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#### **ANDOVER**

## Growing into a significant Ni-Cu-Co sulphide deposit

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### **Corporate Snapshot**



MAJOR SHAREHOLDERS		
Deutsche Balaton	18.3%	
Creasy Group	15.0%	
Teck Resources Ltd	6.8%	
Directors & Management	1.5%	
Top 20	53.1%	

CORPORATE	
Share Price (@ 28 May 2021)	A\$0.
Shares	308,085,7
Options	3,750,0
Market Cap	A\$92 millio
Cash (@ 31 March 2021)	A\$34.6 millio

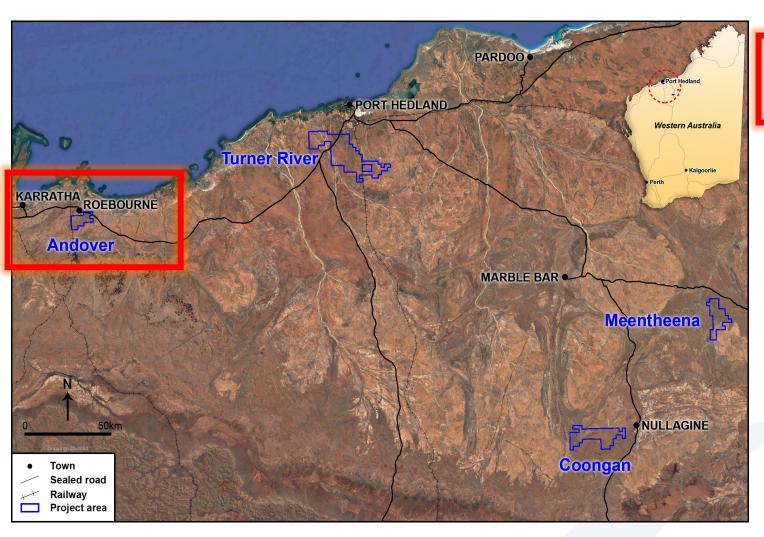
DIRECTORS		
Brian Thomas	Chairman	
Tony Rovira	Managing Director	
Peter Ingram	Non-Executive Director	
Hansjörg Plaggemars	Non-Executive Director	
Annie Guo	Non-Executive Director	

MANAGEMENT		
Brett Dickson	CFO & Company Secretary	
Graham Leaver	Exploration Manager	
James Dornan	Project Development Manager	



#### The Pilbara – a Tier 1 exploration & mining district





Andover: 60% Azure / 40% Creasy Group
Two new nickel-copper sulphide discoveries

<u>Turner River</u>: 70% Azure / 30% Creasy Group Adjacent to De Grey's Mallina Gold Project & Hemi gold discovery

Coongan: 70% Azure / 30% Creasy Group
Adjacent to Novo Resources' Beatons Creek
Gold Mine

Meentheena: 70% Azure / 30% Creasy Group Gold exploration by Creasy since 1994

#### Andover & Azure: right project for the right company





#### **Andover:** a major new Ni-Cu-Co sulphide discovery

- High-value battery metals (Ni-Cu-Co)
- Great location
- Resource drill-out with 3 rigs operating

#### Azure: a well-funded, highly successful team

- A\$34.6M in cash
- Well-experienced in exploration and mine development

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#### Andover: a fertile, nickel-rich environment



Layered mafic-ultramafic intrusion

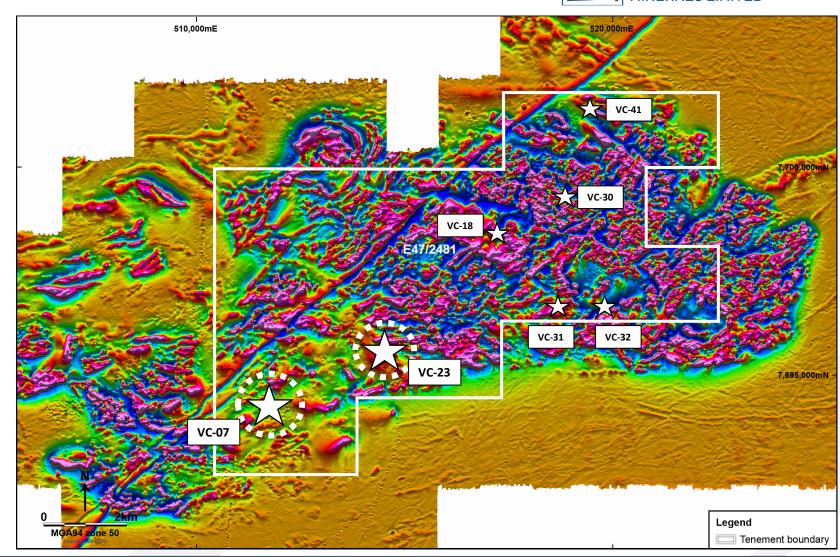
➤ Similar to Fraser Range & Julimar

Significant **Ni-Cu-Co** sulphides discovered at **VC-07 & VC-23** 

Multiple geophysical (EM) targets

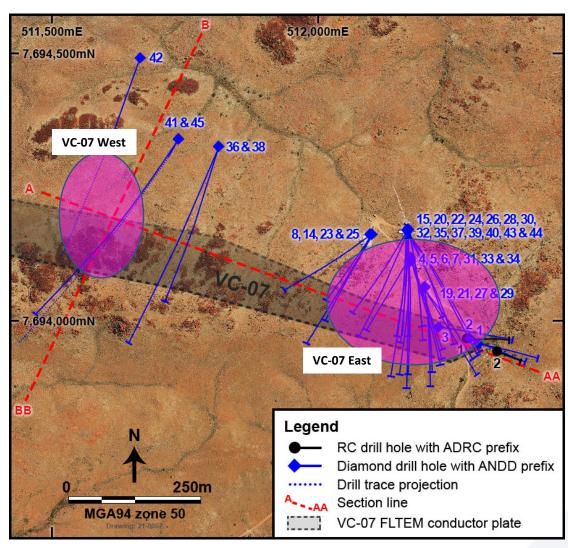
No false positives from EM surveys

**EM conductors = Ni-Cu sulphides** 



#### VC-07: >1,000m mineralised corridor





Multiple steeply plunging mineralised shoots extending from near-surface to >400m vertical depth

**VC-07 East: >300m long** 

Average overall mineralised intervals:

15m – 20m wide @ 1.2% Ni to 1.5% Ni

Average internal high-grade zone:

6m – 8m wide @ 2.3% Ni to 2.5% Ni

#### VC-07 West:

New discovery

Two mineralised zones drilled

Untested EM targets

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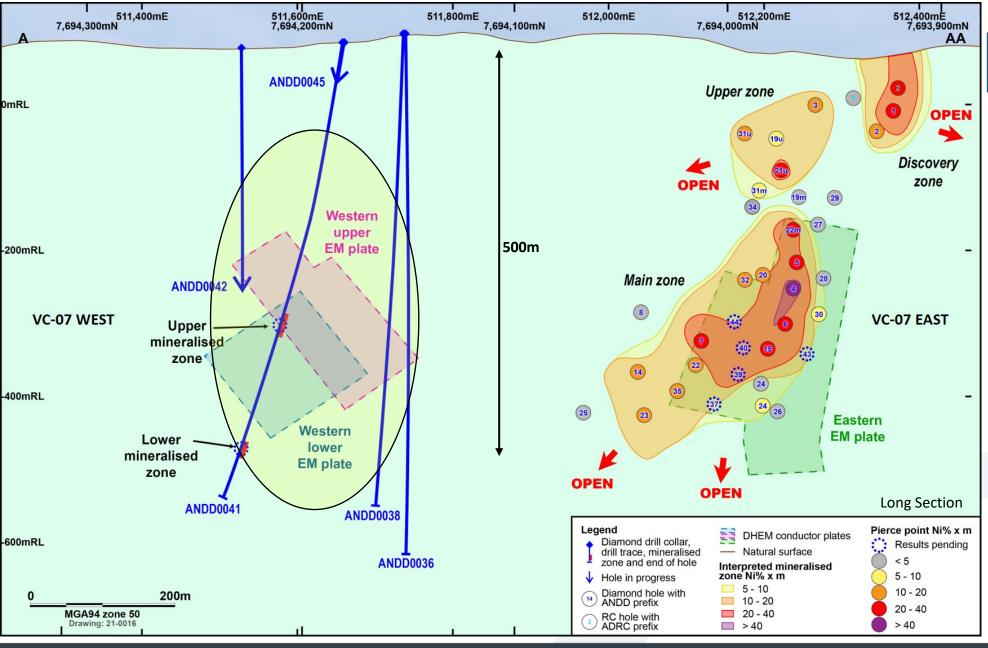
#### Massive, breccia & matrix Ni-Cu sulphides











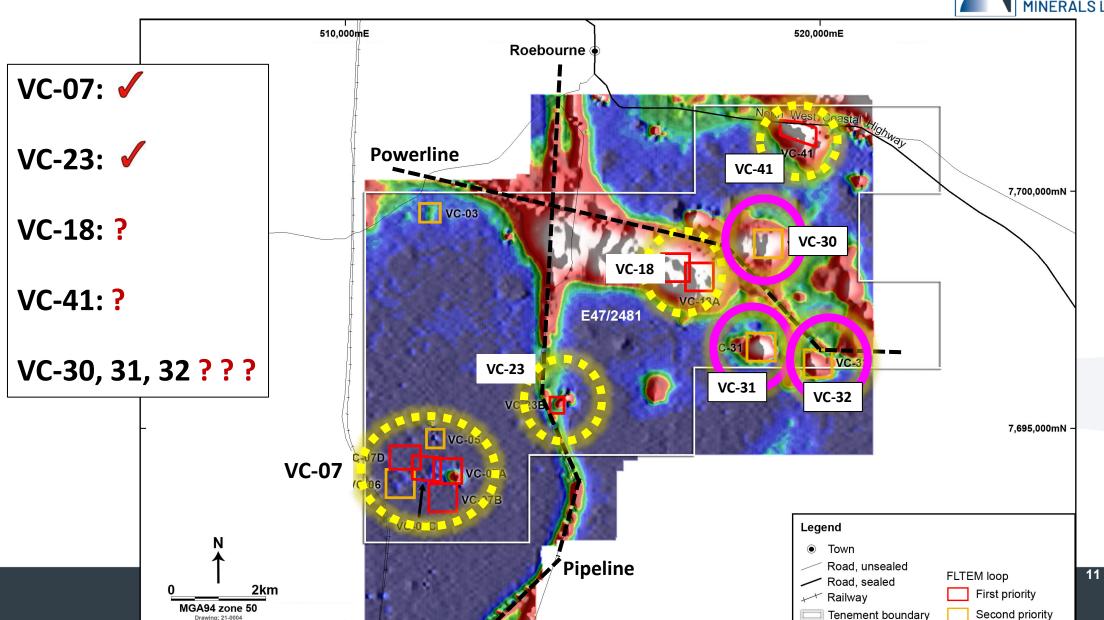


At VC-07
EM conductors
=
Ni-Cu sulphides

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#### Do EM conductors always = Ni-Cu sulphides?





### 2021 Program at Andover – fully funded



VC-07 resource drill-out: ~30,000m

**DHTEM** surveys guiding resource drilling

Aim: Mineral Resource by ~Q4 2021

Exploration drilling: VC-23, VC-18, VC-41 etc

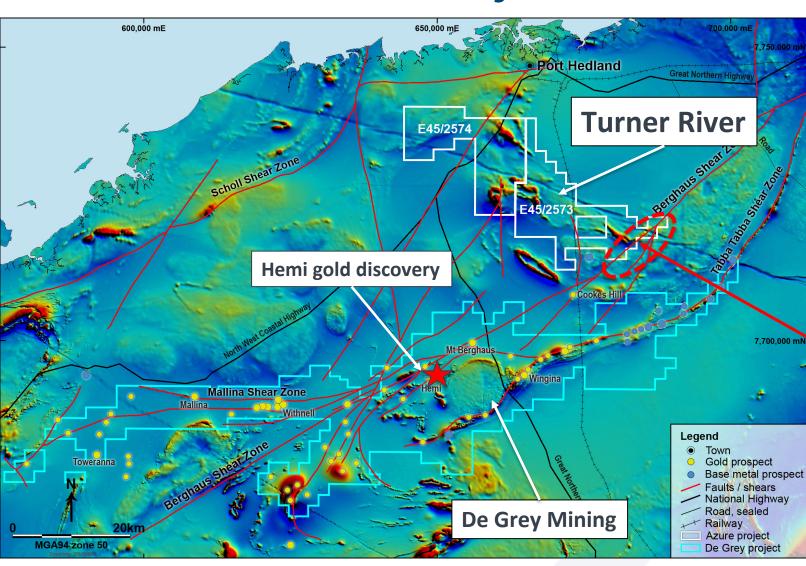
**FLTEM** surveys guiding exploration drilling

**Development Studies underway** 

- Metallurgical testwork
- Geotechnical & mining
- Environment & heritage
- Infrastructure & logistics

#### **Turner River Gold Project**





450km<sup>2</sup> of unexplored ground

Fertile, gold-rich structural setting

Adjacent to De Grey Mining's Mallina Gold Project:

- 2.2Moz gold resources
- Hemi gold discovery

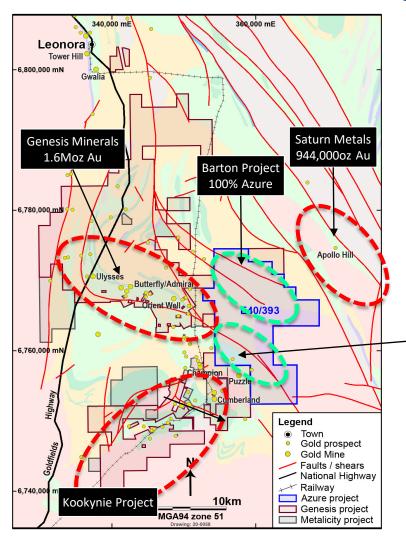
12km strike of the major gold-rich Berghaus Shear Zone

Geophysics and systematic bedrock drilling planned for Turner River

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#### **Barton Gold Project**





- Strong regional gold endowment with multiple gold deposits
- 200km<sup>2</sup> Mostly soil covered and very under-explored
- Limited bedrock drilling intersected shallow gold mineralisation

Daisy Corner (drilled 1995-97)
40m @ 0.20g/t Au
18m @ 0.77g/t Au
(incl. 7m @ 1.26g/t Au)
8m @ 0.53g/t Au

Systematic bedrock drilling planned

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### **Key take-aways**



- Strong cash position with \$34.6M delivering news flow through 2021
- Resource drill-out of VC-07 Ni-Cu-Co sulphide deposit through Q3/Q4 2021
- 3 rigs drilling 3 holes every 12-14 days
- Plus, exploration drilling at VC-23 and other regional Ni-Cu-Co targets planned
- Project development studies underway at Andover
- Gold exploration at Turner River and Barton in mid-2021
- Strategic review (potential divestment) of Mexican assets in progress





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