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HIGH GRADE MANGANESE ROCK SAMPLES RETURN UP TO 52% Mn

Brumby Resources Limited (ASX: BMY) is pleased to report the results of a litho-structural mapping and new sampling programme recently completed at its 100% held Oakover manganese project, W.A. Refer to Figure 1 for Project location. The mapping programme has defined the setting of Brumby's previously discovered manganese outcrops within EL52/1939 Refer to Figure 2.

Mapping has shown that the known outcropping manganese mineralisation is stratabound and structurally controlled. Areas of anomalous manganese mineralisation are hosted within Balfour Formation shales and siltstones. Outcrop is generally sparse throughout the mapped areas of EL52/1939 but reliable structural data was obtained.

The higher grade manganese mineralisation occurs as discontinuous lenses and pods within the wider zones of the anomalous manganeseiferous shale horizons. Smaller areas of manganeseiferous laterite were mapped at the Manganese Well, Karen and the Sixty Six prospect areas.

The predominant structural feature associated with the manganese mineralisation are two north-north east trending anticlinal structures, and another similar trending synclinal structure to the south at the Karen prospect. The Sixty Six, JI, and Rohdes prospects are associated with the southern anticlinal axis.

The more massive high grade manganese mineralisation is associated with the main fold closures and smaller parasitic fold closures. Some late north-south fault zones offset the anticlinal axis and manganese mineralisation. Two new high grade manganese occurrences were found in the JI and Louie Prospect areas. Two new buried structural targets have been delineated for further follow up in the north central part of the tenement.

Surface rock sampling was undertaken in conjunction with the geological mapping. A total of 68 rock samples were collected and analysed for the manganese suite of elements.

The manganese values ranged from 4.4% Mn to 52.8% Mn, with twelve samples returning manganese values greater than 40% Mn. The location of the new plus 40% Mn assays results are shown in Figure 2.

The rock samples collected for assay consisted of massive banded, massive to semi massive, botryoidal, manganeseiferous laterite and massive banded and folded.

All manganese assay results, sample locations and rock descriptions are listed in Table 1. The results of the litho-structural mapping and previous drill results are summarised in Figure 2.

The current litho-structural mapping programme will aid the planning of the next follow up drill programme that will also test several new areas, defined by high grade manganese rock sample results.

The Oakover tenement (E52/1939) is 100% owned by Brumby and encompasses an area of 104.1 square kilometres, located in the southern part of the East Pilbara Manganese province.

Locally the project area is located 200 kilometres south of the Woodie Woodie manganese mine and approximately 50 kilometres south of the Balfour Downs-Nicholas Downs open cut manganese mining operation.

Competent Person's Statement

The information in this report that relates to exploration results is based on information measured and compiled by Mr. Louis Hissink M.Sc. M.IEEE, a consulting geologist to Brumby Resources Limited, and a member of the Australian Institute of Geoscientists. Mr Hissink is competent to report exploration results as defined in the December 2004 edition of the JORC code and consents to the inclusion in the report of the results and matters based on his information in the form and content in which they appear.

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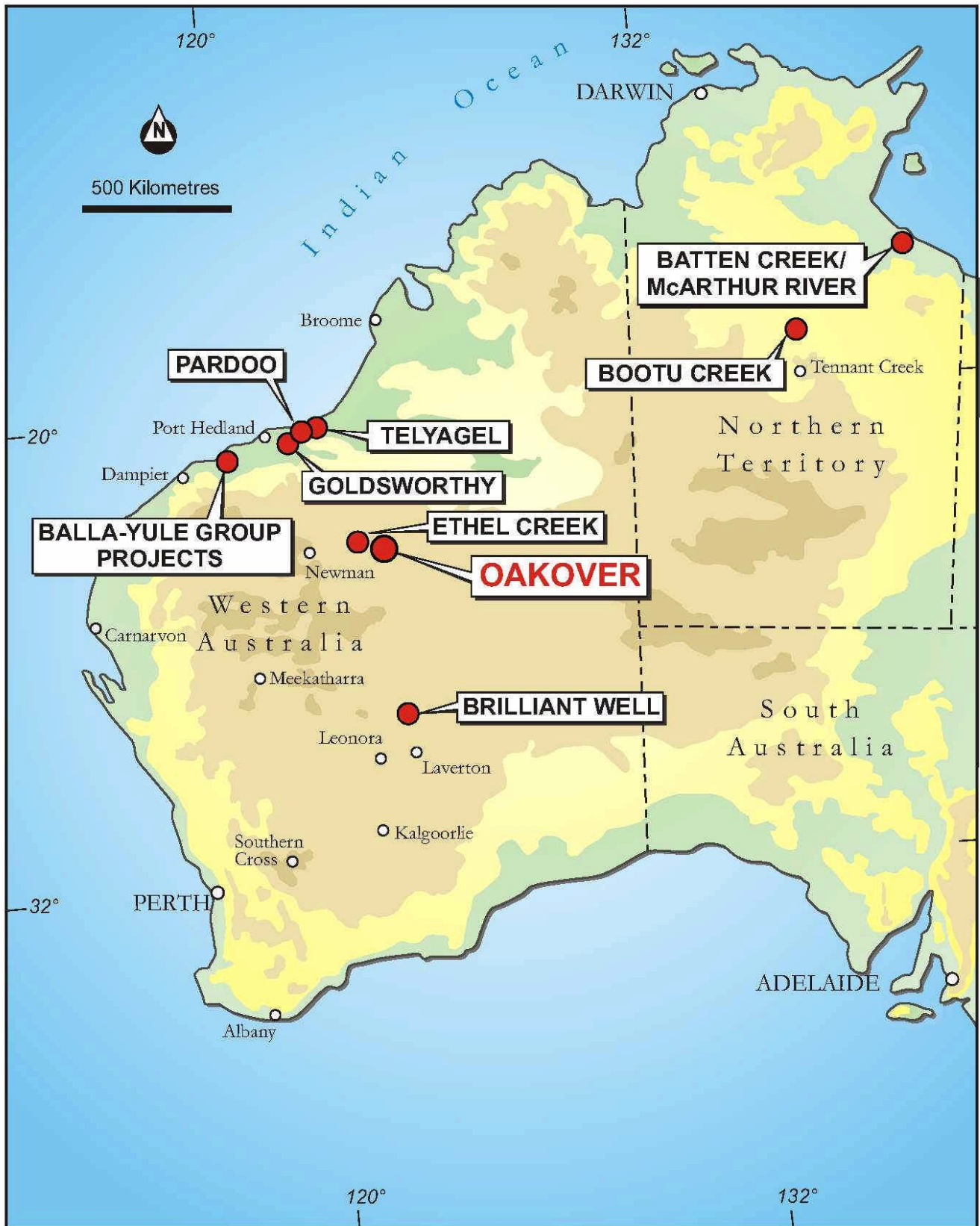


Figure 1 – Oakover Project Location

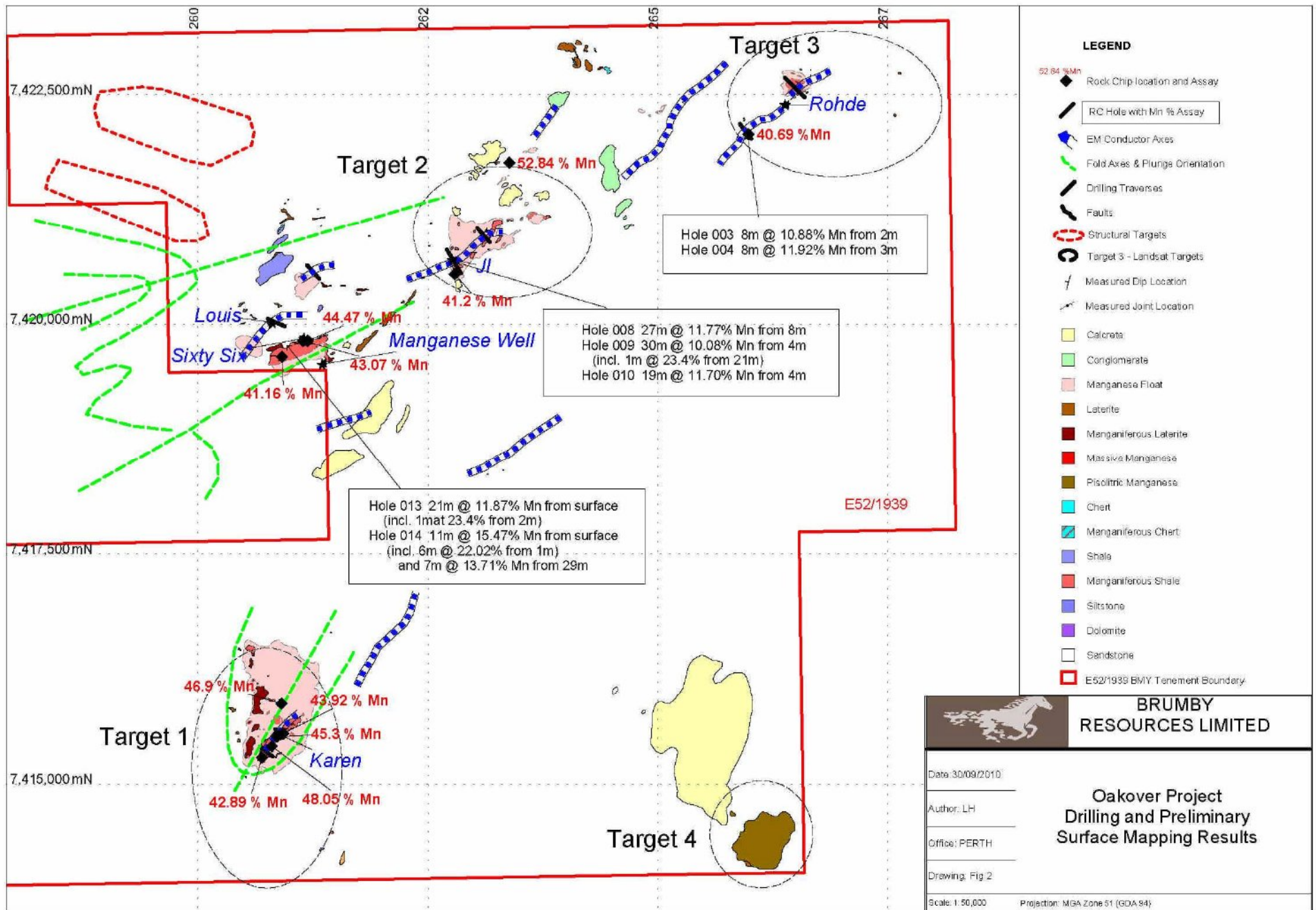


Figure 2 – Oakover Targets

TABLE 1

| SAMPLES | MGA_EAST | MGA_NORTH | Mn | SiO2 | P2O5 | Fe2O3 | Al2O3 | LOI | Comments |
|---------|----------|-----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--|
| MN001 | 262783 | 7420599 | 38.41 | 13.55 | 0.158 | 15.79 | 2.95 | 11.11 | MASSIVE BANDED Manganese |
| MN002 | 262790 | 7420540 | 41.2 | 18.62 | 0.042 | 2.49 | 6.05 | 10.49 | MASSIVE Manganese POD, 15X2M |
| MN003 | 263002 | 7421005 | 35.38 | 21.76 | 0.141 | 7.16 | 6.36 | 9.93 | MASSIVE TO SEMI MASSIVE Manganese IN SUBCROP |
| MN004 | 263387 | 7421758 | 52.84 | 5.76 | 0.156 | 4.98 | 1.23 | 11.93 | FLOAT WITH Manganese AND SPECULAR HEAMATITE |
| MN005 | 264361 | 7422779 | 4.4 | 10.68 | 0.158 | 65.23 | 6.03 | 10.39 | Manganese IN LATERITE AT TOP OF HILL |
| MN006 | 260909 | 7415868 | 46.9 | 12.73 | 0.093 | 2.52 | 3.62 | 10.31 | SUBCROP OF MASSIVE Manganese |
| MN007 | 260824 | 7415893 | 35.7 | 20.55 | 0.123 | 11.16 | 4.71 | 9.77 | MASSIVE Manganese IN SHALES FOLDED |
| MN008 | 260802 | 7415896 | 34.49 | 19.13 | 0.153 | 15.27 | 4.24 | 9.44 | MASSIVE Manganese IN SUBCROP |
| MN009 | 260758 | 7415916 | 36.58 | 19.71 | 0.218 | 7.45 | 6.29 | 10.58 | MASSIVE Manganese IN SHALES |
| MN010 | 260831 | 7415736 | 20.55 | 20.57 | 0.942 | 33.4 | 3.88 | 10.59 | SEMI MASSIVE Manganese IN SHALES |
| MN011 | 260942 | 7415691 | 39.52 | 12.94 | 0.234 | 12.74 | 3.2 | 10.93 | MASSIVE BANDED Manganese |
| MN012 | 260974 | 7415653 | 37.29 | 18.72 | 0.309 | 10.92 | 4.46 | 10.63 | MASSIVE Manganese |
| MN013 | 260944 | 7415598 | 36 | 16.51 | 0.358 | 15.93 | 3.67 | 10.25 | MASSIVE Manganese ON TOP OF RIDGE |
| MN014 | 260926 | 7415547 | 43.92 | 19.83 | 0.076 | 1.54 | 3.61 | 10.13 | MASSIVE Manganese |
| MN015 | 260860 | 7415511 | 45.3 | 8.49 | 0.105 | 5.55 | 6.32 | 12.2 | MASSIVE Manganese |
| MN016 | 260824 | 7415461 | 33.5 | 22.24 | 0.117 | 13.89 | 4.25 | 9.55 | SUBCROP MASSIVE Manganese |
| MN017 | 260802 | 7415408 | 48.05 | 9.09 | 0.104 | 2.61 | 3.97 | 11.63 | SUBCROP MASSIVE Manganese |
| MN018 | 260756 | 7415418 | 35.11 | 18.92 | 0.443 | 11.69 | 5.99 | 10.47 | Manganese IN FAULT ZONE |
| MN019 | 261112 | 7415420 | 15.63 | 22.63 | 0.797 | 35.79 | 5.46 | 10.17 | SUBCROP OF SEMI MASSIVE Manganese |
| MN020 | 260859 | 7415308 | 33.05 | 17.41 | 0.299 | 19.7 | 3.22 | 9.99 | MASSIVE Manganese SHALES , BOTRYOIDAL |
| MN021 | 260697 | 7415285 | 42.89 | 16.21 | 0.16 | 5.16 | 3.96 | 10.36 | MASSIVE Manganese SHALES , BOTRYOIDAL |
| MN022 | 261455 | 7414474 | 26.56 | 48.71 | 0.051 | 3.72 | 1.48 | 6.32 | SEMI MASSIVE Manganese IN CHERT |
| MN023 | 260520 | 7415074 | 27.87 | 25.7 | 0.424 | 15.95 | 6.28 | 9.35 | MASSIVE Manganese IN LATERITE |
| MN024 | 260560 | 7415290 | 24.38 | 27.97 | 0.182 | 15.19 | 9.52 | 9.93 | SUBCROP OF MASSIVE Manganese |
| MN025 | 260561 | 7415320 | 27.38 | 23.64 | 0.142 | 12.86 | 11.14 | 9.92 | MASSIVE Manganese IN LATERITE |
| MN026 | 260583 | 7415398 | 28.93 | 20.34 | 0.116 | 16.09 | 9.1 | 10.5 | MASSIVE Manganese IN LATERITE |
| MN027 | 260656 | 7415516 | 34.19 | 19.14 | 0.155 | 12.78 | 6.09 | 10.87 | MASSIVE Manganese |
| MN028 | 260604 | 7415785 | 29.7 | 15.34 | 0.176 | 21.06 | 6.8 | 11.82 | Manganese IN LATERITE |
| MN029 | 260659 | 7415848 | 35.76 | 16.63 | 0.093 | 12.95 | 6.01 | 10.67 | MASSIVE Manganese IN LATERITE AND SHLAE |
| MN030 | 260697 | 7415954 | 28.45 | 25.32 | 0.095 | 10.61 | 9.52 | 10.55 | MASSIVE Manganese IN LATERITE |
| MN031 | 260755 | 7415757 | 31.67 | 20.59 | 0.218 | 13.56 | 6.25 | 10.83 | SEMI MASSIVE Manganese IN SHALES |
| MN032 | 260887 | 7415674 | 27.59 | 22.04 | 0.304 | 20.81 | 5.53 | 10.61 | MASSIVE Manganese IN SHALES |
| MN033 | 261018 | 7415541 | 36.72 | 16.75 | 0.258 | 11.24 | 4.88 | 11.42 | SEMI MASSIVE IN SHALES |
| MN034 | 261090 | 7415680 | 31.91 | 20.99 | 0.188 | 17.27 | 4.11 | 9.39 | MASSIVE Manganese |

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|---------|----------|-----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---|
| MN035 | 260594 | 7416119 | 25 | 23.23 | 0.135 | 16.66 | 11.28 | 10.03 | Manganese IN LATERITE |
| MN036 | 260579 | 7416272 | 25.69 | 18.33 | 0.121 | 23.76 | 9.09 | 9.61 | Manganese IN LATERITE |
| MN037 | 260581 | 7416315 | 17.66 | 29.18 | 0.099 | 20.56 | 12.63 | 9.37 | Manganese IN LATERITE |
| MN038 | 260599 | 7416426 | 37.61 | 19.35 | 0.067 | 10.08 | 4.47 | 9.95 | Manganese IN LATERITE AN SHALE SUBCROP |
| MN039 | 260591 | 7416482 | 38.36 | 18.42 | 0.092 | 7.96 | 4.83 | 10.67 | Manganese IN SHALE |
| MN040 | 260451 | 7416468 | 20.62 | 24.53 | 0.096 | 23.14 | 11.03 | 10.14 | Manganese IN LATERITE |
| MN041 | 265986 | 7422070 | 40.69 | 17.06 | 0.186 | 5.12 | 4.79 | 10.15 | MASSIVE Manganese IN SUBCROP |
| MN042 | 266595 | 7422540 | 36.57 | 17.99 | 0.548 | 10.91 | 4.86 | 10.77 | MASSIVE Manganese IN SUBCROP |
| MN043 | 266526 | 7422708 | 23.13 | 30.53 | 0.142 | 18.3 | 6.62 | 9.58 | |
| MN044 | 266512 | 7422637 | 33.19 | 27.03 | 0.387 | 6.17 | 5.91 | 10.01 | MASSIVE Manganese |
| MN045 | 266459 | 7422630 | 35.16 | 24.91 | 0.315 | 7.26 | 4.79 | 10.03 | SEMI MASSIVE TO MASSIVE Manganese |
| MN046 | 266460 | 7422530 | 39.97 | 18.87 | 0.128 | 6.46 | 4.92 | 10.18 | SUBCROP |
| MN047 | 265033 | 7422323 | 37.94 | 17.15 | 0.262 | 8.93 | 4.67 | 11.22 | SMALL AREA OF SUBCROPPING Manganese |
| MN048 | 262509 | 7420850 | 30.49 | 21.01 | 0.597 | 15.83 | 5.84 | 10.44 | SUBCROP, MASSIVE Manganese |
| MN049 | 262540 | 7421092 | 22.89 | 12.9 | 0.569 | 33.33 | 5.46 | 11.74 | MASSIVE Manganese , FE AND SI |
| MN050 | 261413 | 7419623 | 32.86 | 18.31 | 0.367 | 15.32 | 5.59 | 11 | MASSIVE Manganese |
| MN051 | 261289 | 7419755 | 32.46 | 17.23 | 0.509 | 18.5 | 4.64 | 11.17 | MASSIVE Manganese |
| MN052 | 261230 | 7419788 | 33.94 | 16.97 | 0.131 | 17.59 | 4.86 | 10.95 | SUBCROP MASSIVE Manganese |
| MN053 | 261194 | 7419817 | 44.47 | 5.14 | 0.184 | 9.86 | 5.84 | 12.77 | MASSIVE BANDED AND FOLDED |
| MN054 | 261139 | 7419816 | 43.07 | 5.52 | 0.057 | 10.12 | 7.81 | 13.58 | MASSIVE Manganese |
| MN055 | 261068 | 7419792 | 34.48 | 7.47 | 0.225 | 23.62 | 5.42 | 13.08 | MASSIVE BANDED Manganese |
| MN056 | 261181 | 7419723 | 34 | 17.34 | 0.207 | 16.27 | 4.96 | 11.07 | MASSIVE Manganese |
| MN057 | 262794 | 7420541 | 44.12 | 13.33 | 0.13 | 3.71 | 4.7 | 10.73 | MASSIVE Manganese OUTCROP OVER 10M2 |
| MN058 | 261064 | 7419742 | 30.86 | 18.95 | 0.311 | 19.33 | 5.35 | 11 | Manganese REPLACED SHL |
| MN059 | 261072 | 7419669 | 32.17 | 24.38 | 0.291 | 12.42 | 4.39 | 10.29 | SMALL FOLD MASSIVE Manganese IN HINGE |
| MN060 | 260912 | 7419642 | 41.16 | 15.42 | 0.13 | 7.55 | 4.78 | 11.29 | MASSIVE BANDED REPLACED SHALES |
| MN061 | 260883 | 7419669 | 26.85 | 20.2 | 0.373 | 23.05 | 4.98 | 10.81 | MASSIVE REPLACED Manganese SHALES |
| MN062 | 260827 | 7419587 | 32.41 | 17.3 | 0.32 | 18.65 | 4.59 | 11.12 | MASSIVE Manganese IN FLAT LYING SHALES |
| MN063 | 260496 | 7420009 | 26.38 | 29.99 | 0.269 | 19.13 | 1.53 | 8.72 | MASSIVE Manganese IN SCT AND LAT |
| MN064 | 260635 | 7420052 | 5.31 | 43.89 | 0.095 | 28.71 | 9.91 | 7.43 | Manganese IN LATERITE |
| MN065 | 260602 | 7420070 | 24.11 | 26.74 | 0.579 | 20.17 | 5.9 | 9.88 | Manganese IN SHALES |
| MN066 | 260580 | 7420096 | 15.78 | 25.3 | 0.474 | 35.49 | 4.32 | 9.34 | Manganese IN LATERITE |
| MN067 | 260518 | 7420148 | 4.78 | 40.54 | 0.053 | 42.95 | 1.99 | 7.34 | BRECCIATED CHERT WITH Manganese |
| MN068 | 260501 | 7420231 | 19.87 | 31.49 | 0.171 | 25.11 | 4.44 | 9.7 | Manganese IN CHERT WITH CROSS CUTTING VNT |