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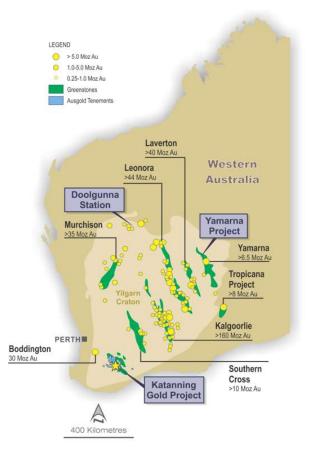
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## **Investment Highlights**



## Katanning – An Outstanding Whole of Belt Exploration Play

	Critical Mass – Large established Resource			
Foundation	1.84Moz @ 1.24g/t gold Resource			
	>1.2Moz now in the Measured and Indicated category			
	• 635,000oz added during 2021			
	Stand-alone gold operation +100kozpa			
	Excellent metallurgical recoveries			
	Low EV of \$67 per Resource oz – significant upside opportunity relative to peers			
	Potential for Large Near-Term Scale discovery			
Scale	High-impact 60 000m drill program completed			
	<ul> <li>High-impact 60,000m drill program completed</li> <li>Further Resource upgrade - April 2022</li> </ul>			
	<ul> <li>Prefeasibility Study underway - Maiden Reserve - June 2022</li> </ul>			
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	Other High value projects			
Optionality	Woodanilling Nickel-Copper-PGE     Doolgunna JV Copper/Gold;     Crassiv Cold/Coppers and			
	<ul> <li>prospectivity</li> <li>Yamarna JV Nickel/Copper/Cobalt;</li> <li>Cracow Gold/Copper; and</li> <li>Lake Magenta Gold</li> </ul>			



### Corporate



	Capital Structu
at 1 April 2022	
Shares on Issue	1,959m
Unlisted Options (@ A\$0.06) Performance Rights	26.7m 29m
Share Price	A\$0.067
Market Capitalisation	A\$131m
Cash	A\$11.8m





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## Background



#### **Critical mass foundation established**

#### 1.84Moz @ 1.24g/t

Supports a stand-alone gold operation >100kozpa

# Large Exploration Program

## High-impact 30,000m RC Resource drill program

high-grade mineralisation including:

- 28m @ 11.3 g/t from 90m
- 20m @ 10.5 g/t from 10m
- 26m @ 6.6 g/ t from 117m
- 20m @ 7.6 g/ t from 96m
- 13m @ 11.3 g/t from 7m
- 28m @ 4.8 g/ t from 49m
- 20m @ 6.5 g/ t from 93m
- 20m @ 15.6 g/t from 97m

#### **Resource upgrade April 2022**

#### **Upgraded Resource**

**635,000 oz** added during 2021 at low discovery cost of **\$10 per Resource oz** 

**Gold ounces 1.84moz,** 54% increase from 1.20moz

**M+l Resource over 1.2moz** @ 1.29g/t

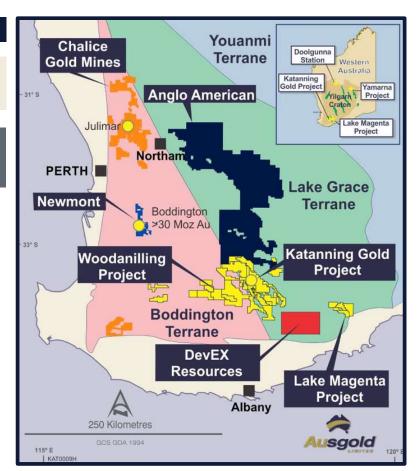
**Exceptional Metallurgy** total Recoveries up to 96%

## Another Resource upgrade Q2 2022

Maiden Ore Reserve Q22022

#### **Project Infrastructure**

- Excellent infrastructure with:
  - access to grid power
  - sealed roads
  - nearby towns
- +4,000km² landholding covering 130km strike length
- Resource on granted Mining Licences
- Tenements on freehold land, not subject to Native Title



## Metallurgy



#### Excellent results from first phase metallurgical test work

#### **Exceptional gold recoveries**

- Recoveries of coarse gravity gold between 40 69%
- Preliminary leach extractions demonstrate average total gold recoveries of between 88 – 94% for the Central Zone ores at a 75 µm grind and 24 hour leach time. Higher total gold recoveries of 91 - 96% achieved at finer grinds and longer leach times are to be optimized as part of the current test work program
- Low cyanide consumption of 0.5-0.7 kg/t

#### Supports simple, low risk operation

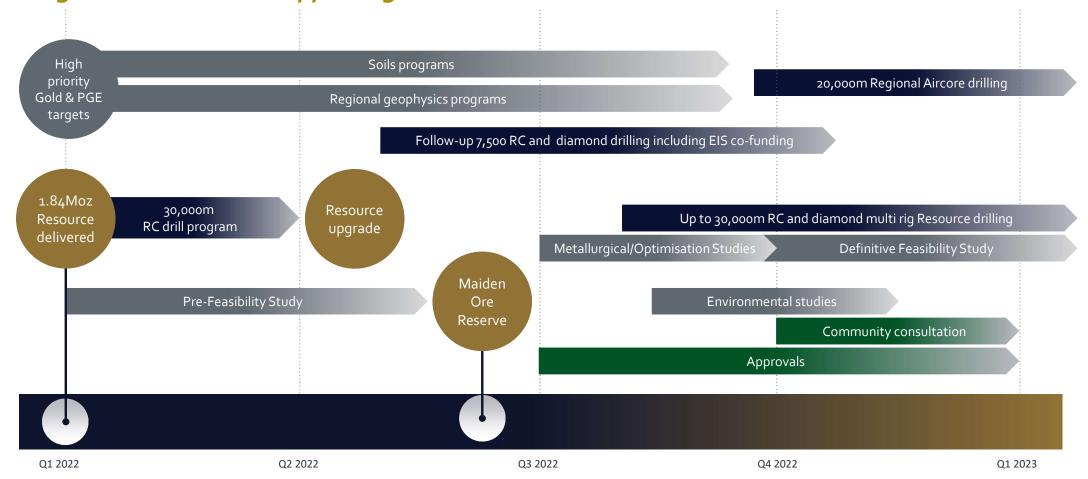
 Testwork demonstrates that Katanning Gold ore is free milling and amenable to a conventional CIL processing flowsheet with recoveries up to 96%

Resource upgrade on track for late April 2022 and Prefeasibility Studies (PFS) targeted for completion late Q2 CY2022

## Building a multi-million ounce mining project



Large scale activities supporting multi-million ounce Resource ambition



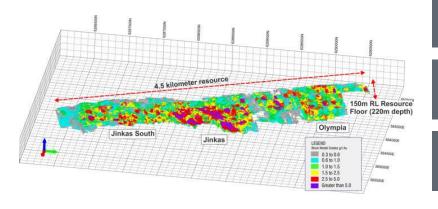


#### **Whole-of-Belt Exploration Play**

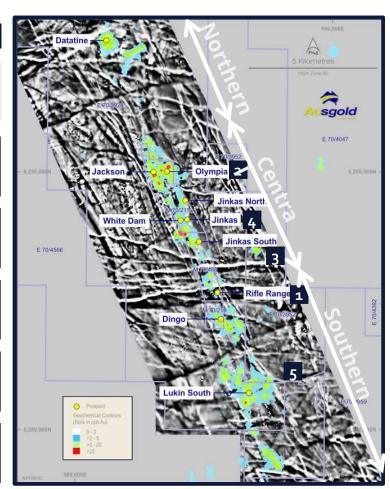
Improved geological model has identified numerous high-grade targets in untested exploration areas along 17km strike

Targeting multiple areas for growth in Resource, which is supported by a number of outstanding exploration opportunities within and outside existing Resource areas.

CY2022 exploration program funded.



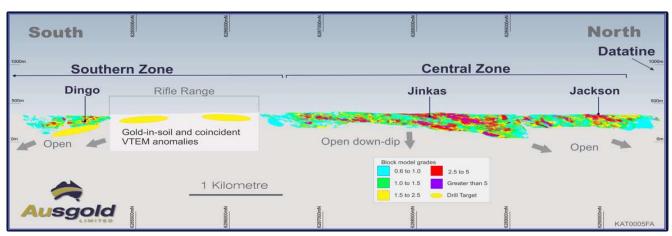
- Rifle Range 2.5km untested zone
- <sup>2</sup> Jinkas North Olympia -Resource extensions
- Jinkas South high-grade lode remains open
- Underground potential
- Southern zone



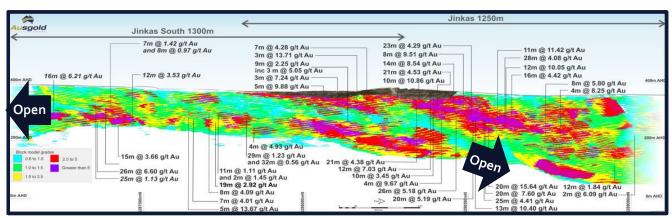
## **Katanning overview**







Katanning Long section highlighting the Central Zone



**Katanning - Main Strike Zone Areas** 

Recently completed high-grade gold mineralisation hits

#### Jinkas North and South

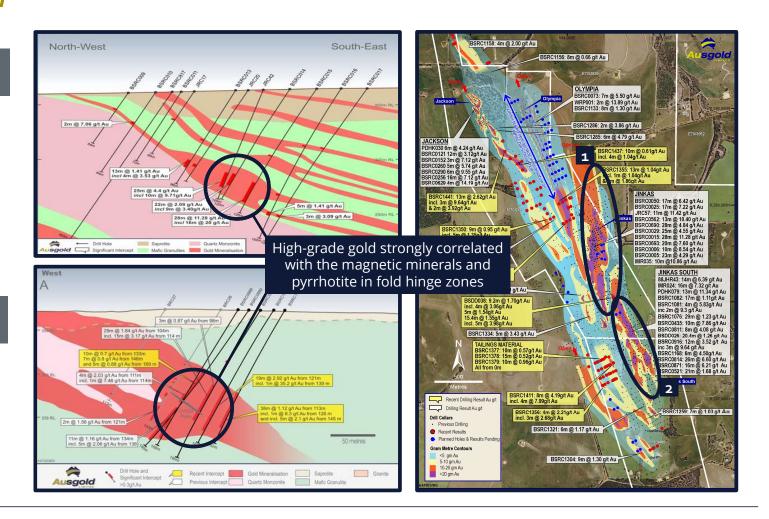
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#### 1. Jinkas North

850 metre gap in drilling along strike from high-grade Jinkas lode with coincident geophysical and geochemical anomalies, and includes underground potential with drilling underway Q2 2022

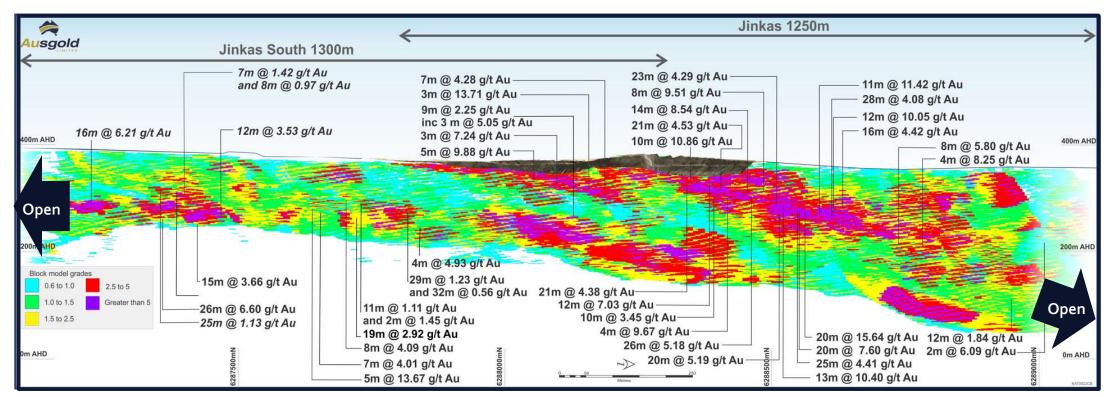
#### 2. Jinkas South

High-grade parallel lode intersected over 1,300 metres, remains open both north and south along strike. DHEM targets identified **further drilling planned** 



## **Jinkas South Long Section**





Jinkas Long section with recently completed drilling high-grade gold mineralisation

## Scale Opportunity – Underground Potential

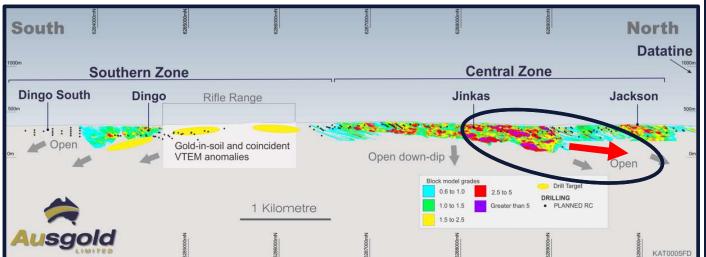
## underground Resource 0.54 Mt @ 3.1 g/t for 54Koz

Untested limited drilling > 300m depth

- Open along strike and at depth
- potential to add high grade Resource ounces

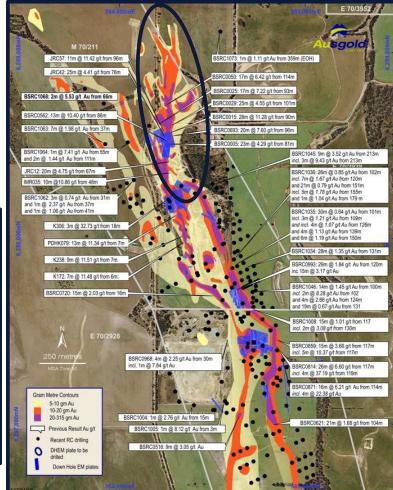
Down-plunge extensions of high-grade Jinkas and Jinkas South lodes identified

Downhole EM targets identified – drilling underway



Katanning long section highlighting the identified areas for underground potential





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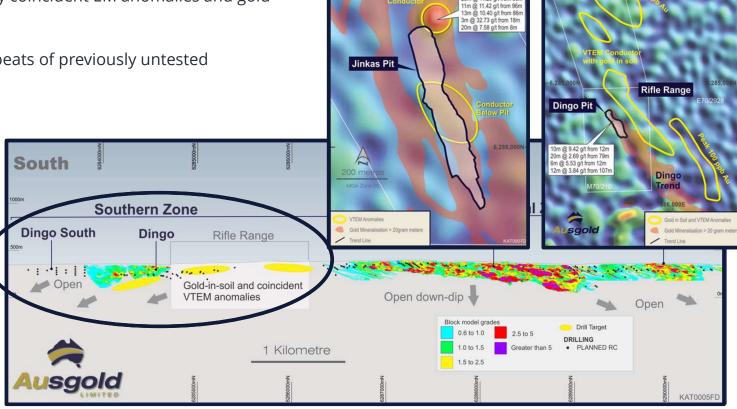
#### Rifle Range and Southern Zone

RC drill program along 2.5 km Rifle Range with follow-up drilling planned in Q2 2022, with new targets supported by coincident EM anomalies and gold-in-soil anomalies.

Southern plunge direction indicates repeats of previously untested mineralised geology of Central Zone.

Gold-in-soil anomalies at Rifle Range higher than the gold-in-soils within the Central Zone.

The Company believes the opportunity at Rifle Range and Southern Zone has the potential to materially change the scale of the Katanning Resource.

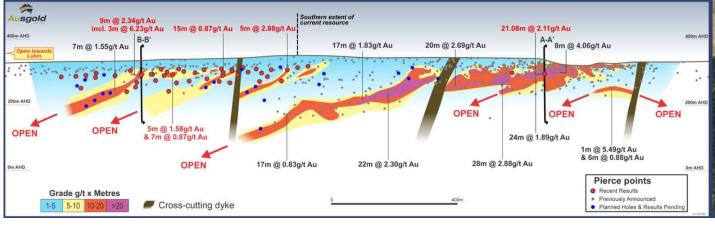


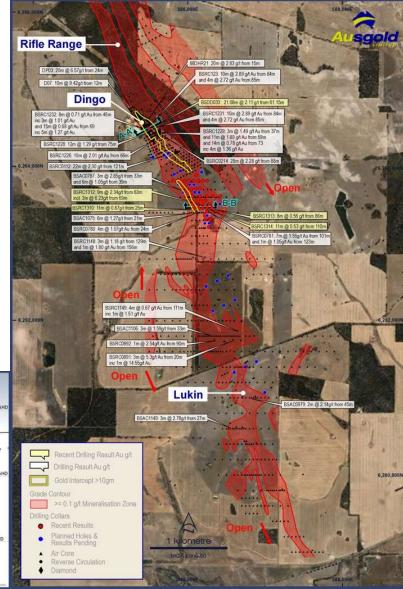
#### Southern Zone

Southern Zone follows along strike from the Central Zone mineralisation with extensive gold mineralisation identified in aircore drilling over 8km strike length, with encouraging results from Recent drilling including:

- 21m @ 2.11 g/t Au from 61.08m including 4.81m @ 6.33 g/t Au in BSDD033
- 10m @ 2.89 g/t Au from 84m including 3m @ 8.35 g/t Au in BSRC1231
- 6m @ 4.5 g/t Au from 32m including 2m @ 12.75 g/t Au in BSRC1168
- 9m @ 2.52 g/t Au from 85m including 5m @ 4.09 g/t Au in BSRC1200
- 18m @ 1.23 g/t Au from 83m in BSRC1230
- 10m @ 2.01 g/t Au from 66m in BSRC1226

**Over 900m additional strike length beyond current Resource** identified in new drilling





#### Near Resource Potential



#### Northern zone

- New discovery Burong Datatine Trend
- Mineralisation identified along a strike length of 10 km
- Maiden RC drill program to intersect broad zone of mineralisation up to 6.47g/t bottom of hole

#### **Southern Zone**

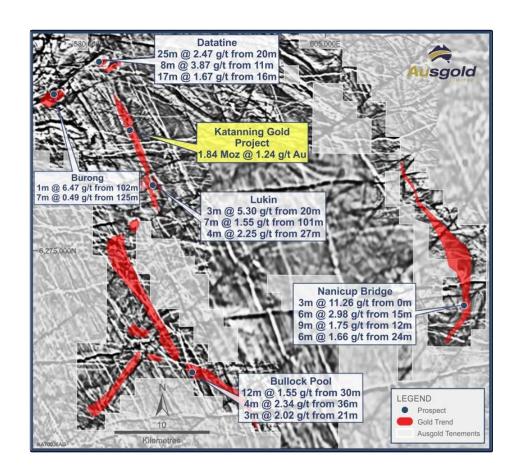
- Gold anomalism over 7km of strike length at Lukin
- Mineralisation intersected in wide-spaced AC and RC drilling
- RC and diamond drilling planned

#### **Bullock Pool**

- Gold mineralisation over strike length of 25km
- EIS co-funded drilling

#### **Nanicup Bridge**

- · Gold mineralisation over 20km strike
- Large structure parallel to the KGP
- · EIS co-funded drilling



#### Untested regional potential >4,200 km<sup>2</sup>

- Large Exploration program underway
- 12 high priority targets 30,000m Aircore drilling and 2,500m Auger

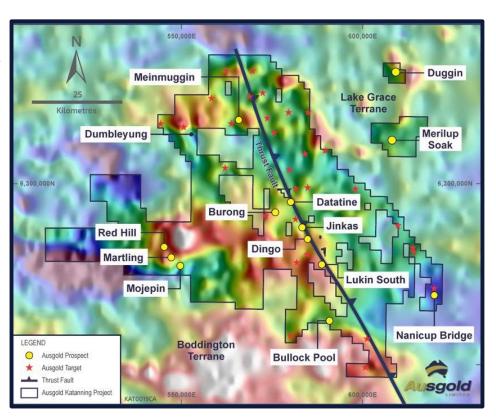
#### Gold

- Extensive ground position +4,200km<sup>2</sup> covering 130km strike of underexplored greenstones
- 46 advanced gold targets identified in underexplored greenstone belt

#### **Gold - PGE Potential**

- Large magmatic system centered around the Woodanilling 25 kmwide intrusive complex
- Expanded ground holding targeting layered mafic ultramafic intrusions prospective for Au-Pt-Pd
- Recent drill program has identified mineralisation with zones with >140 ppb Pt-Pd and massive chalcopyrite elevated silver





## **Summary**



### Katanning – An Outstanding Whole-of-Belt Exploration Play

**Foundation** Critical Mass

**1.84Moz** @ **1.24g/t gold Resource** with 1.2Moz in the Measured and Indicated categories - enough to support a mid-tier stand-alone gold operation >100kozpa

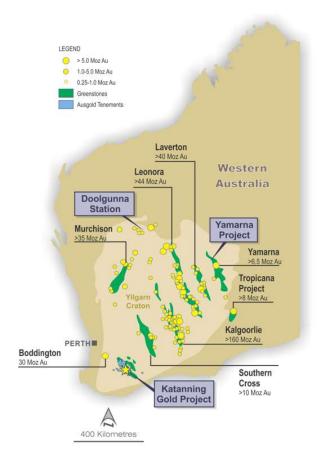
Scale Potential for multi-million Ounce Scale

Funded high-impact 60,000m drill program underway will further build Resource scale and test gold and PGE potential across entire belt

**Optionality** 

High value projects

Portfolio of high value projects targeting gold, copper, PGE and nickel in tier-one mining districts







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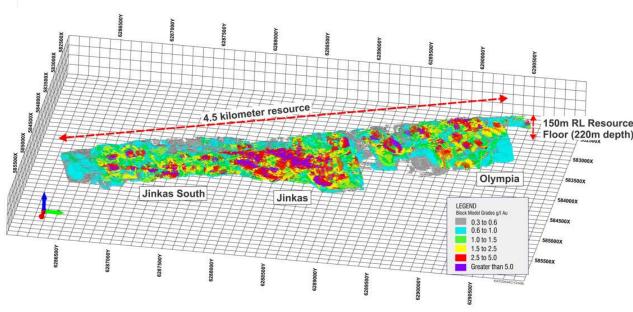
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## **Katanning Gold Project Resource**



- 1.84 Moz @ 1.24 g/t Au in KGP Resource
- 1.2Moz of Resource in Measured and Indicated categories
- Open below 150 m depth and along strike

Mineral Resources*	Tonnes (Mt)	Gold (g/t)	Moz
Measured	6.59	1.64	349,000
Indicated	21.97	1.19	841,000
Inferred	17.58	1.14	647,000
Total	46.14	1.24	1,837,000



<sup>\*</sup> KGP Mineral Resource estimates prepared by independent specialists and reviewed by SRK Consulting in compliance with recommendations outlined in the Australasian Code for Reporting Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves (2012) by the Joint Ore Reserves Committee (JORC).

## **Other Projects**



#### **Woodanilling Project**

Advanced vanadium exploration with PGE potential only 20km from Katanning town.

#### Lake Magenta

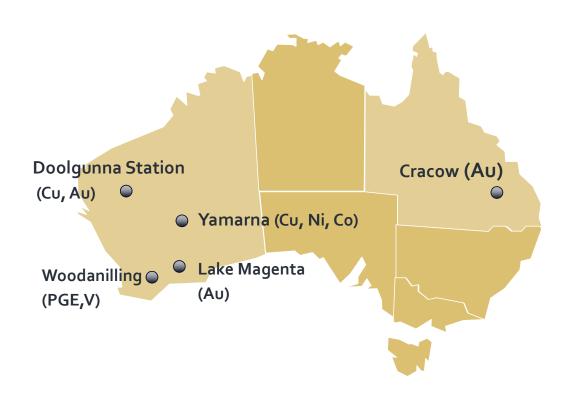
Gold exploration project located the South West Yilgarn.

#### Yamarna

Two fully funded joint ventures on advanced nickelcobalt project at Yamarna and copper-gold project adjacent to DeGrussa VMS deposit.

#### Cracow

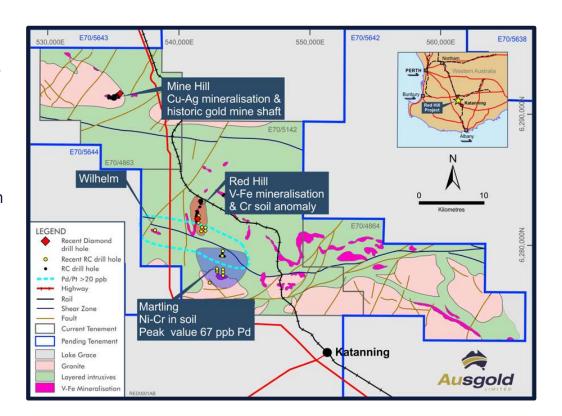
Copper-gold project adjacent to Cracow epithermal gold deposit.



## Woodanilling Au-PGE potential



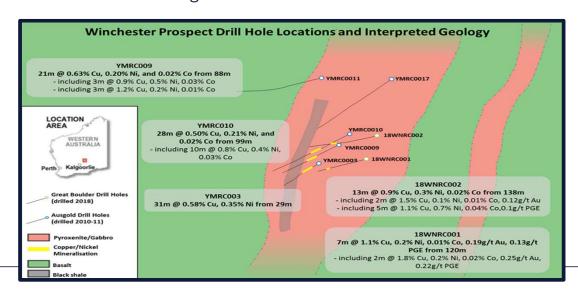
- · Mafic-ultramafic intrusive complex recent drilling
- High-grade copper-silver-gold mineralisation with semi-massive sulphides intersected at Mine Hill, with recent results including:
  - 1.95m @ 3.47 g/t Ag and 0.37% Cu, Including 0.45m @
     12.2 g/t Ag, 1.37 % Cu and 0.14 g/t Au from 58m
  - 4m @ 1.8 g/t Ag and 0.11 g/t Au from 0m
- Broad zone of anomalous PGE, gold and copper associated with disseminated magmatic pyrrhotite and semi-massive chalcopyrite with peak values of 74 ppb Pt and 67ppb Pd in drilling

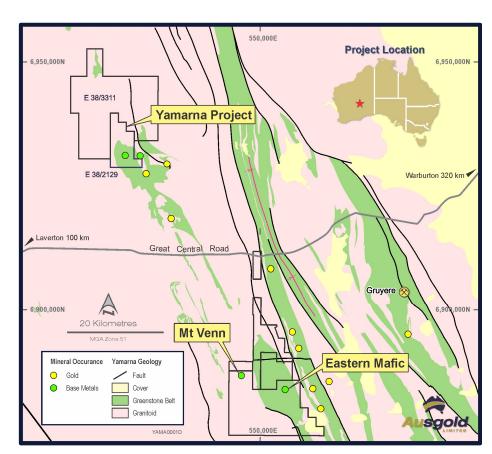


#### Yamarna Joint Venture



- Located in highly prospective Yamarna Greenstone Belt 125 kilometres north-east of Laverton in central Western Australia
- Winchester Prospect significant copper-nickel-cobalt discovery hosted within an underexplored belt
- Farm-in agreement with Great Boulder Resources Limited (ASX:GBR). Ausgold retains 25% free carry to decision to mine
- Prospective regional structures and greenstones
- Untested VTEM targets

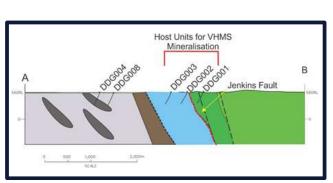


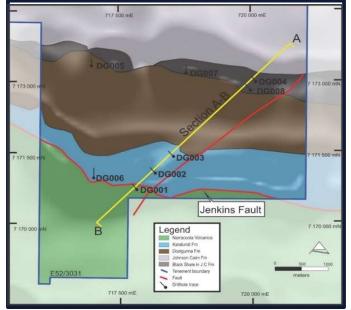


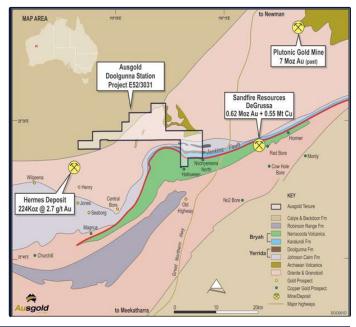
## **Doolgunna Joint Venture**



- Located in WA's Bryah Basin (150 km north-east of Meekatharra)
- Highly prospective for volcanic-hosted massive sulpide (VHMS) copper-gold and Plutonic-style gold mineralisation, adjacent to DeGrussa VHMS deposit
- Farm-in agreement with AIC Mines Limited (ASX:A1M). Ausgold retains 30% contributing interest, after AIC has earned 70% by expending A\$2.15M, or 20% free carry to decision to mine
- 2,400m diamond drilling program identified prospective rocks for VHMS mineralization.



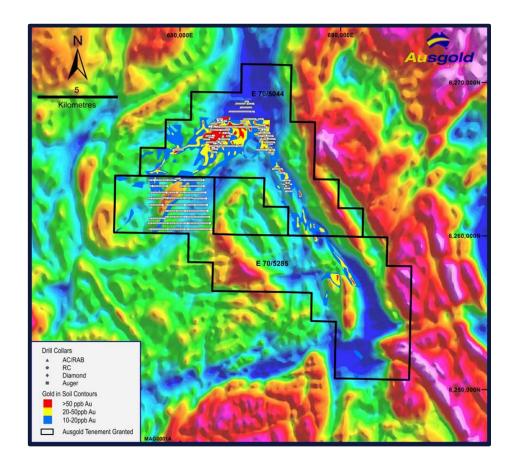




## Lake Magenta Gold Project, WA

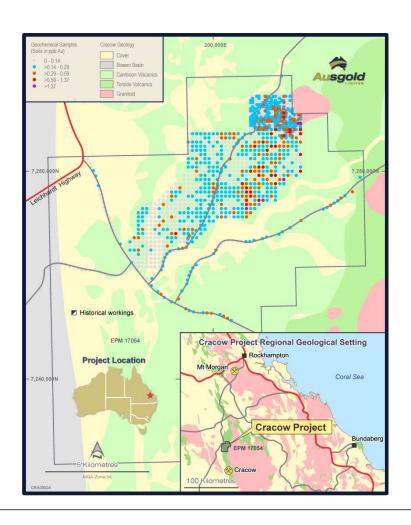


- Located in South West Yilgarn 450 km SE of Perth and covering an area of 165km2
- Past exploration has identified gold-in-soil anomaly extending over a 17km strike length
- Coincident with the Yandina Shear Zone known to host several significant gold deposits, including Tampia (Ramelius) and Griffins Find



## **Cracow Project**





- Lies 375km NW of Brisbane well serviced by major roads
- Covers over 200km<sup>2</sup> and hosts Camboon Volcanics which are the same as those that host Evolution Mining Limited's Cracow mine
- Grab samples contain native copper, chalcocite and malachite, with assay grades up to 1.8% Cu and 5.5 g/t Ag
- Spectral analysis of ASTER satellite imagery highlights white micas and kaolinite +/- pyrophyllitic alteration zones similar to those found at the Cracow deposit
- Field work commenced to assess alteration zones.