



## INVESTOR UPDATE

MINES & MONEY (Hong Kong)

GOLD, RARE EARTH ELEMENTS & TECH METALS

ASX:ORM

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23<sup>rd</sup> March 2011

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# Corporate Overview

- **Shares on issue (ASX:ORM)**
  - 79,597,443 shares on issue
  - \$12.7 Million market capitalisation at 16 cents
- **Options on issue**
  - Unlisted options 2.5M
- **Cash on hand \$ 4.4M**
- **Tight Shareholding**
  - Top 20 shareholders hold 71.2% of listed Shares
    - Metallica Minerals (ASX:MLM) 14.9%
    - Conglin Yue (Conglin Group) 14.6%
    - Jien Mining (China) 14.0%
    - Directors approximately 10.0%



# Vision & Strategy

## Vision

- To become a leading Australian explorer of Heavy Rare Earth Elements (HREE) - utilising the best available people, resources and technology.

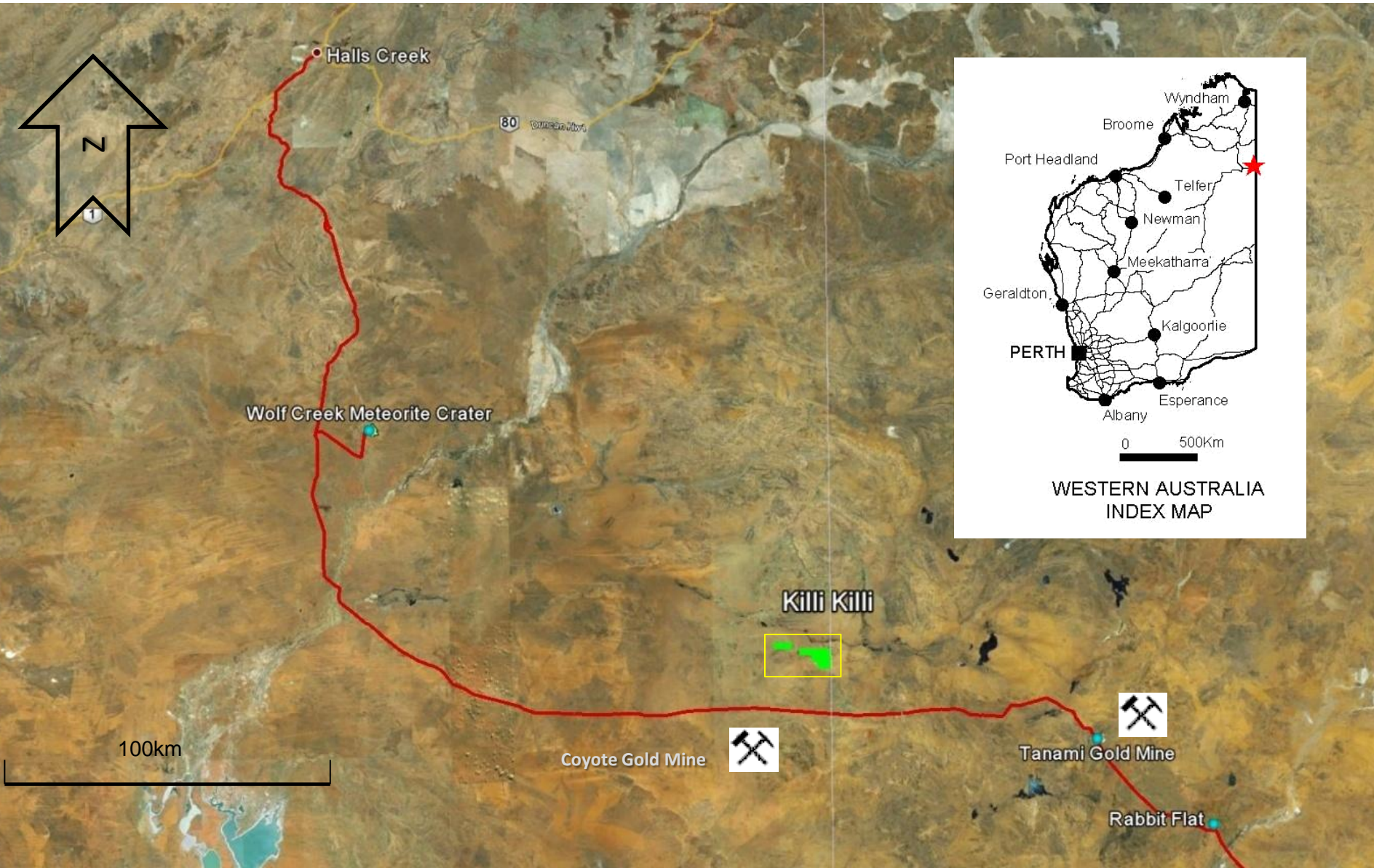
## Strategy

- Critical mass by securing new prospects and partners
- Prioritise exploration and rapidly execute plans
- Actively search for other REE and gold opportunities
- Build a team of leading executives and technicians
  - In-house mapping, geophysics and geochemistry
  - Specialist Geologist
- Plan for significant growth

# Orion Project Locations



# Killi Killi Hills Location



# Exploration Update



## Killi Killi Hills (HREE) – Major Project

- Highly prospective for HREE, Gold and Uranium
- 30 RC shallow reconnaissance drill holes
- Excellent drilling results released in Dec 2010
  - Exceeded all expectations for the extent of mineralisation
  - Previous announcement was not well understood by the market
- Abundance of “halides” is indicative of HREE mineralisation
- 6 metres gold at 5.85 g/t, rock chips to 9.4 g/t
- Drilling confirmed up to 40% of HREEY to TREEY
- Beneficiation/Metallurgical testing due April
- HREE enriched in unconformity and basement rocks
- 2011 extensive follow up exploration planned
- Expanded regional search
- Investigate “farm in”, purchase and JV with neighbours



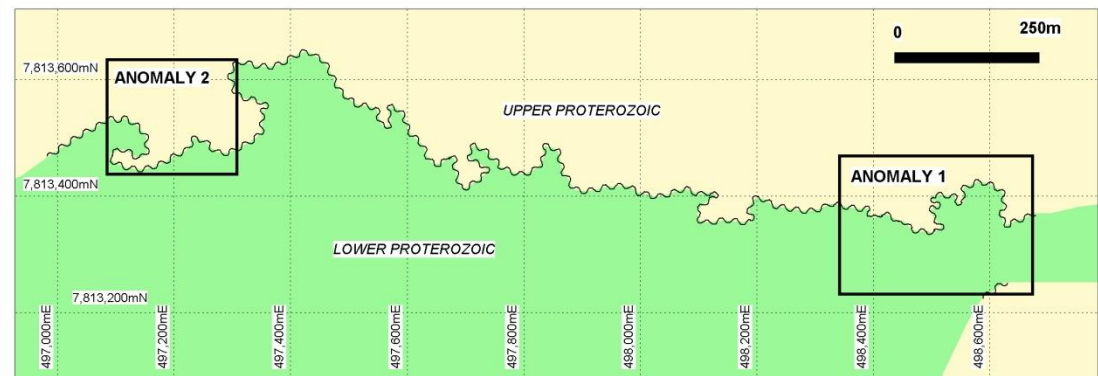
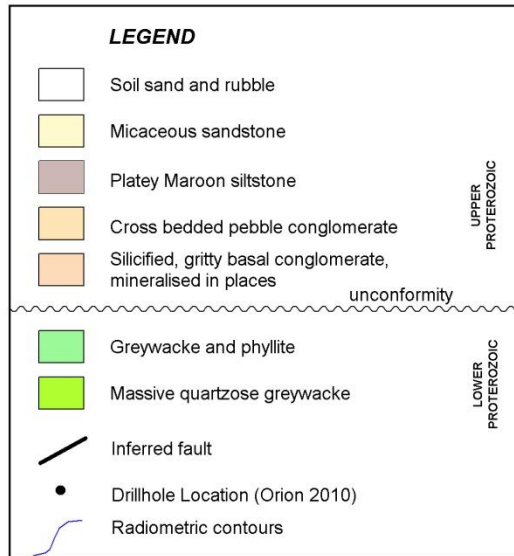
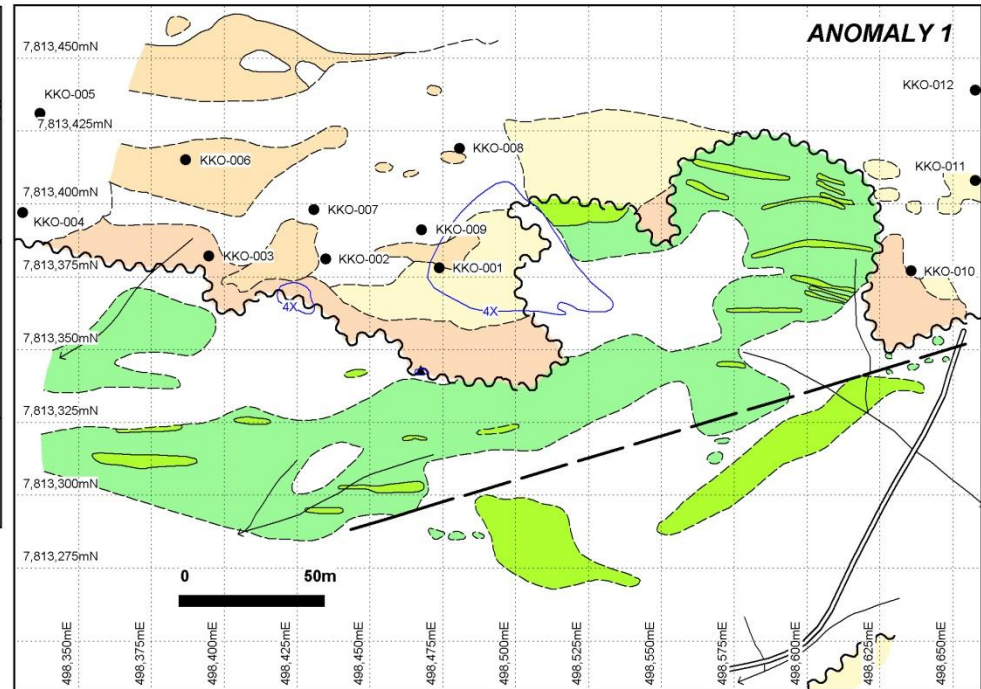
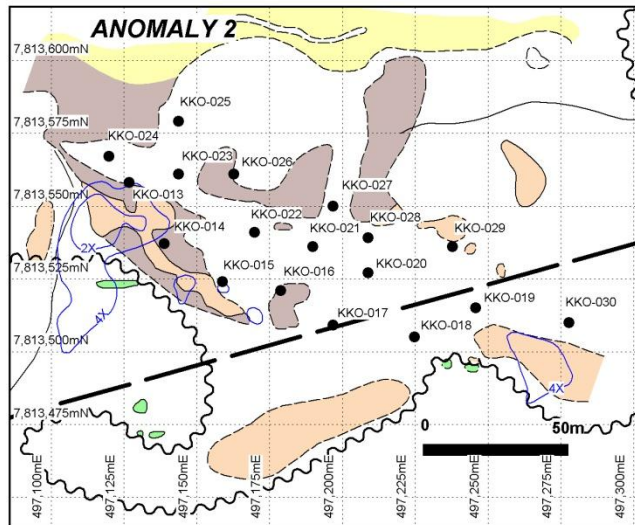
Professor Ken Collerson Report on Killi Killi Hills

# Preliminary Findings

- The Killi Killi Hills tenements represent an important potential HREE+Y prospect
- Why Killi Killi Hills is significant:
  - Unconformity is a conduit for hydrothermal fluids
  - These fluids were most likely expelled from a crystallizing igneous complex
  - The regional faults in the area may have provided a pathway for fluids
- Orion's regional exploration focus should be to find the primary REE source

*\*Professor Ken Collerson is an internationally recognised geoscientist with more than 35 years of experience in Australia and Internationally. He is a renowned specialist in mineralogy, igneous and metamorphic petrology, trace element and isotope geochemistry, tectonics, deep earth geodynamics, Archean and Proterozoic crustal evolution.*

# Drilling November 2010 - Actual



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**KILLI KILLI EAST PROJECT - WESTERN AUSTRALIA**  
**DRILLHOLE LOCATIONS (2010)**



# Killi Killi Drilling Results



Table 1 - REE & Gold Mineralised Drill Intercepts (ppm)

Sample	LREE grams per tonne					HREE grams per tonne							Gold
	Y	La	Ce	Nd	Sm	Eu	Gd	Tb	Dy	Er	Tm	Yb	Au
KK01 0 - 6													5.58
KK02 2 - 3													0.21
KK03 1 - 3	534	192	605	774	224	23	137	19	103	55	6	33	0.07
KK04 0- 3	236	151	456	634	156	14	73	9	50	30	4	21	0.07
KK0 7 4 - 6													0.3
KK07 7- 8	26	168	387	326	67	7	29	3	7	3	1	2	0.04
KK09 0 - 2	277	152	485	687	193	17	100	12	57	29	3	17	0.13
KK013 0- 3	507	554	1367	905	248	22	134	20	115	76	10	58	0.25
KK014 0-1	568	319	1118	>1000	423	32	175	23	118	74	8	47	0.02
Kk015 3 - 4													0.4
KK019 2-3	75	251	760	667	144	14	67	6	21	11	1	9	0.02
KK021 6-7													0.12
KK022 3-4	55	274	869	725	116	9	44	4	13	9	1	7	0.01
KK023 1-6	53	222	649	493	82	7	32	3	11	7	1	6	0.01
KK024 1-4	134	355	969	728	139	12	57	6	26	18	2	15	0.02
KK025 4-8													0.44
KK027 2-3	426	471	1364	>1000	205	17	99	13	79	57	8	48	0.01
KK030 3-4	55	184	574	463	119	12	52	5	15	7	1	5	0.02



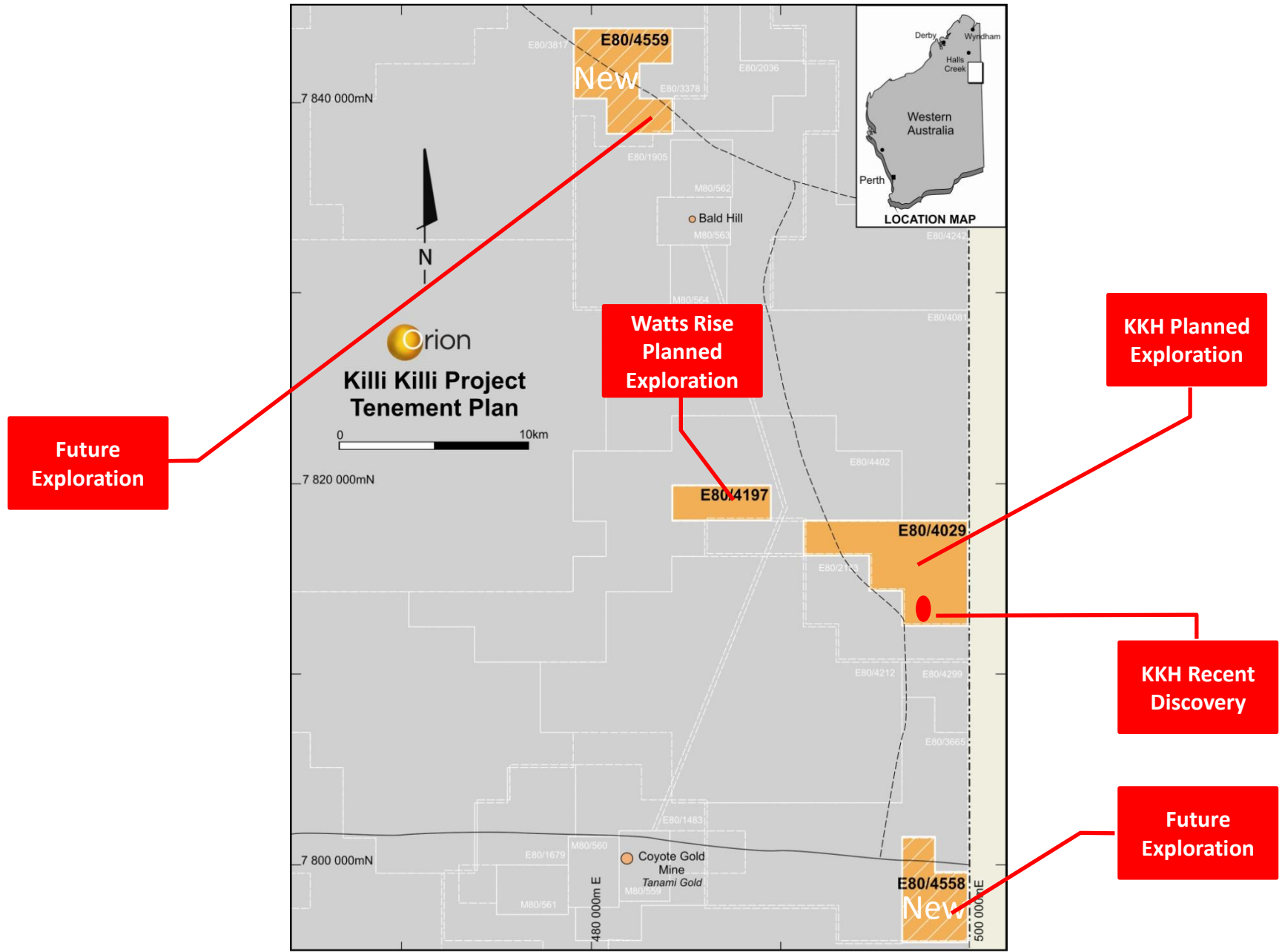
**Table 2** – Anomalous REE & Au Drill Intercepts in Basement Rocks (ppm)

Sample	LREE grams per tonne					HREE grams per tonne							Gold
	Y	La	Ce	Nd	Sm	Eu	Gd	Tb	Dy	Er	Tm	Yb	Au
KK05 7 - 11													0.21
KK05 11-18	116	79	176	130	31	4	24	4	22	13	2	10	
KK013 4 - 5	43	223	644	565	103	9	42	4	12	6	1	4	
KK013 4 - 5													0.29
KK016 6 -12	99	65	151	116	28	4	23	4	21	12	2	9	

**Table 3**. Rock Chip Samples – Significant REE & Gold Results (ppm)

Sample	LREE grams per tonne					HREE grams per tonne							Gold
	Y	La	Ce	Nd	Sm	Eu	Gd	Tb	Dy	Er	Tm	Yb	Au
KK42	121	475	1325	>1000	319	31	145	12	35	19	2	16	0.1
KK43	414	606	1468	>1000	229	19	119	16	105	84	12	76	0.01
KK48	904	811	2071	>1000	357	36	215	33	207	137	18	100	0.03
KK49	1094	263	510	632	159	23	182	35	274	217	31	184	0.01
KK57	1444	367	1118	>1000	608	65	382	54	317	169	19	93	0.71
KK64	56	721	1890	993	142	12	59	6	18	10	1	7	0.01
KK65	108	502	1427	>1000	176	13	66	7	26	20	3	18	0.01
KK66	51	600	1657	987	159	13	67	6	16	8	1	6	0.01

# Strengthening our Tanami Position



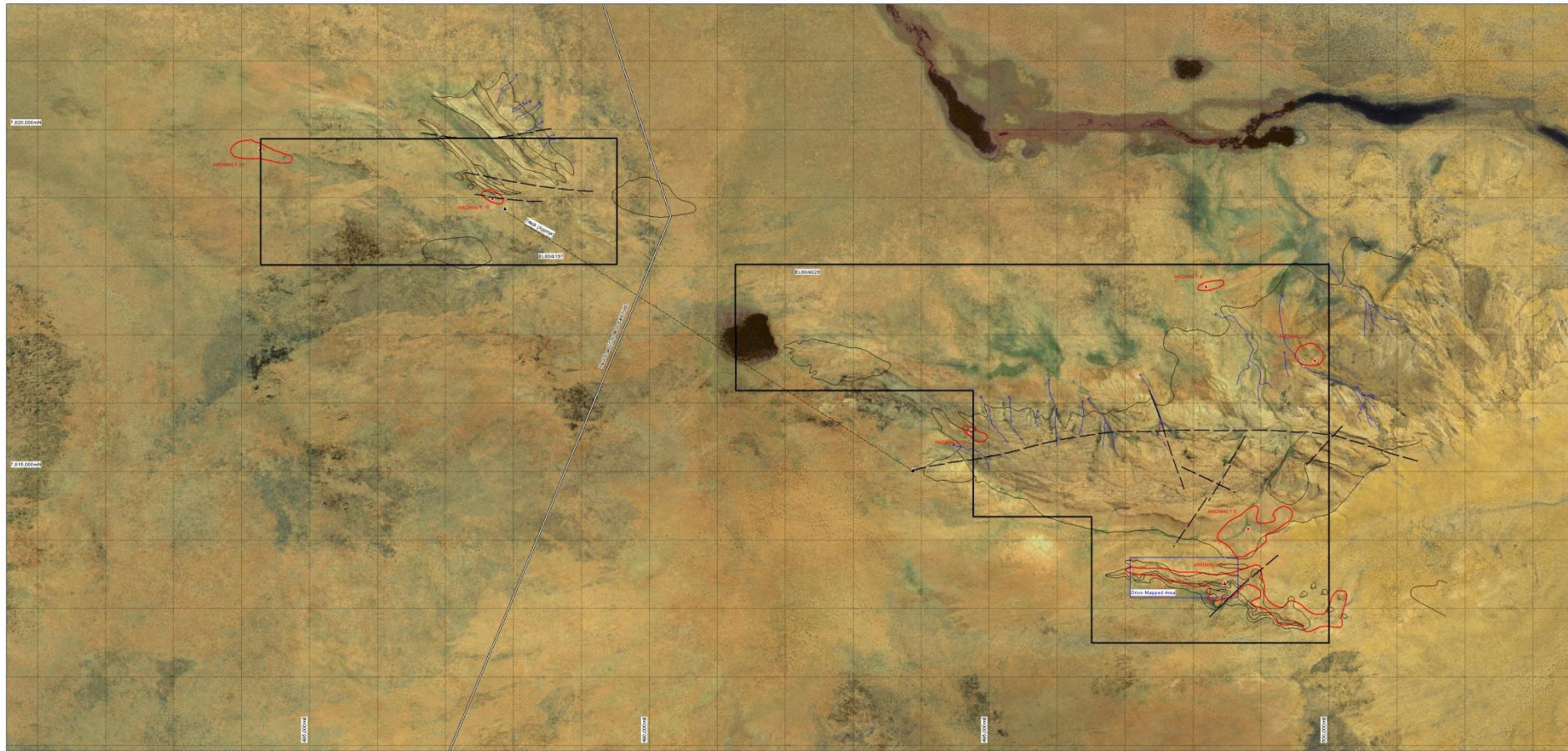


# Killi Killi Exploration Plan 2011

- **Tenement acquisition** E80/4558 & E 80/4559 - Jan
- **Desktop Regional Study** - regional geological & geophysical features - Late Feb
- **Metallurgical Testing** - Late May - results in June 2011
- **Radiometric Anomalies** - field work to investigate 7 radiometric anomalies - April
- **Magnetic Anomalies** - Review regional trends
- **Geochemical Soil Sampling** - April
- **New Tenements** - Rock chip and soil sampling - April
- **RAB Drilling** - May / August



# Killi Killi - Radiometric Anomalies



**GEOLOGY LEGEND**

1	Sand
14, 15	Laminated quartz gravels/sandstone with calcareous matrix and ripple marked sandstone
2	Micaceous siltstone and upper conglomerate
3	Basal conglomerate, grit and sandstone
	Unconformity
4	LOWER PROTEROZOIC

Geology from DMG, 1989

**AEROMAGNETIC LEGEND**

ANOMALY 1-12	Radiometric Anomaly 2+ background
▲	Centre of Radiometric anomaly (see table for coordinates)
▲	Start and end points of track (see table for coordinates)

ANOMALY	EAST MGA	NORTH MGA	COMMENT
1	486 760	7 816 833	+20% CONTOUR
2	486 951	7 817 798	+20% CONTOUR
3	486 812	7 814 174	+30% CONTOUR
4	486 488	7 813 381	+45% CONTOUR
5	487 488	7 816 023	
10	484 274	7 816 797	2.5% SPOI
11	484 733	7 816 467	+2.0% CONTOUR
12	483 893	7 816 024	Start Track
12	483 876	7 816 846	End Track



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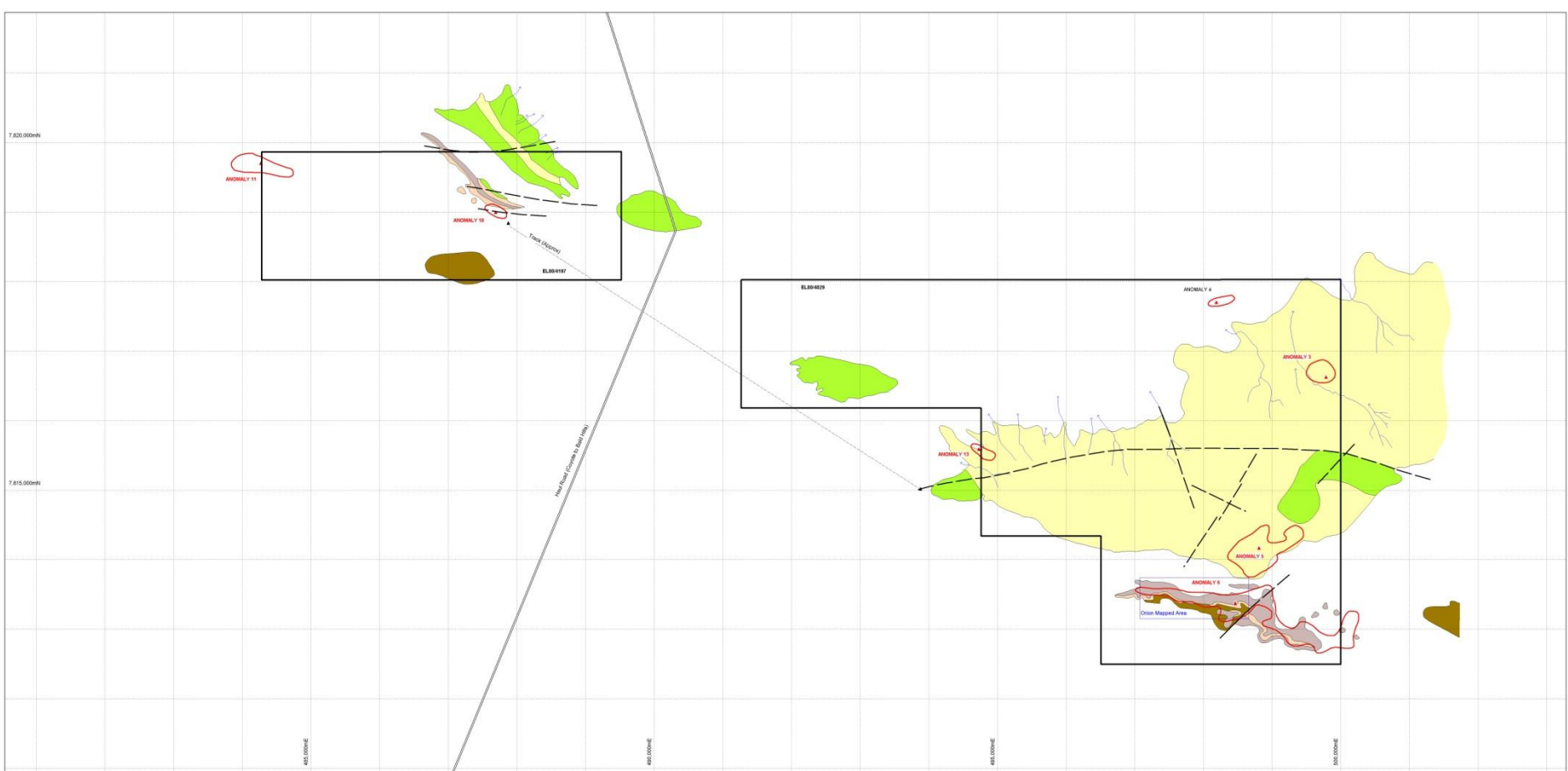
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**GEOLOGY AND RADIOMETRIC ANOMALIES**

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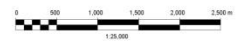
- Sand
- Laminated quartz greywacke with micaceous and lignite stained sandstone
- Miocene siltstone and upper conglomerate
- Basal conglomerate gnl and sandstone
- Unconformity
- LOWER PROTEROZOIC

Geology from OME, 1985

**AEROMAGNETIC LEGEND**

- Radiometric Anomaly (background)
- Centre of Radiometric Anomaly (see table for coordinates)
- Min and max points of track (see table for coordinates)

ANOMALY	EAST_MGA	NORTH_MGA	COMMENT
1	486 760	7 818 822	3.5X CONTOUR
2	486 181	7 817 798	2.5X CONTOUR
3	486 812	7 815 742	3.5X CONTOUR
4	486 480	7 813 381	4.5X CONTOUR
10	487 586	7 819 903	
11	486 274	7 819 707	2.5X SPOT
12	486 733	7 815 387	2.5X CONTOUR
13	485 981	7 815 542	Open Track
14	487 879	7 819 848	End Track



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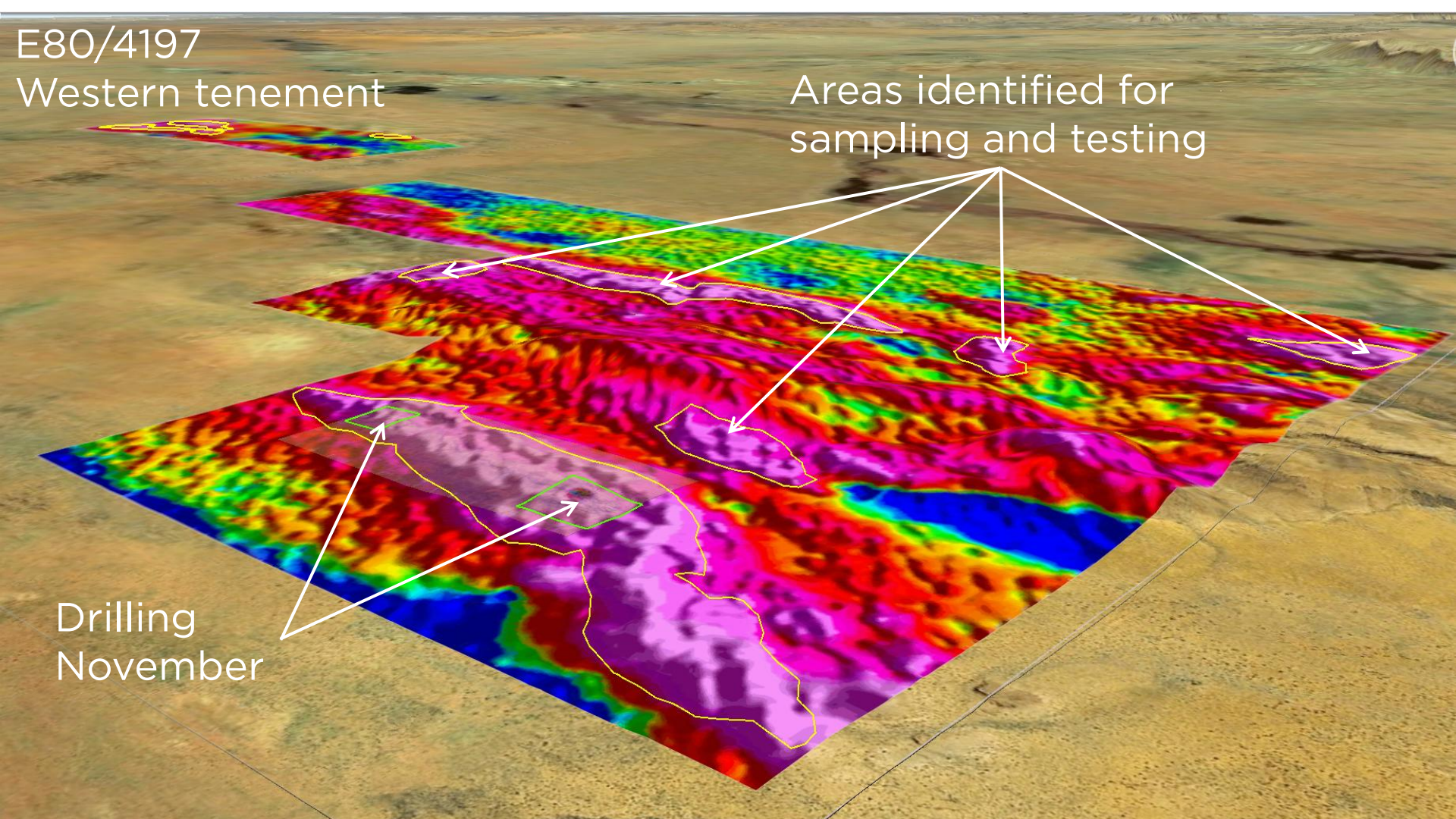
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# Killi Killi Thorium Hot Spots

Eastern tenement E80/4029



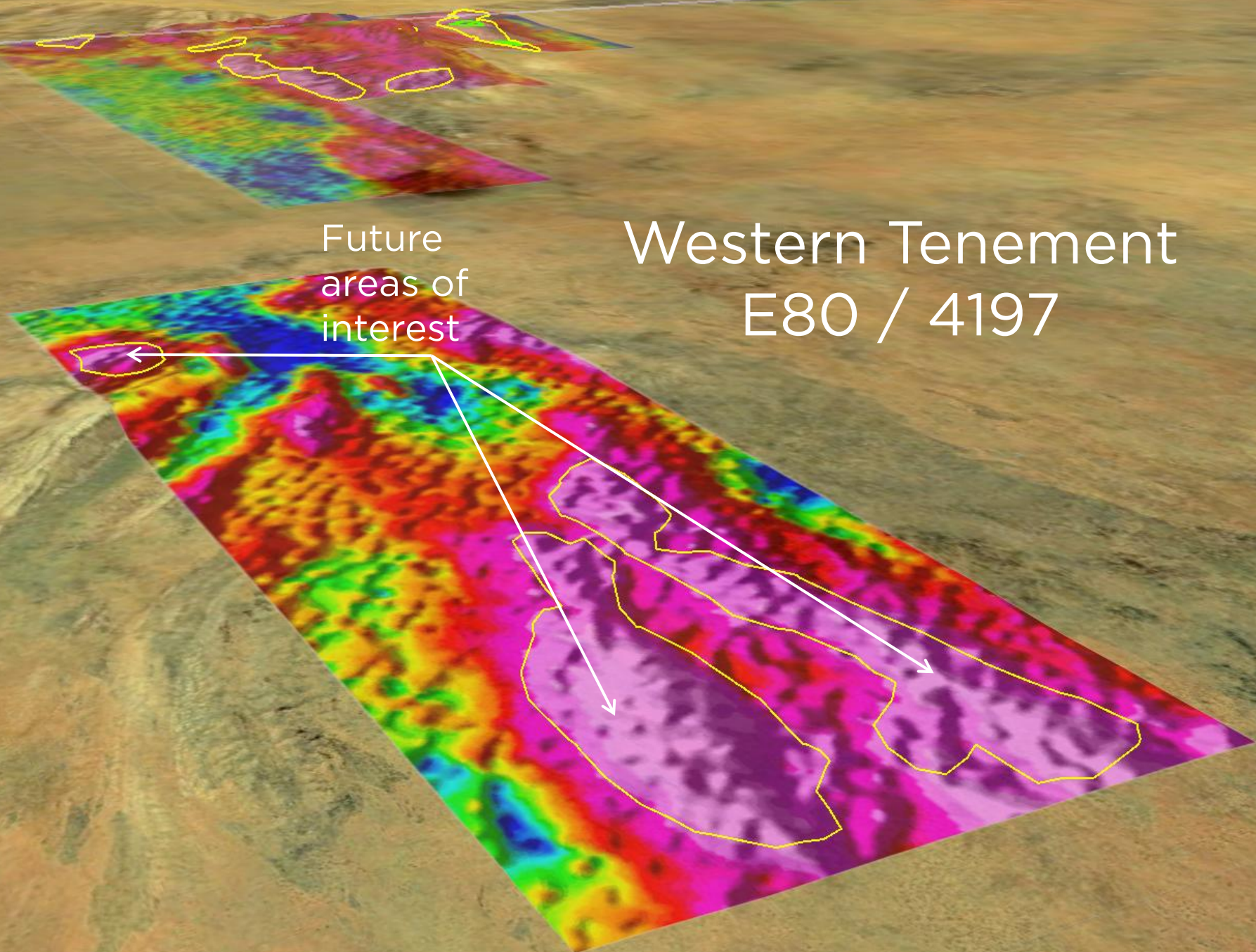
E80/4197  
Western tenement

Areas identified for  
sampling and testing

Drilling  
November

# Western Tenement E80 / 4197

Future  
areas of  
interest







# Not all 17 REEs are the same

## Two Completely Different Markets

- Light & Heavy

## Light Rare Earths LREE

- La, Ce, Nd, Sm – Polishing and Magnets

## Heavy Rare Earths HREE

- Gd, Dy, Tb, Lu – Electronics and Magnets

# REE Applications



	Catalytic	Magnetic	Electrical	Chemical	Optical
Lanthanum (La)	✓		✓	✓	✓
Cerium (Ce)	✓		✓	✓	✓
Praseodymium (Pr)		✓	✓	✓	✓
Neodymium (Nd)	✓	✓	✓		✓
Europium (Eu)					✓
Gadolinium (Gd)		✓			✓
Terbium (Tb)		✓			✓
Dysprosium (Dy)		✓			✓
Yttrium (Y)					✓



# Supply Rare Earth Oxides (tonnes)



Found at KKH

Byron Capital Markets, March (2010)

Oversupply	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	% 2015
La <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	1,119	3,142	11,384	10,875	13,233	15,455	27%
CeO <sub>2</sub>	2,129	5,791	19,311	18,304	23,348	26,508	25%
Pr <sub>6</sub> O <sub>11</sub>	241	359	1,225	728	912	741	6%
Nd <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	718	1,198	3,666	2,026	2,812	2,129	6%
Sm <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	69	225	486	402	758	828	23%
Eu <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	8	40	70	56	106	99	23%
Tb <sub>4</sub> O <sub>7</sub>	8	1	1	(16)	15	16	4%
Dy <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	45	(42)	(95)	(217)	(626)	(848)	-7%



# Exploration Update

## Top Camp gold

- Further drilling program for source of gold anomalies
- Significant intercepts of magnetite with sporadic anomalous Cu & Au
- Review of data and alternatives for future drilling

## Bonner & Fulford Creeks REE

- 5 EPM's & 1 MLA in North Qld
- Large drainages containing alluvial heavy mineral accumulations
- Monazite and xenotime radiogenic granite sources
- Large unexplored greisen granite bodies

## Rutherfords gold

- Contracted to sell for \$450k – settles March/April 2011



# Final Thoughts

- Poised for substantial growth
- Prudent management and financial controls cements a strong financial position
- Review of other projects confirm the value and prospects for KKH
  - New JV's, purchases or farm-ins being offered to us
- Follow up KKH exploration commenced
  - Underpinned by excellent results
  - Extensive mineralisation
- HREE – Highly sought after - critical
- China signals interest in importing HREE



# Thank You for your Support

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