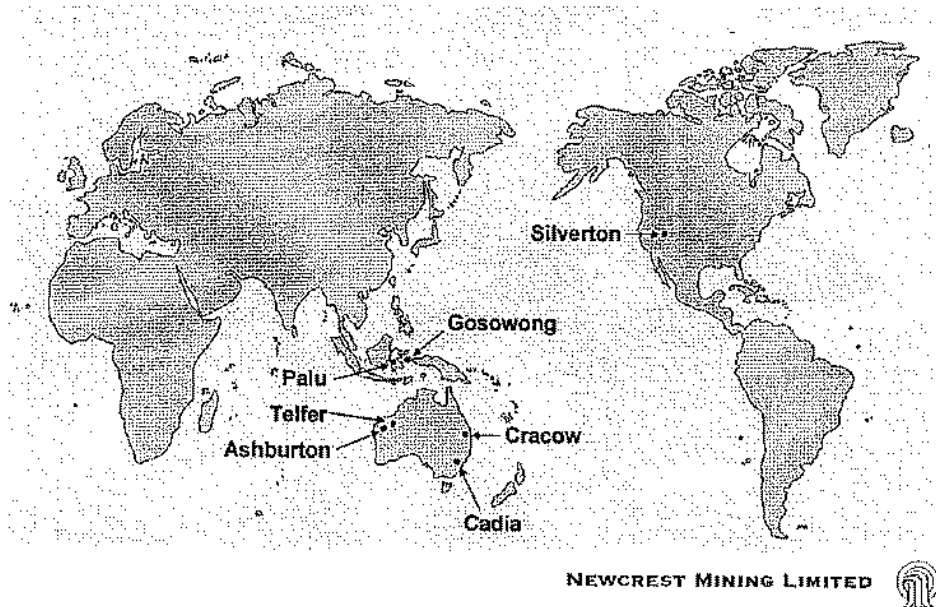
Operating Strategy

Good geology
+
Careful sampling
+
Extensive drilling
↓
Discovery

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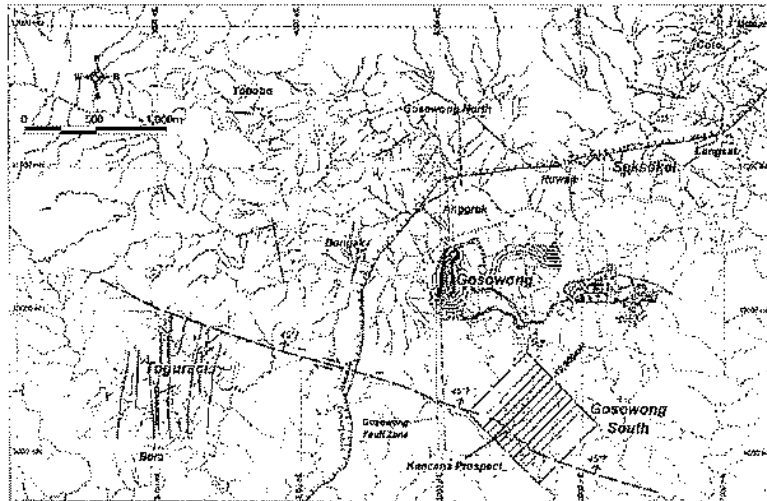
Significant Projects



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Gosowong Block Prospects

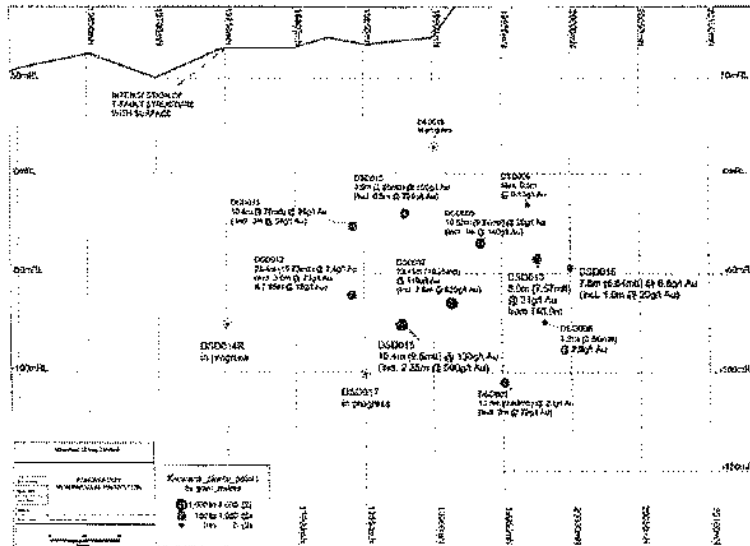


GOSOWONG BLOCK PROSPECTS

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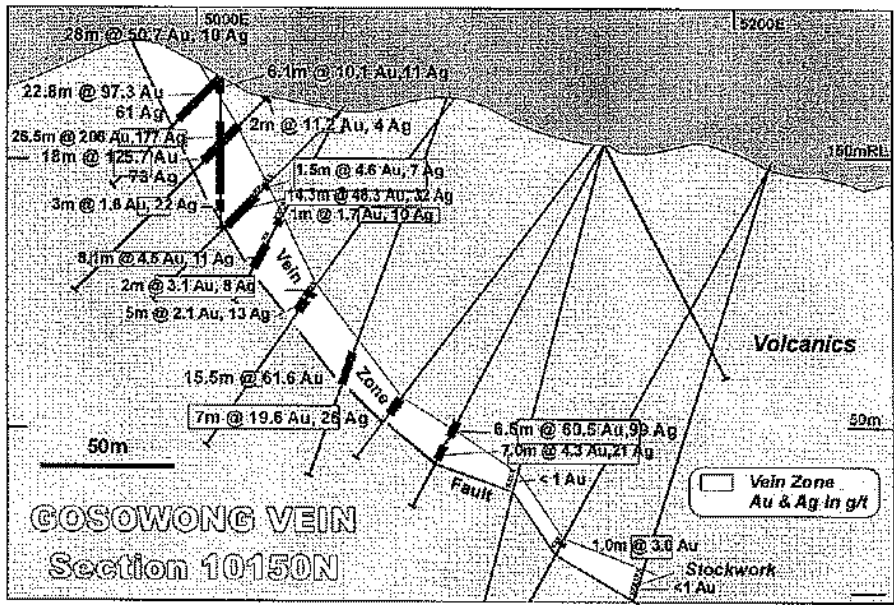
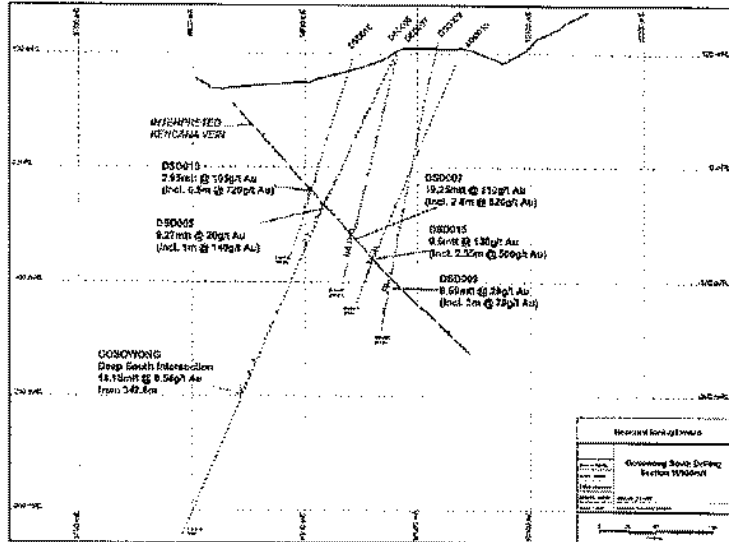
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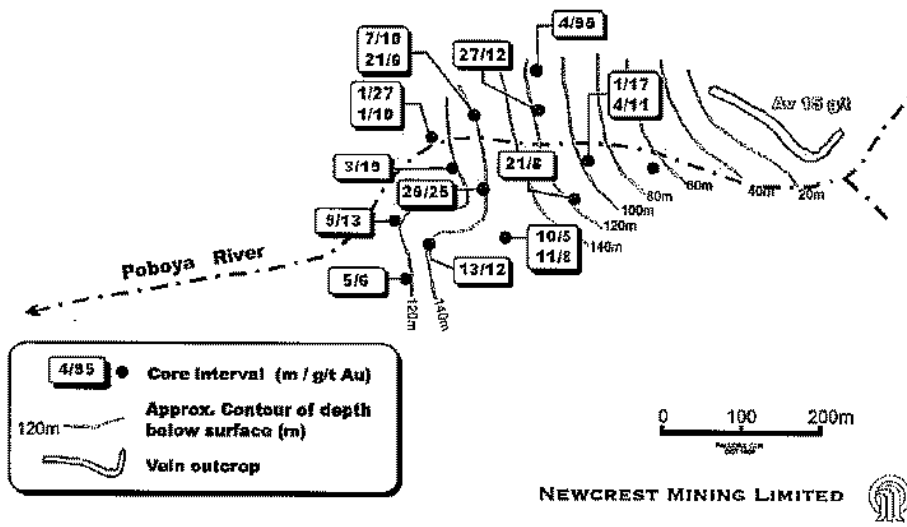
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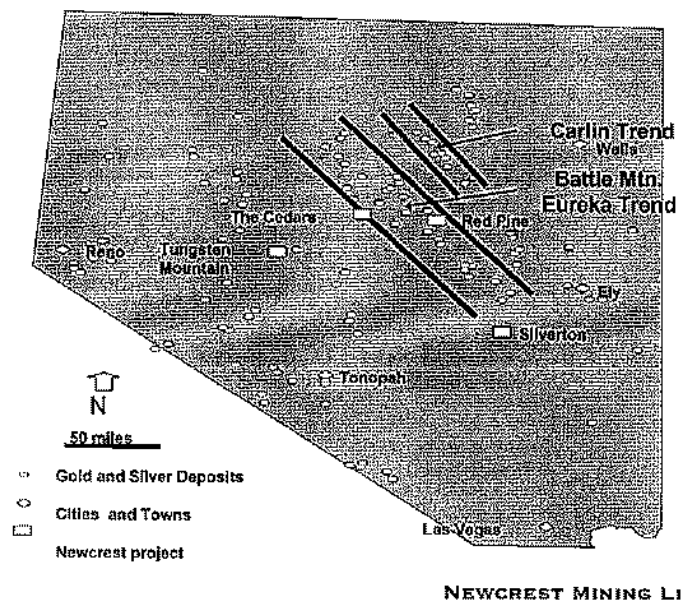
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Palu Drilling Results



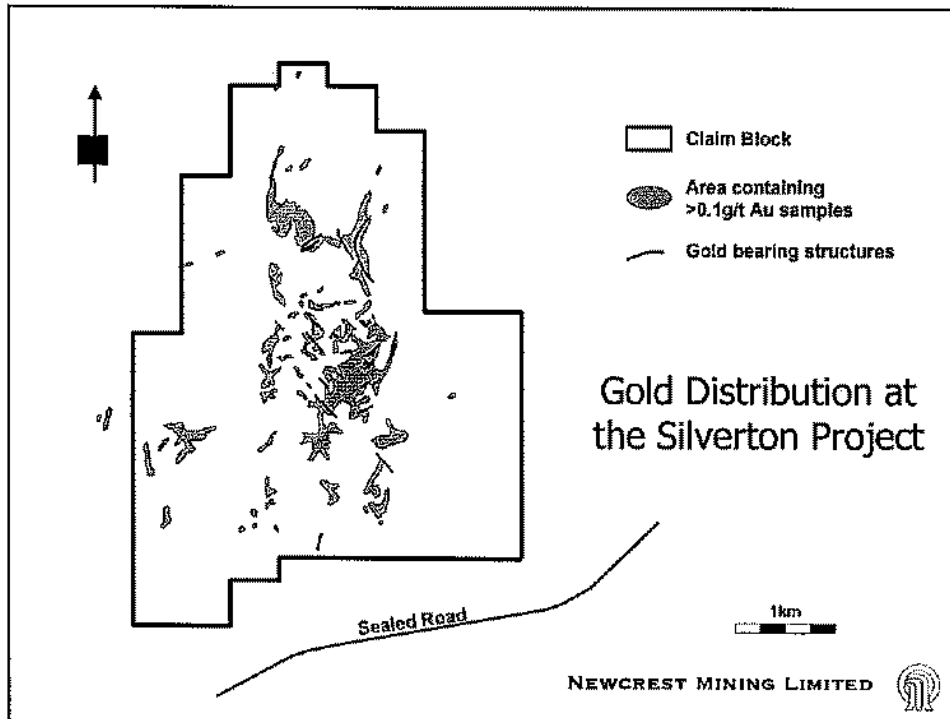
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Silverton Project View



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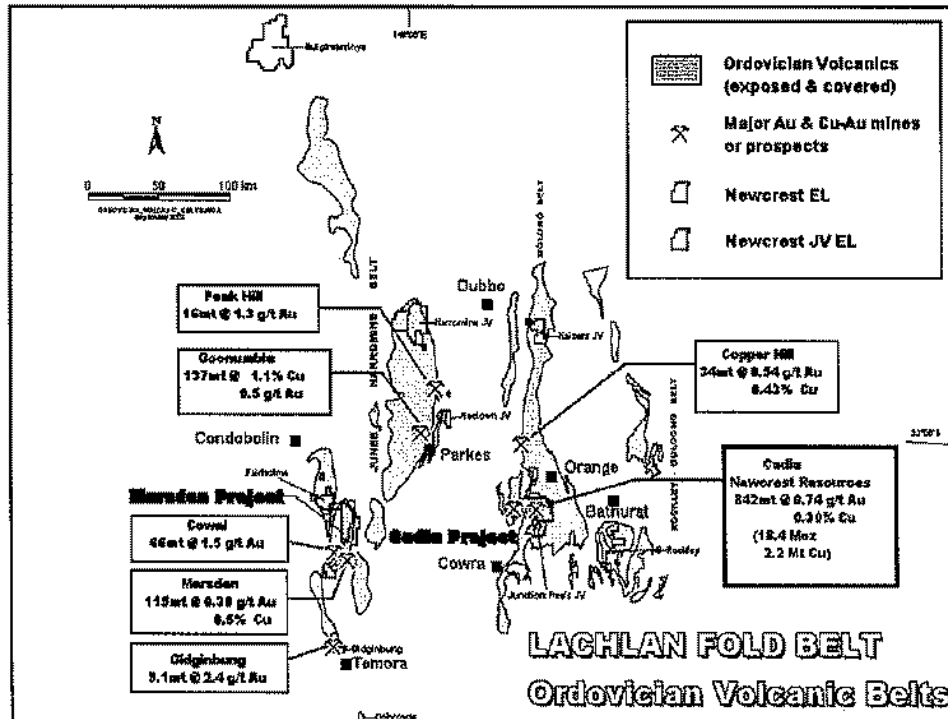


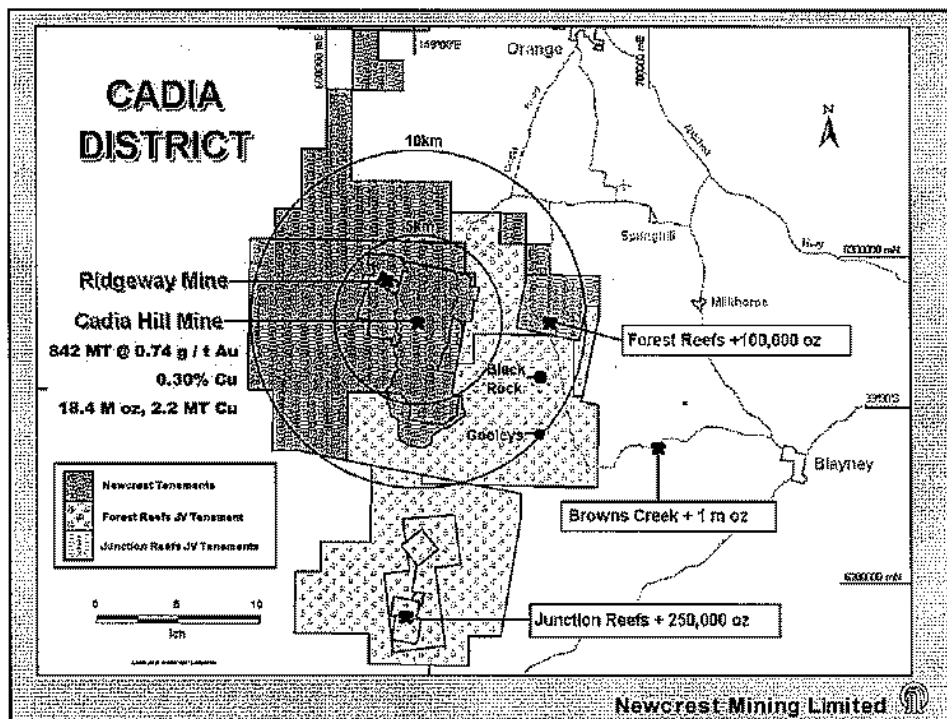
Cadia District Exploration

Highlights:

- Ridgeway Deeps
- Cadia East – Far East
- 300m to 1000m
- Priority targets
- High grade porphyry orebodies
- Ridgeway Ore

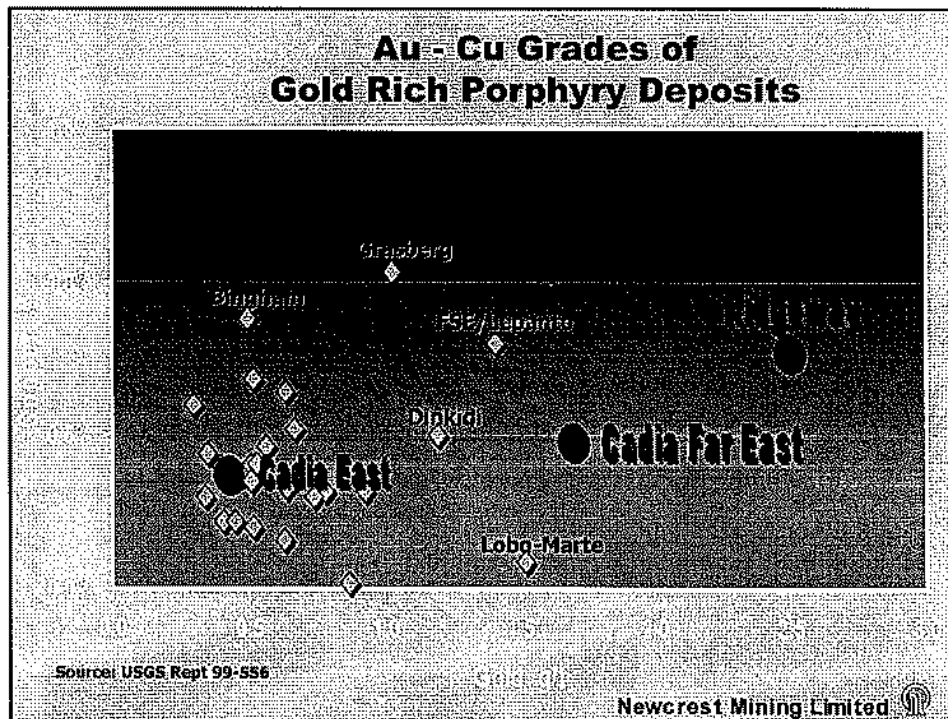
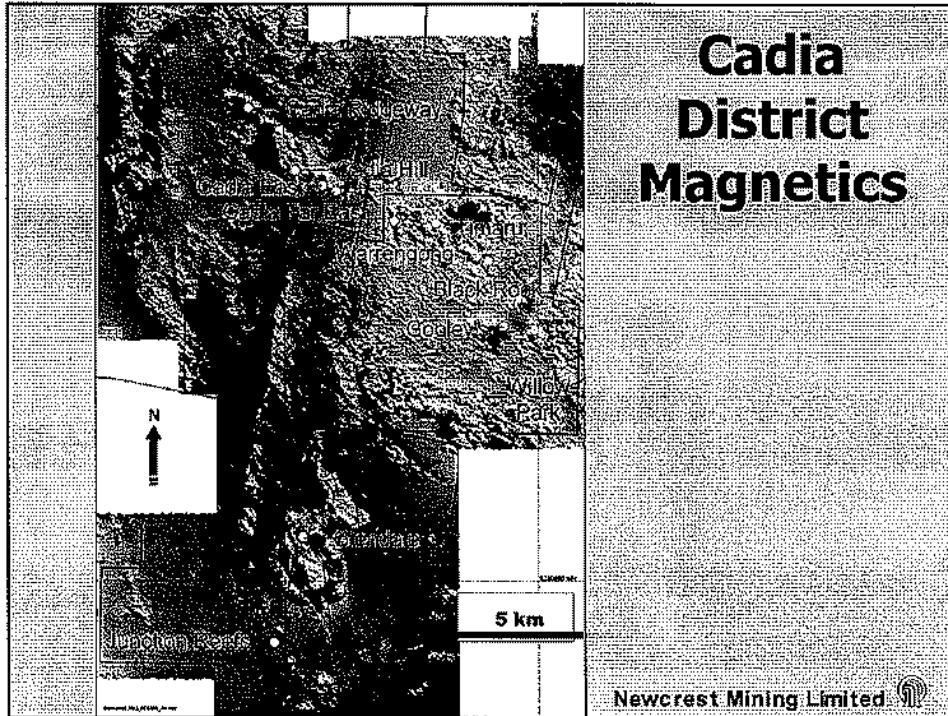
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Cadia Mineral District

- Discovered and developed solely by Newcrest
- Main mineralised trend of 15-20 kms held by Newcrest
- Newcrest tenements cover 575 sq kms
- Contains the world's highest Au-grade porphyry deposits



Current Position - Cadia District

Mines

- Cadia Hill/Extended - Large Open Pit
- Ridgeway - Large underground

Mills

- Low grade mill
17 Mt/year
- High grade mill
5 Mt/year

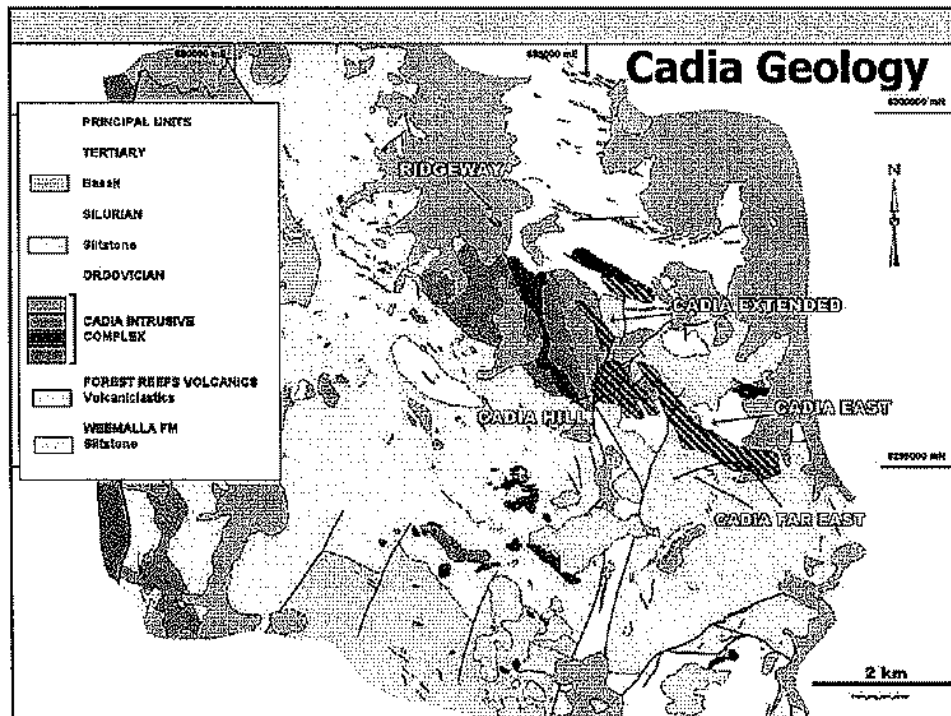
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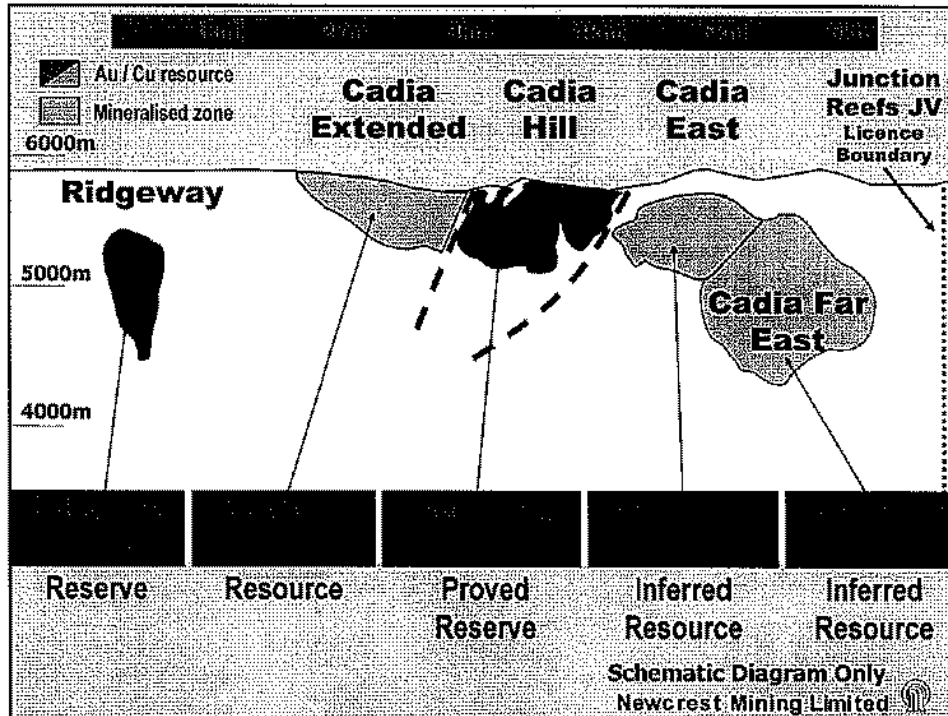
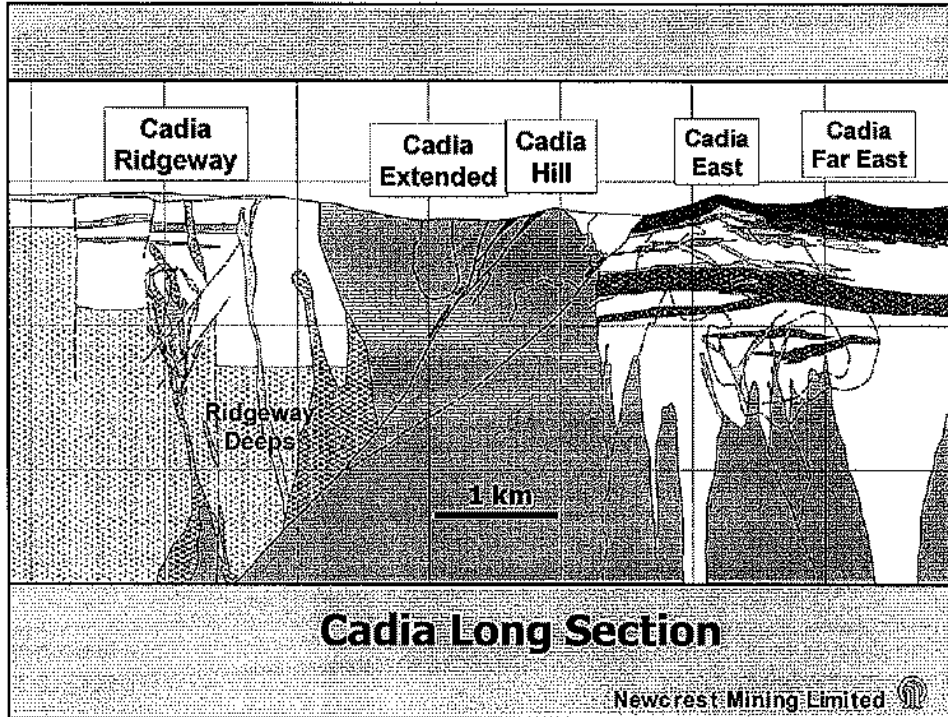
- Ridgeway Deeps
- Cadia East - Open Pit
- Cadia Far East - Underground

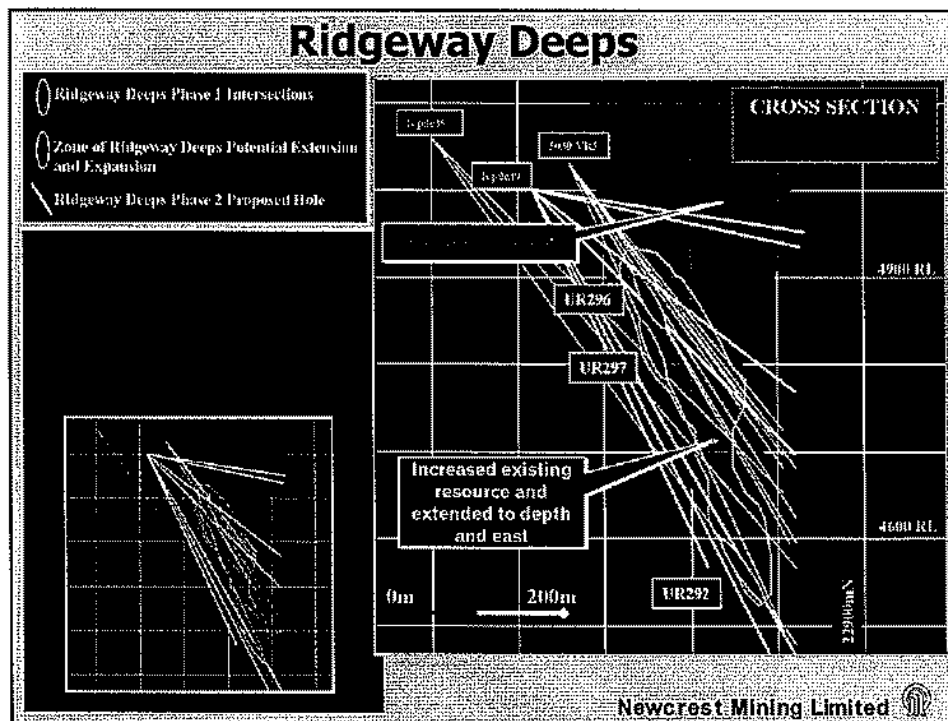
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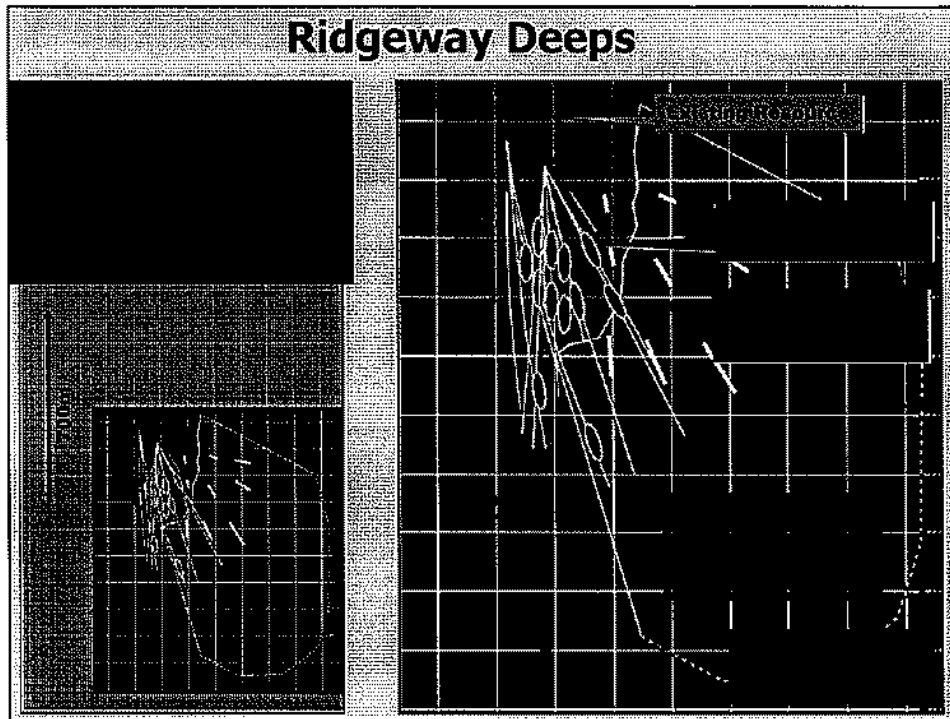
- Cadia Tenements
- Junction Reefs Joint Venture Area
- Forest Reefs Joint Venture Area

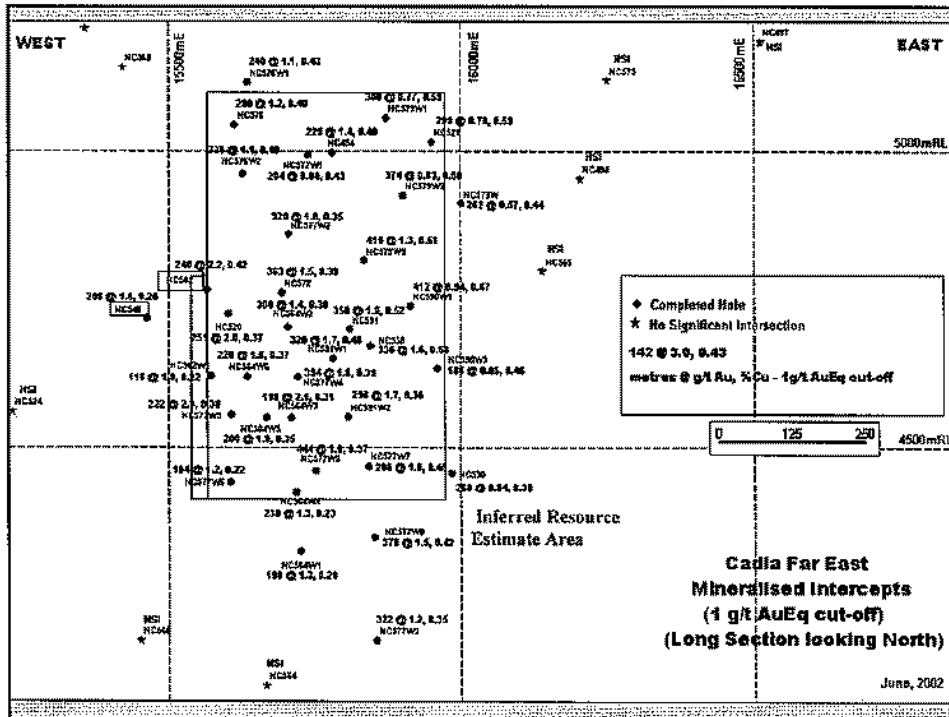
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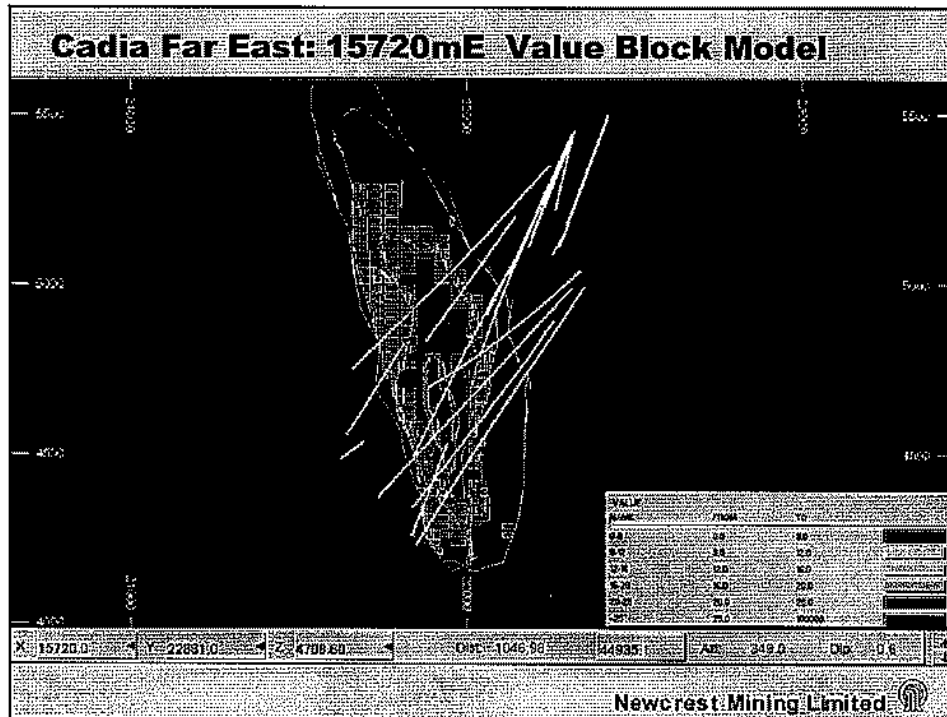






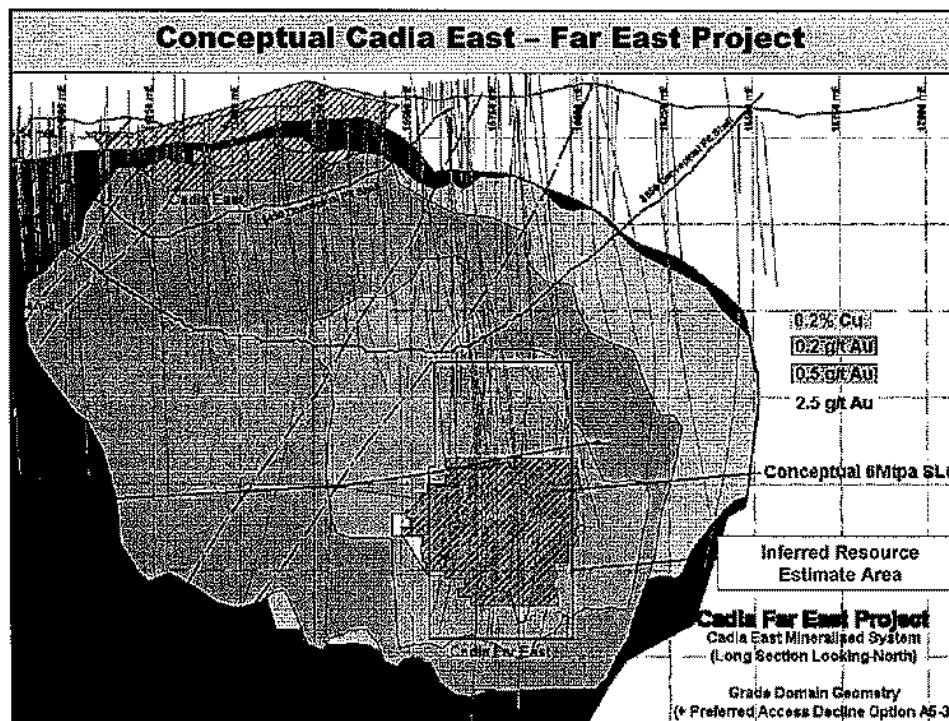
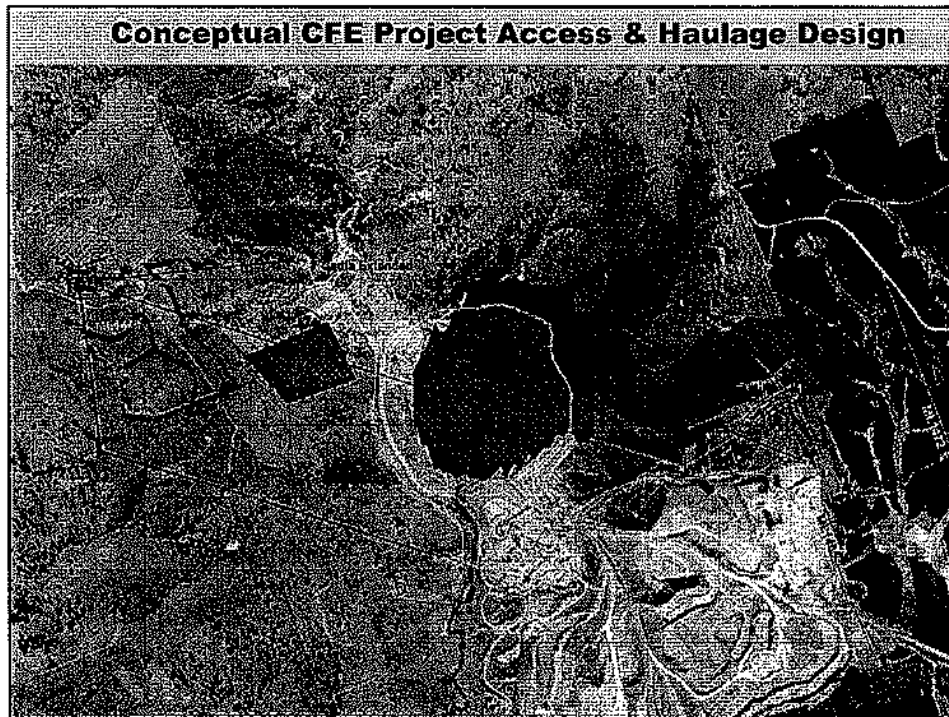


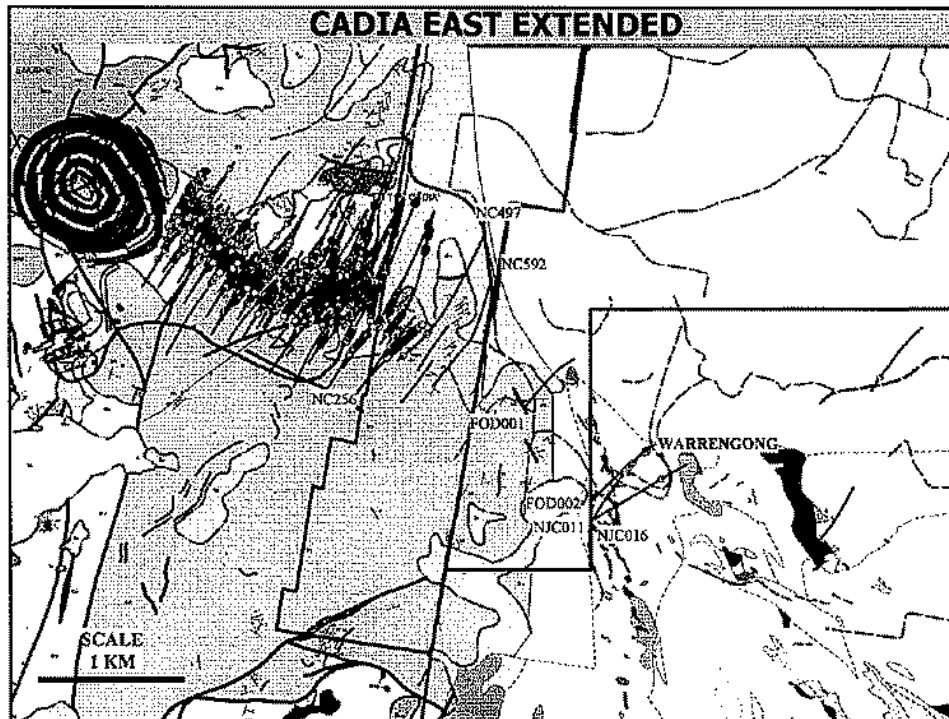
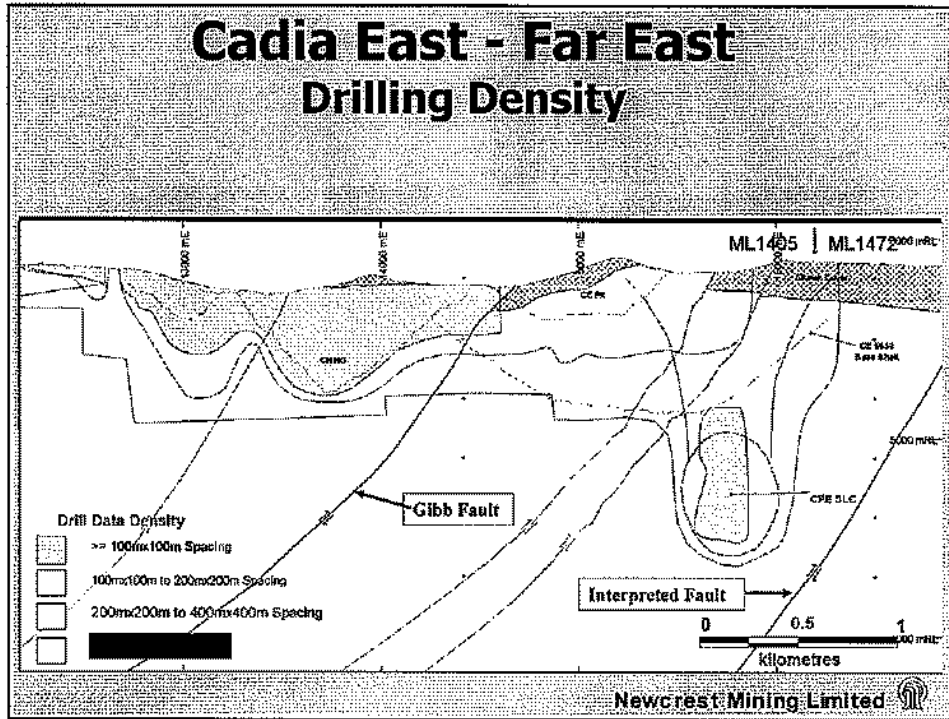


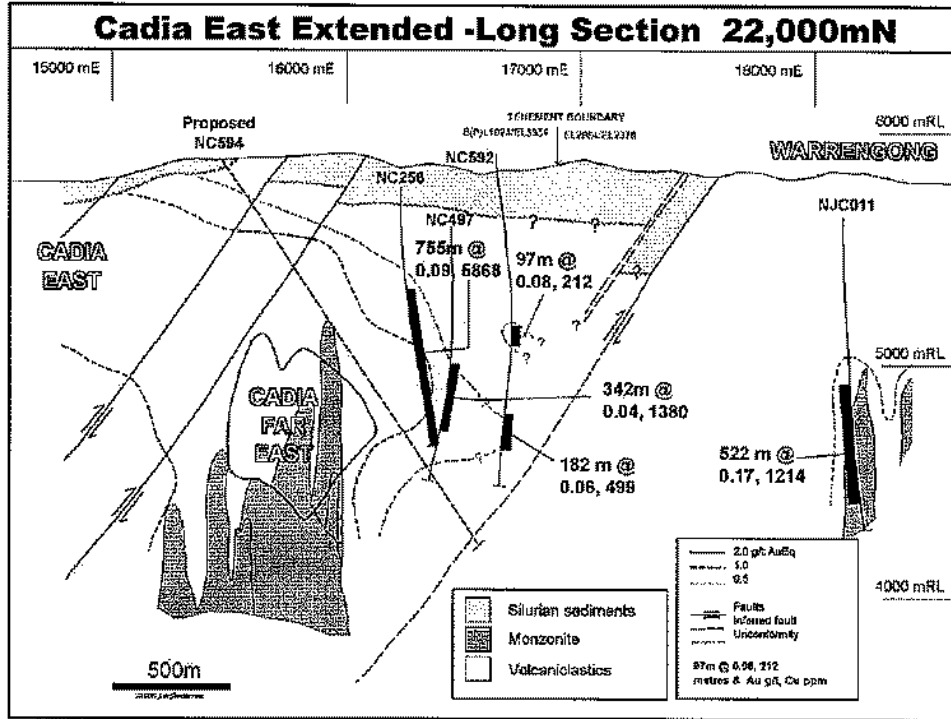


Current Status of Cadia Far East

- **Inferred Resource estimate and preliminary planning resources completed**
- **Project group is reviewing access and haulage options, and mine concepts (sub-level cave, block cave, or hybrids)**



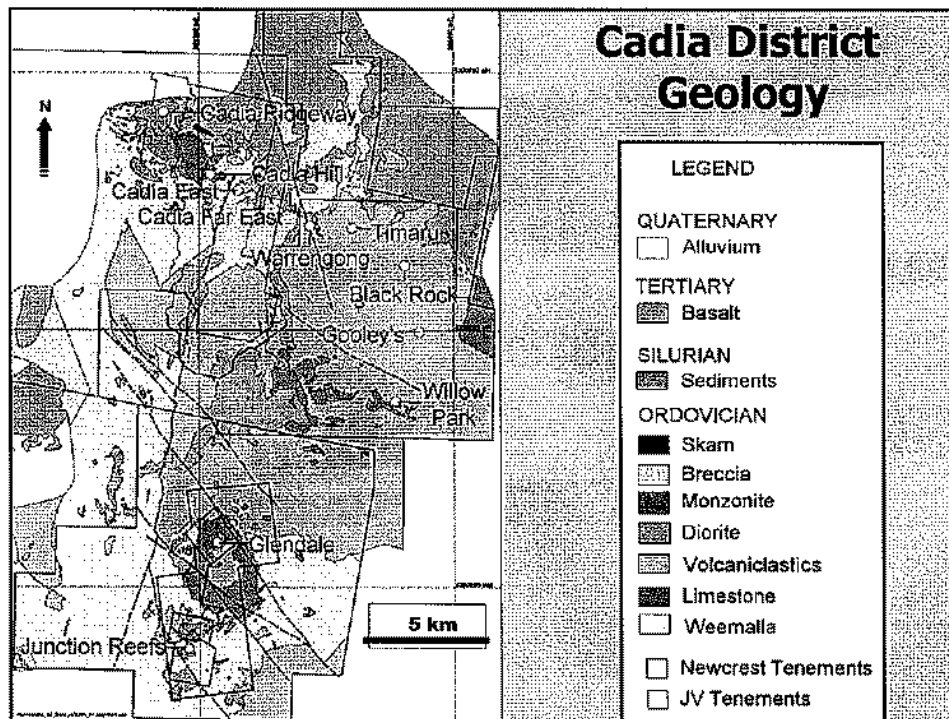


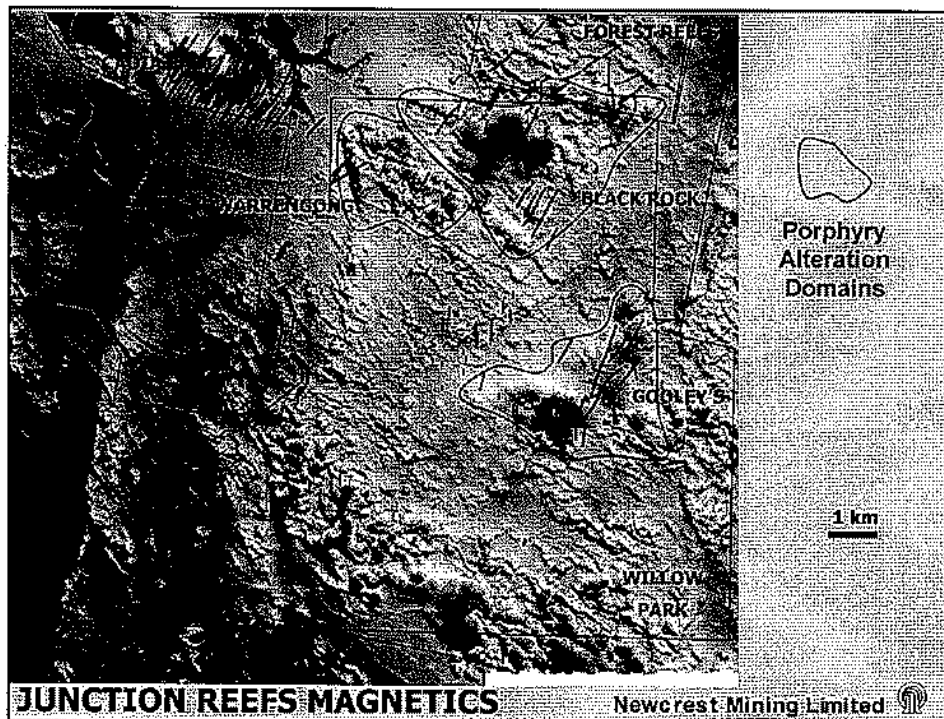


Junction Reefs Joint Venture

- Newcrest earning 51% in JV with Barrick and Climax
- Covers Eastern Extension of "Cadia Structure"
- Geology, mineralisation styles, alteration systems similar to Cadia
- Large, untested porphyry alteration systems
- Deep drill holes at several prospects have promising intersections similar to the early intersections near Ridgeway

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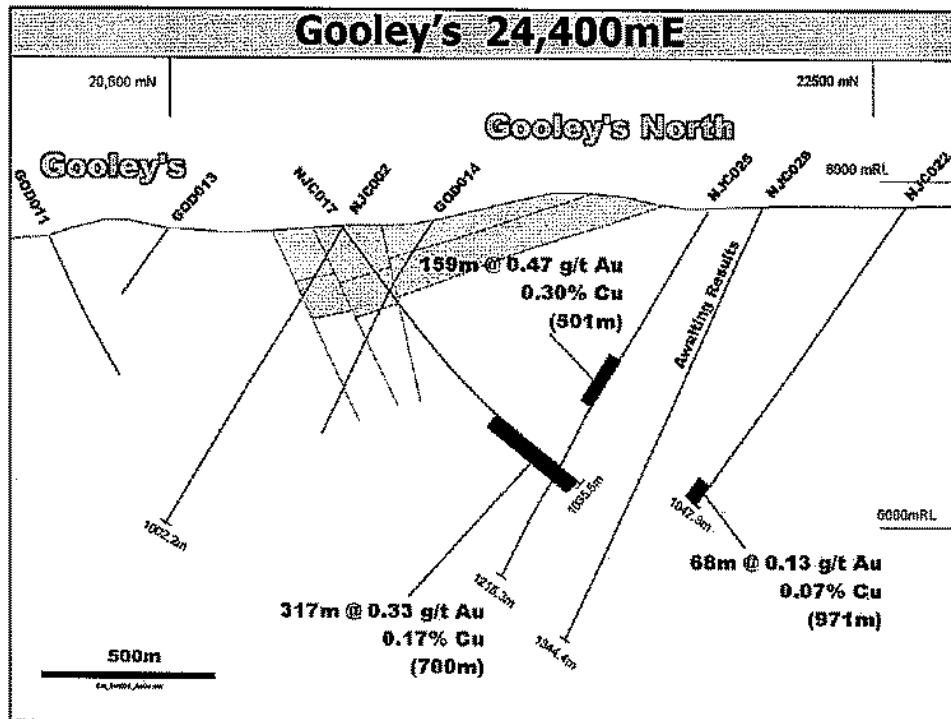
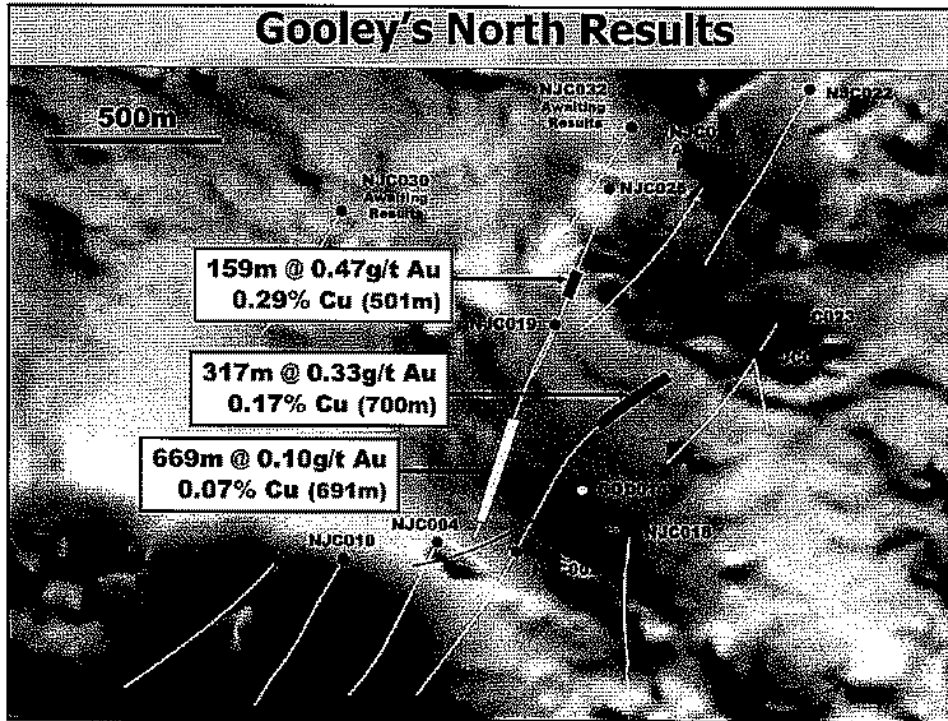


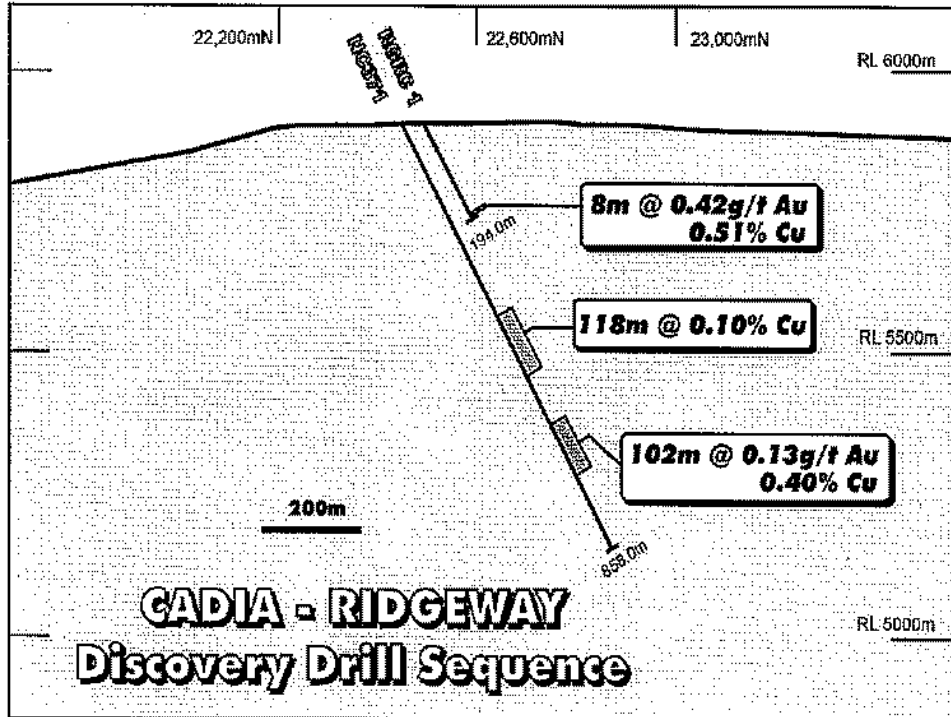


Junction Reefs Joint Venture

- Holes have intersections and geology similar to Ridgeway halo

■ Warrengong	522m from 998m @ 0.17 g/t Au 0.12% Cu
■ Gooley's	159m from 501m @ 0.47 g/t Au 0.29% Cu
■ Randall's	18m from 588m @ 0.84 g/t Au 0.16% Cu



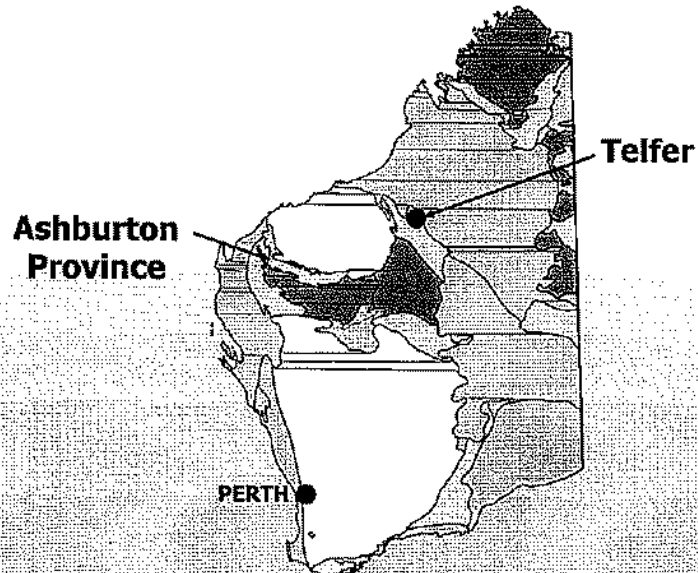


Telfer and Ashburton Regional Exploration

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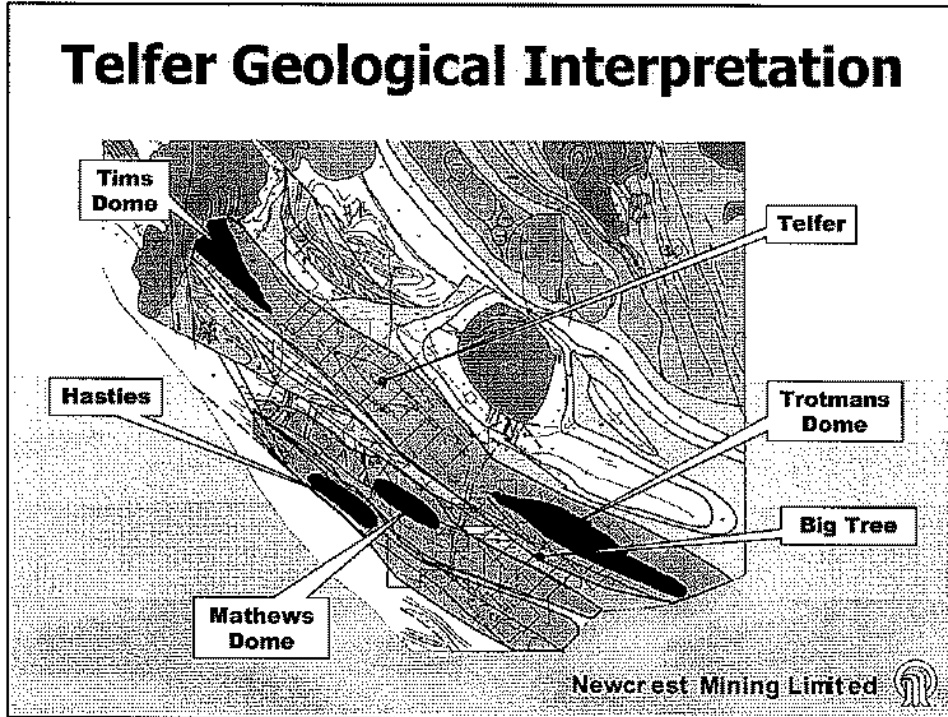
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Proterozoic Exploration Location

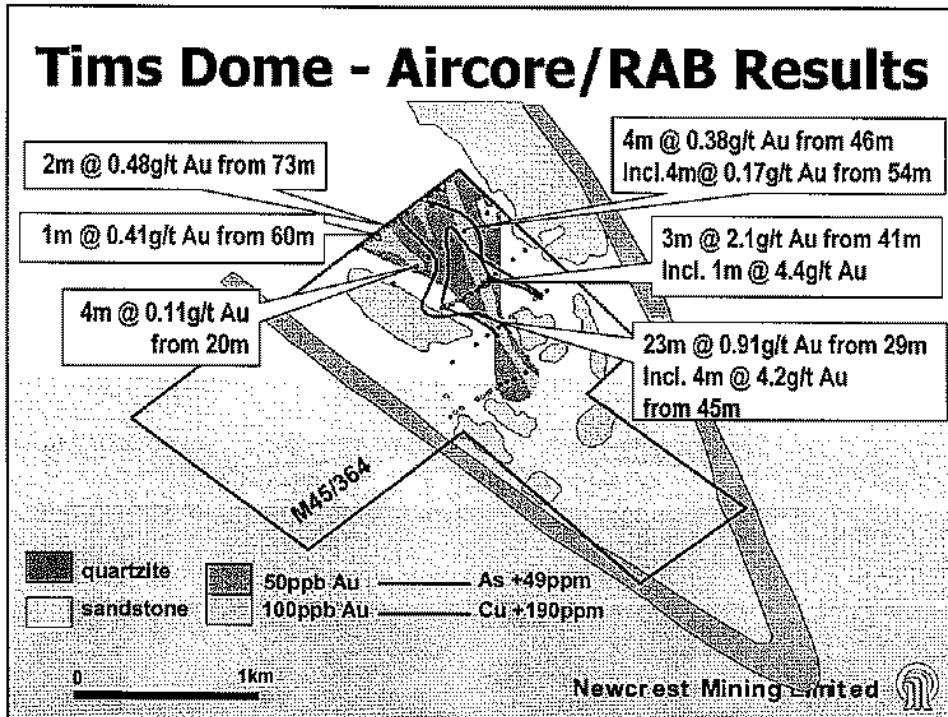


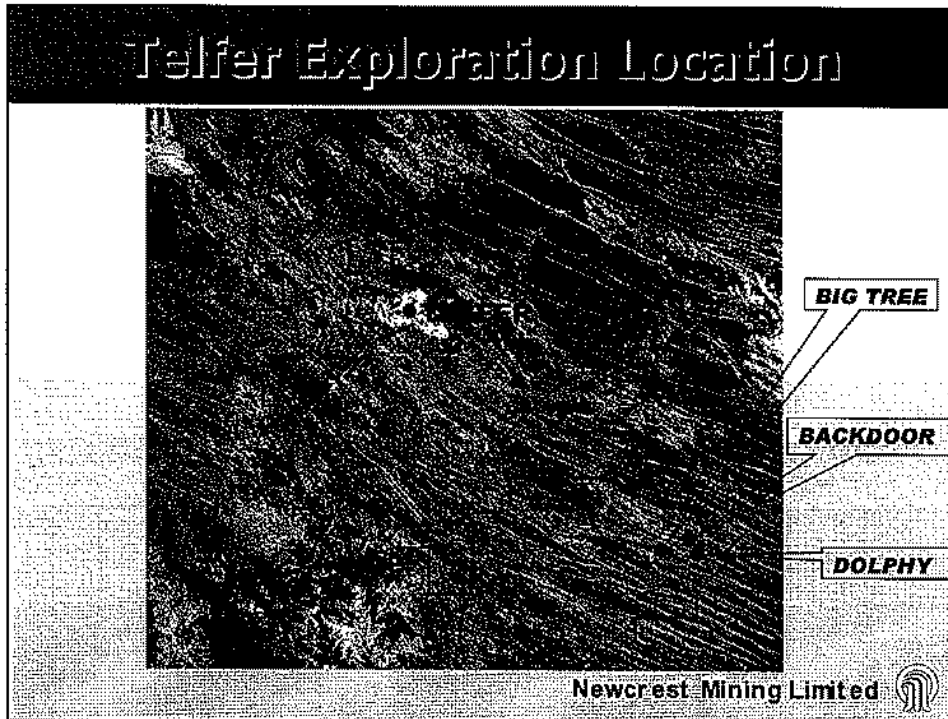
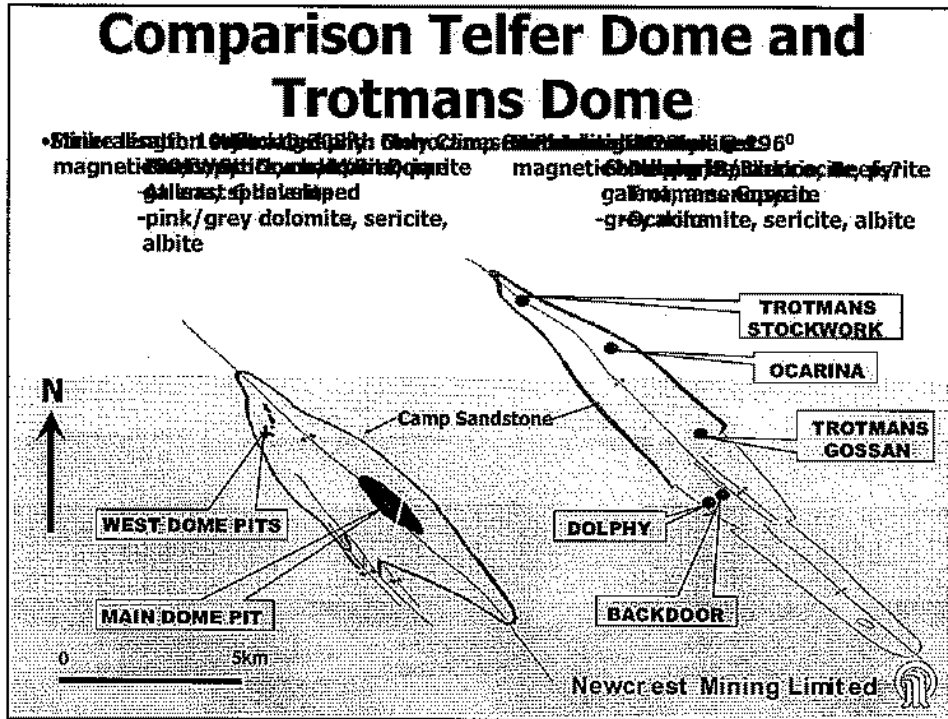
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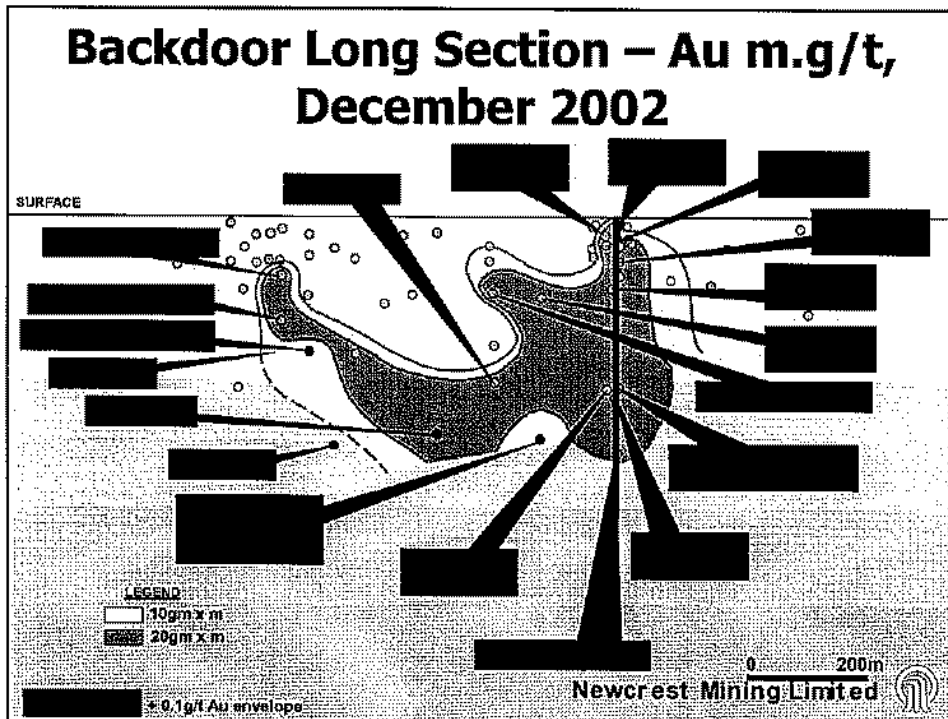
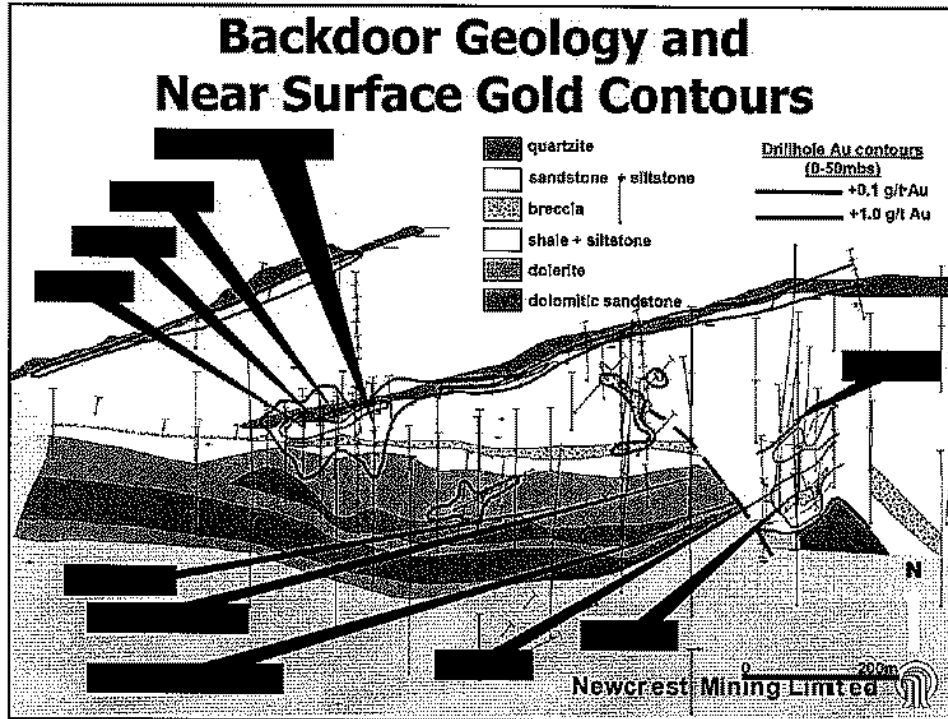
Telfer Geological Interpretation



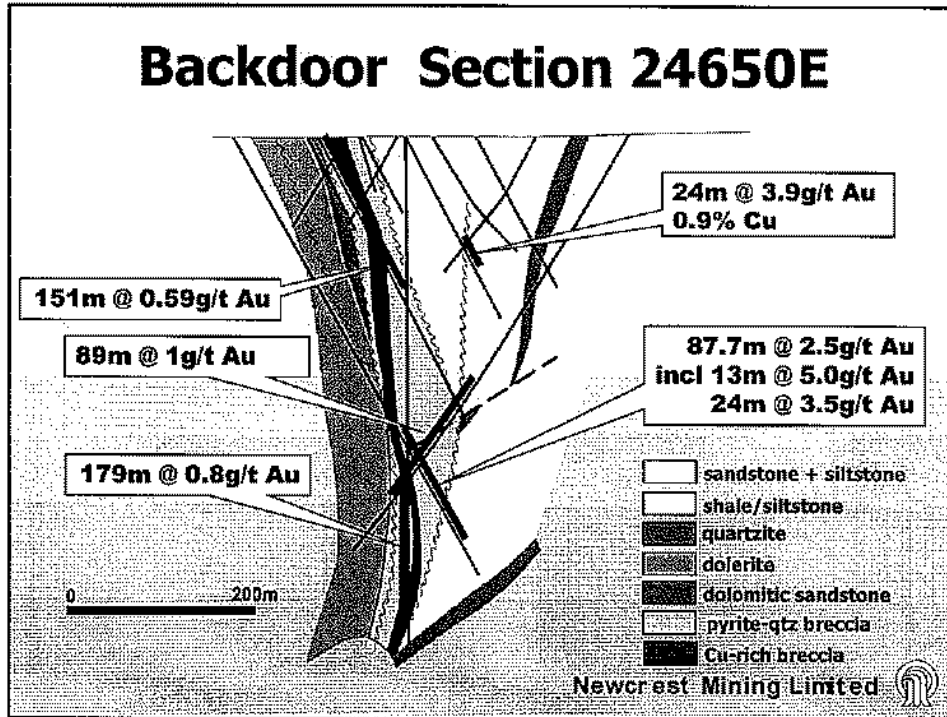
Tims Dome - Aircore/RAB Results



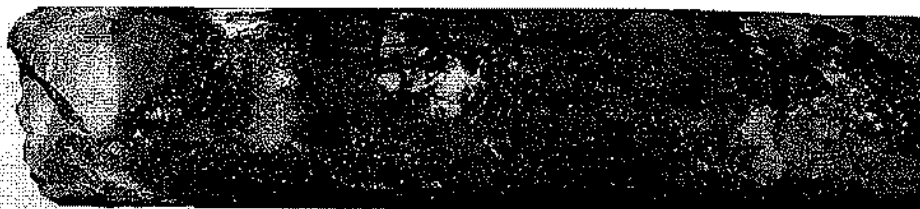
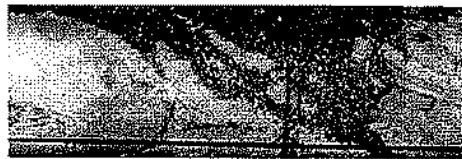




Backdoor Section 24650E



BD021



466m Pyrite – Chalcopyrite – Quartz Breccia

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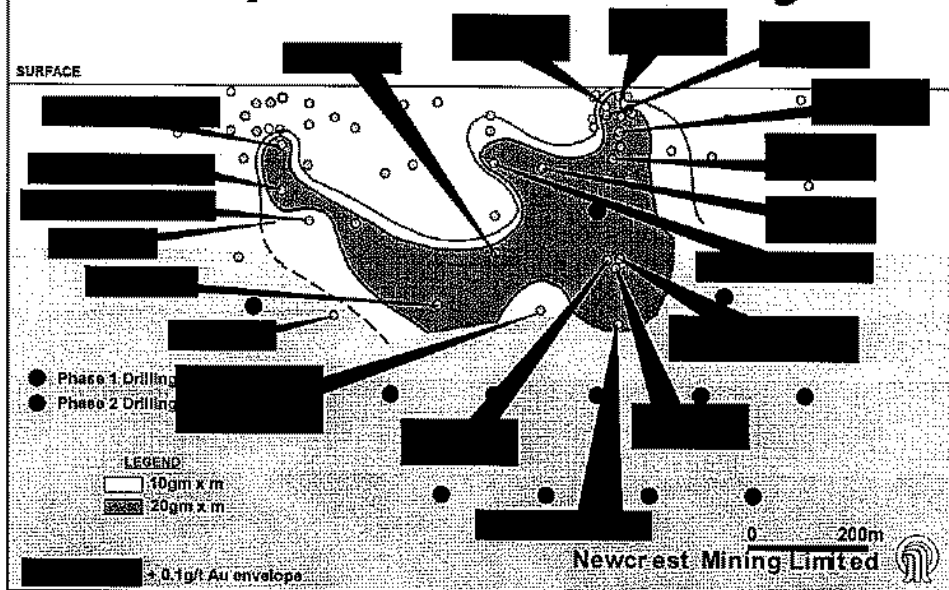
BD021



483m Pyrite – Quartz (Reef?)

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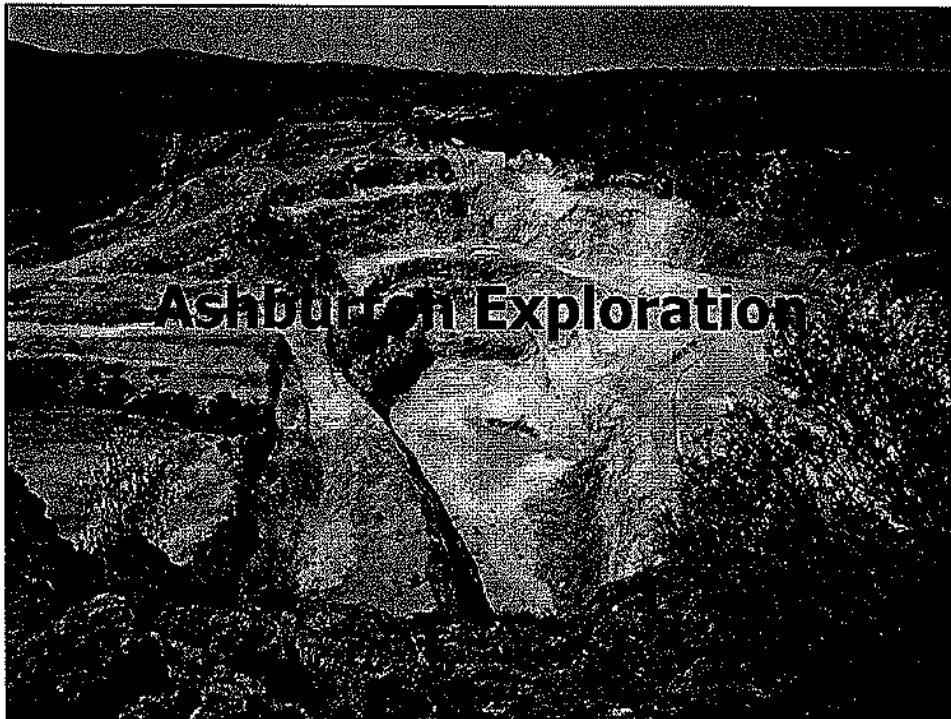
Backdoor Long Section Proposed Diamond Drilling



Telfer Conclusions

- **Continue diamond drilling to explore Backdoor breccia at depth and along strike.**
- **Review the entire Trotmans Dome in light of Telfer understanding.**
- **Diamond/RC drill Tims Dome.**
- **Review Connaughtons Dome, especially depth and strike potential at Big Tree.**

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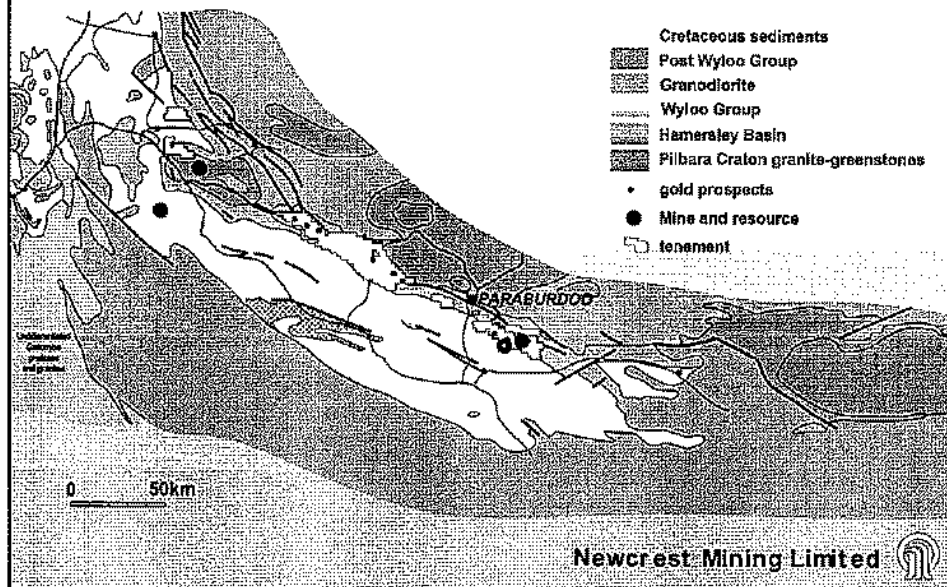


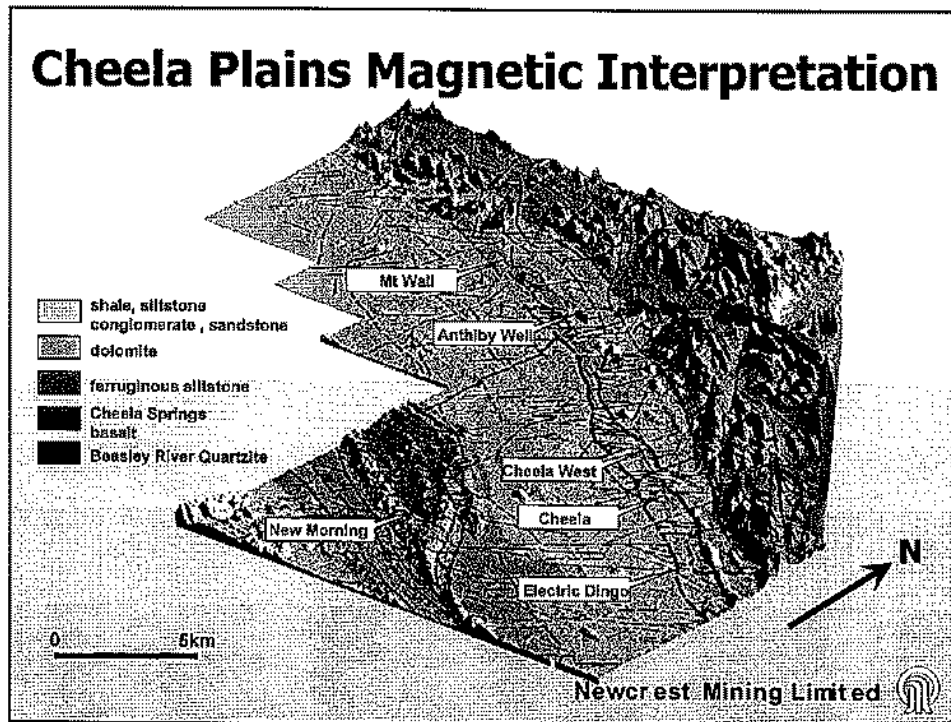
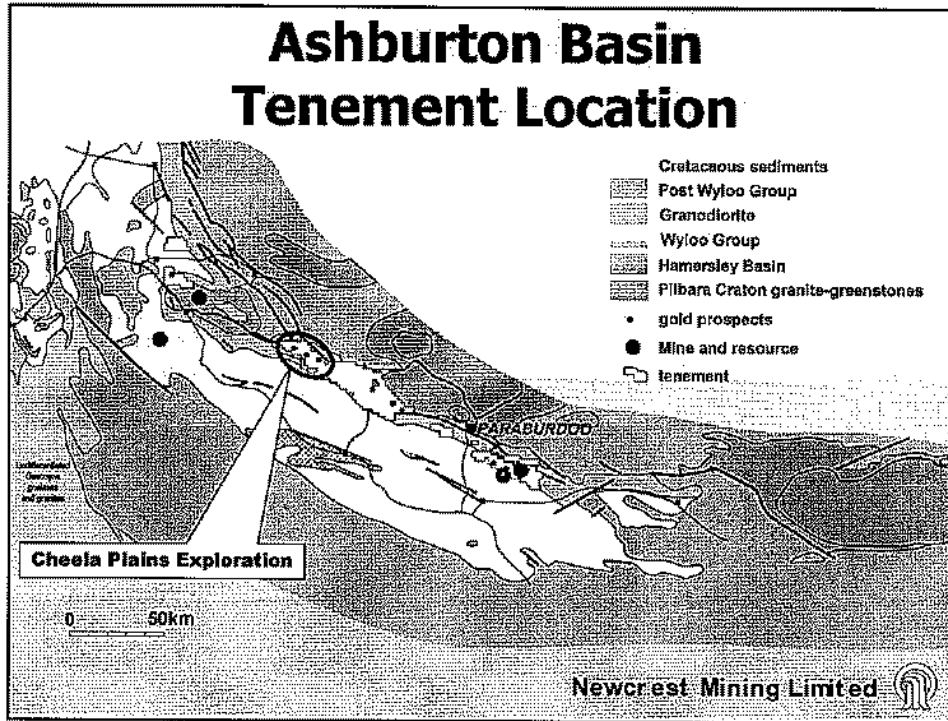
Why the Ashburton?

- **Potential for Sediment hosted (“Carlin” style) mineralisation.**
- **Many similarities between Carlin deposits in Nevada and the Ashburton, including:
stratigraphy/structure,
alteration,
mineralisation style**
- **Geochemical signatures are similar to Nevada sediment hosted deposits including As, Hg, Tl, Sb**
- **Significant land holding and infrastructure.**

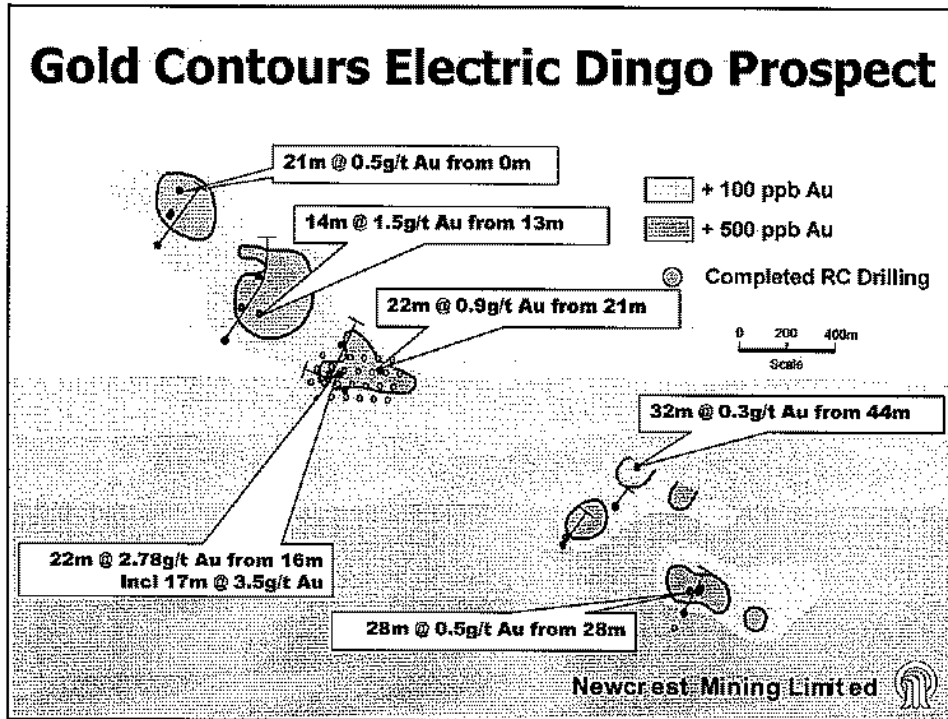
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Ashburton Basin Tenement Location

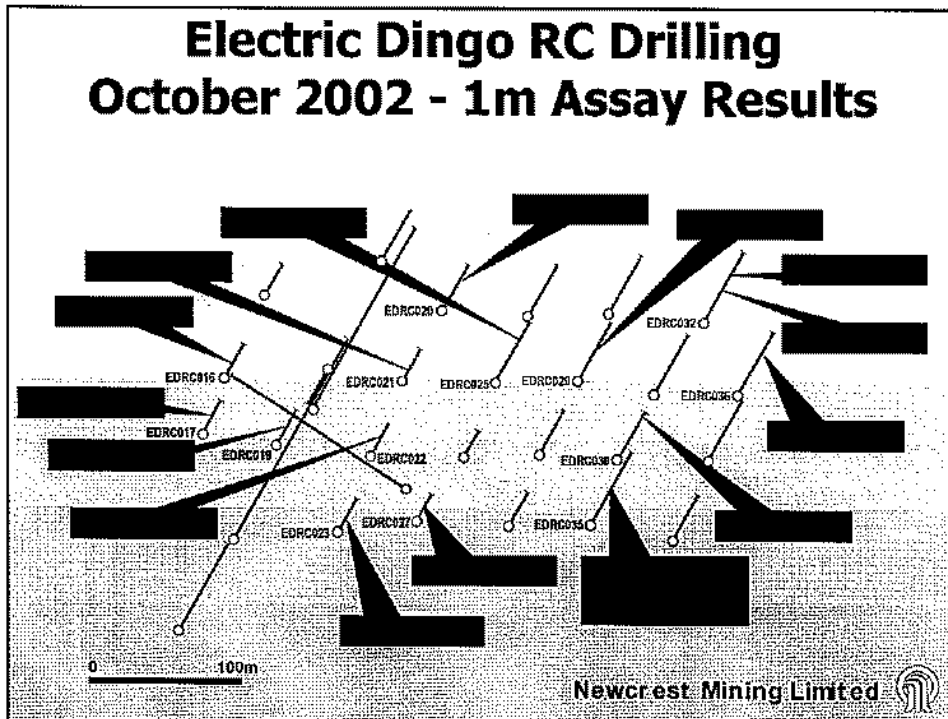


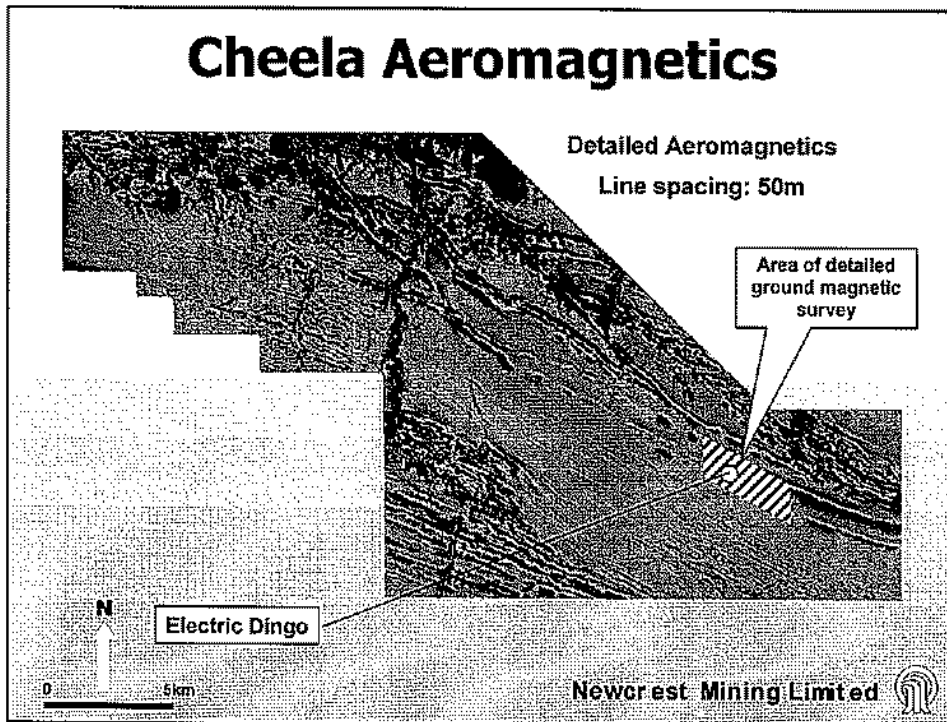
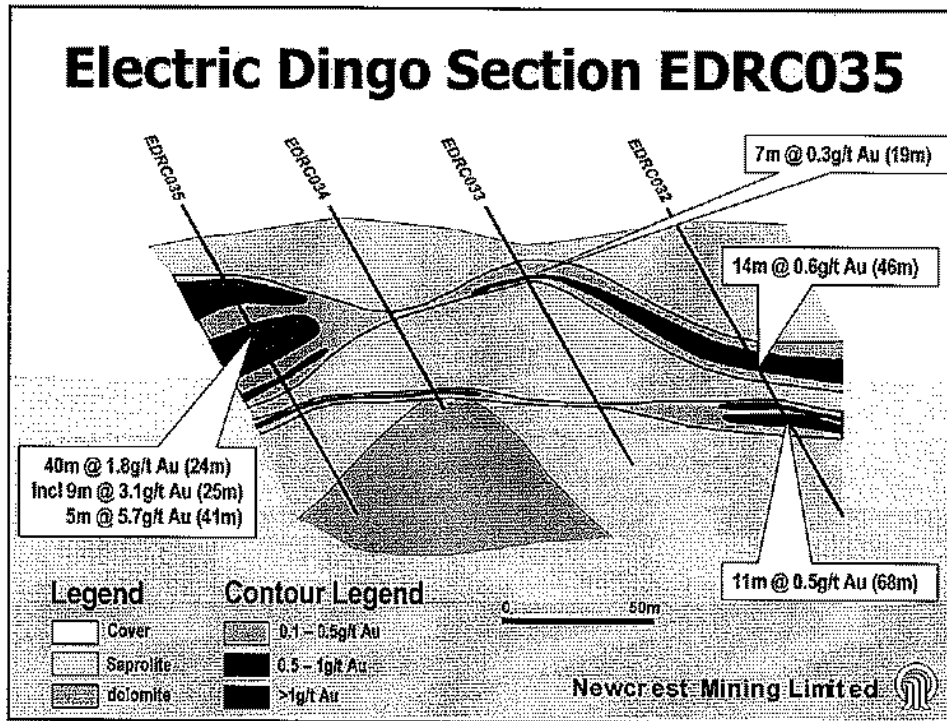


Gold Contours Electric Dingo Prospect

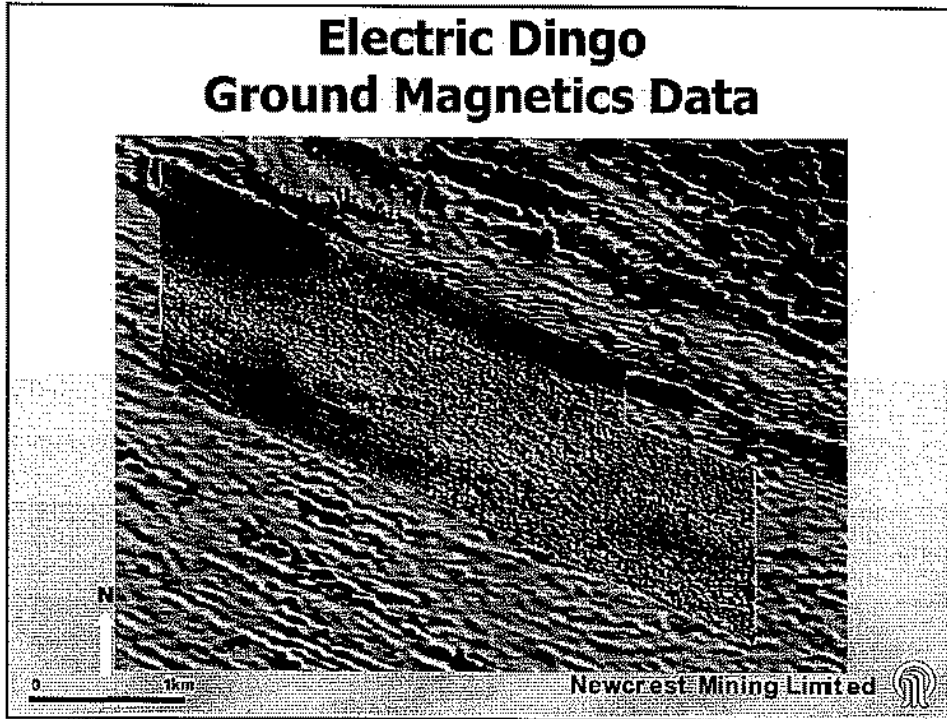


Electric Dingo RC Drilling October 2002 - 1m Assay Results

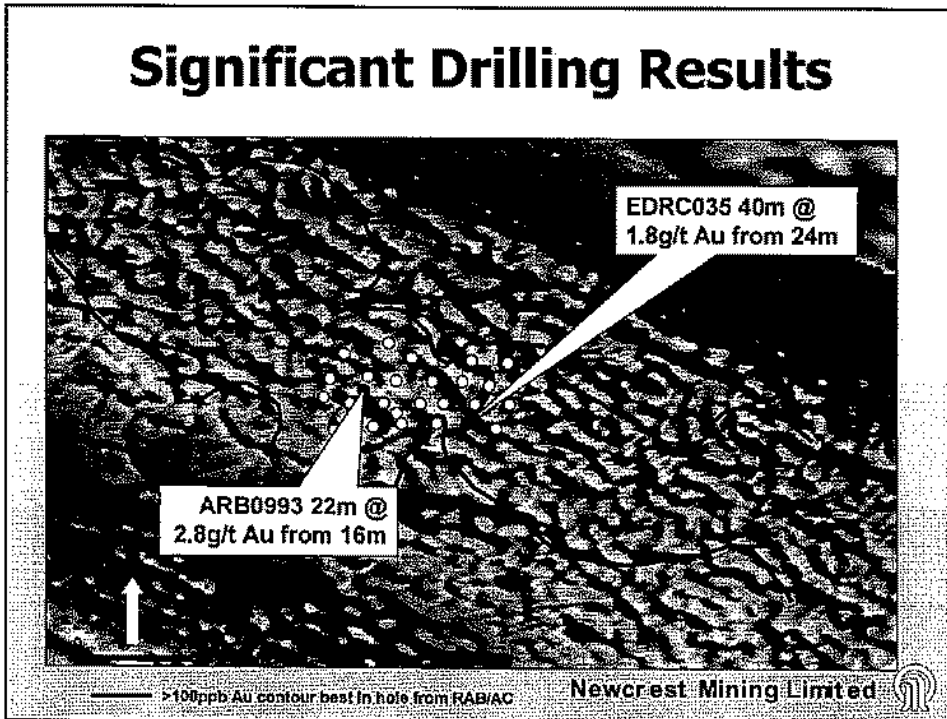




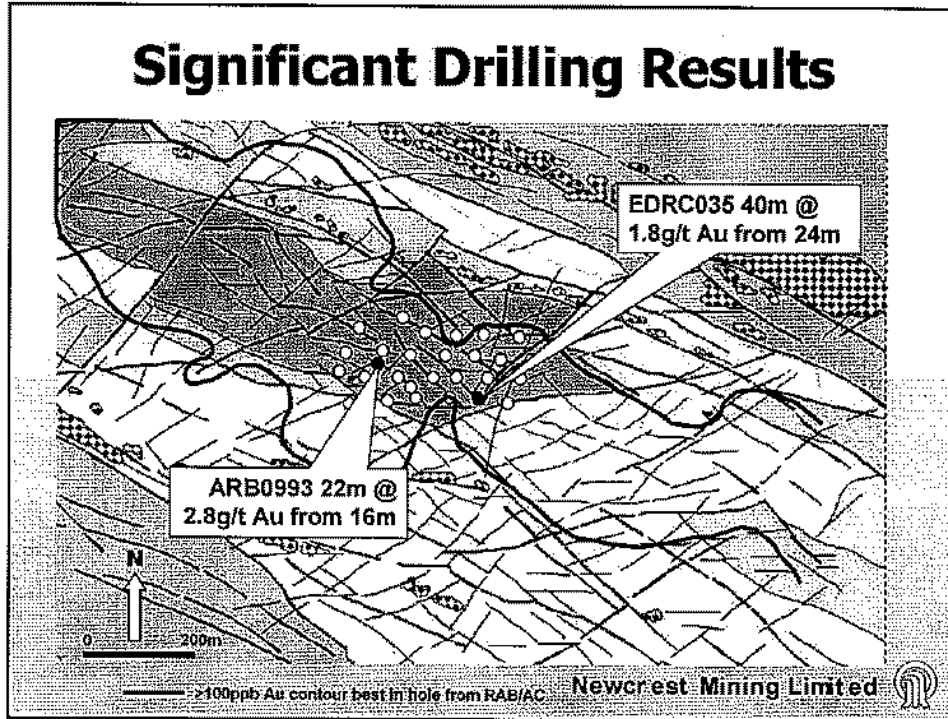
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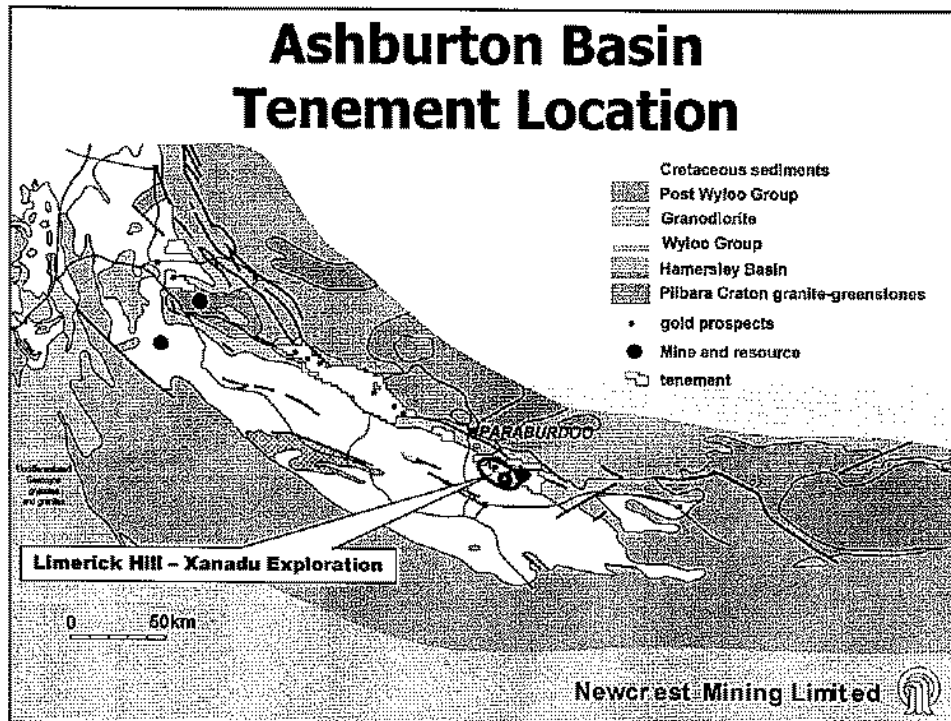
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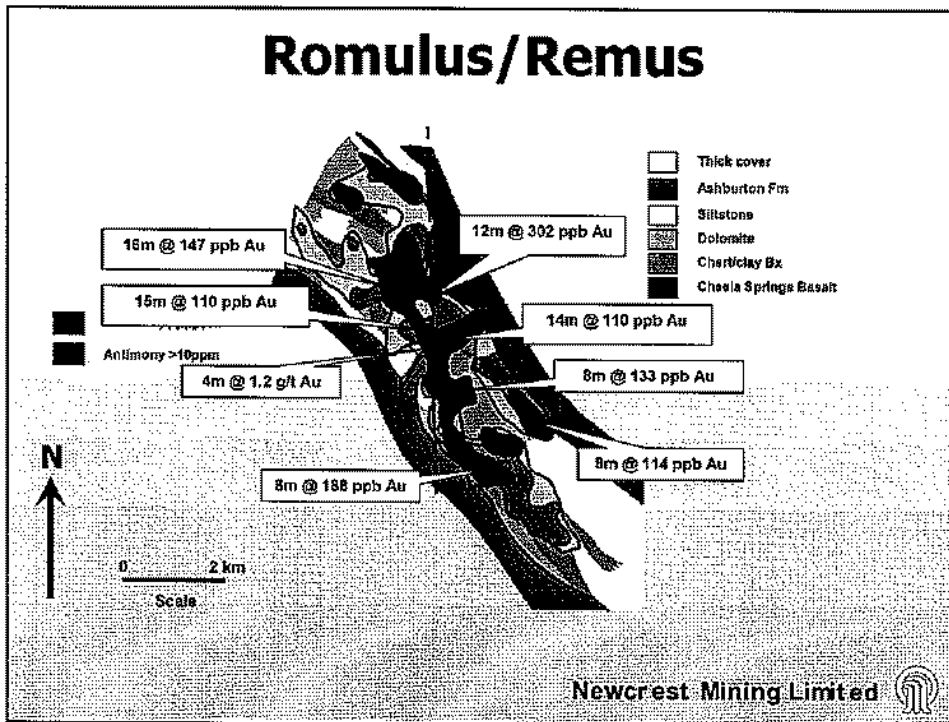
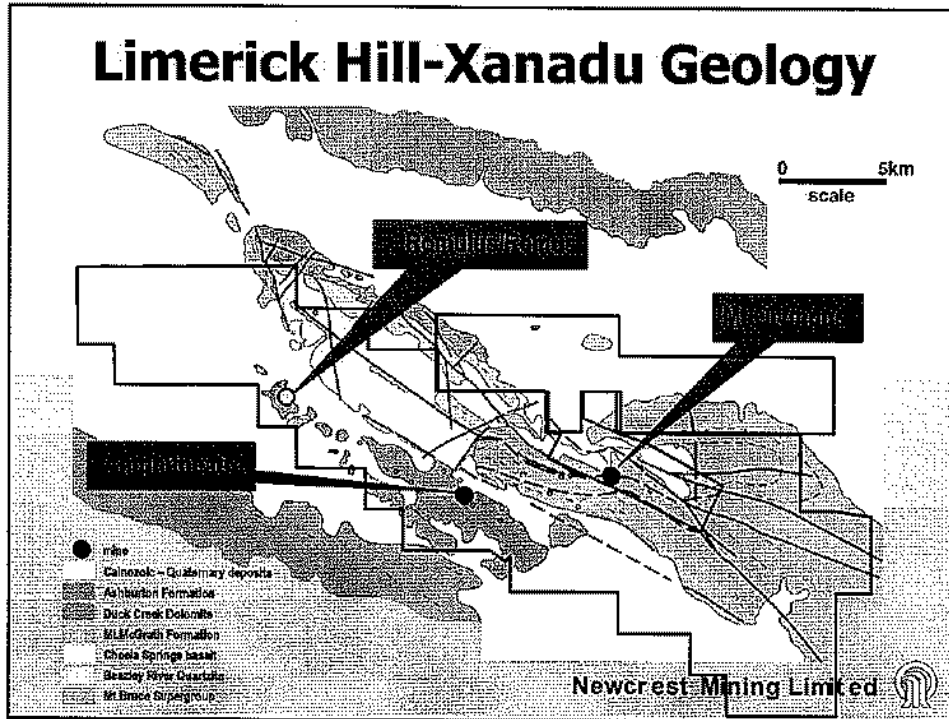


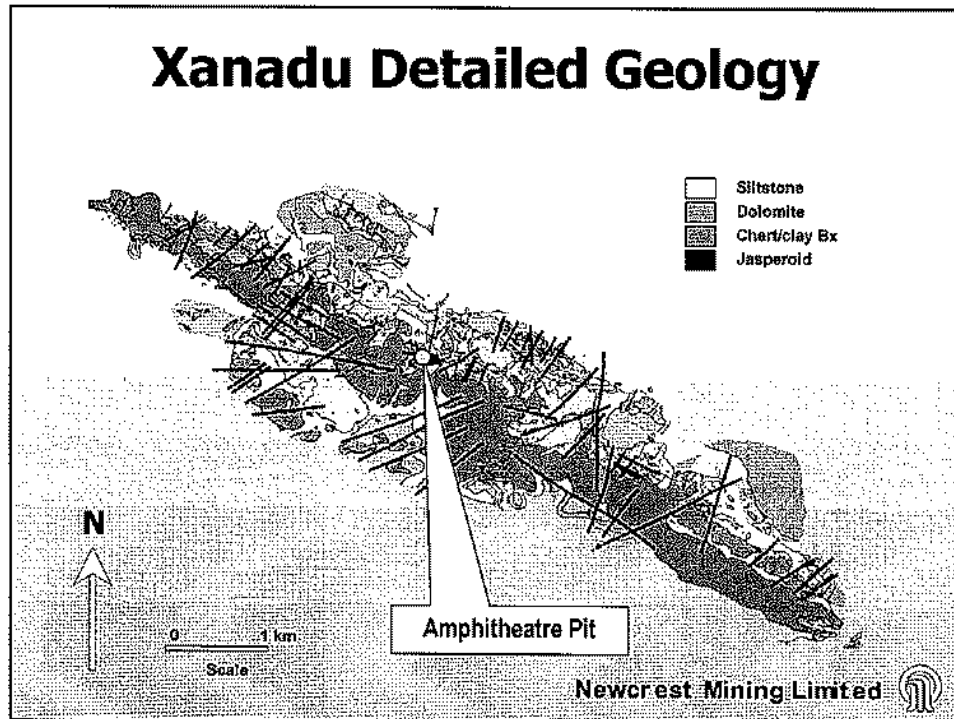
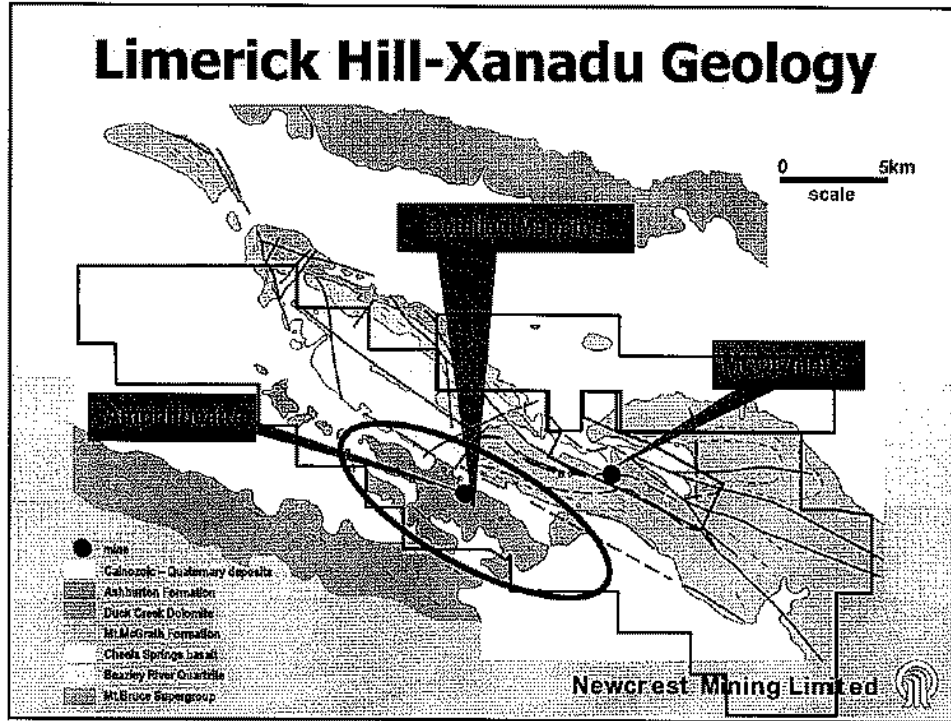
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Ashburton Basin Tenement Location

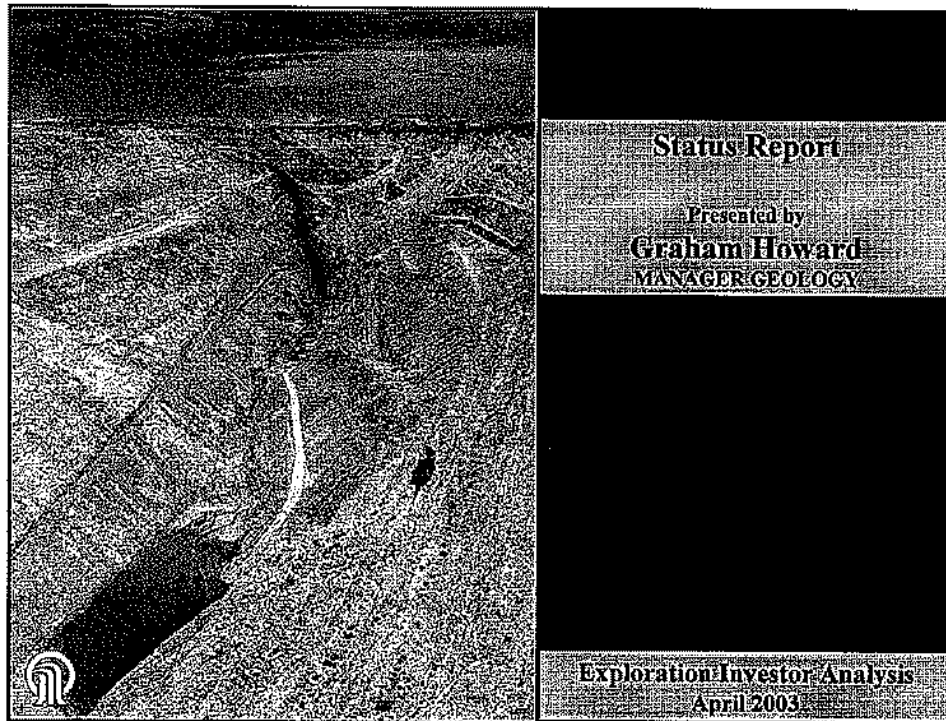






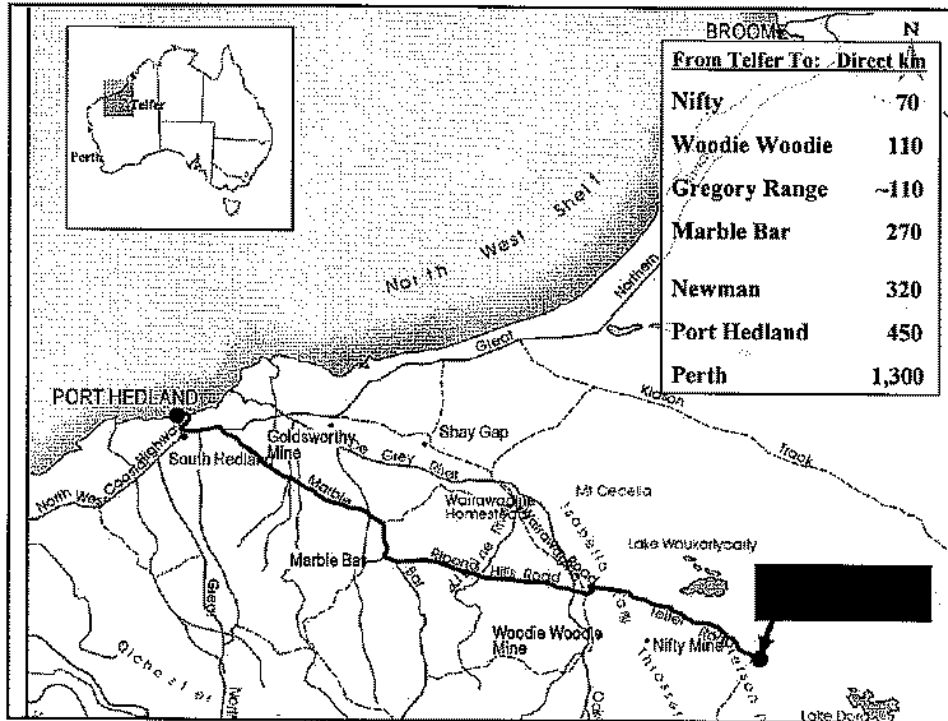
Ashburton Conclusions

- **Significant progress made at Electric Dingo.**
- **Romulus/Remus has similar potential to Electric Dingo.**
- **Detailed mapping at Xanadu has enhanced the understanding of controls on gold mineralisation.**
- **Magnetic surveys have proved to be a significant tool in defining the structural framework for gold mineralisation.**



TELFER GOLD MINE

- **Telfer Feasibility Project**
- **Peer Review and Audit**
- **Telfer Resource Development Summary**
- **Near Mine Exploration Potential**



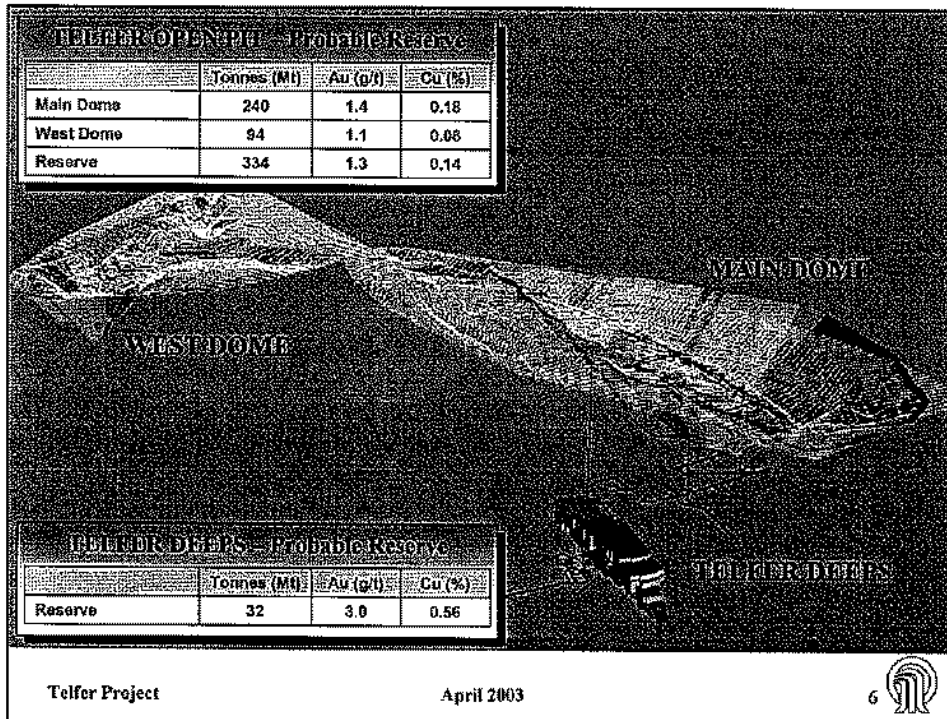
TELFER FEASIBILITY PROJECT

PROJECT SUMMARY

- Feasibility Study completed
- Strategies in place for re-establishment of operations
- Operation to treat 17-19Mtpa
- Definition Engineering / Capex / Opex completed
- The new operation will produce:
 - 18.4 Moz of gold recovered (770,000 oz average LOM)
 - 640,000 t of copper recovered (27,800 t average LOM)

Telfer Project

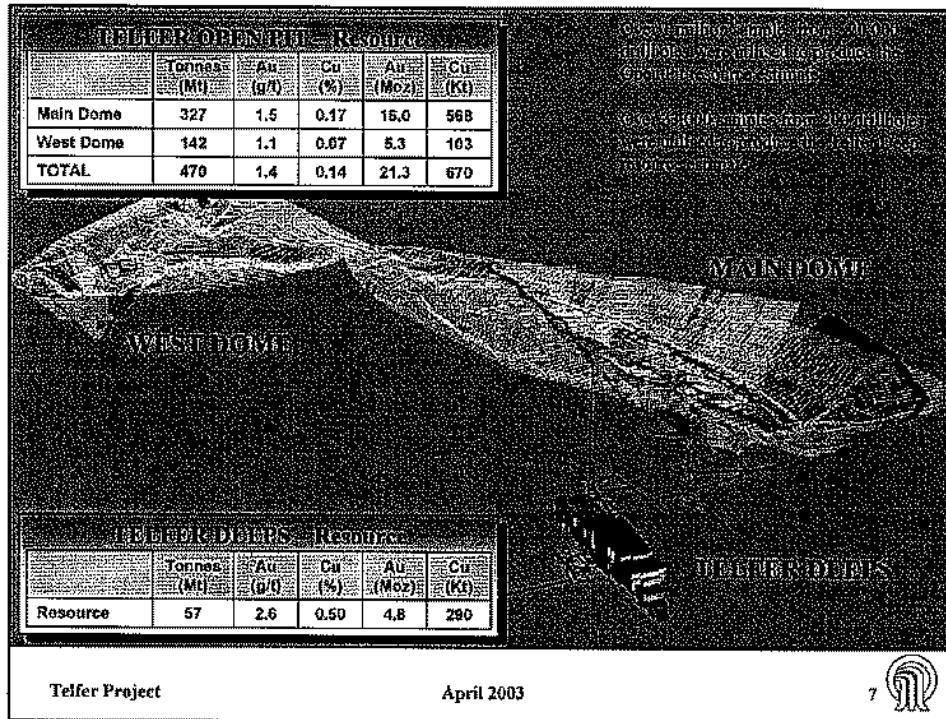
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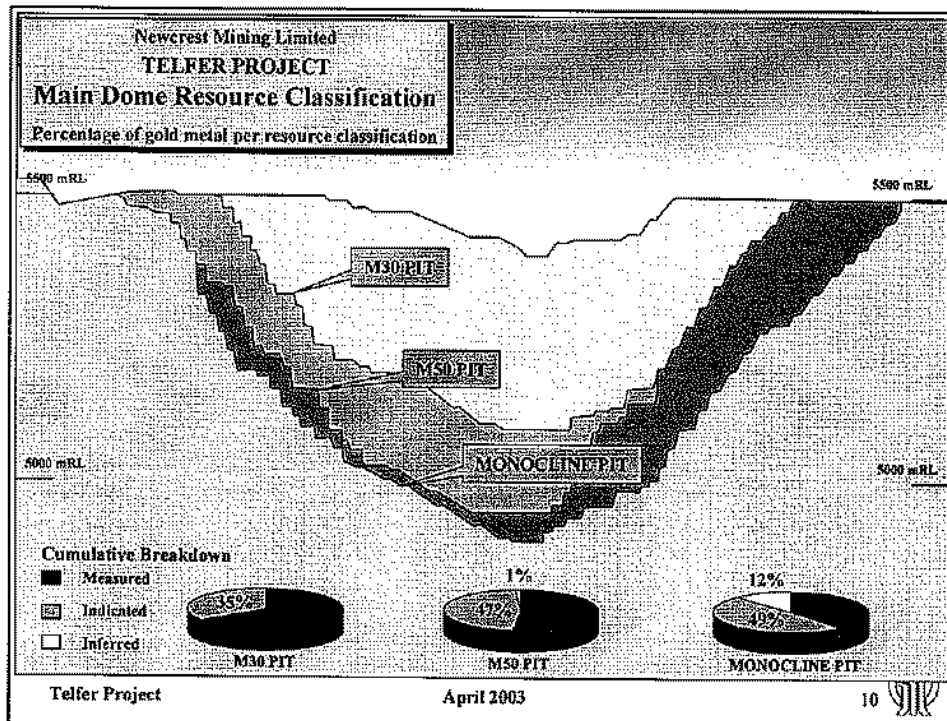
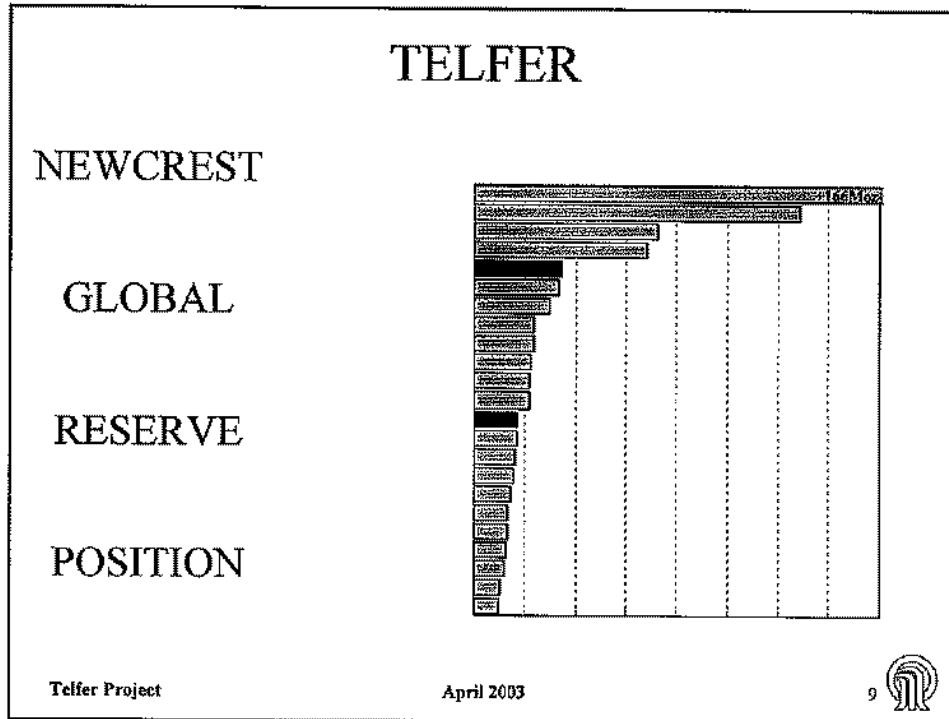
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GEOLOGY

- Telfer ranks within the top 10 gold deposits in the world.
- Resource estimated using large amounts of high quality data
 - QA/QC validated all data.
 - Internal and external audit process.
- Resource boundaries understood
 - Confirmed by close spaced drilling and bulk sampling.
- Project based on Likely Case RC calibrations.



GEOLOGY – PEER REVIEW / AUDIT


The following groups / individuals have been involved with the geological peer review or audits for the Telfer Feasibility Study:

- Snowden Mining Industry Consultants – Vivienne Snowden, Director
- Hackchester Pty Ltd – Peter Stoker
- Behre Dolbear Australia (BDA) – Malcolm Hancock, Executive Director
- SRK Consulting – Cam McCuaig, Principal Manager Geology
- MRDI – Dominique Francois Bongarcon, Vice President Geostatistics and Sampling
- Newcrest Mining - Foy Leckie, Chief Geologist Mining and Development

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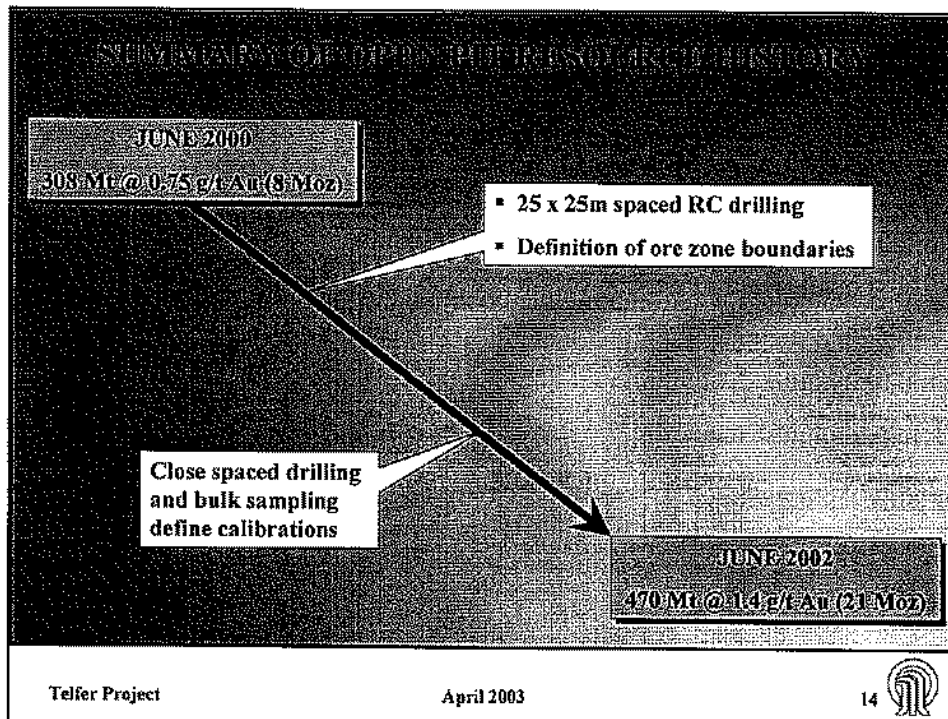


	TELFER	INDUSTRY STANDARD
Mining history	20 years oxide mining 10 years underground mining	Not common - mostly greenfields projects
Bulk sampling	Development bulk sampling in open pit and underground material - equivalent to 10 years of production from standard eastern goldfields operation	Unusual to have exploration decline for underground bulk sampling, surface bulk sampling is also rare
QA/QC	Better than industry standard QA/QC with more checks and types of checks than usual and a dedicated QA/QC professional	
Classification in payback period	Open Pit - 65% Measured and 35% Indicated Underground - 85% Indicated, 15% Inferred	Average of 60% Measured and 40% Indicated in payback period
Size	26 Moz Au+ previously mined 6 Moz Au	1 Moz Au to 5 Moz Au
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TELFER RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT SUMMARY

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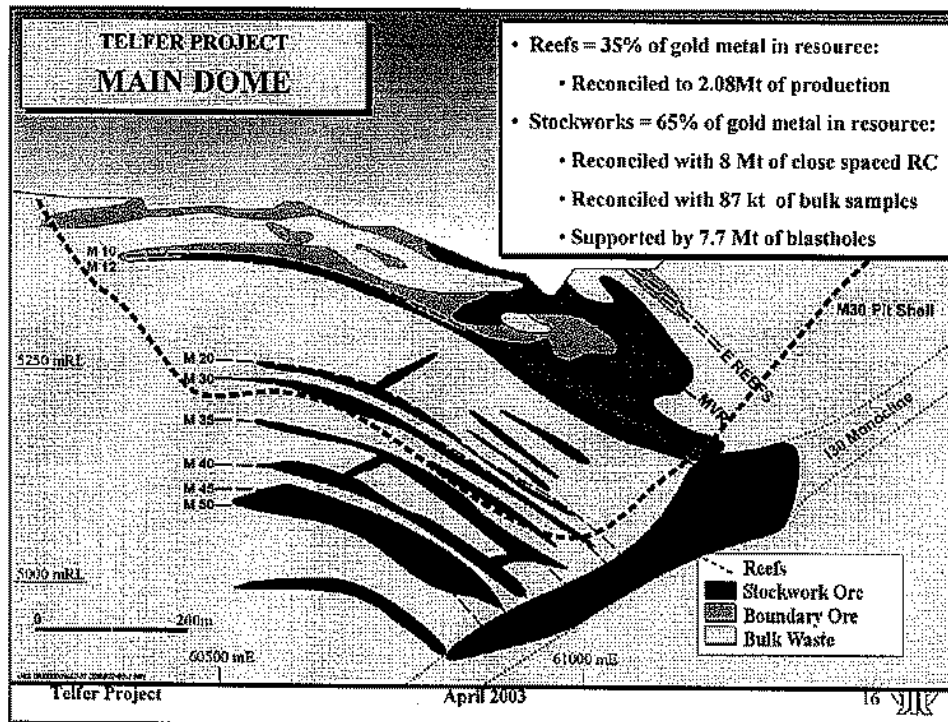
TELFER OPEN PIT MINERAL RESOURCE KPI's

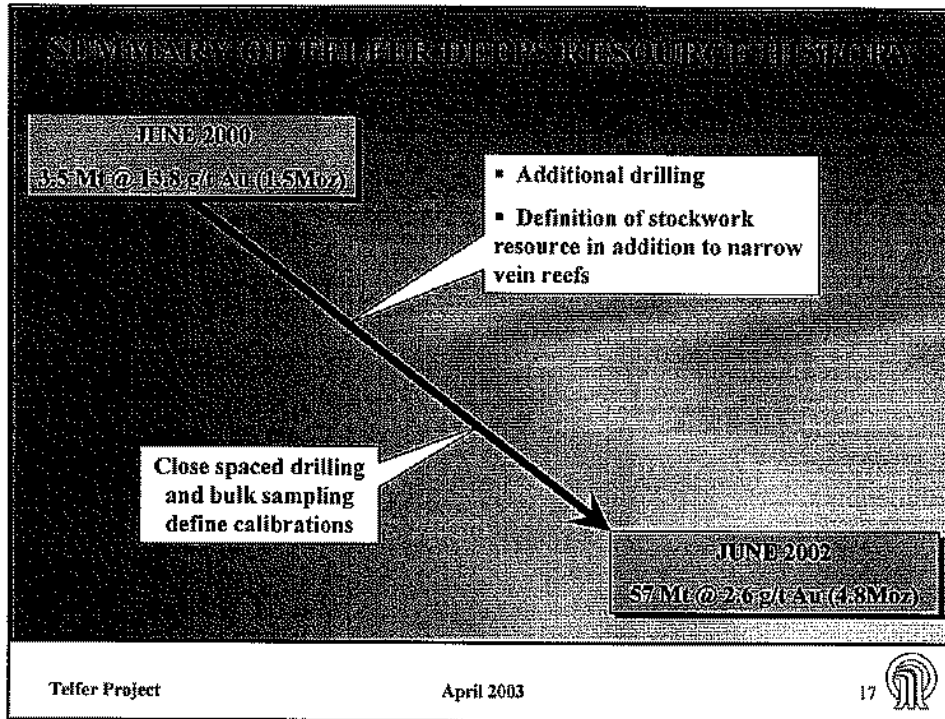
Open Pit	Statistics within \$650 Au resource shell				
Resource	Total Drilling Metres	Tonnes (Mt)	Tonnes/m	Au (Moz)	oz/m
Cadia Hill	156,000	350	2,200	7.2	46
Telfer Open Pit	881,532	470	780	21	24

*Open Pit Resource Definition = \$1.69 Au oz
 (Total including Bulk Sampling Program)*

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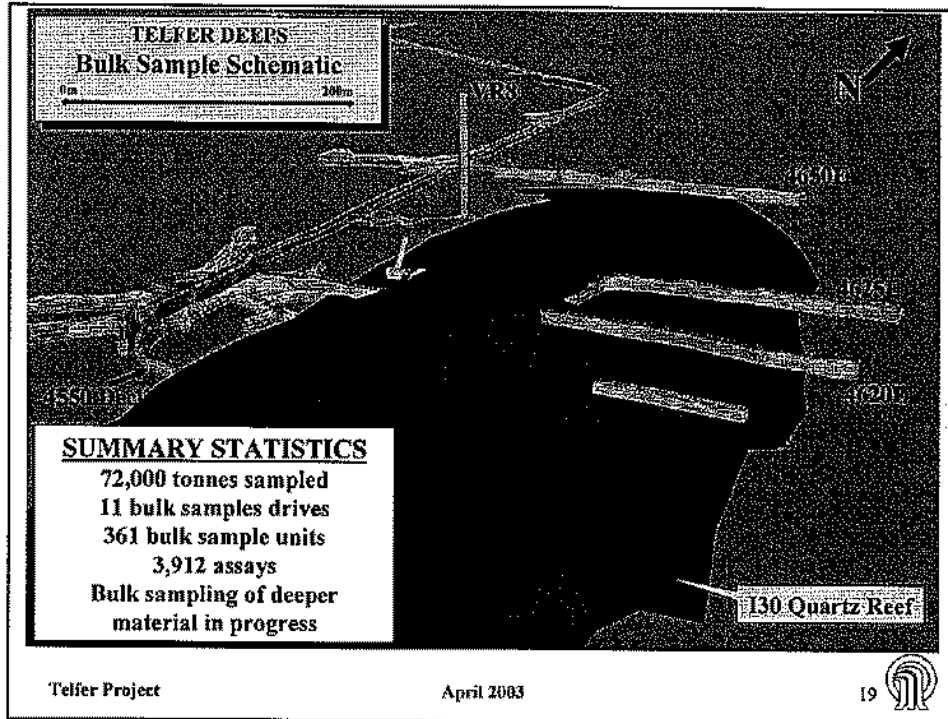




TELFER DEEPS MINERAL RESOURCE KPI's

Underground	Statistics within \$650 Au resource shell				
	Total Drilling Metres	Tonnes (Mt)	Tonnes/m	Au (Moz)	oz/m
Ridgeway	38,000	54	1,400	4.2	110
Telfer Deeps	33,422	57	1,800	4.8	150

*Deeps Resource Definition = \$8.20 Au oz
 (Total including Bulk Sampling Program)*



**TELFER NEAR MINE
EXPLORATION POTENTIAL**

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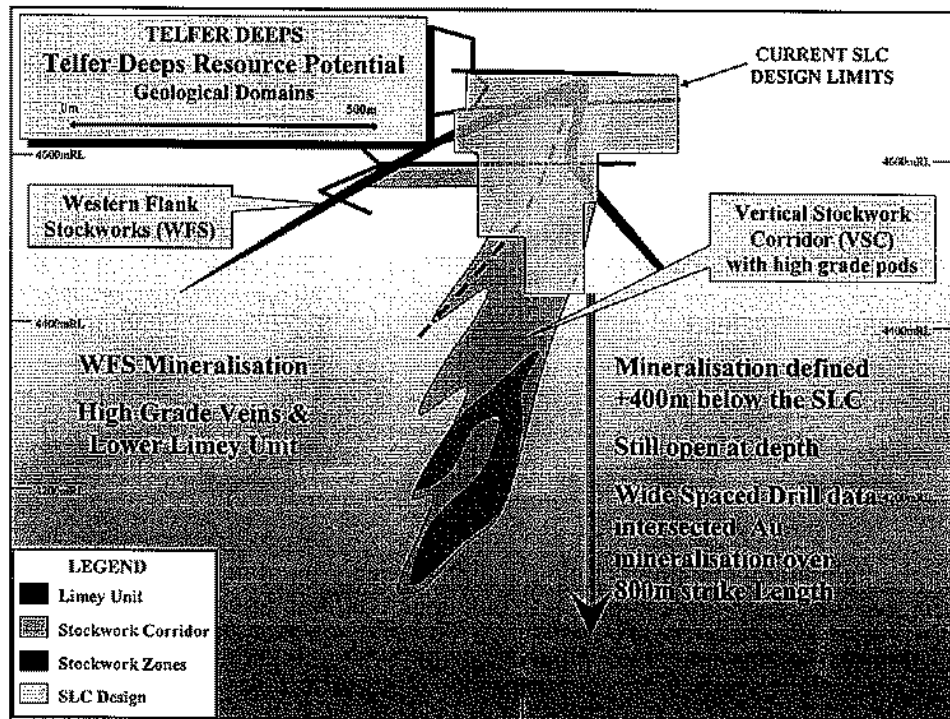
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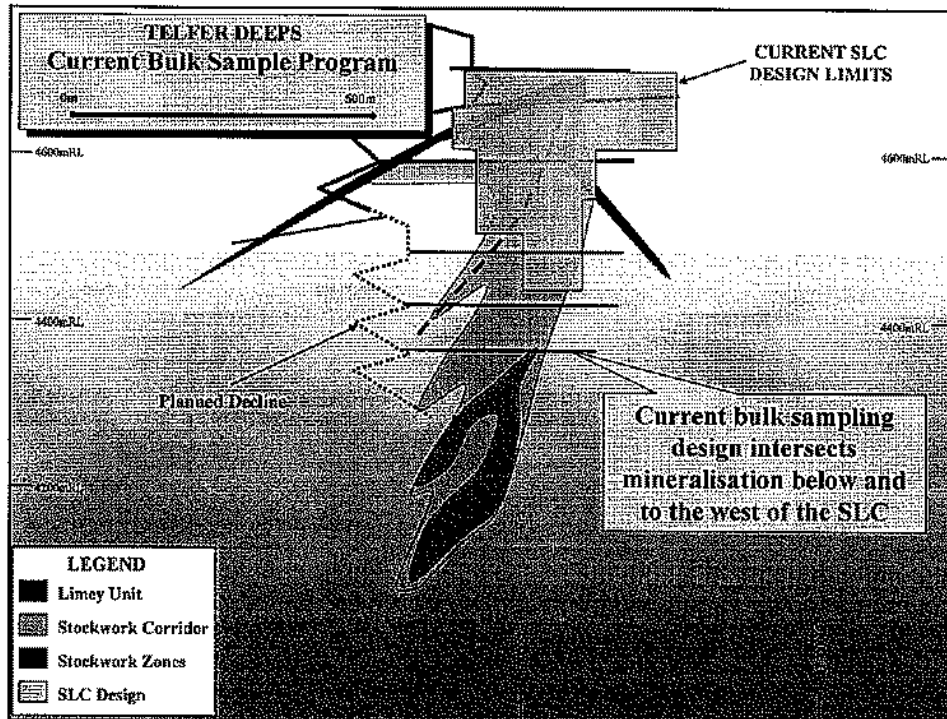
GEOLOGICAL POTENTIAL

- Work in progress has identified additional potential Au – Cu mineralisation outside the current Telfer Mineral Resource
- Mineralisation adjacent to current Telfer Deeps SLC Project
 - Beneath SLC – Vertical Stockwork Corridor (VSC)
 - West of SLC – Western Flank Stockwork (WFS)
- Drillholes intersected potential Au – Cu Mineralisation at West Dome at depth similar to Telfer Deeps

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TELFER DEEPS POTENTIAL - WFS

Au – Cu mineralisation intersected west of SLC by recent diamond drilling program & currently testing by UG bulk samples occurs in:

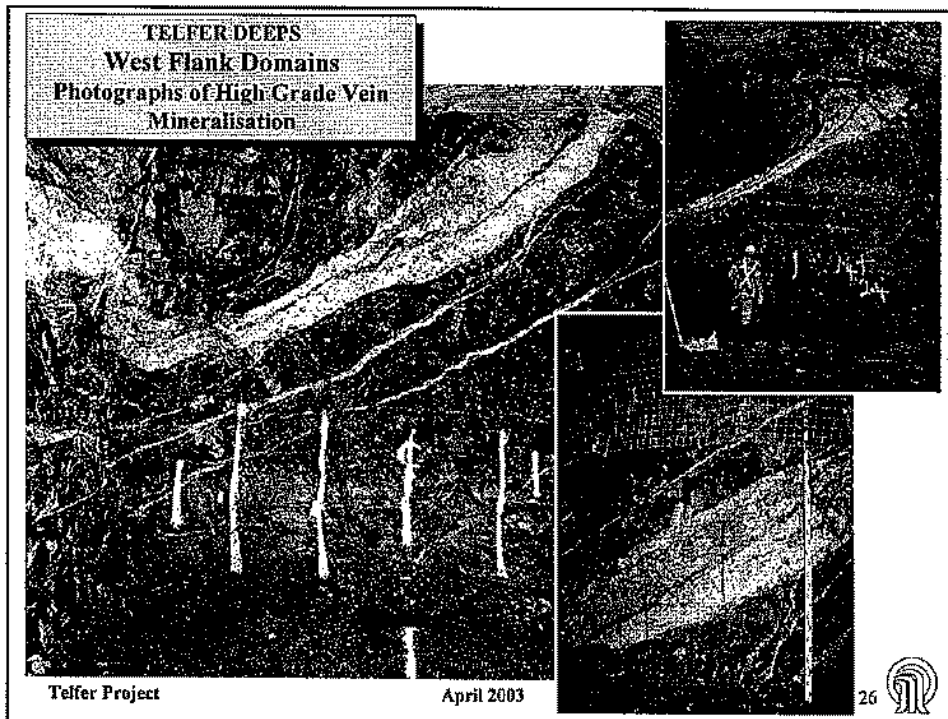
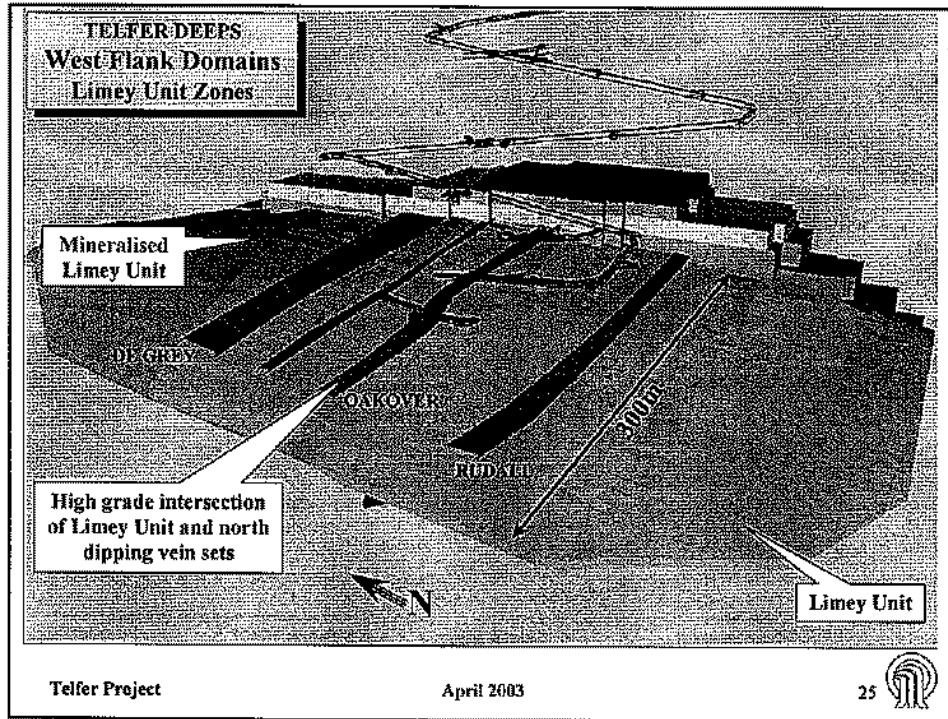
Lower Limey Unit

- Grades 2-20 g/t Au, 0.5-4.0% Cu over 4-12 m thickness
- Several hundred metres down dip, >800 m strike length


High Grade Veins System

- Grades 10-120 g/t Au, 0.5-4.0% Cu over 0.5-2.0 m thickness
- 5 vein systems identified to date, >250 m strike length, down dip >150 m






TELFER DEEPS
West Flank Domains
Photographs of Lower Limey Unit
Mineralisation




Bulk Sample Drive
Lower Limey Unit

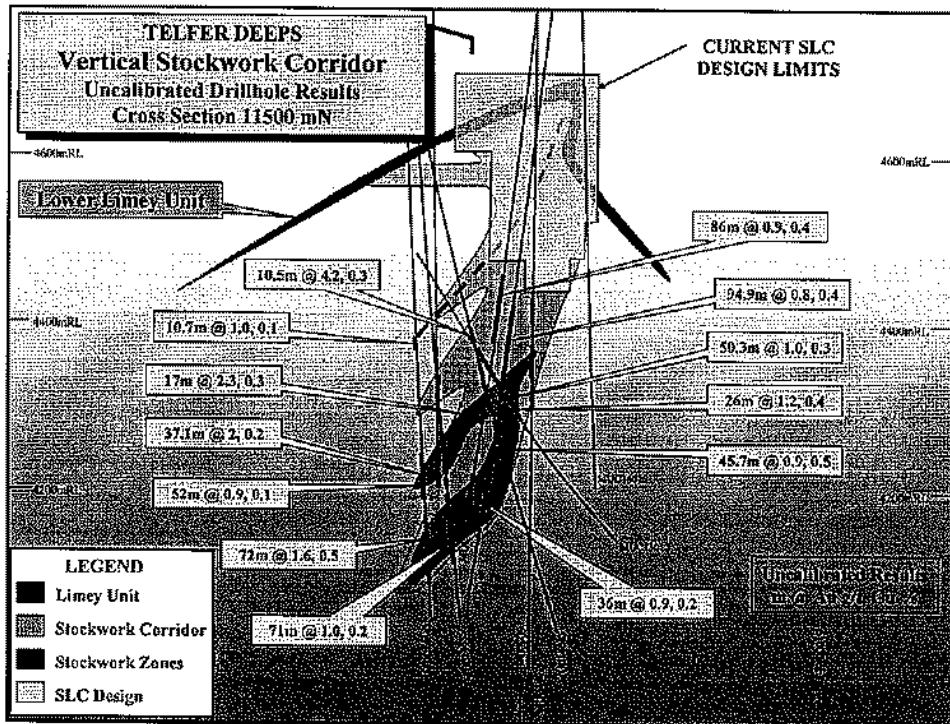
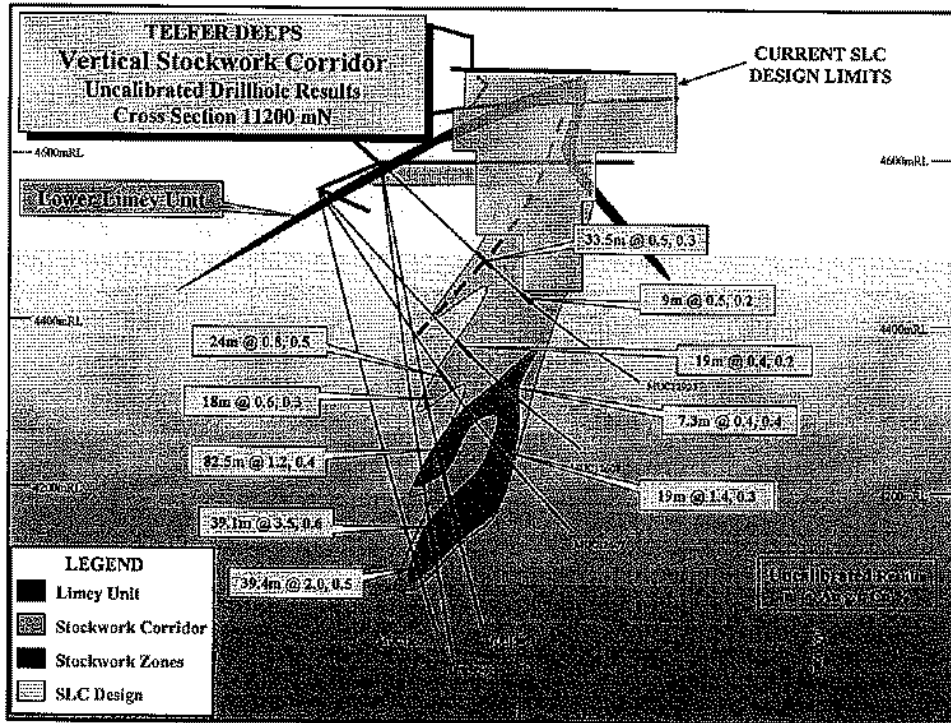
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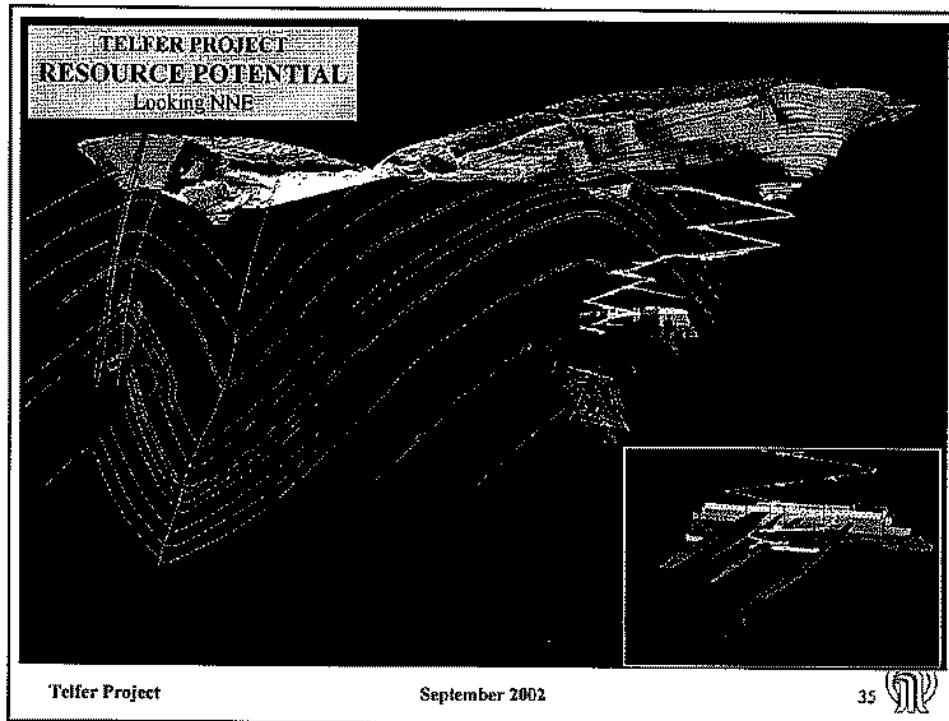
TELFER DEEPS POTENTIAL - VSC

Au – Cu mineralisation intersected beneath SLC by recent diamond drilling program

- **>800m strike length & open north**
- **>400m down dip & open at depth**
- **High grade stockwork zones in lower grade envelope**

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IMPLICATION FOR TELFER PROJECT

- Risk management
 - Definition of mineralisation adjacent to existing infrastructure provides added flexibility and upside to the Project
 - Evaluation of this potential does not jeopardise the focus on the main game which is development of the Telfer Project



IMPLICATION FOR TELFER DISTRICT

- **The understanding gained during the Feasibility Project can significantly improve our ability to optimise district resources**
- **Demonstrated improvements at Telfer Dome include:**
 - **structural controls on stockwork mineralisation**
 - **stratigraphic controls for reef mineralisation at depth**
 - **geochemical signature for the Telfer deposits**
 - **potential hazards of using raw drillhole grades**

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IMPLICATION FOR TELFER DISTRICT

- **Areas where this understanding improves district exploration:**
 - **Trotman's Dome deposits**
 - **Connaughton's Dome deposits**

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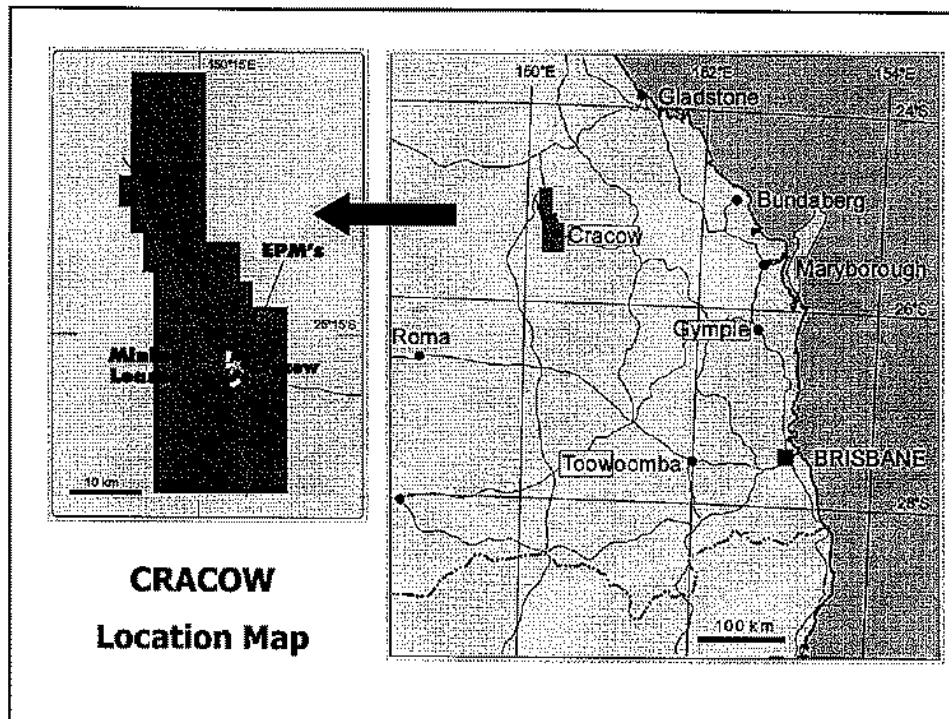


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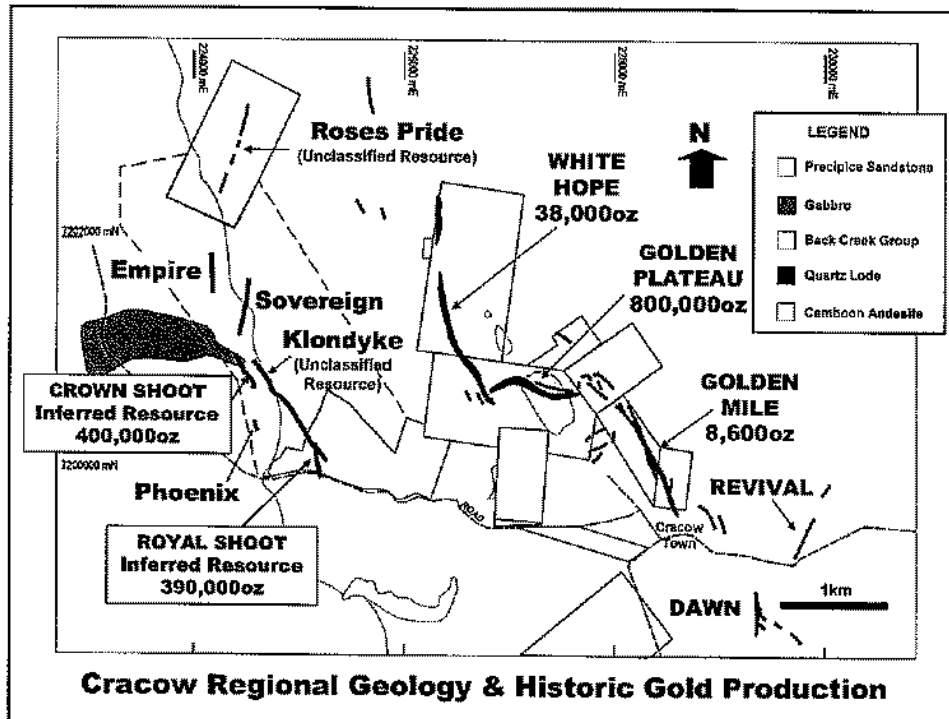
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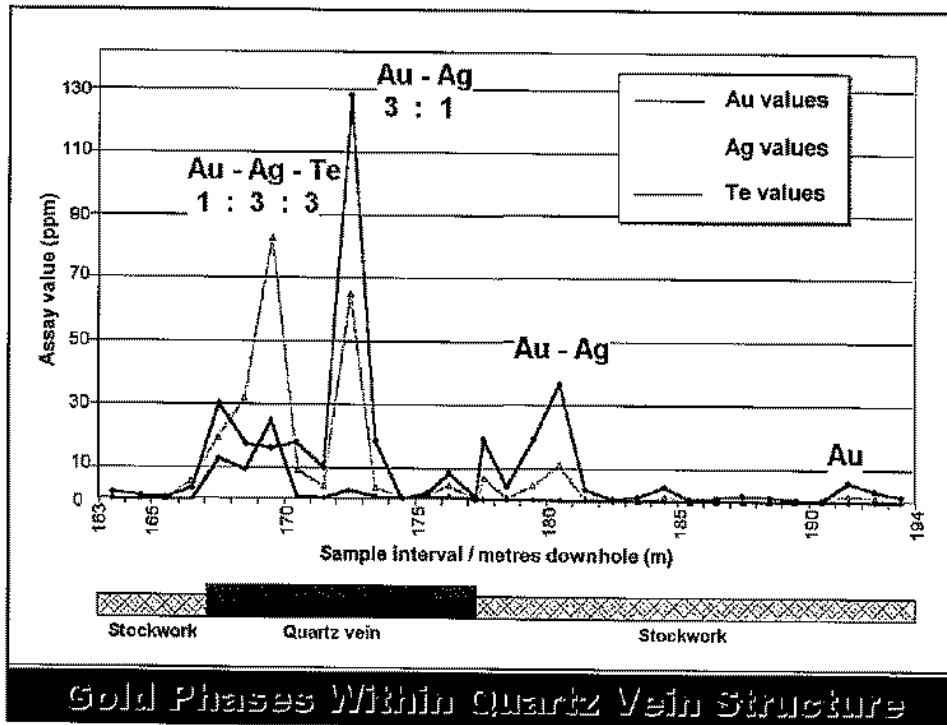
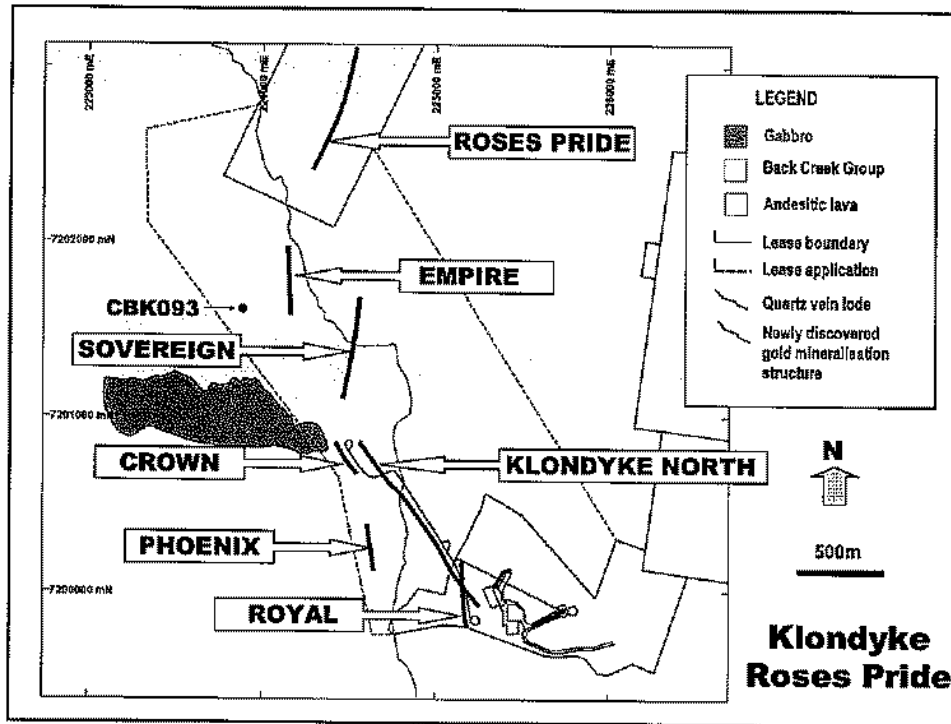
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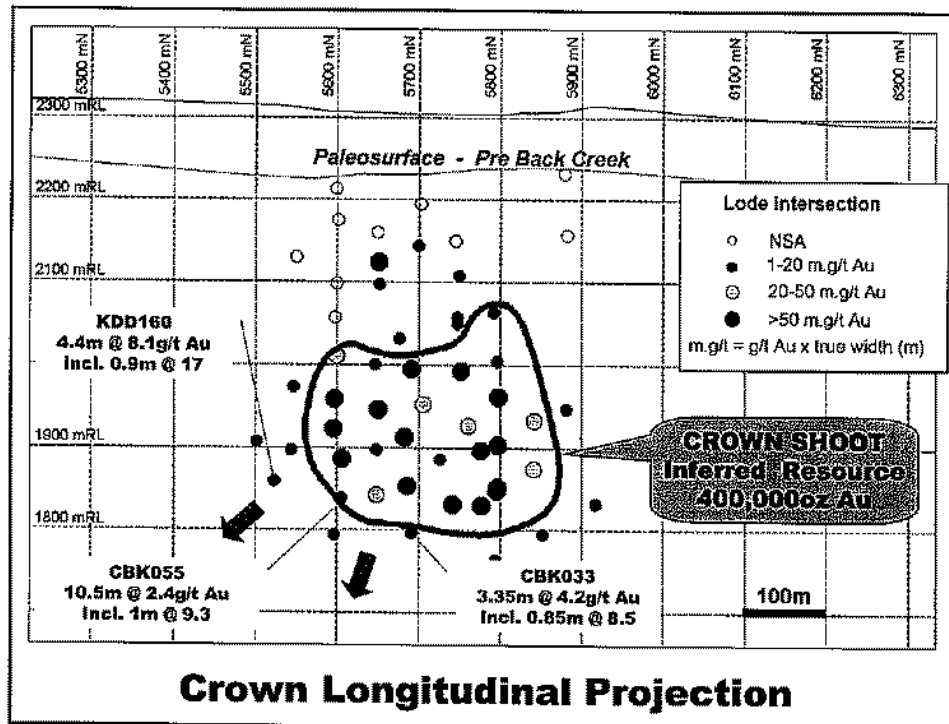
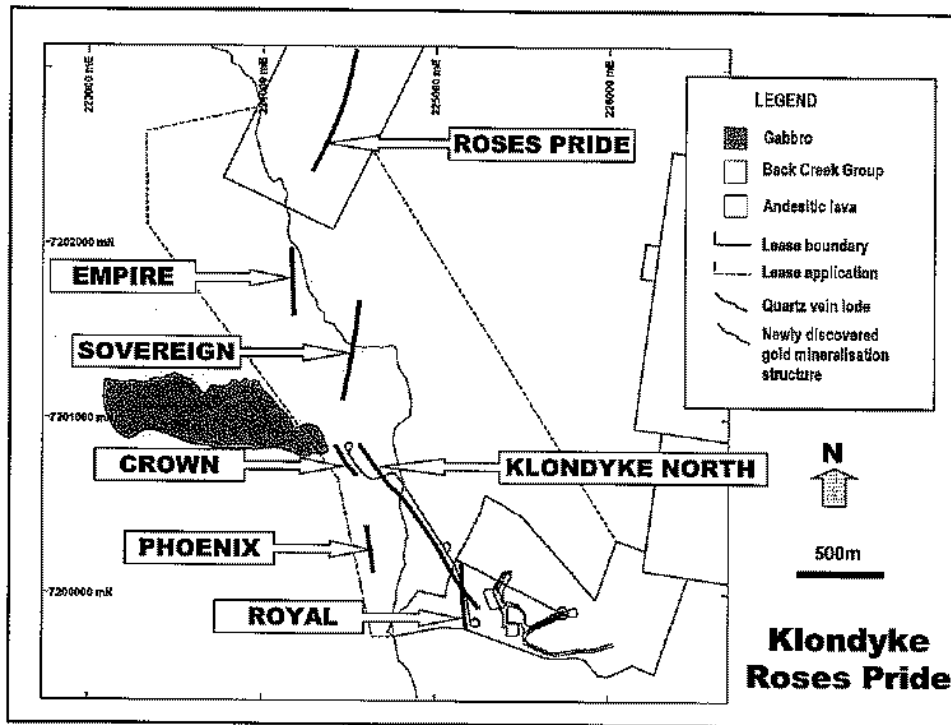
– high grade gold deposit

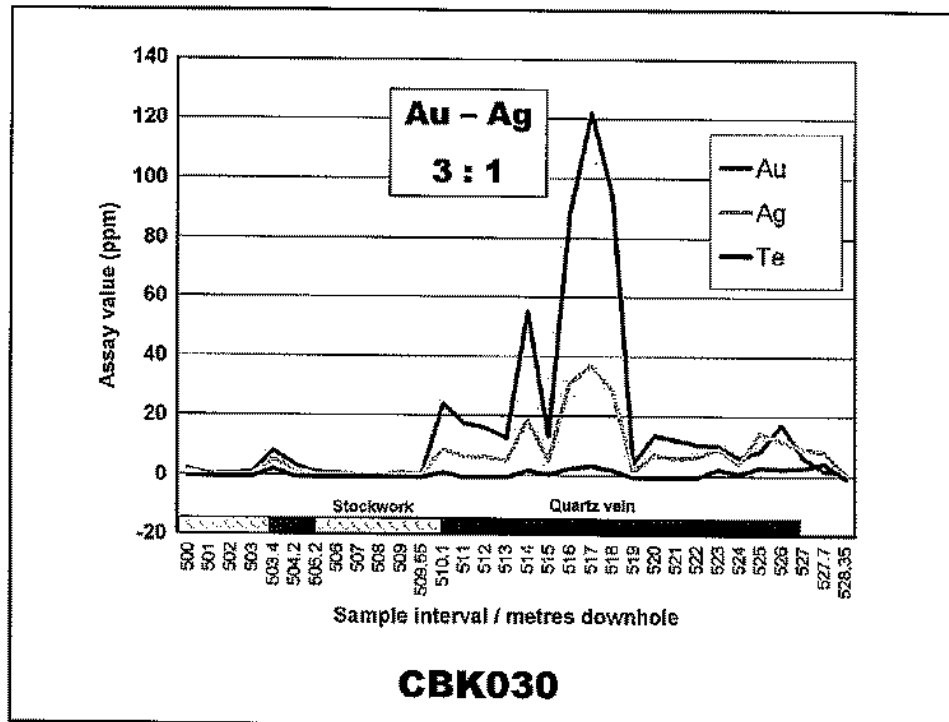
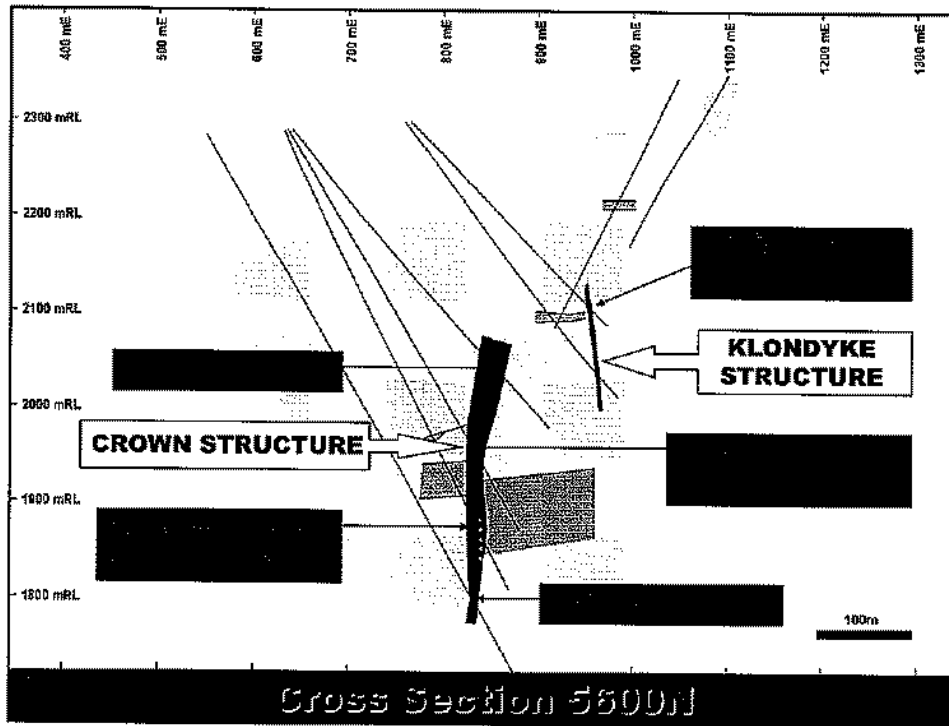
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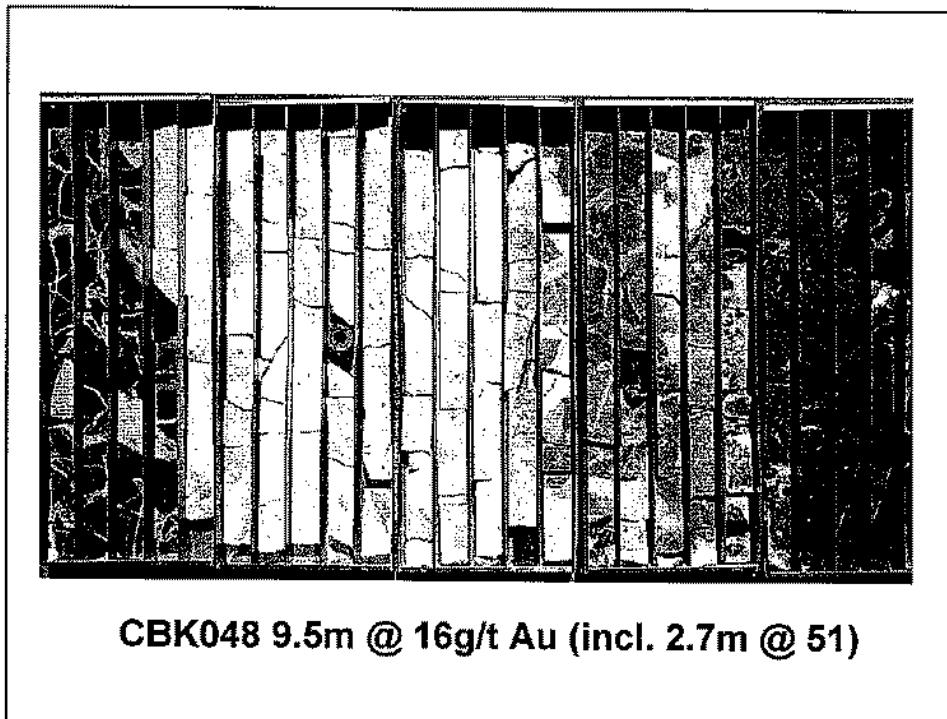
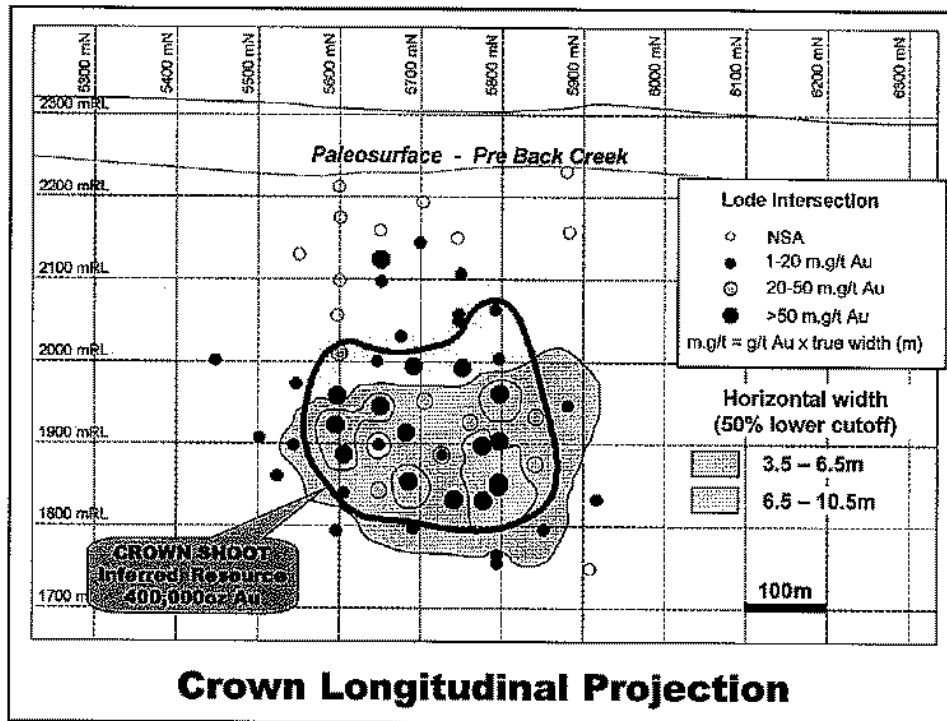
– the western portion of the Cracow Goldfield

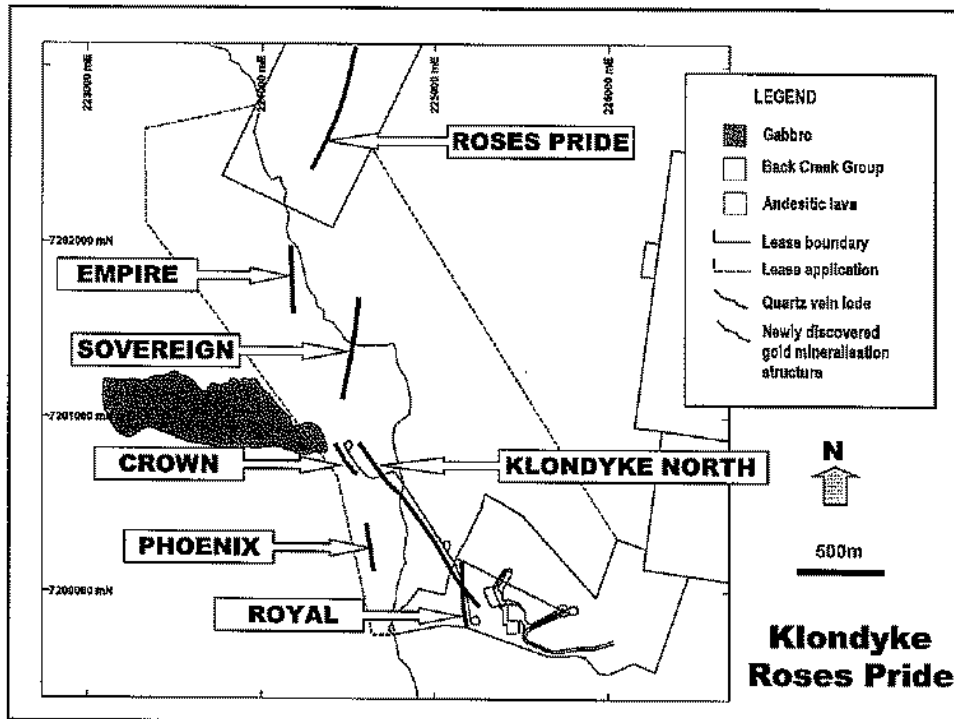
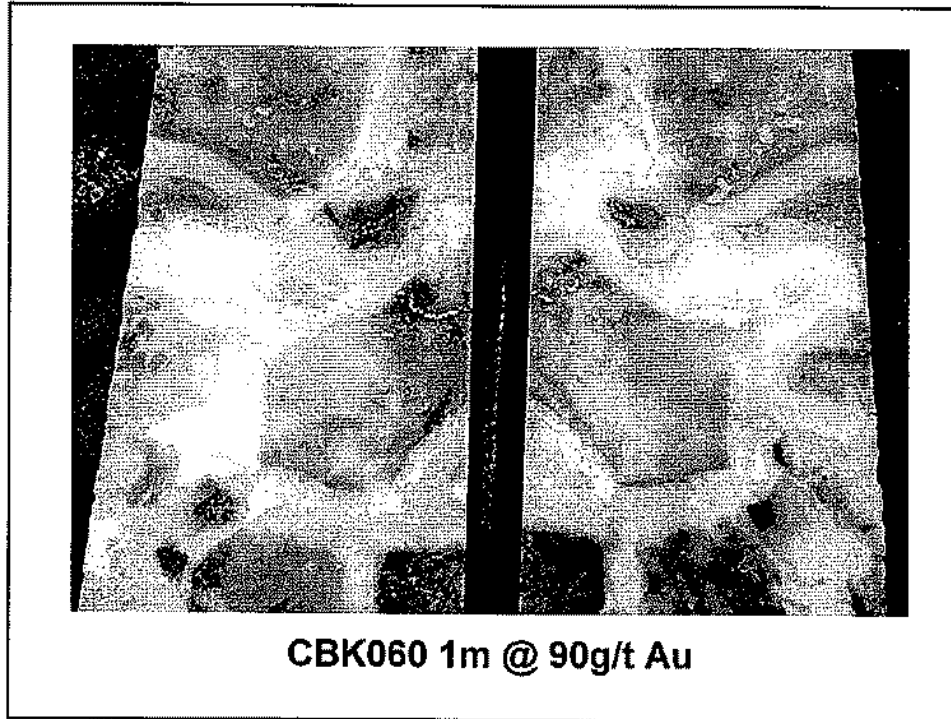


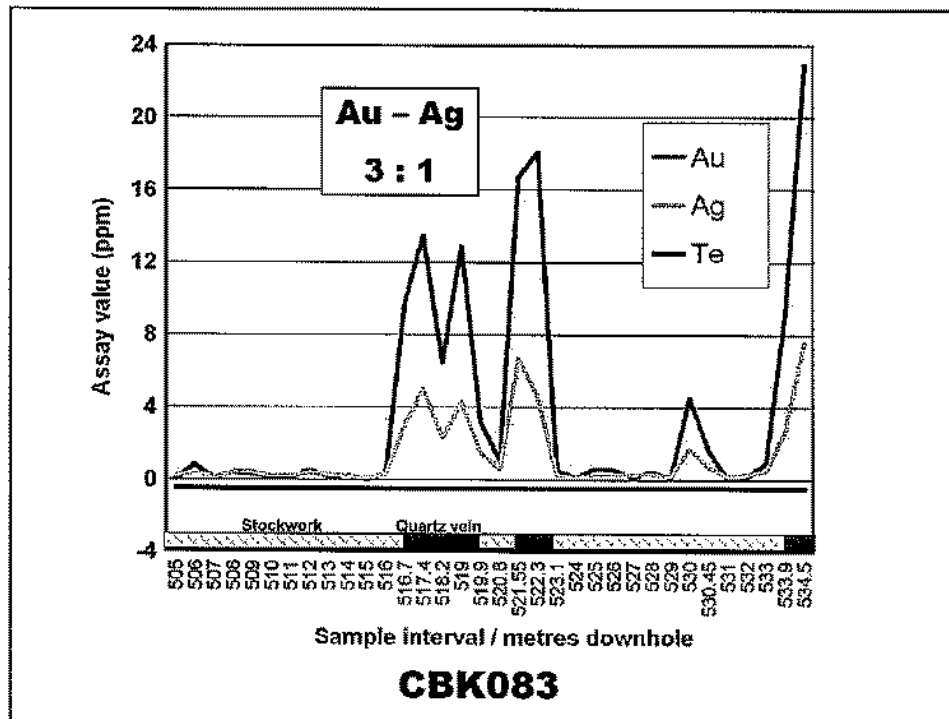
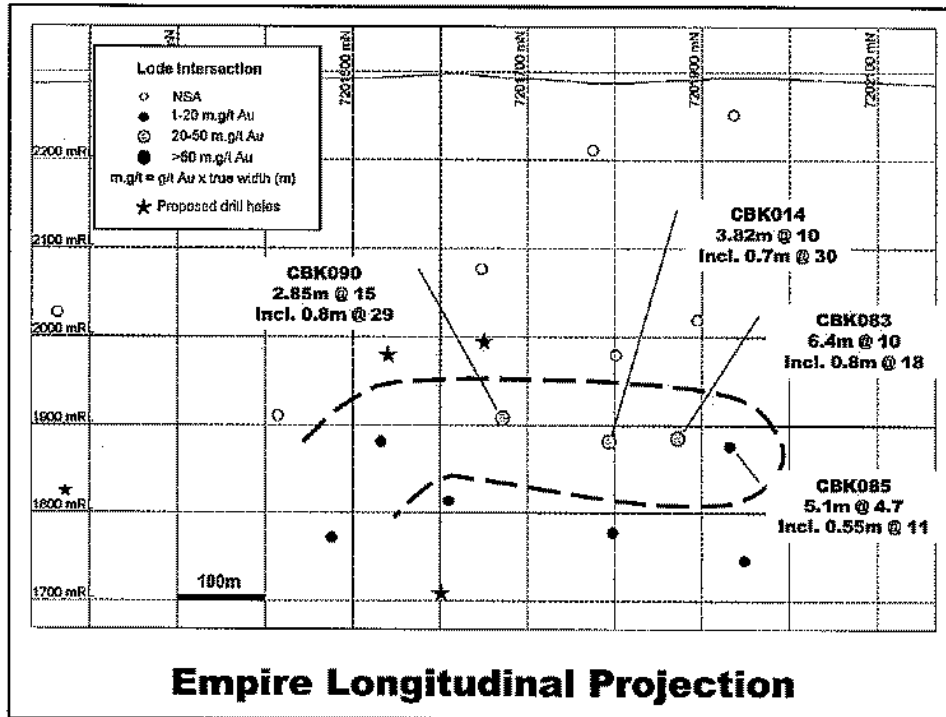


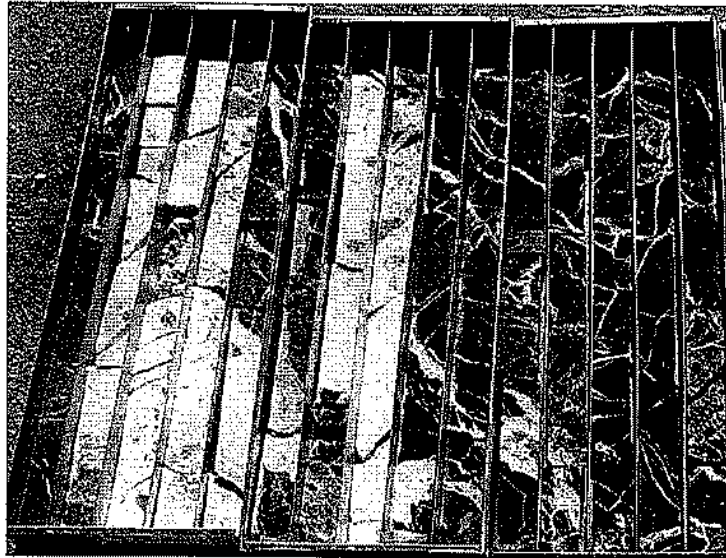




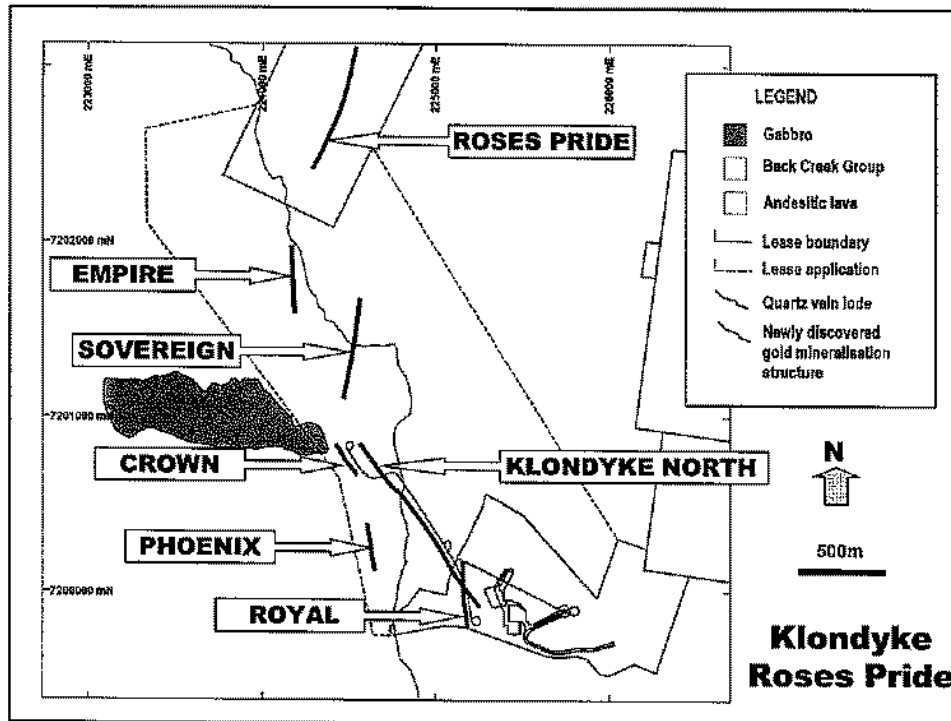


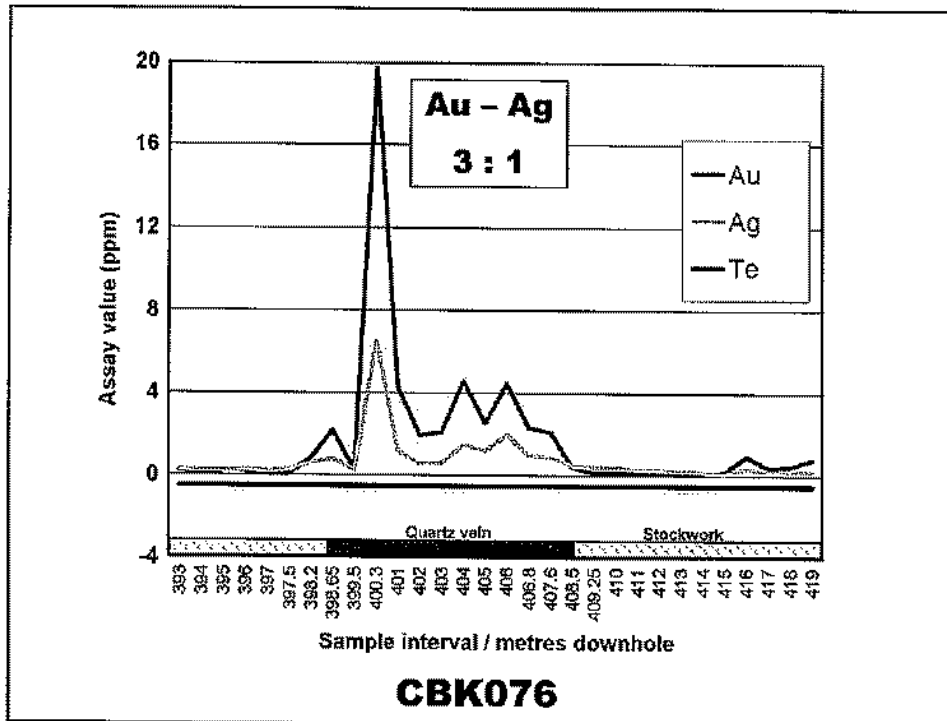
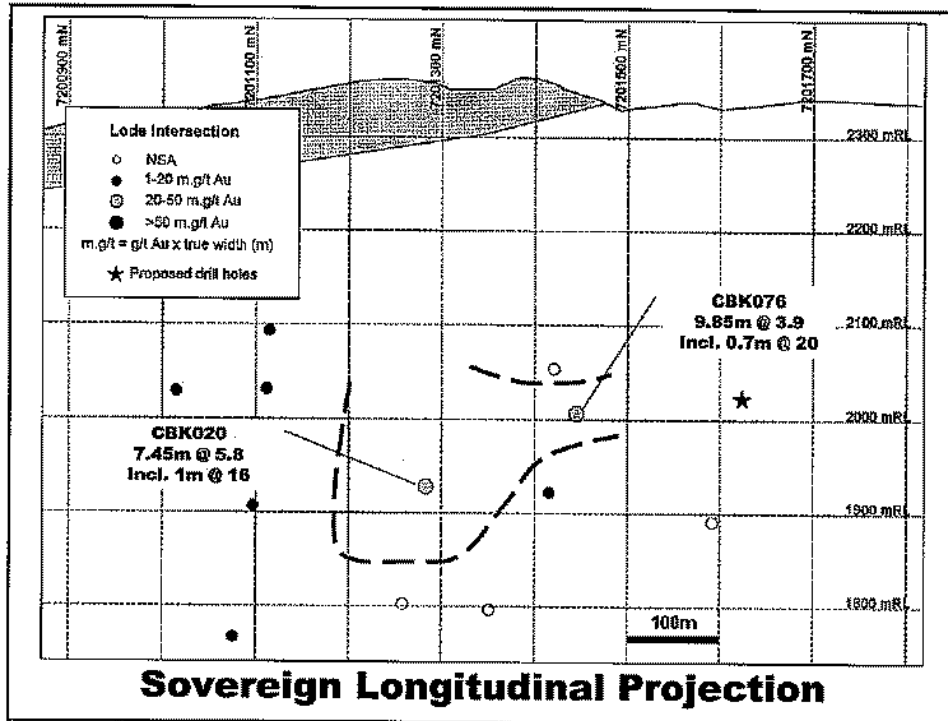






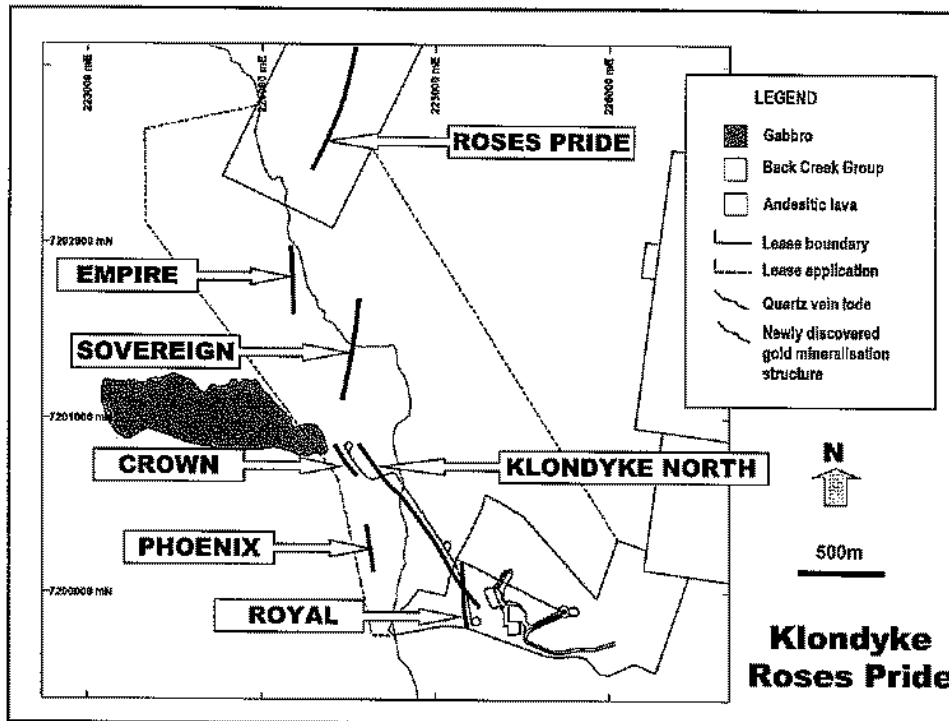
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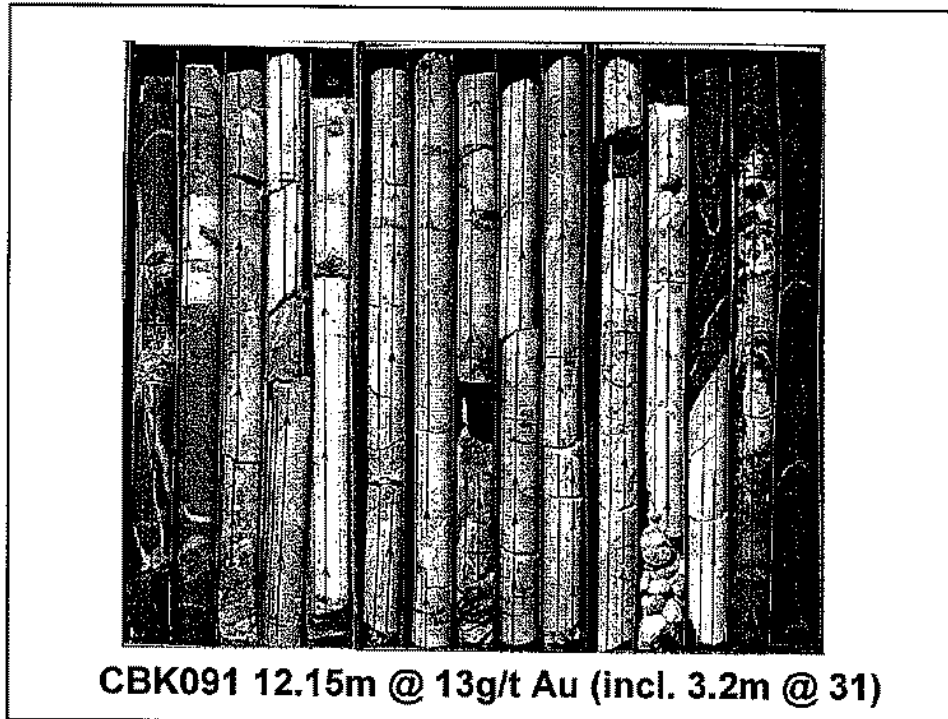
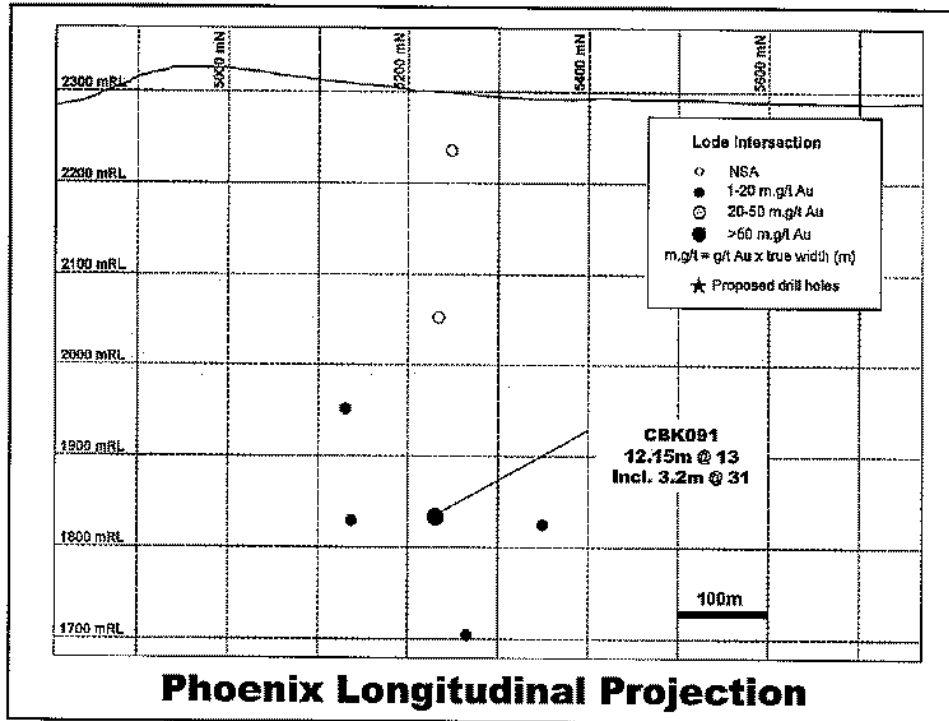


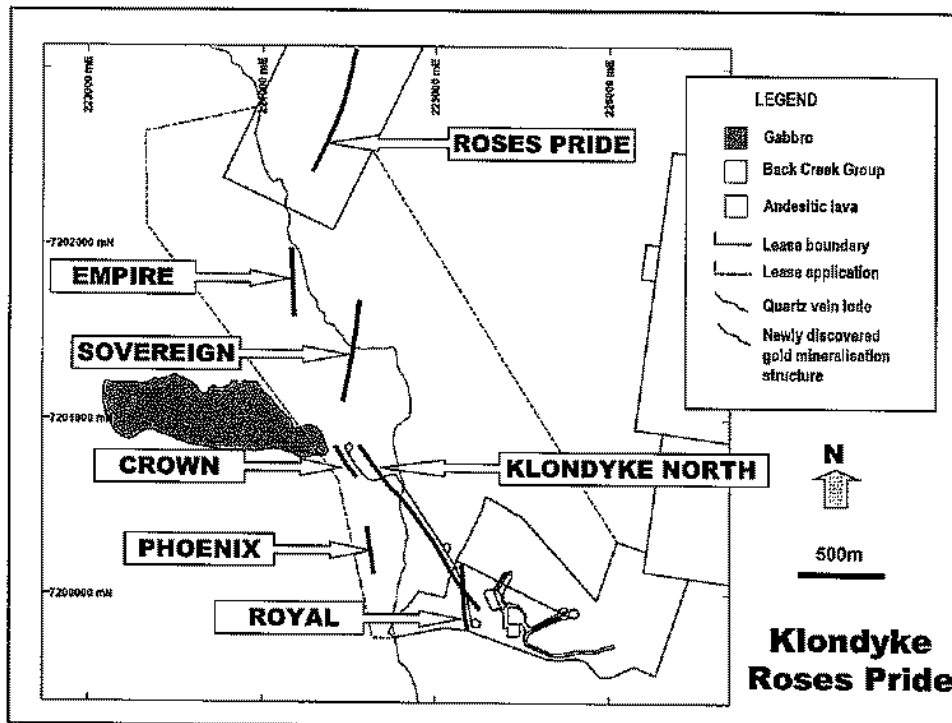
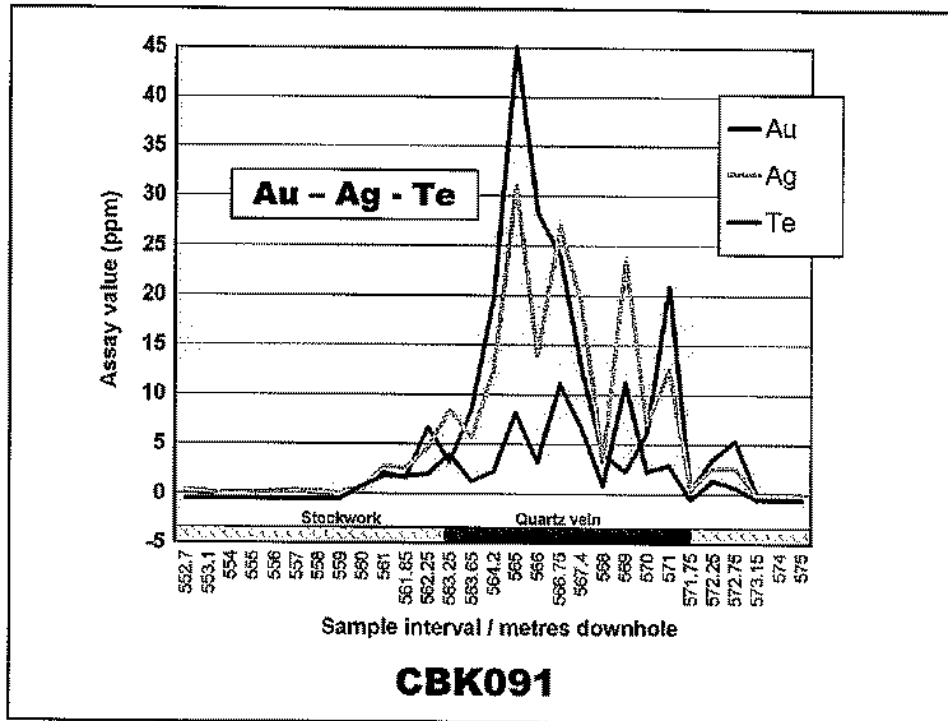


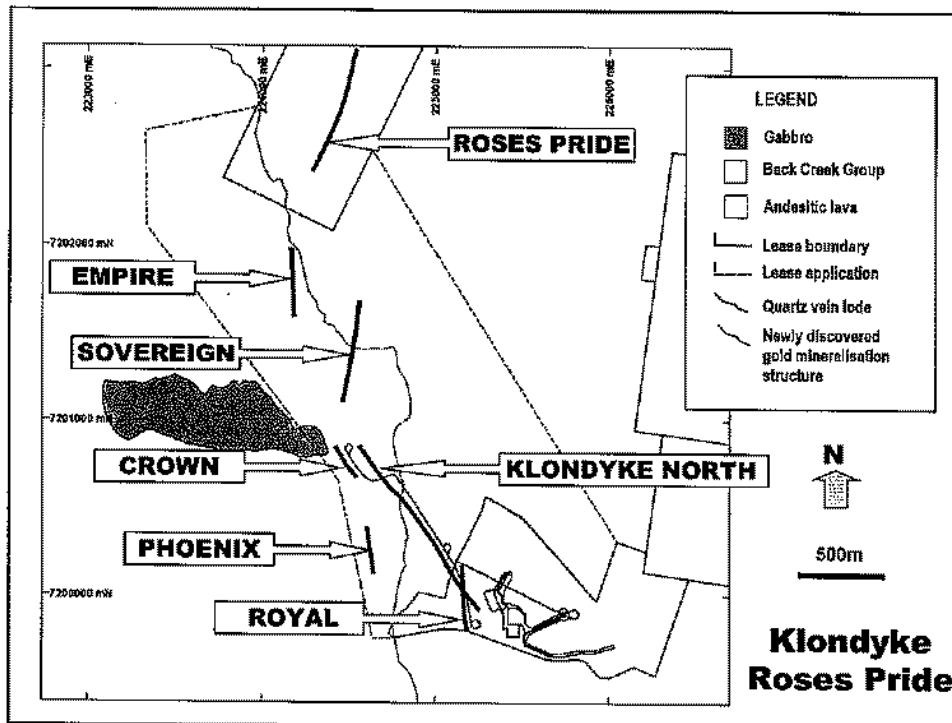
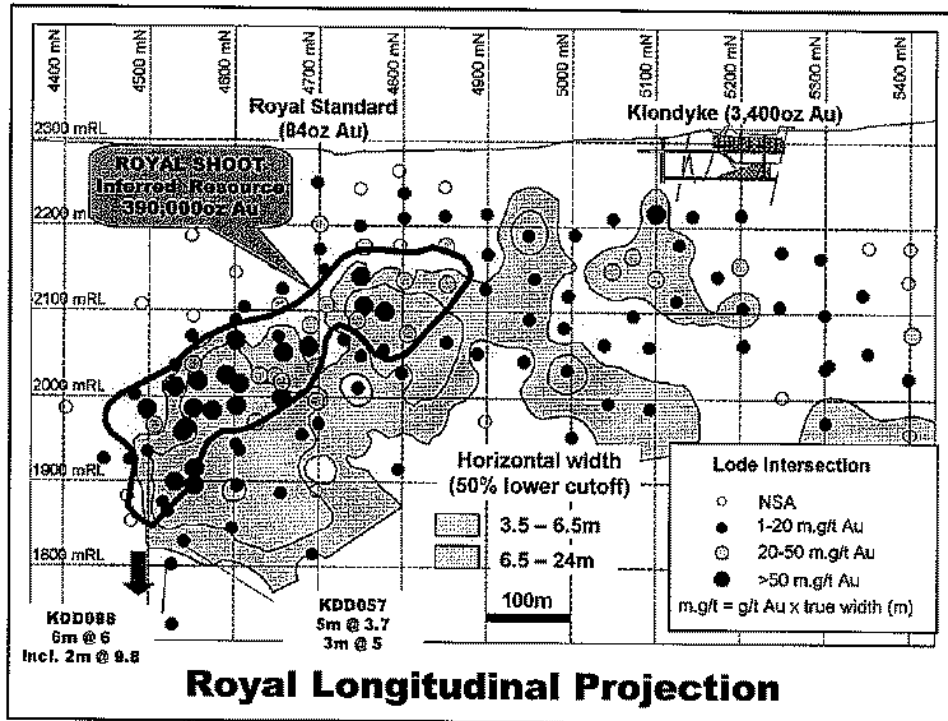


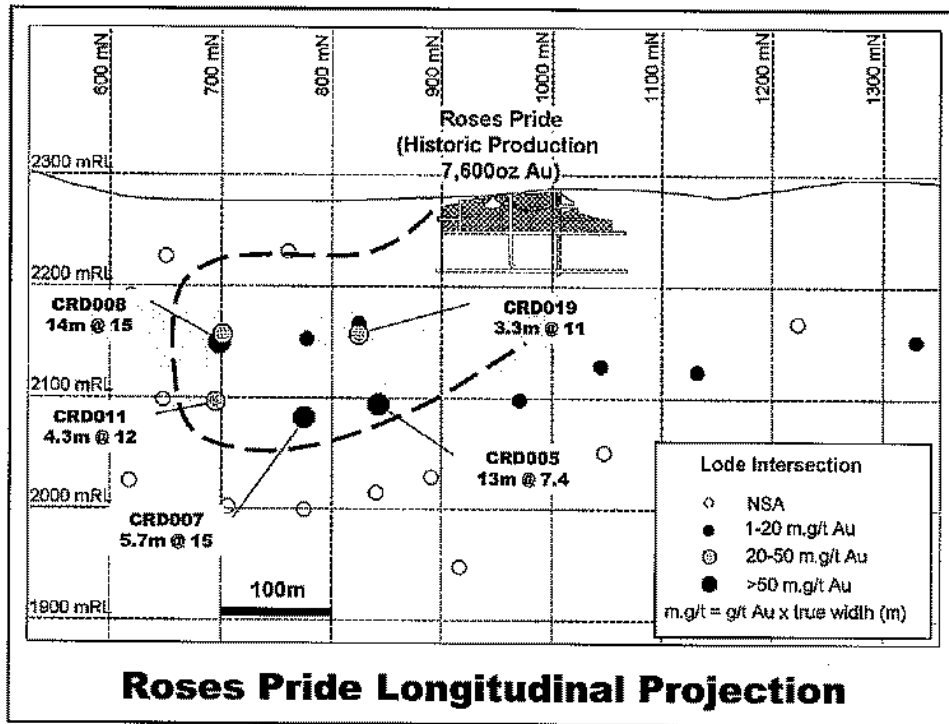
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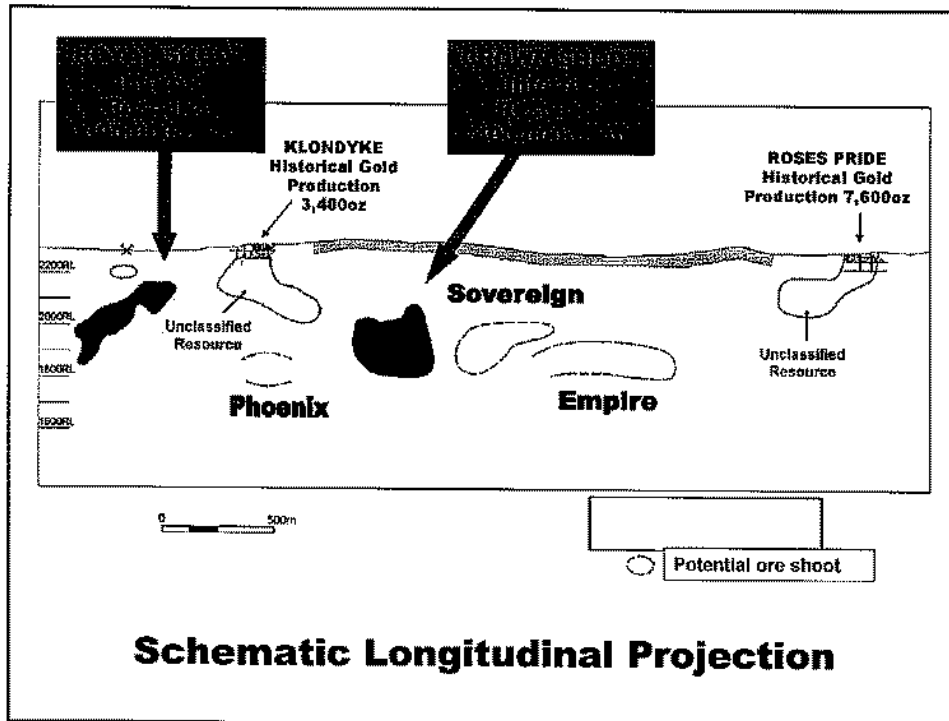




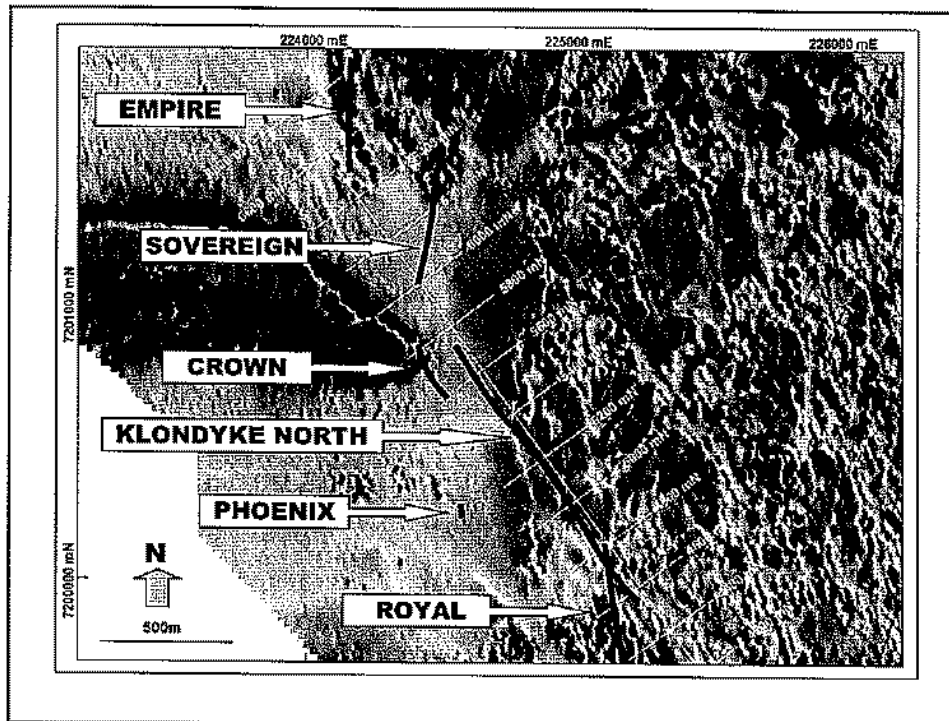
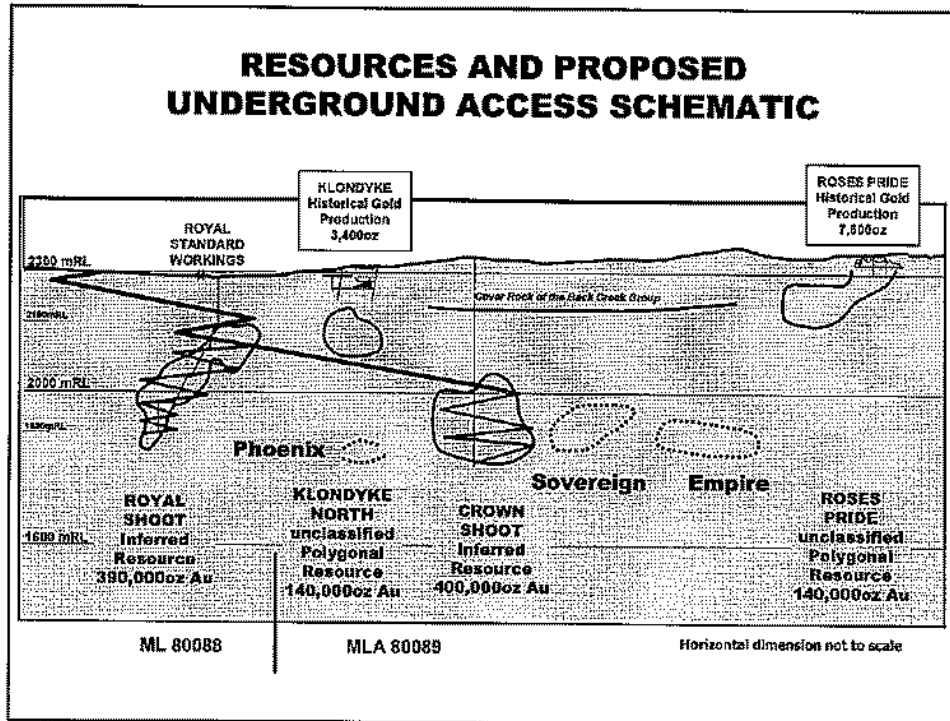


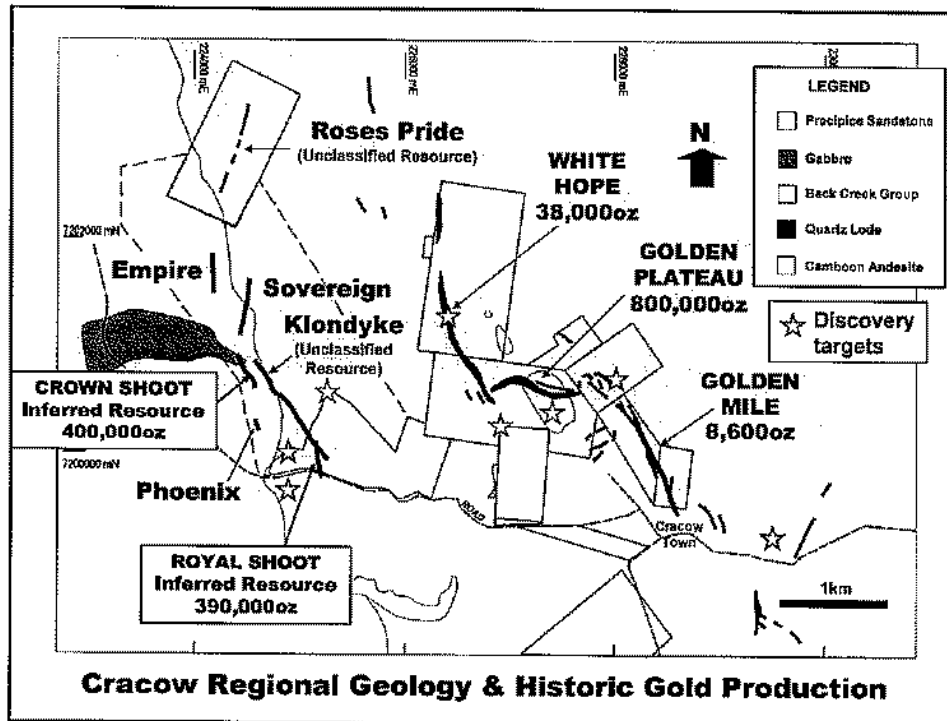


Roses Pride Longitudinal Projection



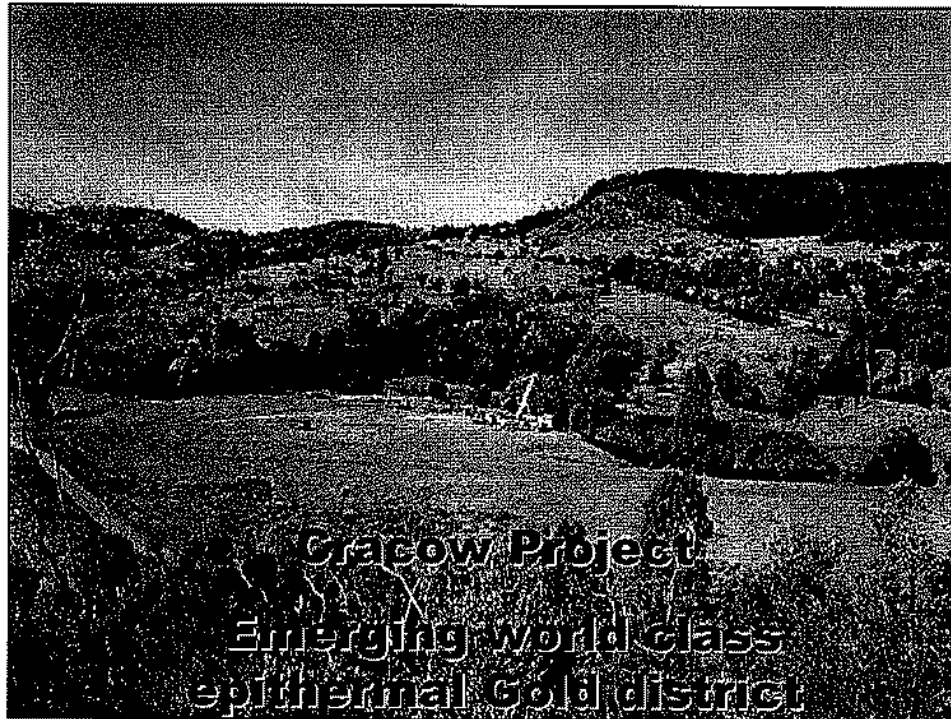
Schematic Longitudinal Projection





Forward Exploration Strategy

- Extensions from known shoots
 - Royal Deep, Crown Deep
- Newly discovered gold mineralised structures
 - Phoenix, Empire, CBK093
- Targets to be tested
 - Crown South, Golden Plateau deep, White Hope, NS8, Crown South, Fordee, Revival



Conclusion

- **Excellent discovery record**
- **Strong Board / CEO support**
- **Growth through discovery**
- **Stable exploration team**

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