# Drilling Program Recommences At Kabanga Jirani Nickel Project

- Diamond Drilling (DD) and Reverse Circulation (RC) rigs have been mobilised to the Luhuma trend location.
- Several new DD and RC drill collar locations have been prepared for drilling, following integration of recent soil geochemistry results.
- Audio magnetotelluric (AMT) survey team and equipment on site to assist drilling.
- Exploration team on site for drill core logging and processing.

Adavale Resources Limited (ASX: ADD) ("ADD" or "Company") is pleased to announce that drilling at its Kabanga Jirani Nickel Project in Tanzania has recommenced.

# Adavale's Executive Director, David Riekie commented:

"The Company is excited to recommence drilling on its high priority targets, including new drill collar locations generated from integrating new geochemical soil data obtained during the wet season. Drilling is expected to include an initial mix of RC and diamond drilling totalling 5,000m over the coming months."

# Stage 1 Drilling Campaign

The initial drilling program has recommenced within the Luhuma Trend situated within a narrow strike extensive zone in Adavale's Kabanga North-East Licence shown in Figure 1.

Drilling will include an initial RC and DD campaign of 5,000m, comprising 12 RC holes to ~150m depth and 8-10 DD holes to ~350m depth.<sup>1</sup>

Priority areas identified for drilling in 2023 include the promising HEM 2 target and confirming a 15km strike extension to the north that sits within the broader Luhuma trend.<sup>1</sup>

This trend hosts a series of mafic-ultramafic intrusions from which several historical massive Ni sulphide intersections have been reported and contain prospective host rocks and known sulphide mineralisation and is considered highly prospective.<sup>1</sup>

## <sup>1</sup> ASX Release 27 January 2023 "Nickel Sulphide host rocks intercepted at Kabanga Jirani"

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#### **ISSUED CAPITAL**

Shares: ~520 million Unlisted options: 112 million Performance rights: 17 million

## **ABOUT ADAVALE**

Adavale Resources is an ASX-listed exploration company targeting projects in the 'battery materials' space. The company is currently focused on both its 100% owned Kabanga Jirani Nickel Project and 2 Farm-in 'Luhuma' licences adjacent and along strike from the world's largest undeveloped high grade NiS resource of 58Mt @ 2.62% Ni. Adavale is also progressing exploration on its 100% owned uranium tenements in South Australia



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Audio magnetotelluric (**AMT**) surveys and Downhole Electromagnetics (**DHEM**) will be undertaken during the drilling campaign. DD core and RC chips will initially be assessed at the exploration field camp by the Company's exploration team using pXRF before despatching selected samples for assay.

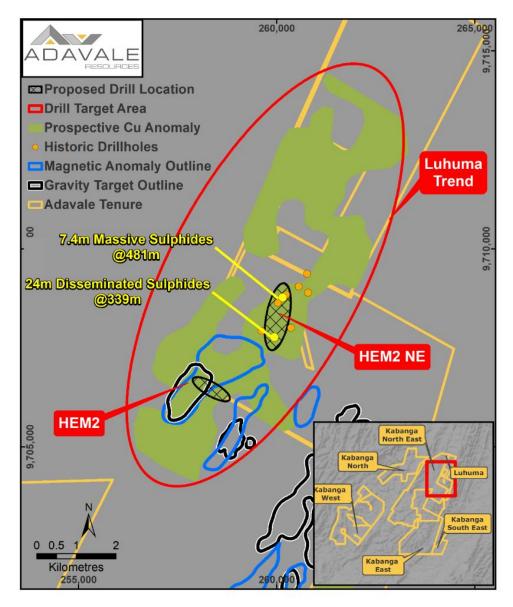


Figure 1: Luhuma Trend soil geochemical survey anomalies, target areas and proposed drill locations

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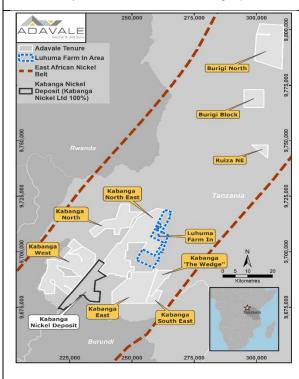
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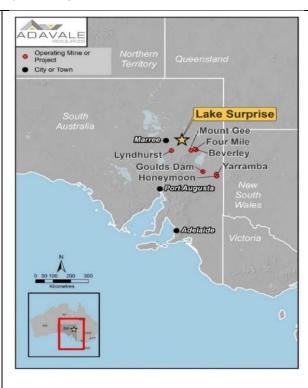
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Adavale Resources Limited (ASX:ADD) is a nickel sulphide exploration company that holds 100% of the Kabanga Jirani Nickel Project, a portfolio of nine highly prospective granted licences covering ~1,212km² along the Karagwe-Ankolean belt in Tanzania. The six southernmost licences are proximal to the world-class Kabanga Nickel Deposit (58Mt @ 2.62% Ni). Adavale has farmed-in to two more highly prospective licences contiguous to our six southernmost licences, adding a further 99km² to the portfolio 1,311sq km). Adavale's licences were selected based on their strong geochemical and geophysical signatures from the previous exploration undertaken by BHP.

Adavale also holds exploration licences for their sedimentary uranium potential within the northern part of the highly prospective Lake Frome Embayment in South Australia. Drilling is planned for Lake Surprise in early 2023.





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