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## RESOURCE RISING STARS CONFERENCE

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## WHY AUSQUEST MAY APPEAL TO YOU?



- Exploration success can bring about a significant increase in share price – *discovery will be rewarded*
  - Recent success stories Sandfire, Sirius prove the point

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- Where will the next one come from? *That's why we are in the game!*
- We have come close three times 1) Iron (Pilbara) 2) Manganese (Sandy Desert) -3) Gold (West Africa)
- Low Enterprise Value (~\$2.0M) compared with peers strong prospects in Fraser Range (Ni-Cu), Peru (Cu-Au) & West Africa (Au)

## **EXPLORATION - OUR APPROACH**



- Look for something of scale provincial targets
- Good concepts & early mover status secures dominant land positions – large tenement packages
- A *talented* & experienced pool of *people* done it before
- A *pipeline of projects* to reduce the risk move on if no success
  - 'A HEALTHY DOSE OF LUCK'

### COMPARISON WITH PEERS





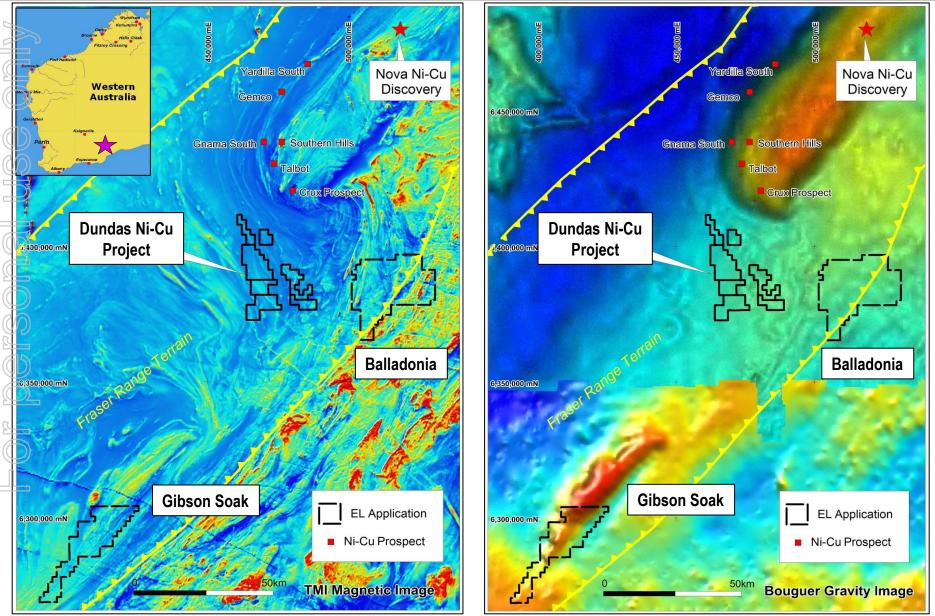
## PROJECTS AND PROGRAMS



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- Significant land holding (~1280km<sup>2</sup>) in the new Fraser Range Ni-Cu Province of WA
- Programs in place to identify targets for drilling
- Early-mover status in Peru one of the world's most prominent destinations for Cu exploration
- Strong land position with at least 7 large scale Cu-Au targets ready for drilling
- Major boost to **gold exploration** expenditure in **West Africa** through JV with local gold producer

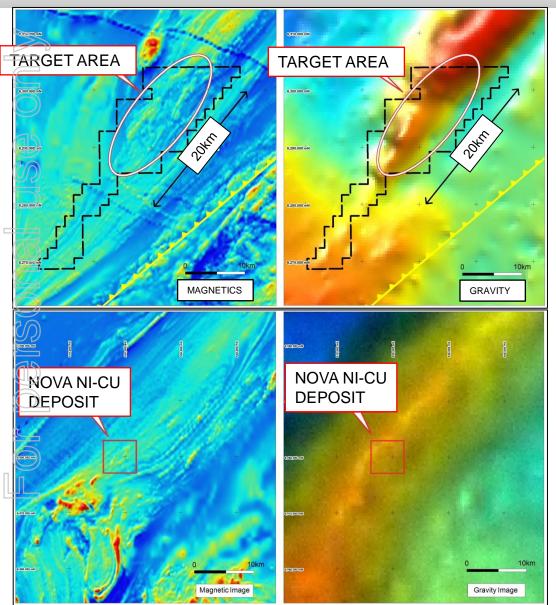
### FRASER RANGE NI-CU PROJECTS





### GIBSON SOAK NI-CU TARGET

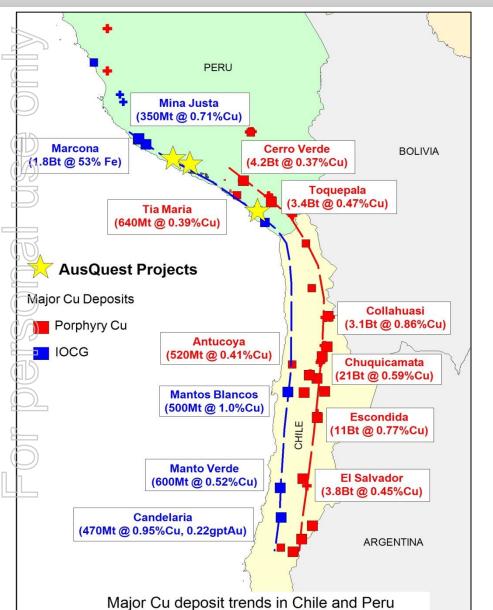




- New EL application within
  Fraser Range terrain
- Similar magnetic and gravity patterns to Nova region
- >20km of prospective strike to be tested
- Little historic exploration
- 30km north of Esperance port
- Targeted EM and sampling approach

### **PERU - THE PLACE TO BE**

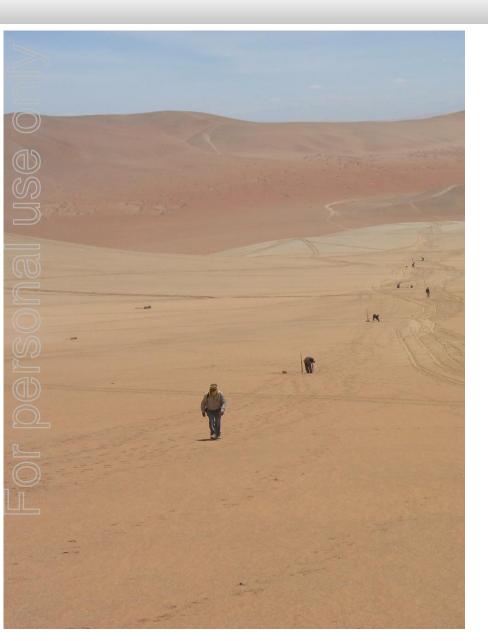




- Excellent copper pedigree
- Contains some of the world's largest copper deposits
- The world's third largest copper producer – 1250ktpa Cu and rising
- A mining friendly jurisdiction encouraging exploration
- Comparatively under explored especially in covered areas

### **UNDERCOVER - THE REAL OPPORTUNITY**

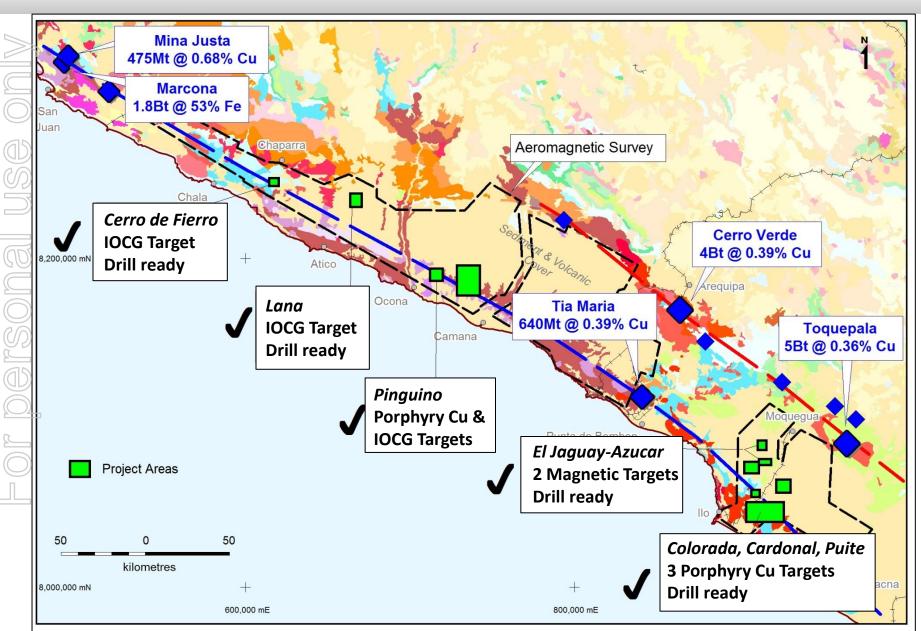




- Covered areas restricted historic exploration
- More Cu deposits to be found under cover
- Aeromagnetics used for area selection
- Mapping & sampling used to prioritise prospects
- Magnetic gravity & IP targets ready for drilling

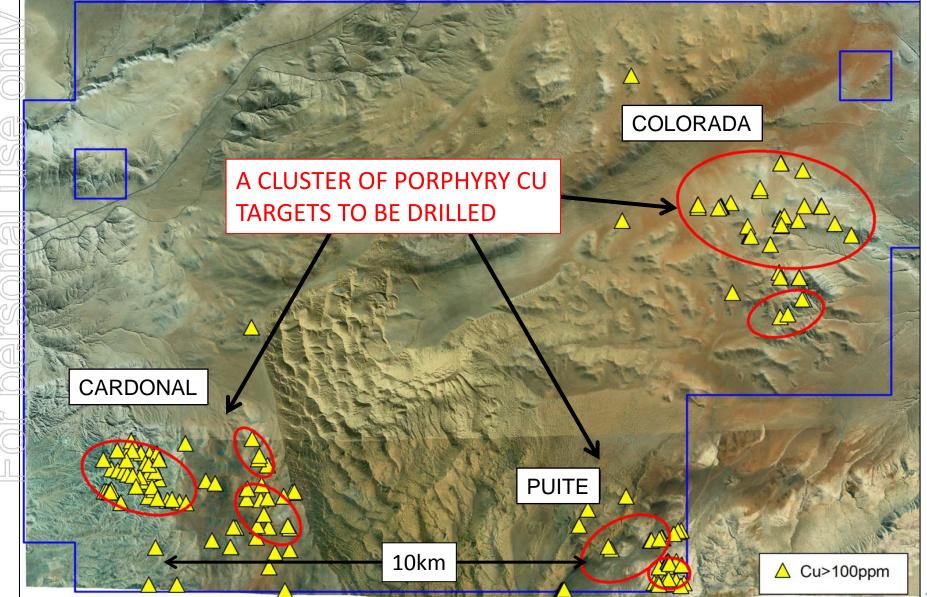
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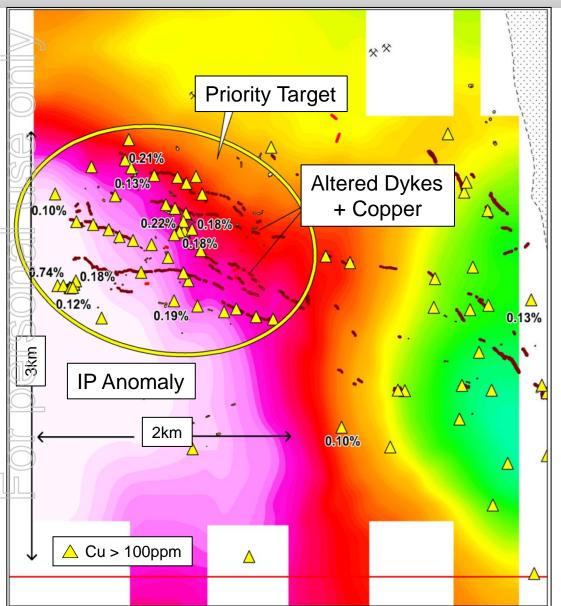


## MULTIPLE COPPER TARGETS





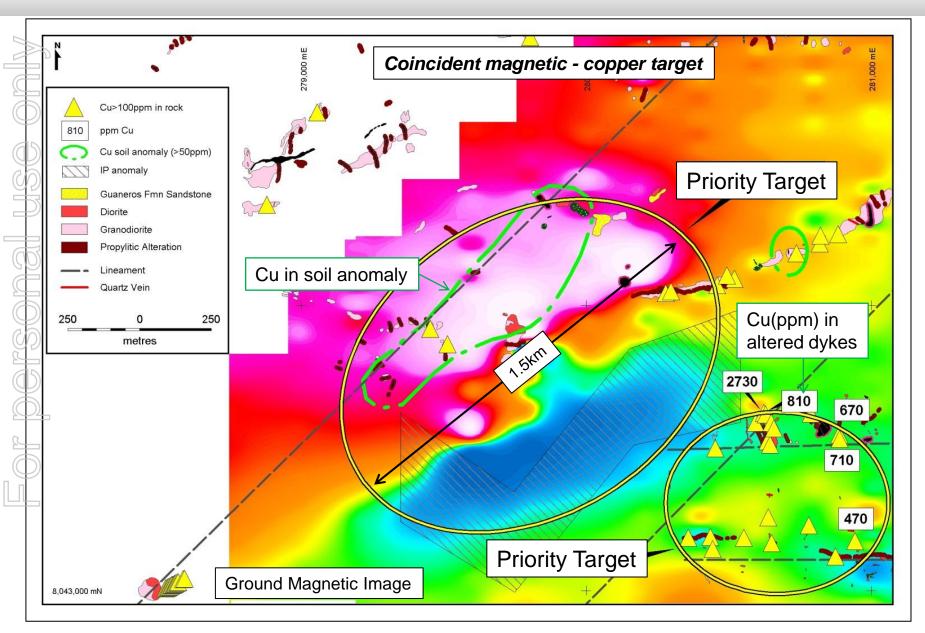
## CARDONAL PORPHYRY CU TARGET



- Anomalous Cu in altered
  dykes and breccias
- Intense dyking in limited area
- Large variety of intrusive rock types
- Very Large IP anomaly
  (>6km<sup>2</sup>) at depth large
  sulphide system
- A buried Porphyry?
- Similarities with the Tia Maria Deposit?

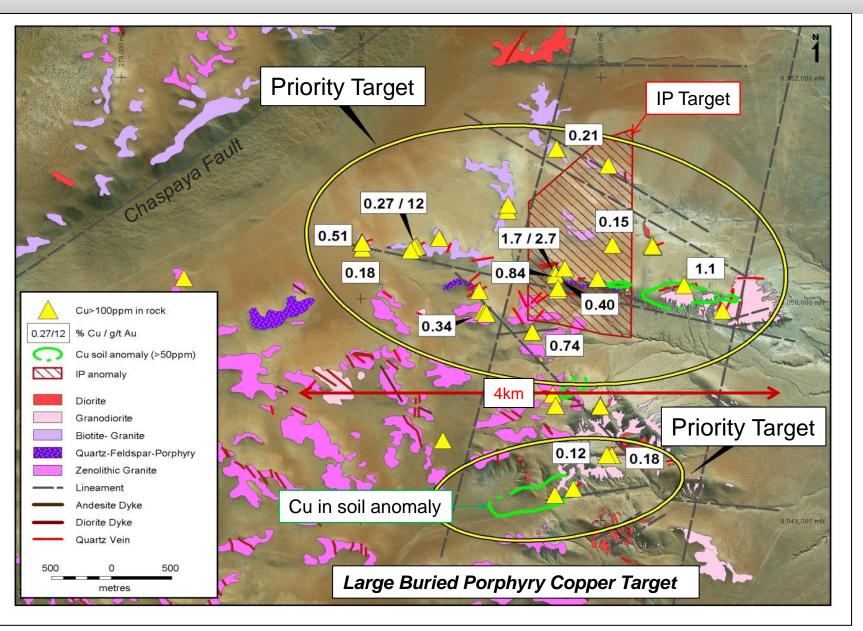
### PUITE PORPHYRY CU- IOCG TARGET





#### COLORADA PORPHYRY CU TARGET



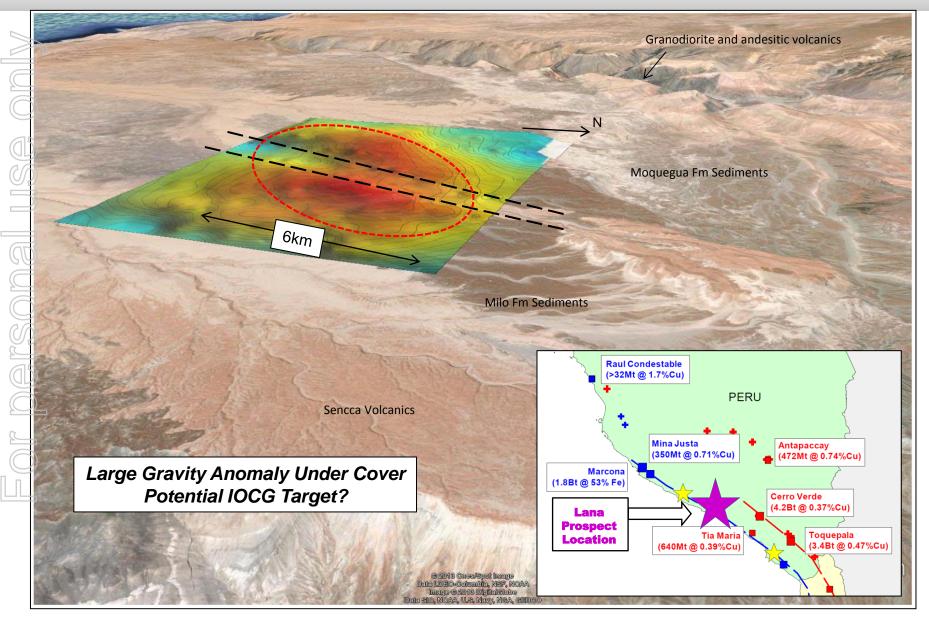


#### COLORADA CU-AU WORKINGS



#### LANA GRAVITY TARGET





## FUTURE ACTIVITIES



## Fraser Range Ni-Cu Projects

- Target definition work at Gibson Soak, Balladonia and Dundas prospects
  - Target drilling as required

### Peru Porphyry Cu and/or IOCG Projects

- Drill large porphyry Cu &/or IOCG targets at Lana, Puite, Cardonal & Colorada pending drill permit approvals
- Prepare IOCG prospects (3) for drilling
- Identify new targets for drilling (eg Pinguino)





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