

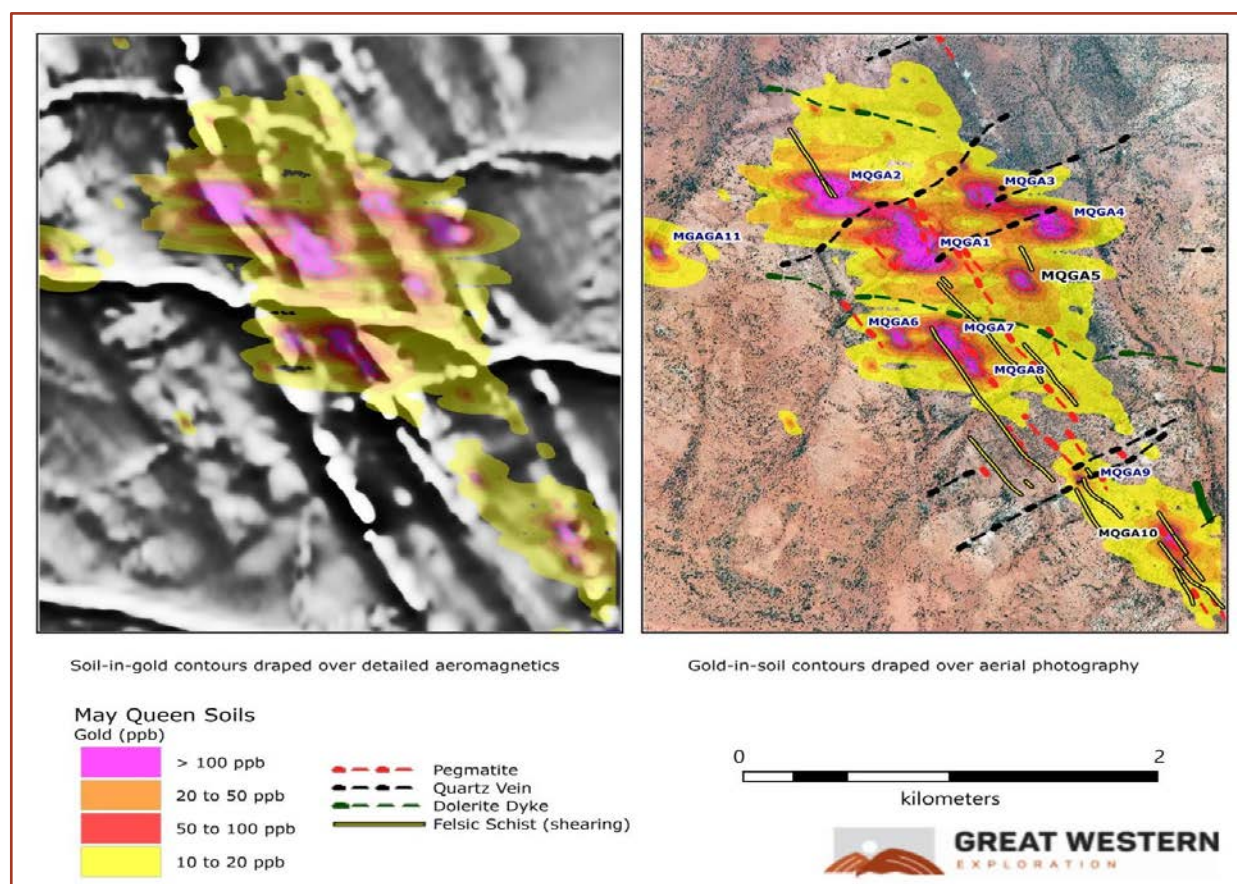
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## Drilling Commences at Yandal West

Great Western Exploration Limited ('Great Western' or 'the Company') (ASX: GTE) advises that the planned 3,000m RC drilling programme at May Queen that was announced on the 19<sup>th</sup> October 2017 has now commenced.

The drilling programme will be testing four of the eleven priority RC drill targets identified where there is anomalous gold-in-soil associated with shearing and/or aeromagnetic structural targets within the May Queen area. These targets are shown in Figure 1 below. Full details of the planned drill programme are provided in ASX release dated 19 October 2017.

The drilling is estimated to take 3 weeks and the assays will have an approximate 2 week turnaround; the Company anticipates the first results will likely be available in early December.



**Figure1:** May Queen RC drill targets.

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