

## AURUM PROJECT UPDATE

- IP Gradient Array Survey completed at the Penny South Project.
- Initial interpretation conducted.
- No first pass anomalies noted but a more thorough review is underway.

Aurum wish to announce that the ground Induced Polarisation (IP) geophysical survey at its Penny South project has been completed and the data received. The IP Gradient Array survey covers a 5.2km<sup>2</sup> block and includes the historical anomalous nickel strike and the anomalous gold bearing drill intersections, see Figure 1. The main target for the IP survey is the ultramafic schist units which were considered prospective for hosting Ni-Cu mineralisation.

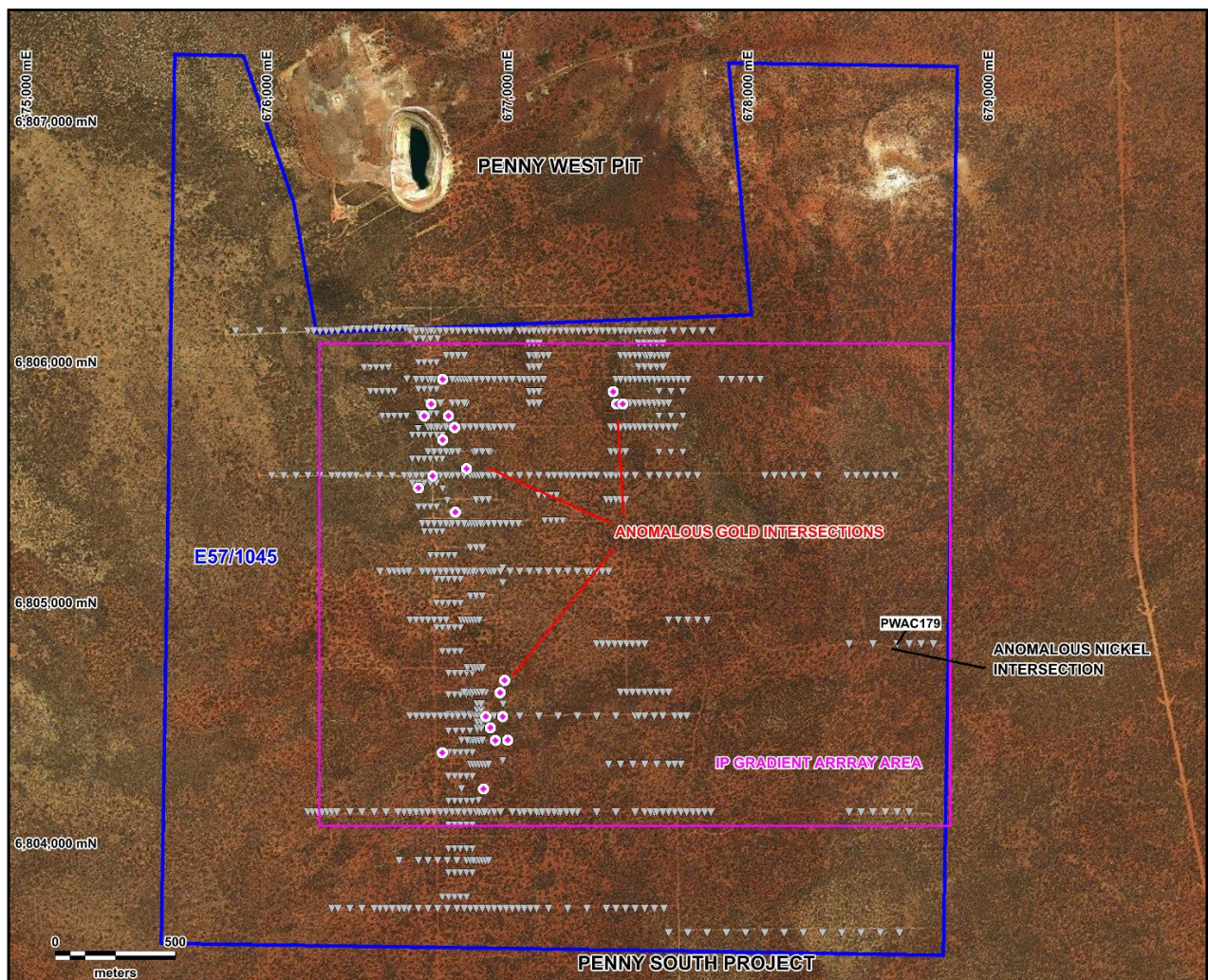


Figure 1: Penny South Overview.

The chargeability data reveals a noisy signal with no major coherent discrete anomalies rather a number of areas suggestive of localised sulphide content, however the anomalous gold intercepts do not correlate thus confirming the lack of downhole correlation between sulphide content and the presence of gold. See Figure 2.

The historical nickel intercept (PWAC179 **8m@0.44%Ni** from 32m, ASX:LDR 16 June 2004 and ASX:AUE 18<sup>th</sup> September 2022) is not supported by any chargeability anomaly suggesting no anomalous pentlandite bearing ultramafic unit exists in the localised area.

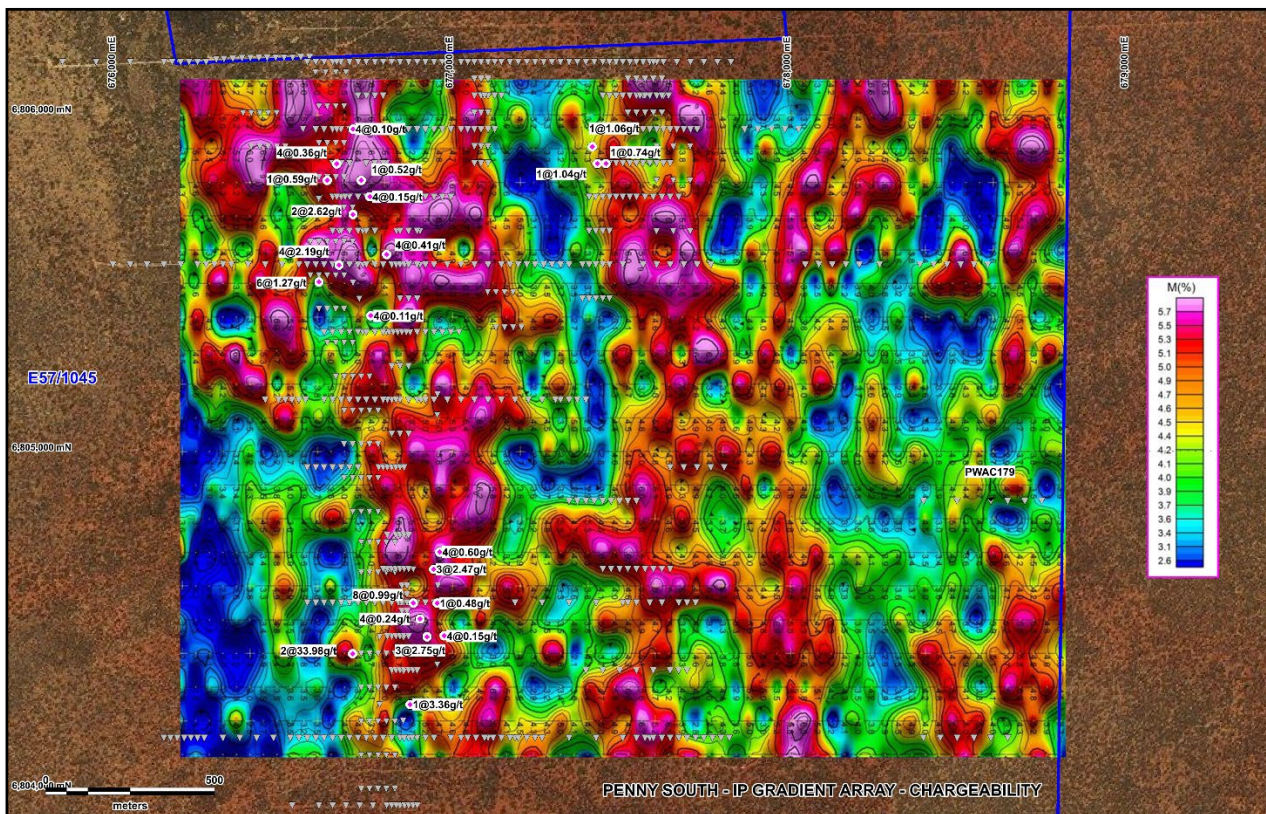


Figure 2: IP gradient array chargeability image and anomalous gold intersection and the anomalous historical nickel intercept (PWAC179).

The resistivity data, see Figure 3, reflects the underlying geology with a north-south conductive central belt possibly supports a serpentinite belt as intersected in the northern aircore drilling and while parts of this belt have high chargeability, drilling failed to recover gold in the drill intersections, suggesting the signal is derived from sulphides only. Whether these sulphides contain pentlandite and/or chalcopyrite is unknown. The pulps from the aircore holes associated from this feature are recommended for analysis.

Full analysis of the IP data is still to be conducted and the views presented are preliminary in nature.

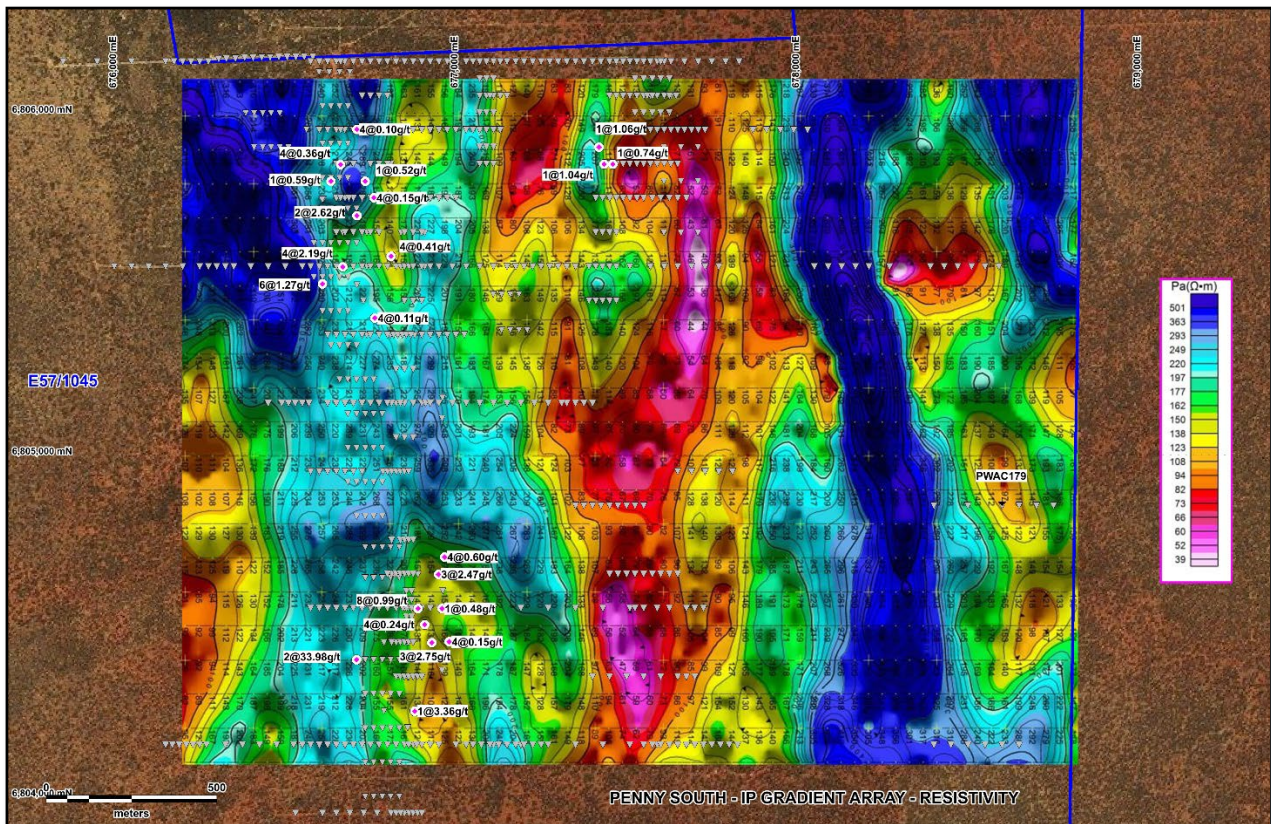


Figure 3: IP gradient array resistivity image .

### Ryan's Find

Aurum is still waiting on Terra Rossa to confirm the start date for the Heritage Survey, previous correspondence indicated a February start date. Terra Rosa is the sole Heritage Clearance company contracted to the Marlinyu Ghoorlie Native Title Claimants. Aurum had hoped to start the programme prior the end of March when a drill rig was booked.

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### Background

#### About Aurum Resources Limited

Aurum Resources Ltd is an ASX-listed (**ASX:AUE**) mineral exploration and development company. Aurum has a collection of gold and base metal focused projects from early-stage reconnaissance to mature area exploration projects currently located in Western Australia. The Company's flagship project is the Ryans Find Project, highly prospective for gold mineralisation and located on structures that host historical gold mines. The Company's other project is Penny South, another prospective project adjacent to known gold deposits but may also host base metal deposit(s).

*This Announcement has been approved for release by the Board of Aurum Resources Ltd*

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The information in this announcement that relates to exploration data and results derived from open file reports and information supplied by Aldoro Resources Limited (ASX: ARN and has been previously released) and prepared in accordance with the 2012 Edition of the Australian Code for reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves (JORC). The data was reviewed and compiled by Mr Mark Mitchell, an employee with Aurum Resources Ltd. Mr Mitchell is a Registered Professional Geoscientist (No.10049) with the Australian Institute of Geoscientists and has sufficient experience which is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity which he is undertaking to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 Edition of the Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves. Mr Mitchell consents to the inclusion in the release of the statements based on his information in the form and context in which it appears.

## JORC Code, 2012 Edition – Table 1

### Section 1 Sampling Techniques and Data

Criteria	JORC Code explanation	Commentary
Sampling techniques	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Nature and quality of sampling (eg cut channels, random chips, or specific specialised industry standard measurement tools appropriate to the minerals under investigation, such as down hole gamma sondes, or handheld XRF instruments, etc). These examples should not be taken as limiting the broad meaning of sampling.</i></li> <li><i>Include reference to measures taken to ensure sample representivity and the appropriate calibration of any measurement tools or systems used.</i></li> <li><i>Aspects of the determination of mineralisation that are Material to the Public Report.</i></li> <li><i>In cases where 'industry standard' work has been done this would be relatively simple (eg 'reverse circulation drilling was used to obtain 1 m samples from which 3 kg was pulverised to produce a 30 g charge for fire assay'). In other cases more explanation may be required, such as where there is coarse gold that has inherent sampling problems. Unusual commodities or mineralisation types (eg submarine nodules) may warrant disclosure of detailed information.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lach Drummond's aircore drilling was done with 1m interval sample pans which were composited to 4m intervals (approximately 3kg) using a scoop for Au but individual 1m intervals for Ni-Cu. The Ni-Cu samples were collected under the supervision of JV partner WMC. This is not an ideal sampling but was the industry standard in 2004.</li> <li>The technique is not considered representative by today's standards.</li> <li>It is unknown what techniques were conducted on the samples other than they were collected from the pans by WMC specifically for base metal suite analysis.</li> <li>It was not reported that if standards, blanks and repeats were used for quality control purposes.</li> <li>The reverse circulation drilling collect individual 1 metre samples downhole</li> <li>Cyclone sample splitter used to collect 2 representative samples per metre where one sample was composited with other samples over a 4m interval, while the other sample was kept for individual analysis when required</li> <li>IP geophysical surveying was carried out by Echo Vista Pty Ltd to target sulphides associated with magmatic Ni-Cu-PGE's.</li> <li>The Inducted Polarisation gradient array method was used with a 5kW transmitter, Model VIP5000 by IRIS instruments, with 10 true differential inputs (10 channel), operating on transmitter frequency range of 0.0625 to 4Hz (by factors of 2) and using industry standard compliant core receiver and current transmission wires.</li> <li>The stations were at 40m intervals along east-west lines (perpendicular to the local geological strike) at lengths of 2600m with</li> </ul>

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		line spacings of 100m
<i>Drilling techniques</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Drill type (eg core, reverse circulation, open-hole hammer, rotary air blast, auger, Bangka, sonic, etc) and details (eg core diameter, triple or standard tube, depth of diamond tails, face-sampling bit or other type, whether core is oriented and if so, by what method, etc).</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Drillwest were contracted for the aircore drilling using their KL150 aircore rig, no other details were provided by Lach Drummond on rod size, bit used etc.</li> <li>Strike Dilling was contracted for the Reverse Circulation drilling and used a Schramm T450 universal rig and a rock face sampling hammer with 127mm diameter (5"). The holes were orientated by compass and clinometer (rig). A gyro probe was sent down the hole at the end of each hole and orientation data recorded every 30m</li> </ul>
<i>Drill sample recovery</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Method of recording and assessing core and chip sample recoveries and results assessed.</li> <li>Measures taken to maximise sample recovery and ensure representative nature of the samples.</li> <li>Whether a relationship exists between sample recovery and grade and whether sample bias may have occurred due to preferential loss/gain of fine/coarse material.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lach Drummond did not report on any drill sample recoveries or methods of assessment.</li> <li>Lach Drummond did not report on and recovery measures</li> <li>Lach Drummond did not report on how representative the samples were</li> <li>RC Sample recoveries were assessed qualitatively, no routine weighing or other assessment processes.</li> <li>RC Standard drilling techniques were used to maximise sample recovery with cone splitter on cyclone used to collect 2 individual splits (calico bags) and the remainder into a green plastic bag.</li> <li>No relationship established as samples have not been analysed yet.</li> </ul>
<i>Logging</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Whether core and chip samples have been geologically and geotechnically logged to a level of detail to support appropriate Mineral Resource estimation, mining studies and metallurgical studies.</li> <li>Whether logging is qualitative or quantitative in nature. Core (or costean, channel, etc) photography.</li> <li>The total length and percentage of the relevant intersections logged.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Aircore holes were logged at 1 metre with only the mines department geology template available where intervals were grouped based on lithology interested. (<b>see open file report A4486</b>)</li> <li>The aircore chips have been interpreted as being logged on a 1 metre basis.</li> <li>The 1 metre detailed logs provide fair geological descriptions but lack geotechnical information so the level of information collected to date would not support Mineral Resource estimation It also lacks mining studies and metallurgical studies.</li> </ul>

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The logging is qualitative but not quantitative.</li> <li>The RC chips have been logged on a 1 metre basis</li> </ul>
Sub-sampling techniques and sample preparation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If core, whether cut or sawn and whether quarter, half or all core taken.</li> <li>If non-core, whether riffled, tube sampled, rotary split, etc and whether sampled wet or dry.</li> <li>For all sample types, the nature, quality and appropriateness of the sample preparation technique.</li> <li>Quality control procedures adopted for all sub-sampling stages to maximise representivity of samples.</li> <li>Measures taken to ensure that the sampling is representative of the in situ material collected, including for instance results for field duplicate/second-half sampling.</li> <li>Whether sample sizes are appropriate to the grain size of the material being sampled.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No core collected, only aircore or RC chips</li> <li>Lach Drummond did not report on any splitting techniques.</li> <li>The aircore drilling used 1m interval sample pans which were composited to 4m intervals (approximately 3kg) using a scoop is not ideal sampling but was the industry standard in 2004.</li> <li>Lach Drummond did not report on any quality control procedures.</li> <li>It is unknown whether Lach Drummond took any measures to ensure the sampling was representative.</li> <li>The RC chips were collected using a cone splitter system attached to the bottom of the cyclone. Samples varied from dry to wet, depending on the presence of the water table and the 6m rod changes.</li> <li>For the RC drilling a cone splitter was used on the cyclone is considered an appropriate technique for reducing bias in the sample collection.</li> <li>The quality control procedure for the first split sample is to take a level scoop from each of the 4 one metre splits for a composite sample. The second split will be retained whole for 1m analysis where required.</li> <li>Sample control duplicates were collected at various regular intervals at around every 40 samples. These will be analysed, and results compared their counterparts. Initially the first split is combined to form 4m composites for analysis, the second split is retained and may be used for individual 1m analysis</li> <li>It is not known whether grain size is a consideration in the sub-sampling technique as no size screening has been conducted</li> </ul>
Quality of assay data	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The nature, quality and appropriateness of the assaying and laboratory procedures used and whether the technique is considered partial or total.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>AC samples were assayed at Ultratrace Laboratory Services in Perth under the guidance of WMC for 24 element analysis using</li> </ul>

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and laboratory tests	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For geophysical tools, spectrometers, handheld XRF instruments, etc, the parameters used in determining the analysis including instrument make and model, reading times, calibrations factors applied and their derivation, etc.</li> <li>Nature of quality control procedures adopted (eg standards, blanks, duplicates, external laboratory checks) and whether acceptable levels of accuracy (ie lack of bias) and precision have been established.</li> </ul>	<p>assay codes XRF202 (%), LOI1000, FA002, FA003, NFS01 (later used ICPOES or ICPMS finish to get ppm).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No geophysical or pXRF tools used for the AC drilling</li> <li>For the AC drilling it is unknown if blanks and/or standards were used if so if produced acceptable levels of accuracy and precision were achieved.</li> <li>The RC chips were assayed at MinAnalytical Laboratory Services in Perth using a NATA accredited (No.18876) Photon Assaying technique for gold only with a detection range of 0.03-350ppm</li> <li>No geophysical tools used for the RC drilling</li> <li>MinAnalytical conducted a duplicate reading every 15 samples and used blanks and standards (CDN_ME1411, OREAS229B, OREAS237, and OREAS264). These blanks and standards produced acceptable levels of accuracy and precision</li> </ul>
Verification of sampling and assaying	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The verification of significant intersections by either independent or alternative company personnel.</li> <li>The use of twinned holes.</li> <li>Documentation of primary data, data entry procedures, data verification, data storage (physical and electronic) protocols.</li> <li>Discuss any adjustment to assay data.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>It is unknown if any verification techniques were used in the AC drilling as none were reported.</li> <li>No twinned holes were drilled, probably due to being a first pass exploration drill programme.</li> <li>It is unknown what logging techniques were used.</li> <li>It has been interpreted that no adjustments were made on the basis none were reported, and it is not a practice used in first pass exploration.</li> <li>No verification techniques have been adopted with the RC drilling.</li> <li>No twinned RC holes were drilled, however an abandoned hole 3m from the final hole will be compared for the 55m overlap.</li> <li>RC logging in the field was conducted using logging software on a tablet and will be transferred to a sever and backed up in raw format</li> </ul>

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		<p>to preserve the original dataset.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No adjustments have been made to the assay data.</li> </ul>
Location of data points	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Accuracy and quality of surveys used to locate drill holes (collar and down-hole surveys), trenches, mine workings and other locations used in Mineral Resource estimation.</li> <li>Specification of the grid system used.</li> <li>Quality and adequacy of topographic control.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The AC hole collars were located using a hand held GPS, make, model and accuracy were not provided.</li> <li>The AC datum used AGD84 zone 50</li> <li>No topographic information was provided for the AC drilling</li> <li>The RC hole collars were located using a Garmin 66st and a compass was used to locate guidance pegs for the drill rig azimuth. At the completion of the hole an averaged reading (5-10minutes) was taken with the GPS to record the position. Down hole dip and azimuth were recorded using a gyro at 50m intervals.</li> <li>The RC datum used GDA94 zone 50</li> <li>The RC topographic control is limited to that provided by the handheld GPS averaged reading.</li> </ul>
Data spacing and distribution	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Data spacing for reporting of Exploration Results.</li> <li>Whether the data spacing and distribution is sufficient to establish the degree of geological and grade continuity appropriate for the Mineral Resource and Ore Reserve estimation procedure(s) and classifications applied.</li> <li>Whether sample compositing has been applied.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The AC drill hole placement appears not to be gridded but targeted on surface soil geochemistry and historical drill holes.</li> <li>The AC holes were exploration in nature and not defining a resource.</li> <li>From the available information sample AC compositing has not been applied.</li> <li>The RC drill hole placement was not on a regular grid as the holes were targeted interpreted structural features in the capacity of exploration drilling, not resource constraining.</li> <li>The RC holes are exploration in nature and not defining a resource which is yet to be discovered.</li> <li>RC sample compositing has not been applied as the drilling is still in exploration phase</li> </ul>
Orientation of data in relation to	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Whether the orientation of sampling achieves unbiased sampling of possible structures and the extent to which this is known, considering the deposit type.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The AC holes are drilled at 270 azimuth and -60 degrees dip, which is approximately perpendicular to the strike of the lithology which steeply dips to the east. There is no quantitative information regarding</li> </ul>

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<i>geological structure</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>If the relationship between the drilling orientation and the orientation of key mineralised structures is considered to have introduced a sampling bias, this should be assessed and reported if material.</i></li> </ul>	<p>the orientation of mineralised structures and the relationship between drilling orientation and the orientation of key mineralised structures is not known.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No sampling bias is considered to have been introduced to the AC holes, however there is currently insufficient information to confirm this.</li> <li>The RC holes are drilled at 270 azimuth which is approximately perpendicular to the strike of the lithology which steeply dips to the east. There is no quantitative information regarding the orientation of mineralised structures and the relationship between drilling orientation and the orientation of key mineralised structures is not known</li> <li>No sampling bias is considered to have been introduced to the RC holes, however there is currently insufficient information to confirm this</li> </ul>
<i>Sample security</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>The measures taken to ensure sample security.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>It is unknown what security measures were in place, if any. The samples were collected by WMC in a due diligence exercise for the AC holes, so some sample security could be interpreted.</li> <li>RC samples were bagged and secured by contractor field staff • Samples were transported directly to the analytical laboratory by local courier</li> </ul>
<i>Audits or reviews</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>The results of any audits or reviews of sampling techniques and data.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>It is unknown whether any sampling techniques or data have been independently audited for the AC holes but considered unlikely given the age of the sampling and early-stage reconnaissance.</li> <li>For the RC hoes no sampling techniques or data have been independently audited</li> </ul>

## Section 2 Reporting of Exploration Results

Criteria	JORC Code explanation	Commentary
Mineral tenement and land tenure status	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Type, reference name/number, location and ownership including agreements or material issues with third parties such as joint ventures, partnerships, overriding royalties, native title interests, historical sites, wilderness or national park and environmental settings.</li> <li>The security of the tenure held at the time of reporting along with any known impediments to obtaining a licence to operate in the area.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tenement E57/1045 (4 graticular blocks) is currently in the name of Altilium Metals Limited and is 100% owned and operated by Aurum Resources Limited. The transfer documents have been lodged, but as yet, these have not been actioned by the Mines Department.</li> <li>The licence is in the process of being transferred to Aurum Resources Limited.</li> </ul>
Exploration done by other parties	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Acknowledgment and appraisal of exploration by other parties.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Gold Mines of Australia (GMA)</b> undertook extensive exploration in the period 1989 -1996 with extensive soil sampling returning disappointing results and angled RAB drilling generating some encouraging results in the regolith. Two anomalous intercepts of 2 m @33.98g/t Au (95PSR0673;38-40m) and 1m @ 1.04 g/t Au (PSR0100;28-29m) were tested by very limited RC drilling however the majority regolith anomalies were untested.</li> <li><b>Lach Drummond Resources</b> (2002-2004); Follow-up aircore drilling of the GMA generated regolith anomalies with better results including 6m @ 1.27 g/t Au (PWAC062; 29-35m) and 1m @ 1.04 g/t Au (PWAC092; 33-34m) and <b>PWAC179 8m@0.44%Ni from 32m. Note this Ni occurrence is referenced in the Mines Department MINDEX system S0021903</b>  <a href="https://minedex.dmirs.wa.gov.au/Web/sites/details/cd422ac6-2a31-4a61-826f-7f640f9a022c">https://minedex.dmirs.wa.gov.au/Web/sites/details/cd422ac6-2a31-4a61-826f-7f640f9a022c</a> , on the WA state mineralisation Map  <a href="https://geoview.dmp.wa.gov.au/GeoView/Index.html?Viewer=GeoVIEW&amp;extent=118.765426,-28.938700,118.895426,-28.808700&amp;layerTheme=4">https://geoview.dmp.wa.gov.au/GeoView/Index.html?Viewer=GeoVIEW&amp;extent=118.765426,-28.938700,118.895426,-28.808700&amp;layerTheme=4</a> and reported by Lach Drummond (ASX:LDR 16/6/2004). The open file report is A48426</li> <li><b>Beacon Minerals</b> (2014-15); 34 angled aircore holes totalling 1820m</li> </ul>

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		<p>were undertaken to test the historical regolith anomalies. Results were moderate with follow up RC drilling proposed for significant aircore results.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Aldoro Resources</b> (2016-2021) Conducted a detailed ground magnetic survey and interpreted in conjunction with lithological information contained within historic drill logs and incorporating the Penny West and Penny North mineralisation styles. The interpretation identified 7 targets based on structural interpretation and historical mineralisation. Aircore drilling successfully highlighted the inferred extension of the Penny West Shear and granodiorite-mafic contact, with two target areas showing coincident factors of sulphidic quartz veining. RC drilling at the Southern Target within the tenement area identified a mineralised structure over 400m of strike with gold intersections of up to 6.7g/t Au. A 2021 review of all the exploration activity across the tenement found that the drilling had not been deep enough to intersect the structures and contacts hosting the mineralisation.</li> </ul>
Geology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Deposit type, geological setting and style of mineralisation.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Penny South Project is located at the southern end of the Youanmi greenstone belt, dominated by metamorphosed mafic extrusives and intrusives, minor BIF, intrusive felsic porphyries and some felsic volcanic rocks. The Youanmi intrusive complex is made up of layered mafic and ultramafic rocks and occurs to the immediate west of the main greenstone sequence.</li> <li>• Anomalous gold occurs in a favourable structural setting close to the Youanmi Fault, a major structure known to host or control gold mineralisation in the district. Gold is often, but not exclusively, associated with sulphides usually within alteration zones.</li> </ul>

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<i>Drill hole Information</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A summary of all information material to the understanding of the exploration results including a tabulation of the following information for all Material drill holes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>easting and northing of the drill hole collar</li> <li>elevation or RL (Reduced Level – elevation above sea level in metres) of the drill hole collar</li> <li>dip and azimuth of the hole</li> <li>down hole length and interception depth</li> <li>hole length.</li> </ul> </li> <li>If the exclusion of this information is justified on the basis that the information is not Material and this exclusion does not detract from the understanding of the report, the Competent Person should clearly explain why this is the case.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Lach Drummond Ni hole PWAC179</li> <li>Easting 678450mE</li> <li>Northing 6804700mN</li> <li>No RL given</li> <li>Datum AGD84/50</li> <li>Dip -60 and Azimuth 270</li> <li>42m EOH, Ni intercept 32-40m at 0.44%Ni.</li> <li>Only PWAC179 Ni intersection was considered relevant in the base metal search within E57/1045 and no other historical drill holes were sighted.</li> <li>The RC drilling has been reported in previous releases by Aldoro and Aurum. AUE (8/3/2022), ARN (7/10/20, 26/6/2020, 28/5/2020, 4/5/2020, 25/2/20202)</li> </ul>
<i>Data aggregation methods</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In reporting Exploration Results, weighting averaging techniques, maximum and/or minimum grade truncations (eg cutting of high grades) and cut-off grades are usually Material and should be stated.</li> <li>Where aggregate intercepts incorporate short lengths of high-grade results and longer lengths of low grade results, the procedure used for such aggregation should be stated and some typical examples of such aggregations should be shown in detail.</li> <li>The assumptions used for any reporting of metal equivalent values should be clearly stated.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No weighted averaging techniques or truncations have been applied to the data other than the lower sensitivity cut-off for the technique.</li> <li>No data aggregation methods have been adopted the results are as produced from the 4m composite samples.</li> <li>No metal equivalents were used</li> </ul>
<i>Relationship between mineralisation widths and intercept lengths</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>These relationships are particularly important in the reporting of Exploration Results.</li> <li>If the geometry of the mineralisation with respect to the drill hole angle is known, its nature should be reported.</li> <li>If it is not known and only the down hole lengths are reported, there should be a clear statement to this effect (eg 'down hole length, true width not known').</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The mineralisation intercept lengths have been reported by not correlated with any widths from other holes.</li> <li>No geometry of the mineralisation has been reported.</li> <li>All mineralisation is reported from down hole inclined depths, no. intervals have been converted to true widths as the geometry of the hosts have not been formally defined</li> </ul>

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<i>Diagrams</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Appropriate maps and sections (with scales) and tabulations of intercepts should be included for any significant discovery being reported. These should include, but not be limited to a plan view of drill hole collar locations and appropriate sectional views.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No cross sections or diagrams have been constructed as they are not relevant for this release. All generated IP images have been presented in this report. A location map has been supplied.</li> </ul>
<i>Balanced reporting</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Where comprehensive reporting of all Exploration Results is not practicable, representative reporting of both low and high grades and/or widths should be practiced to avoid misleading reporting of Exploration Results.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For Lach Drummond only a single hole with elevated Nickel values is reported to show that elevated Ni does exist within the tenement. The single hole report is not misleading, it simply shows that consideration has been given to other metals in the licence other than gold and not to report this, given it is widely available from the Mines Department and ASX, would be negligent.</li> <li>Only exploration results with anomalous gold from have been provided</li> </ul>
<i>Other substantive exploration data</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Other exploration data, if meaningful and material, should be reported including (but not limited to): geological observations; geophysical survey results; geochemical survey results; bulk samples – size and method of treatment; metallurgical test results; bulk density, groundwater, geotechnical and rock characteristics; potential deleterious or contaminating substances.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No other substantive exploration data is available at this stage.</li> </ul>
<i>Further work</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>The nature and scale of planned further work (eg tests for lateral extensions or depth extensions or large-scale step-out drilling).</i></li> <li><i>Diagrams clearly highlighting the areas of possible extensions, including the main geological interpretations and future drilling areas, provided this information is not commercially sensitive.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The future work programme, as stated, involves reviewing the IP data in context with the available down hole data and drill pulps may be dispatched for base metal analysis.</li> <li>Not enough information is available yet to make interpretations on areas of potential extensions to the elevated Nickel site</li> </ul>
<i>Cut-off parameters</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>The basis of the adopted cut-off grade(s) or quality parameters applied.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No cut-off parameters are required at this stage of early exploration.</li> </ul>
<i>Mining factors or assumptions</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Assumptions made regarding possible mining methods, minimum mining dimensions and internal (or, if applicable, external) mining dilution. It is always necessary as part of the process of determining reasonable prospects for eventual economic extraction to consider</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No mining factors or assumptions have been considered for this exploration stage as these are considered outside the scope at this level of exploration.</li> </ul>

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	<i>potential mining methods, but the assumptions made regarding mining methods and parameters when estimating Mineral Resources may not always be rigorous. Where this is the case, this should be reported with an explanation of the basis of the mining assumptions made.</i>	
<i>Metallurgical factors or assumptions</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>The basis for assumptions or predictions regarding metallurgical amenability. It is always necessary as part of the process of determining reasonable prospects for eventual economic extraction to consider potential metallurgical methods, but the assumptions regarding metallurgical treatment processes and parameters made when reporting Mineral Resources may not always be rigorous. Where this is the case, this should be reported with an explanation of the basis of the metallurgical assumptions made.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No metallurgical factors or assumptions have been considered at this stage as these are considered outside the scope of this stage of exploration</li> </ul>
<i>Environmental factors or assumptions</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Assumptions made regarding possible waste and process residue disposal options. It is always necessary as part of the process of determining reasonable prospects for eventual economic extraction to consider the potential environmental impacts of the mining and processing operation. While at this stage the determination of potential environmental impacts, particularly for a greenfields project, may not always be well advanced, the status of early consideration of these potential environmental impacts should be reported. Where these aspects have not been considered this should be reported with an explanation of the environmental assumptions made.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No environmental factors or assumptions have been considered for this exploration stage as these are considered outside the scope of this stage of exploration.</li> </ul>
<i>Bulk density</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Whether assumed or determined. If assumed, the basis for the assumptions. If determined, the method used, whether wet or dry, the frequency of the measurements, the nature, size and representativeness of the samples.</i></li> <li><i>The bulk density for bulk material must have been measured by methods that adequately account for void spaces (vugs, porosity, etc), moisture and differences between rock and alteration zones within the deposit.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No bulk density sampling has been considered at this stage of exploration</li> </ul>

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Classification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The basis for the classification of the Mineral Resources into varying confidence categories.</li> <li>Whether appropriate account has been taken of all relevant factors (ie relative confidence in tonnage/grade estimations, reliability of input data, confidence in continuity of geology and metal values, quality, quantity and distribution of the data).</li> <li>Whether the result appropriately reflects the Competent Person's view of the deposit.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No Mineral resource is considered, at this stage as the project is purely an exploration play.</li> </ul>
Audits or reviews	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The results of any audits or reviews of Mineral Resource estimates.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No Mineral Resource defined</li> </ul>
Discussion of relative accuracy/confidence	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Where appropriate a statement of the relative accuracy and confidence level in the Mineral Resource estimate using an approach or procedure deemed appropriate by the Competent Person. For example, the application of statistical or geostatistical procedures to quantify the relative accuracy of the resource within stated confidence limits, or, if such an approach is not deemed appropriate, a qualitative discussion of the factors that could affect the relative accuracy and confidence of the estimate.</li> <li>The statement should specify whether it relates to global or local estimates, and, if local, state the relevant tonnages, which should be relevant to technical and economic evaluation. Documentation should include assumptions made and the procedures used.</li> <li>These statements of relative accuracy and confidence of the estimate should be compared with production data, where available.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No Mineral Resource defined</li> </ul>
Study status	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The type and level of study undertaken to enable Mineral Resources to be converted to Ore Reserves.</li> <li>The Code requires that a study to at least Pre-Feasibility Study level has been undertaken to convert Mineral Resources to Ore Reserves.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No Mineral Resource defined</li> </ul>

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	Such studies will have been carried out and will have determined a mine plan that is technically achievable and economically viable, and that material Modifying Factors have been considered.	
Cut-off parameters	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The basis of the cut-off grade(s) or quality parameters applied.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No Mineral Resource defined</li> </ul>
Mining factors or assumptions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The method and assumptions used as reported in the Pre-Feasibility or Feasibility Study to convert the Mineral Resource to an Ore Reserve (i.e. either by application of appropriate factors by optimisation or by preliminary or detailed design).</li> <li>The choice, nature and appropriateness of the selected mining method(s) and other mining parameters including associated design issues such as pre-strip, access, etc.</li> <li>The assumptions made regarding geotechnical parameters (eg pit slopes, stope sizes, etc), grade control and pre-production drilling.</li> <li>The major assumptions made and Mineral Resource model used for pit and stope optimisation (if appropriate).</li> <li>The mining dilution factors used.</li> <li>The mining recovery factors used.</li> <li>Any minimum mining widths used.</li> <li>The manner in which Inferred Mineral Resources are utilised in mining studies and the sensitivity of the outcome to their inclusion.</li> <li>The infrastructure requirements of the selected mining methods.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No Mineral Resource defined</li> </ul>
Metallurgical factors or assumptions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The metallurgical process proposed and the appropriateness of that process to the style of mineralisation.</li> <li>Whether the metallurgical process is well-tested technology or novel in nature.</li> <li>The nature, amount and representativeness of metallurgical test work undertaken, the nature of the metallurgical domaining applied and the corresponding metallurgical recovery factors applied.</li> <li>Any assumptions or allowances made for deleterious elements.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No Mineral Resource defined</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>The existence of any bulk sample or pilot scale test work and the degree to which such samples are considered representative of the orebody as a whole.</i></li> <li><i>For minerals that are defined by a specification, has the ore reserve estimation been based on the appropriate mineralogy to meet the specifications?</i></li> </ul>	
Environmental	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>The status of studies of potential environmental impacts of the mining and processing operation. Details of waste rock characterisation and the consideration of potential sites, status of design options considered and, where applicable, the status of approvals for process residue storage and waste dumps should be reported.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No Mineral Resource defined</li> </ul>
Infrastructure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>The existence of appropriate infrastructure: availability of land for plant development, power, water, transportation (particularly for bulk commodities), labour, accommodation; or the ease with which the infrastructure can be provided, or accessed.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No Mineral Resource defined</li> </ul>
Costs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>The derivation of, or assumptions made, regarding projected capital costs in the study.</i></li> <li><i>The methodology used to estimate operating costs.</i></li> <li><i>Allowances made for the content of deleterious elements.</i></li> <li><i>The source of exchange rates used in the study.</i></li> <li><i>Derivation of transportation charges.</i></li> <li><i>The basis for forecasting or source of treatment and refining charges, penalties for failure to meet specification, etc.</i></li> <li><i>The allowances made for royalties payable, both Government and private.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No Mineral Resource defined</li> </ul>
Revenue factors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>The derivation of, or assumptions made regarding revenue factors including head grade, metal or commodity price(s) exchange rates, transportation and treatment charges, penalties, net smelter returns, etc.</i></li> <li><i>The derivation of assumptions made of metal or commodity price(s), for the principal metals, minerals and co-products.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No Mineral Resource defined</li> </ul>

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Market assessment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The demand, supply and stock situation for the particular commodity, consumption trends and factors likely to affect supply and demand into the future.</li> <li>A customer and competitor analysis along with the identification of likely market windows for the product.</li> <li>Price and volume forecasts and the basis for these forecasts.</li> <li>For industrial minerals the customer specification, testing and acceptance requirements prior to a supply contract.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No Mineral Resource defined</li> </ul>
Economic	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The inputs to the economic analysis to produce the net present value (NPV) in the study, the source and confidence of these economic inputs including estimated inflation, discount rate, etc.</li> <li>NPV ranges and sensitivity to variations in the significant assumptions and inputs.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No Mineral Resource defined</li> </ul>
Social	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The status of agreements with key stakeholders and matters leading to social licence to operate.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No Mineral Resource defined</li> </ul>
Other	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To the extent relevant, the impact of the following on the project and/or on the estimation and classification of the Ore Reserves:</li> <li>Any identified material naturally occurring risks.</li> <li>The status of material legal agreements and marketing arrangements.</li> <li>The status of governmental agreements and approvals critical to the viability of the project, such as mineral tenement status, and government and statutory approvals. There must be reasonable grounds to expect that all necessary Government approvals will be received within the timeframes anticipated in the Pre-Feasibility or Feasibility study. Highlight and discuss the materiality of any unresolved matter that is dependent on a third party on which extraction of the reserve is contingent.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No Mineral Resource defined</li> </ul>
Classification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The basis for the classification of the Ore Reserves into varying confidence categories.</li> <li>Whether the result appropriately reflects the Competent Person's view of the deposit.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No Mineral Resource defined</li> </ul>

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Audits or reviews	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>The results of any audits or reviews of Ore Reserve estimates.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No Mineral Resource defined</li> </ul>
Discussion of relative accuracy/confidence	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Where appropriate a statement of the relative accuracy and confidence level in the Ore Reserve estimate using an approach or procedure deemed appropriate by the Competent Person. For example, the application of statistical or geostatistical procedures to quantify the relative accuracy of the reserve within stated confidence limits, or, if such an approach is not deemed appropriate, a qualitative discussion of the factors which could affect the relative accuracy and confidence of the estimate.</i></li> <li><i>The statement should specify whether it relates to global or local estimates, and, if local, state the relevant tonnages, which should be relevant to technical and economic evaluation. Documentation should include assumptions made and the procedures used.</i></li> <li><i>Accuracy and confidence discussions should extend to specific discussions of any applied Modifying Factors that may have a material impact on Ore Reserve viability, or for which there are remaining areas of uncertainty at the current study stage.</i></li> <li><i>It is recognised that this may not be possible or appropriate in all circumstances. These statements of relative accuracy and confidence of the estimate should be compared with production data, where available.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No Mineral Resource defined</li> </ul>