

FINAL PHASE OF DEFLECTOR RESOURCE DRILLING DELIVERS FURTHER HIGH-GRADE RESULTS

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- **Exceptional intersections received from final phase of drilling program:**
 - **0.82m @ 39.45 g/t Au and 0.2% Cu**
 - **0.75m @ 67.88 g/t Au**
 - **3.00m @ 8.40 g/t Au**
 - **0.40m @ 50.54 g/t Au**
- **Resource modelling to commence this week.**

Batavia Mining Limited (ASX:BTV) today announced further **excellent high-grade intersections** from the final phase of the expanded in-fill and resource extensional drilling programme at its 100%-owned Deflector Gold-Copper Project at Gullewa in Western Australia.

Outstanding individual gold grades of **up to 68g/t** were returned from the final phase of the program, which has now been completed. The results are currently being collated enabling modelling of a revised resource estimate for the Deflector Deposit to commence later this week.

The drilling program comprised both in-fill and deep drilling, targeting extensions to the current Deflector resource of 2.65 million tonnes at 6.04g/t gold and 1.23% copper (775,000 Au Eq ounces).

As previously advised, Batavia extended the program by drilling an additional 2,700 metres with the objective of lowering the Indicated/Inferred boundary within the mineral resource. A significant portion of the additional holes were drilled on existing RC collars, thus minimising drilling costs.

The assay results from the final stage of drilling are summarised below:

Diamond In-fill and Extensional Drilling Programme

Hole	Downhole Lengths (m)	From Depth (m)	Au (g/t)	Cu %	Lode ID	Collar			Direction	
						mN	mE	mRL	Dip	Azimuth
HDRC034 (I)	1.00	175.00	1.58	<0.1	West	19480	9714	280	-63	91
BDRCD015 (E)	0.82	288.58	39.45	0.2	West	19020	9919	280	-60	270
BDD007 (I)	1.00	172.50	1.53	<0.1	West	19421	9721	280	-60	90
	4.00	197.00	1.97	<0.1						
BDD008 (I)	0.80	297.10	9.77	1.70	West	19240	9610	280	-60	90
	0.75	338.50	67.88	<0.1						
BDD009 (I)	3.00	347.00	7.42	<0.1	West	19240	9550	280	-60	90
	1.00	361.00	1.71	<0.1						
BDD010 (I)	-	-	NSA	NSA	West	19270	9600	280	-60	90
BDD011 (I)	3.00	316.00	8.40	0.1	West	19210	9630	280	-60	90
BDD012 (I)	Abandoned @ 102.5m	-	Not sampled	Not sampled	West	19210	9600	280	-60	90
BDD013 (I)	2.00	303.00	3.34	0.2	West	19210	9597	280	-60	87

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Hole	Downhole Lengths (m)	From Depth (m)	Au (g/t)	Cu %	Lode ID	Collar			Direction	
						mN	mE	mRL	Dip	Azimuth
	1.00	384.00	1.52	<0.1						
BDD014 (E)	1.70	89.30	7.13	<0.1	West	19180	9494	280	-60	90
	0.80	390.60	6.33	<0.1						
	1.44	426.00	1.82	<0.1						
	0.40	455.60	50.54	<0.1						
	1.00	488.00	2.75	<0.1						
BDD015 (I)	1.00	238.00	1.06	<0.1	West	19460	9666	280	-59	91
	1.00	242.00	1.13	<0.1						
	2.00	246.00	2.06	<0.1						
	1.00	302.30	1.33	<0.1						
BDD016 (E)	-	-	NSA	NSA	West	19160	9406	280	-60	90
BDD017 (E)	-	-	NSA	NSA	Central	19238	10155	280	-60	270
BDRCD060 (E)	-	-	NSA	NSA	Central	19238	10157	280	-60	270
BDRCD061 (E)	-	-	NSA	NSA	Central	19300	10060	280	-58	271
BDRCD064 (E)	-	-	NSA	NSA	West	19180	9495	280	-58	89
BDRCD065 (E)	-	-	NSA	NSA	West	19160	9410	280	-58	89
BDRCD066 (E)	-	-	NSA	NSA	West	19260	9510	280	-58	89
BDRCD067 (E)	-	-	NSA	NSA	West	19260	9411	280	-60	89
BDRCD069 (I)	-	-	NSA	NSA	West	19380	9700	280	-58	89
BDRCD42 (I)	-	-	NSA	NSA	West	19159	9726	280	-58	90
BDRCD47 (I)	-	-	NSA	NSA	West	19180	9685	280	-60	90
BDRCD51 (I)	-	-	NSA	NSA	West	19240	9702	280	-60	90

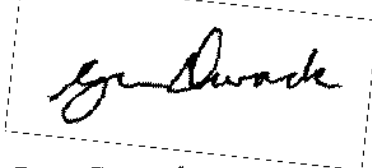
Notes: All drill intervals stated represent downhole lengths
 Au analytical method, FA50/AAS
 Cu analytical method, AX/AAS
 (I) Infill Drilling
 (E) Extensional Drilling
 NSA No Significant Assay

The drilling data is in the process of consolidation and will be forwarded this week to Snowden Mining Industry Consultants to commence the Deflector resource modelling, which is expected to take approximately four weeks to complete.

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Yours faithfully

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