

Katanning Gold Project
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	<b>Capital Structure</b>
Shares on Issue	2,296m
Unlisted Options (@ A\$0.06-0.08) Performance Rights	68m 35.2m
Share Price	A\$0.042
Market Capitalisation	A\$96.4m
Cash 31/06/23	A\$9.5m



**Top Shareholders**Dundee Goodman 12.5 %
Jupiter Precious Metals Fund 9.67%
Directors 8 %



#### **Board of Directors**

<b>Geoff Jones</b> Non-Executive Chairman	Matthew Greentree Managing Director	<b>Denis Rakich</b> Executive Director & Company Secretary	<b>Richard Lockwood</b> Non-Executive Director	
Engineer with 30 years' experience in project development, construction, mineral processing globally – extensive gold experience as project development engineer at Resolute Mining and various engineering groups.	20 years' experience over 60 mineral projects, specialist in exploration targeting & structural geology, team leadership. Member of the Australian Institute for Mining and Metallurgy (AusIMM) and the Australian Institute of Geoscientists (AIG)	Extensive knowledge & experience in exploration & mineral production with special expertise in management of resource companies.	Career in mining investment, stockbroking, funds management with active involvement in development in several mining groups & numerous mining projects globally	

## **Investment Highlights**

# Ausgold

#### Ausgold Growing and De-risking the Katanning Gold Project

#### **Foundation**

#### **Critical Mass – Large stand-alone gold operation to produce +136kozpa**

- Large Resource of 2.64 Moz @ 0.94g/t Au
- Maiden Ore Reserve 1.28 Moz @ 1.25g/t Au
- 10 year LOM with initial 6 years to deliver 155 Koz gold production per annum
- Early payback of 20 months at a post-tax IRR of 46 %

#### **Scale**

#### **Multi-Million Ounce Growth Potential**

- Large Resource base update coming in Q3 2023
- DFS will provide further growth in Reserves and continue to de-risk the project
- Multimillion ounce potential with low discovery cost
- 5,500 km² of highly prospective tenure in SW Yilgarn recent high-grade drill results

#### Value Delivery

#### Ongoing news flow through 2023 - 2024

- Exploration results Gold
- Exploration results Lithium
- Resource upgrade (Q3)

- Feasibility Study embracing larger 5
   Mtpa case (Q4)
- Permitting and Approvals



## **Ausgold Katanning Gold Project**

Solid foundation to a large gold operation

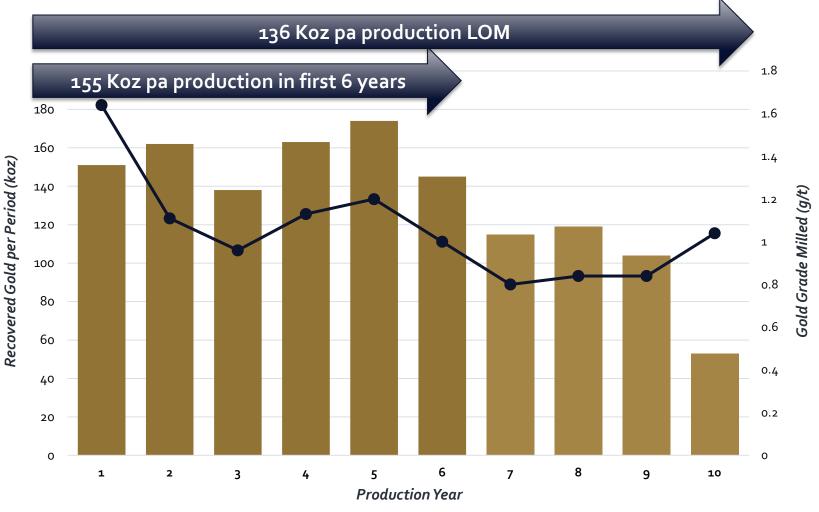


## Increasing the scale of the KGP



1.36m oz of gold over 9. 7 years delivering a high pre-tax NPV of A\$819M and IRR 46%

- High grades in first six years deliver up to 174 koz pa and 155Koz pa on average
- Lower cut-off grade (o.45 g/t
   Au) delivers more efficient
   mining schedule and a stripping
   ratio of 4:1 (waste:ore)
- Continuing to add ounces with targeted exploration



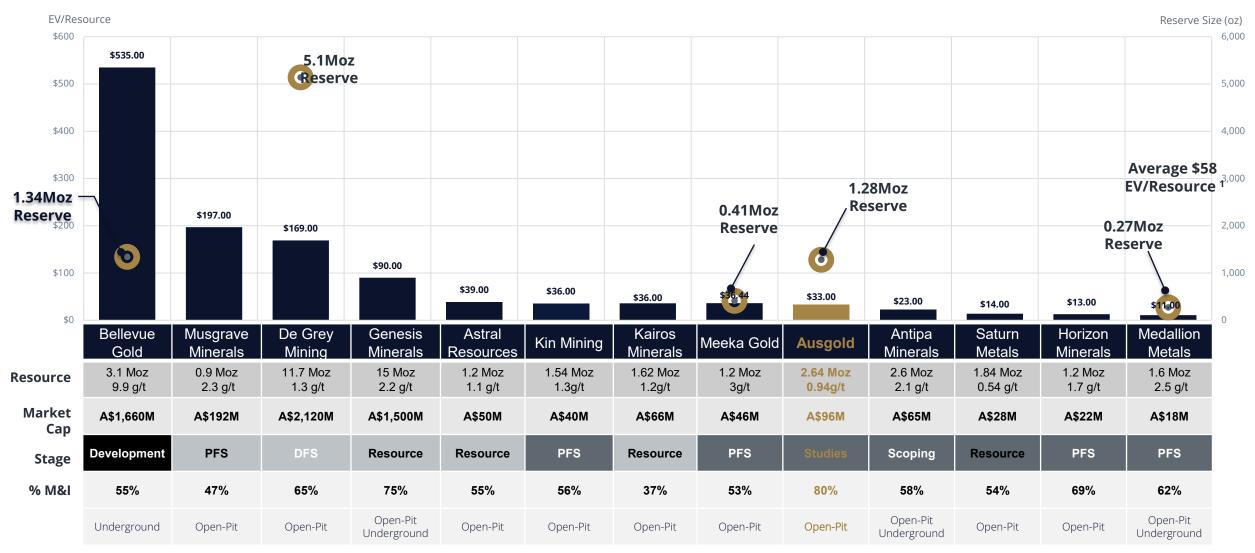
## **Upcoming News flow and Key Milestones**



Key Milestone	Q2 CY2023	Q3 CY2023	Q4 CY2023	Q1 CY2024
KGP & Regional Exploration	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
KGP Mineral Resource Update		<b>✓</b>		
Lithium Exploration	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>
KGP Feasibility Study	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	
Permitting and Approvals	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>

## **Peer Comparison**





<sup>1 -</sup> Average EV/Resource per oz excluding BGL. 2- Company and Resource and Resource Category information at 4<sup>th</sup> August 2023, based on publicly available company information references page 23 of presentation Medallion Metals (ASX Code : MM8) and Antipa Minerals (ASX Code : AZY) Resource are gold equivalent resources

## What Differentiates Ausgold



#### Resource

- 2.64 Moz gold Resource with more than 80% in Measured and Indicated categories based on over 300km of drilling
- 1.28 Moz Ore Reserve, one of only a few projects with a large long life Ore Reserve
- Continued growth through exploration

#### **Project Economics**

- 1.28 Moz Ore Reserve
- 10 year mine life with further studies underway to increase production >150Kozpa
- Pit optimisation based on a conservative gold price of A\$2,200/oz
- Rapid capital payback in less than 20 Months
- Excellent metallurgy with Gold Recoveries > 90% and high gravity gold

#### **Growth and Scale**

- Multi-million ounce resource potential
- Extensive ground position +5,500km<sup>2</sup> covering 130km strike of underexplored greenstones
- 46 advanced gold targets identified in an underexplored greenstone belt including the advanced Stanley and Duggan prospects
- Exploration activities ramping up targeting lithium
- Management demonstrated ability to deliver ounces

#### **Infrastructure**

- 3½ hour drive from Perth to support a Residential workforce
- Free hold land No native title
- Access to Infrastructure, including roads and grid power (green energy including wind)



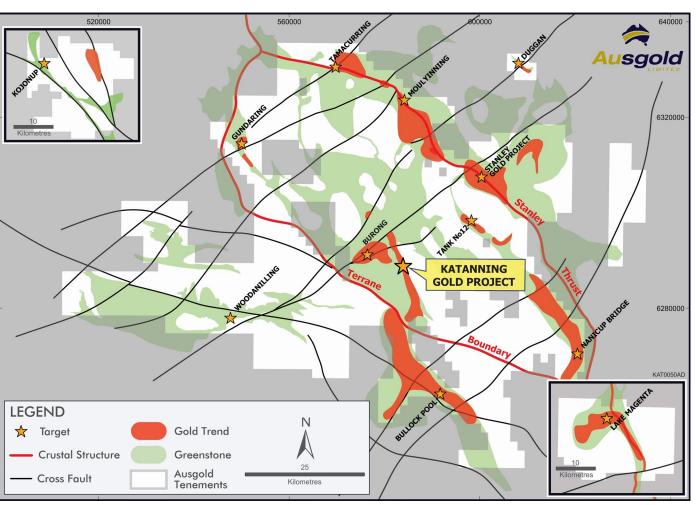
#### Untested regional potential over 5,500 km<sup>2</sup>

#### Gold

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#### **Lithium Potential**

- Western tenements located within 40 Km of Greenbushes world's largest hard rock Lithium mine
- Pegmatites identified across the project with stream sediment sampling and mapping underway
- 14 Lithium target areas identified by recent work

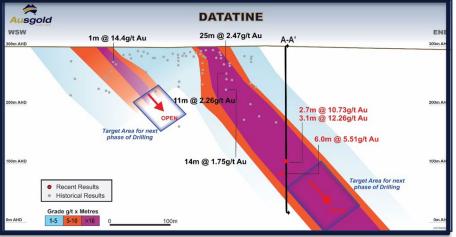


#### **Datatine Prospect**

- New drilling has targeted structural zones which host highgrade gold mineralisation.
- Recent drill results demonstrate potential for further high gold grades with coarse visible gold
  - 3.3m @ 11.47g/t Au from 218.9m including 0.3m @ 99.3g/t Au and 0.3m @ 13.2 g/t Au in BSRCD1596
  - 7.4m @ 4.54g/t Au from 231.6m including 6.0m @ 5.51g/t Au in BSRCD1597
  - 2.7m @ 10.73g/t Au from 180.2m including 0.4m @ 63 g/t Au in BSRCD1596



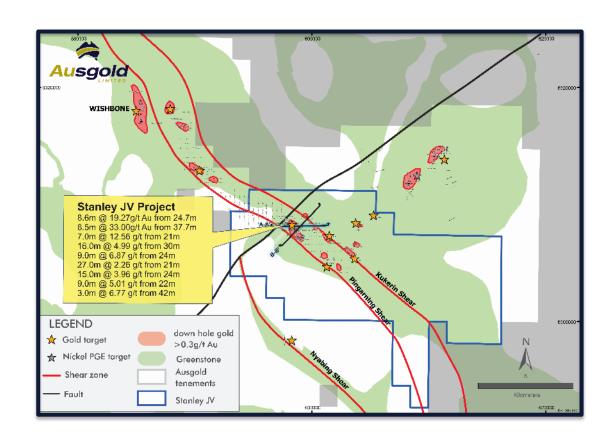




## Stanley Gold Project

- Farm-in agreement with Cygnus Gold Ltd to acquire a 85% majority interest in the Stanley Gold Project.
- The Project covers 233km<sup>2</sup> and a 24km strike length of highly prospective greenstone belt that contains the same sequence that hosts the KGP
- Past drilling intersecting high grade gold mineralisation
  - 8.5m @ 33.00g/t Au from 37.7m inc 2.4m @ 114.62g/t Au in BNDD001
  - 8.6m @ 19.27g/t Au from 24.7m inc 5.7m @ 28.60g/t Au in BNDD003
  - 7m @ 12.56 g/t from 21m in 09KUAC164
  - 16m @ 4.99 g/t from 30m in 09KUAC009
  - 9m @ 6.87 g/t from 24m in 09KUAC012
  - 27m @ 2.26 g/t from 21m in 09KUAC008
  - 15m @ 3.96 g/t from 24m in 08KUAC075
  - 9m @ 5.01 g/t from 22m in 09KUAC158

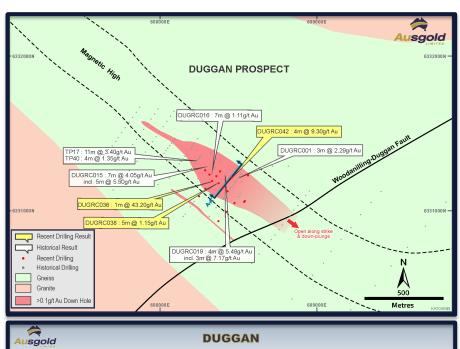


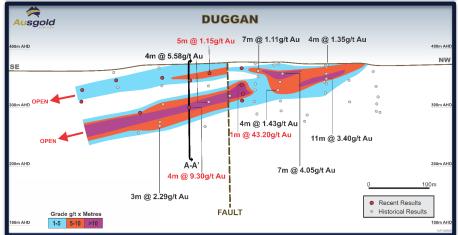


### Duggan Prospect

- New drilling intersected near surface high-grade gold mineralisation
  - 4m @ 9.30g/t Au from 84m in DUGRC042
  - 1m @ 43.20g/t Au from 52m in DUGRC036 (new lode)
  - 5m @ 1.15g/t Au from 10m in DUGRC038
  - 7m @ 4.05 g/t Au from 19m including 5m @ 5.50 g/t Au from 19m in DUGRC015
  - 4m @ 5.48 g/t Au from 72m including 3m @ 7.17 g/t Au from 72m in DUGRC019
- Downhole EM (DHEM) survey has been conducted at Duggan which has provided a strong EM response that can be used to further target new drilling







## Lithium potential

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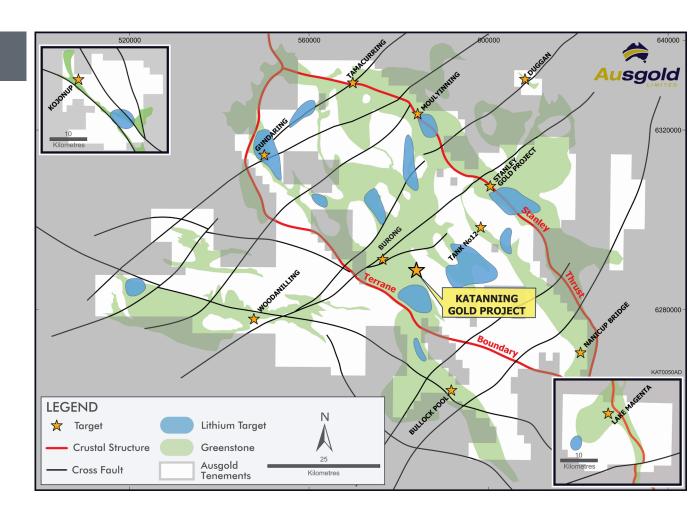
## Untested over 5,500 km<sup>2</sup>

#### **Lithium Potential**

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#### More than "Nearology"

- Over 2,500 Km<sup>2</sup> of greenstones in AUC tenure
- Major crustal scale structures major terrane boundary
- Pegmatites identified across the project
- Mapping and sampling underway to identify prospective LCT pegmatites
- Targeting program completed in conjunction with RSC consultants has identified 14 Lithium target areas



#### **Lithium Potential**



## 14 new lithium target areas identified across tenure using machine learning techniques integrating

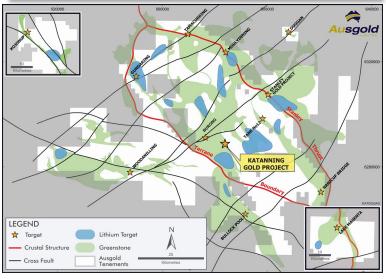
- geochemical database of over 122,000 surface samples
- Major structures and greenstones
- 600 new stream sediment samples across tenure
- Geophysics and remote sensing data

#### Targeted mapping and geochemical sampling program underway

- Results anticipated for pegmatite samples identified in field
- Further Target generation underway
- Drilling anticipated Q4 2023







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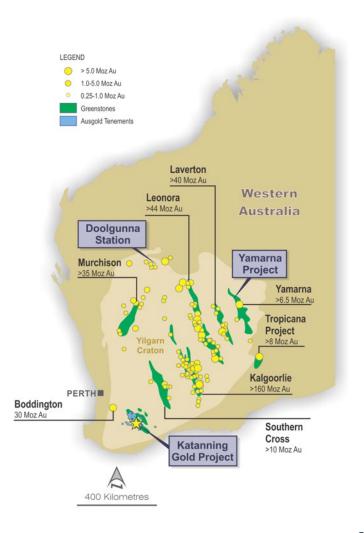
#### **Multi-Million Ounce Growth Potential**

- DFS workstreams underway
- Resource update imminent
- Further scale identified with 5 Mtpa operation
- Multimillion ounce potential with 5,500 km<sup>2</sup> of highly prospective tenure in SW Yilgarn and recent high-grade drill results

#### Other High value projects

#### **Optionality**

 SW Yilgarn lithium potential underway targets identified with a dedicated team assessing potential







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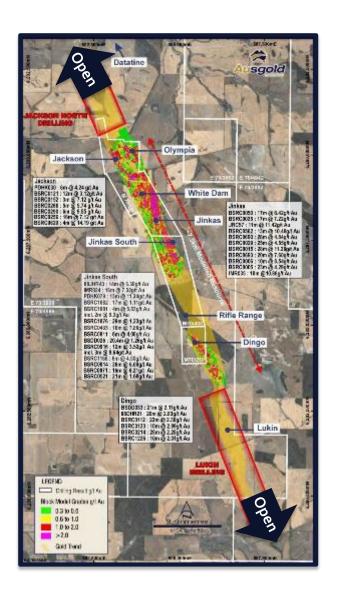
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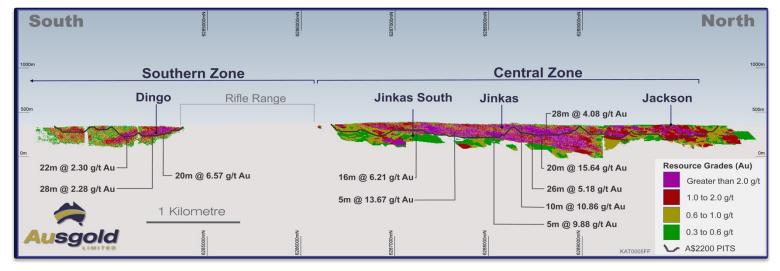
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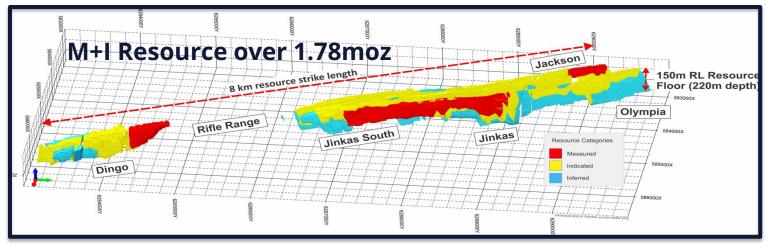
## Katanning overview







Katanning Long section through KGP



**Resource Categories within KGP** 

## **Katanning Gold Project Resource and Reserves**



Mineral Resource	Tonnes (Mt)	Grade (g/t Au)	Contained Ounces	
Measured	27.1	1.05	920,000	
Indicated	cated 41.7		1,235,000	
Inferred	nferred 16.7		480,000	
Total	85.6	0.94	2,640,000	

Ore Reserve	Tonnes (Mt)	Grade (g/t Au)	Contained Ounces	
Probable	32	1.25	1,280,000	
Total	otal 32		1,280,000	

#### Life of Mine Mineral Resources and Ore Reserve Inventory

<sup>1)</sup> Mineral Resource s are Reported at a 0.45g/t Au cut-off grade and ore reserves 0.6 g/t cut-off grade are reported based on a A\$2,200 gold price as a basis for cut-off grade estimations. Life of mine only includes Central zone and Dingo Resource areas 2) For full details of KGP Mineral Resource Estimate refer to ASX announcement 22 May 2023

<sup>3)</sup>For full details of KGP Ore Reserve refer to ASX announcement 1 August 2022

## **Peer Review**



## Peer comparison reference list

				Resource Ounces (KOZ g/t)						
ASX Code	Company Name	Project	<b>Development Stage</b>	Mine Type	Measured	Indicated	Inferred	Total	Source	Date
BGL	Bellevue Gold	Bellevue	DFS	UG		1,700	1,500	3,100 (9.9g/t)	Roadshow Presentation	02-May-23
MGV	Musgrave Minerals	Cue	Resource	OP		435	492	927 (2.3g/t)	Quarterly Report	28- July-23
GMD	Genesis Minerals	Greater Ulysses	Resource	OP/UG	1,500	9,800	7,800	15,000 (2.2g/t)	ASX Announcement	03- July-23
DEG	De Grey Mining	Mallina	PFS	OP	265	7,798	3,684	11,747 (1.3g/t)	Resource Update	15-June-23
MM8	Medallion Metals	Ravensthorpe	Resource	OP/UG		980	640	1,620 (2.6g/t)	Quarterly Report	31-July-23
KIN	Kin Mining	Cardinia	PFS	OP	31	841	668	1,540 (1.3g/t)	Quarterly Report	19- July-23
STN	Saturn Metals	Apollo Hill	Resource	OP	82	913	845	1,840 (0.54g/t)	Quarterly Report	28 July- 23
MEK	Meeka Gold	Murchison	Scoping	OP/UG	55	570	590	1,215 (3.0g/t)	Study Presentation	12-July-23
AUC	Ausgold	Katanning	PFS	OP	920	1,235	480	2,640 (0.94g/t)	ASX Announcement	22-May-23
AAR	Astral Resources	Mandilla	Resource	OP		430	720	1,150 (1.1g/t)	Quarterly Report	31-July-23
AZY	Antipa Minerals	Minyari Dome	Scoping	OP/UG		1,350	990	2,340 (2.1g/t)	Quarterly Report	27- July-23
KAI	Kairos Minerals	Mt York	Resource	OP		581	523	1,104 (1.2g/t)	Quarterly Report	31 July 23
HRZ	Horizon Minerals	Boorara	PFS	OP	63	791	386	1,240 (1.7g/t)	Resource Update	28-Sep-22