

COBALT RIDGE DELIVERS FURTHER OUTSTANDING METALLURGICAL RESULTS

- Conventional Flotation Testwork on the Cobalt Ridge Deposit recovers 93.6% cobalt,
 98.4% copper
 - o Results support viability of very simple processing options
- The concentrate mass constituted only 5% of the initial mass feed, with grades of 2.02% cobalt and 5.18% copper processed from marginal-grade drill core of 0.14% cobalt and 0.32% copper
- Previous testwork on high-grade RC drill chips of 0.84% cobalt, 0.21% copper and 0.47 g/t gold delivered concentrate grades of 7.38% cobalt, 1.29% copper and 4.1 g/t gold achieved in 11.1% of the initial mass
- Mineralisation is beneficially amenable to a coarse rougher flotation, with a smallerscale re-grind and cleaner flotation circuit delivering a final high-value concentrate -
 - Initial testwork at P₈₀ 212μm, delivered a concentrate of 3.27% cobalt and 8.67%
 copper, with recoveries of 85.2% cobalt and 92.7% copper
 - Option provides opportunity to significantly reduce operating and capital costs
 compared with industry standard flotation operations
- Testwork will now focus on down-stream concentrate processing options and detailed

Corazon Mining Limited (ASX: CZN) ("Corazon" or "the Company") is pleased to announce highly positive results from its recently completed Phase 2 metallurgical testwork program at the Mount Gilmore Cobalt-Copper-Gold Project ("Project") in New South Wales.

Testwork was conducted on a composited sample of drill core from the Company's recently completed drilling program at the Cobalt Ridge Deposit, and follows the highly successful Phase 1 metallurgical testwork results reported earlier this year (ASX announcement 7th March, 2017).

Phase 2 testwork targeted lower grade material than that tested in Phase 1 and has delivered exceptional results. Simple flotation processing has yielded recoveries of 93.6% cobalt and 98.4% copper. The concentrate mass represented only 5% of the initial mass feed, with the concentrate grading at 2.02% cobalt and 5.18% copper.

Mineralisation tested included what is considered to be the "background" grade for the main lode within the Cobalt Ridge Deposit. The assayed grade of the sample was 0.14% cobalt, 0.32% copper and 0.09ppm gold, providing a variation to the previously tested high-grade mineralisation in the first phase metallurgical testwork.



Cobalt is present as cobaltite, the copper presents as chalcopyrite and the gold is predominantly associated with the sulphide minerals. The similar nature of the sulphide minerals, together with the gold association, has provided the opportunity for a very simple beneficiation process and production of a bulk concentrate.

Grind liberation testing indicated the mineralisation is not overly sensitive to grind size. As such, a rougher floatation can be conducted at a coarse grind size, with subsequent re-grinding of a lower mass concentrate. This delivers lower power and regent costs, as well as the option to significantly de-risk and reduce capital costs associated with down-stream processing options.

As evidence of this, a rougher floatation test was completed at a coarse grind size of P_{80} 212 μ m, followed by a regrind of the concentrate and subsequent cleaner flotation. The concentrate produced from the cleaner flotation had grades of 3.27% cobalt and 8.67% copper, with total recoveries of 85.2% for cobalt and 92.7% for copper. It is expected these recoveries can be improved via refining the flotation process.

On-going testwork for the Cobalt Ridge Deposit will focus on defining the down-stream concentrate processing options and detailed process engineering studies. Results to date suggest excellent potential for the production of a concentrate for hydrometallurgical processing.

The testwork is being managed by internationally recognised metallurgical consultants, METS Engineering (see competent person statement below) and independently carried out at ALS laboratories in Perth, Western Australia.



Figure 1: Photo – Flotation Concentrate



Previous Testwork Results (Phase 1)

Metallurgical testwork previously carried out on the Cobalt Ridge mineralisation was announced in the Company's ASX announcement dated 7th March, 2017.

Early analysis was conducted on a representative sample composited from reverse circulation (RC) chips from the Company's Q4 2016 drilling program. The composite sample graded at 0.84% cobalt, 0.21% copper and 0.47 g/t gold.

Simple flotation testing yielded a recovery of 92.2% for cobalt, 89% for copper and 75.5% for gold, in a total concentrate with 11.1% mass recovery. In addition to this result, sighter-gravity concentration testwork indicated that a high-grade cobalt concentrate could be obtained from a small fraction of the feed mass. The results suggest that a 12.2% cobalt grade concentrate can be produced from only 1.31% of the initial mass.

Cobalt Ridge Drilling Results

A drilling program targeting the Cobalt Ridge prospect was completed in November. Recent Company announcements have detailed this work.

Assay results for the final six holes completed are expected in the coming weeks.

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Competent Persons Statement

The information in this report that relates to Exploration Results and Targets is based on information compiled by Mr. Brett Smith, B.Sc Hons (Geol), Member AuslMM, Member AlG and an employee of Corazon Mining Limited. Mr. Smith has sufficient experience that is relevant to the style of mineralization 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. Smith consents to the inclusion in the report of the matters based on this information in the form and context in which it appears.

The information in this report that relates to the Processing and Metallurgy for the Mount Gilmore project is based on and fairly represents information and supporting documentation compiled by Damian Connelly who is a Member of The Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy and a full time employee of METS Engineering (METS). Damian Connelly has sufficient experience relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity 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'. Damian Connelly consents to the inclusion in the report of the matters based on his information in the form and context in which it appears.

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This announcement contains certain statements that may constitute "forward looking statement". Such statements are only predictions and are subject to inherent risks and uncertainties, which could cause actual values, results, performance achievements to differ materially from those expressed, implied or projected in any forward looking statements.

Forward-looking statements are statements that are not historical facts. Words such as "expect(s)", "feel(s)", "believe(s)", "will", "may", "anticipate(s)" and similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements. These statements include, but are not limited to statements regarding future production, resources or reserves and exploration results. All such statements are subject to certain risks and uncertainties, many of which are difficult to predict and generally beyond the control of the Company, that could cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed in, or implied or projected by, the forward-looking information and statements. These risks and uncertainties include, but are not limited to: (i) those relating to the interpretation of drill results, the geology, grade and continuity of mineral deposits and conclusions of economic evaluations, (ii) risks relating to possible variations in reserves, grade, planned mining dilution and ore loss, or recovery rates and changes in project parameters as plans continue to be refined, (iii) the potential for delays in exploration or development activities or the completion of feasibility studies, (iv) risks related to commodity price and foreign exchange rate fluctuations, (v) risks related to failure to obtain adequate financing on a timely basis and on acceptable terms or delays in obtaining governmental approvals or in the completion of development or construction activities, and (vi) other risks and uncertainties related to the Company's prospects, properties and business strategy. Our audience is cautioned not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements that speak only as of the date hereof, and we do not undertake any obligation to revise and disseminate forward-looking statements to reflect events or circumstances after the date hereof, or to reflect the occurrence of or non-occurrence of any events.

The Company believes that it has a reasonable basis for making the forward looking Statements in the announcement based on the information contained in this and previous ASX announcements.

The Company is not aware of any new information or data that materially affects the information included in this ASX release, and the Company confirms that, to the best of its knowledge, all material assumptions and technical parameters underpinning the exploration results in this release continue to apply and have not materially changed.

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Core Drilling - September-November 2017. Metallurgical Testwork - November 2017

Section 1 Sampling Techniques and Data

Criteria	JORC Code explanation	Commentary				
Sampling techniques	 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. Include reference to measures taken to ensure sample representivity and the appropriate calibration of any measurement tools or systems used. Aspects of the determination of mineralisation that are Material to the Public Report. 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. 	HQ core drilling was undertaken. Whole core was submitted for testing at ALS Metallurgy, Balcatta, Western Australia. This teswork was overseen by METS Engineering in Perth. A total of 225.5kg of core was delivered, spanning 31.57 metres. The whole core was coarsely crushed before subsampling. A quarter of the sample mass was reserved, leaving approximately 169 kg of metallurgical testwork.				
Drilling techniques	 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). 	 Drilling was undertaken by Drillit Consulting, utilizing a rubber track mounted rig and rod holding support unit. Equipment details include: Multi-purpose drill rig – UDR 600 6m length rods, 122 mm diameter RC drill bit, HQ and NQ core diametres Auxiliary compressor (1150psi) and booster (900cfm) Above ground sumps and water collection units. 				
Drill sample recovery	 Method of recording and assessing core and chip sample recoveries and results assessed. Measures taken to maximise sample recovery and ensure 	Core sample recovery is considered to be very good				

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	 representative nature of the samples. 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. 	
Logging	 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. Whether logging is qualitative or quantitative in nature. Core (or costean, channel, etc) photography. The total length and percentage of the relevant intersections logged. 	Qualitative and quantitative logged was completed by a qualified and experienced senior geologist.
Sub-sampling techniques and sample	 If core, whether cut or sawn and whether quarter, half or all core taken. If non-core, whether riffled, tube sampled, rotary split, etc and 	Subsampling of the bulk 1 metre coarsely crushed sample was completed by the Lab for the purposes of calculating a composited head-grade for the metallurgical sample.
preparation	 whether sampled wet or dry. For all sample types, the nature, quality and appropriateness of the sample preparation technique. 	Subsequent to the 1 metre testing, a bulk composited sample was created.
	 Quality control procedures adopted for all sub-sampling stages to maximise representivity of samples. 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. Whether sample sizes are appropriate to the grain size of the material being sampled. 	The mater composite sample returned a grade of 0.14% cobalt, 0.32% copper and 0.09 g/t gold.
Quality of	The nature, quality and appropriateness of the assaying and	Metallurgical Testwork
assay data and laboratory tests	laboratory procedures used and whether the technique is considered partial or total. 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.	Metallurgical testwork has been managed by internationally recognised Metallurgical consultants, METS Engineering and independently carried out at ALS laboratories in Perth, Western Australia. Testwork remains in progress with work completed to date including: -

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	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.	 Compositing of drill core samples Comminution Testing Grind Liberation testing Specific Gravity testwork Site water tests Reagent Testing Flotation testwork Wilfley Table tests 				
Verification of sampling and assaying	 The verification of significant intersections by either independent or alternative company personnel. The use of twinned holes. Documentation of primary data, data entry procedures, data verification, data storage (physical and electronic) protocols. Discuss any adjustment to assay data. 	Sampling and analytical methods are of a good standard and as such the results are considered representative of the mineralisation. Sample security has been controlled by the Company or ALS Minerals. Auditing of these results have determined accuracies within acceptable industry standards.				
Location of data points	 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. Specification of the grid system used. Quality and adequacy of topographic control. 	Drill hole locations have been surveyed by a Differential GPS utilising the GDA94 (Zone 56) datum (approximately <u>+</u> 0.5m accuracy). Down hole surveying of holes was undertaken nominally every 14 metres down-hole using a Reflex Electronic Multi-Shot Camera.				
Data spacing and distribution	 Data spacing for reporting of Exploration Results. 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. Whether sample compositing has been applied. 	Data spacing is variable. No determination has yet been made regarding data spacing and whether sample distribution is sufficient for resource estimation.				

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Orientation of data in relation to	data in possible structures and the extent to which this is known, considering the deposit type. Jeological If the relationship between the drilling orientation and the orientation	possible structures and the extent to which this is known, considering	Drill hole azimuths are believed to be perpendicular to the mineralised trend as defined by past exploration. Mineralised zones are interpreted to be sub-vertical with drilling with planned dips of -60° into these zones		
geological structure		Analysis of sample and data bias has yet to be undertaken. No information has been provided in the current or historical reporting to suggest any bias.			
			Core drilling has assisted in the geological understanding of mineralised trends.		
Sample security	•	The measures taken to ensure sample security.	Sample submission for the drill program was undertaken by a qualified geologist.		
Audits or reviews	•	The results of any audits or reviews of sampling techniques and data.	No audit of results has yet been undertaken.		

Section 2 Reporting of Exploration Results

(Criteria listed in the preceding section also apply to this section.)

Criteria	JORC Code explanation	Commentary		
Mineral tenement and land tenure	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,	The Mount Gilmore Project includes a single Exploration Licence (EL8379) located in New South Wales, Australia. The lease was granted on 23 rd June 2015 and includes 99 "Units".		
status	historical sites, wilderness or national park and environmental settings. 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.	EL8379 is owned 51% by Corazon Mining Limited subsidiary Mt Gilmore Resources Pty Ltd and 49% by Providence Gold and Minerals Pty Ltd. Corazon Mining Limited has the option to earn up to 80% equity in the Project (refer to announcement dated 16 June, 2016).		
		The lease covers private farm (station) land and minor Crown Land.		
Exploration done by other parties	Acknowledgment and appraisal of exploration by other parties.	Mineralisation was discovered in the Mt Gilmore Project region more than 130 years ago with small scale mining being completed in the late 1870's		

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		at Glamorgan, Flintoffs and Federal copper and mercury mines.			
		Historical records exist for the historical production and sampling. These reports are variable in quality and reliability.			
		Modern exploration within the Project commenced in the 1980's when PanContinental completed ground IP and magnetic geophysical surveys, gridded soil geochemistry for Cu, As, Au and Co, 25 trenches (1518.5m) and 17 RC drill holes (for 1,020.82m).			
		Between 2006 and 2008 Central West Gold NL completed 25 RC holes and 2 core tails for 2,880m of RC and 163m of core. 21 of these holes were targeting Cobalt Ridge and 4 were completed at Gold Hill.			
		The current Project holders have been focussed on developing data that supports a regional scale Cu-Au system along the Mt Gilmore trend.			
Geology	Deposit type, geological setting and style of mineralisation.	The Project is located on the western edge of the Mesozoic Clarence-Morton Basin, where it abuts the Siluro-Devonian Silverwood Group. The Silverwood group is intruded by the Later Permian Towgon Grange Granodiorite and, at the contact, tourmaline rich bodies occur that range from veinlets to breccia-fill to dyke-like bodies up to 10m wide. The tourmaline enrichment appears to correlate with copper, cobalt and gold soil anomalies. Zoning of mineralisation has been identified, with cinnabar concentrated within the granodiorite and copper and gold concentrated within the hornfels.			
		The Project is considered prospective for tourmaline breccia hosted Co-Cu-Au deposits, Cu-Au-Fe skarns and Quartz-sulphide vein systems, including porphyry Cu-Au deposits.			
Drill hole Information	 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: 	Drill hole information for drilling completed by Corazon Mining Limited at the Cobalt Ridge prospect has been provided in previous reports on this work. The metallurgical hole (MGD022) is detailed below.			

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	 easting and northing of the drill hole collar elevation or RL (Reduced Level – elevation above sea level in metres) of the drill hole collar 	Hole ID	North	East	RL	Dip (degrees)	Mag Az (degrees)	Total Depth
	 dip and azimuth of the hole down hole length and interception depth hole length. 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. 	MGD022	6740303	468497	67	-64	155	120.75
Data aggregation methods	 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. 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. The assumptions used for any reporting of metal equivalent values should be clearly stated. 	Not applicabl	e to the me	tallurgical t	estwork r	reported.		
Relationship between mineralisation widths and intercept lengths	 These relationships are particularly important in the reporting of Exploration Results. If the geometry of the mineralisation with respect to the drill hole angle is known, its nature should be reported. 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'). 	Not applicabl	e to the me	tallurgical t	estwork r	eported.		
Diagrams	 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. 	All diagrams	include sca	les for refe	rence (if a	appropriat	te).	

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Balanced reporting	practicable, representative re	ing of all Exploration Results is not porting of both low and high grades ticed to avoid misleading reporting of	Noted and complied with.
Other substantive exploration data	including (but not limited to): g survey results; geochemical s method of treatment; metallur	aningful and material, should be reported geological observations; geophysical survey results; bulk samples – size and rgical test results; bulk density, and rock characteristics; potential substances.	Historical exploration results have been previously reported by Corazon Mining Limited. This work included rock-chip sampling, soil geochemistry, geophysics and drilling. Reliance has been placed on historical reports as an indicator of potential only.
Further work	extensions or depth extension Diagrams clearly highlighting	ned further work (eg tests for lateral ns or large-scale step-out drilling). the areas of possible extensions,	Additional analysis of this drilling will provide a better understanding of the mineralised trends and mineralisation processes that will be used in future interpretation and modelling at Cobalt Ridge.
	including the main geological interpretations and future drilling areas, provided this information is not commercially sensitive.	Metallurgical testwork is on-going.	