

**DRILLING CONFIRMS NEW IRON
ORE DEPOSIT AT ROPER BAR**

Western Desert Resources, a diversified resources business with a portfolio of quality mineral exploration assets in the Northern Territory.

Western Desert Resources' business is built on the exploration of its substantial portfolio of iron ore, gold, base metals and uranium projects in the world-class mining provinces of Australia and will continue to grow through the generation and acquisition of new opportunities and resources.

FAST FACTS

ASX Code	WDR
Issued Shares	208m
Market Cap	A\$99M

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COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS

Iron Ore

- Roper Bar & Mountain Creek projects (NT)
- Hematitic iron ore
- Total Inferred and Indicated Mineral Resource estimates of 312Mt @ 40% Fe including DSO of 14.5Mt @ 57.4% Fe
- Low Impurities
- Mine development underway
- Proximity to coast and markets

Gold / Copper

- East Rover Project near Tennant Creek (NT)

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Key Points:

- Assays confirm new deposit at Roper Bar Area B.
- 133 holes completed which will lead to a maiden JORC resource estimate for Area B in 2012.
- Hematite mineralisation typically 5 metres thick with grades to 62.6% Fe, and averaging 45%.
- Over 4.5 km strike length of relatively flat dipping, near-surface mineralization.
- Further work planned for 2012 with mineralized horizon open in all directions.

The Directors of Western Desert Resources Limited (ASX: WDR) are pleased to advise that assay results from drilling at Roper Bar iron ore project Area B have proved up a new deposit of near-surface hematite mineralisation.

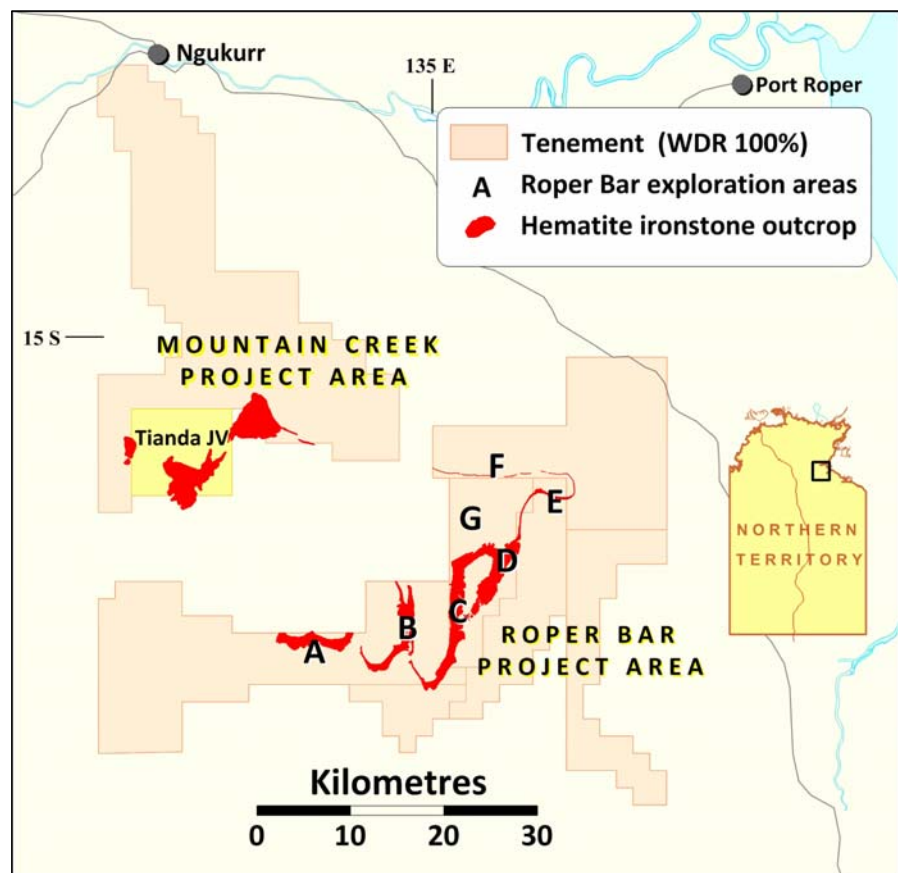


Figure 1. Roper Bar Iron Ore Province location plan

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Exploration of the Roper Bar iron ore project area this year has included further drilling at Area B, located 20 kilometres southwest of the high grade deposits at Area F (East). Scout drilling in 2010 established the potential of this new area to yield additional hematite resources and assays from 133 holes completed in 2011 confirm the thickness and typical grade of the mineralization. The hematite-rich horizon is open in all directions and further drilling is planned in 2012 to quantify the lateral extent. A drillhole location map is shown at Figure 2.

The hematitic oolite of the Sherwin Formation occurs as a pervasive sub-horizontal band at an average depth of only six metres. Cross-sections through the orebody are shown in Figures 3 and 4.

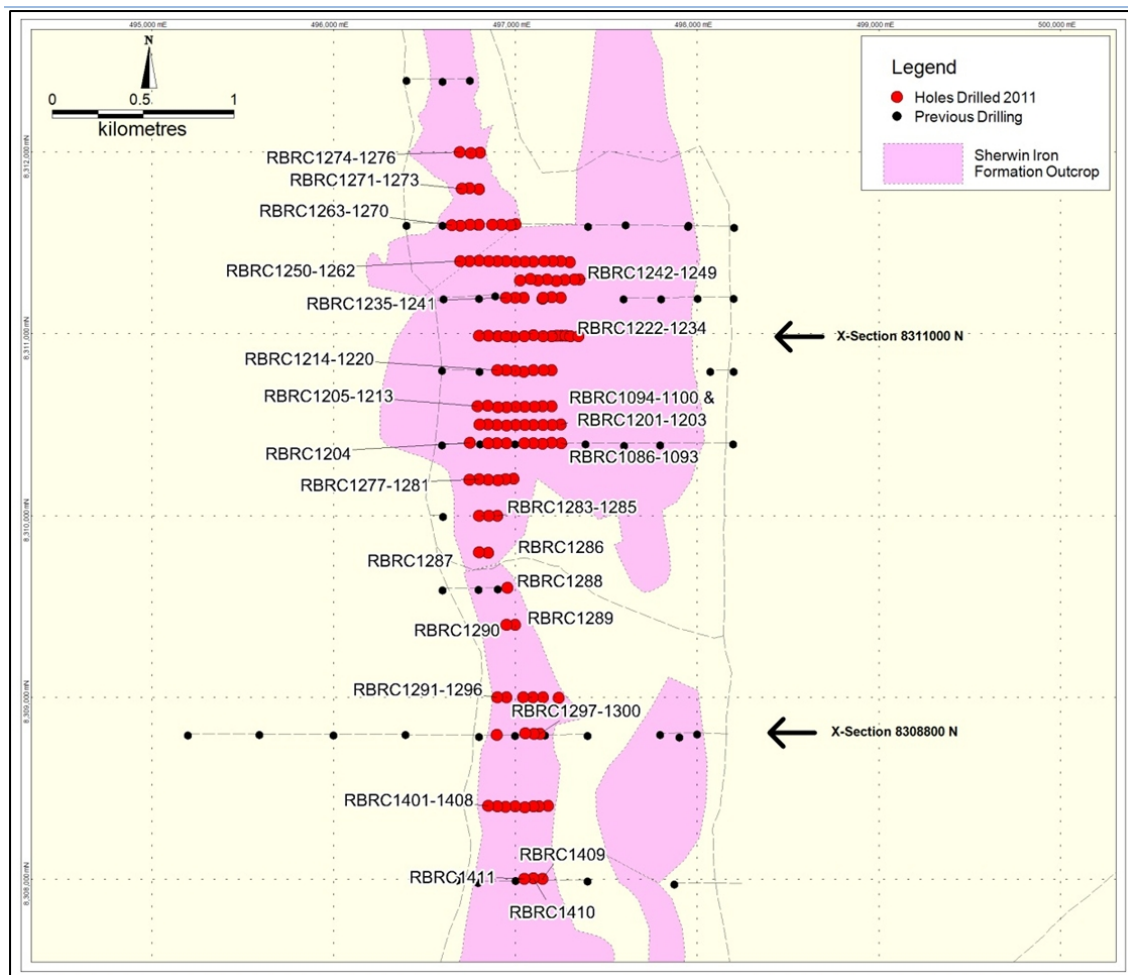


Figure 2. Roper Bar iron ore project Area B - drillhole location map

This new assay data affirms the Roper Bar project area as a significant province of laterally extensive iron ore mineralization. It demonstrates the potential for shallow, flat-lying BFO iron ore in un-explored areas. Based on these results the company is confident of positive

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outcomes from further exploratory drilling in untested zones in 2012.

Details of all drilling and intersections are included in Tables 1 and 2. The assay data will be referred to AMC Consultants Pty Ltd for calculation of a maiden Inferred Mineral Resource estimate.

Mr Norm Gardner, the Managing Director said today “These results will continue to add to the BFO inventory at Roper Bar. Beneficiation test work is progressing well and we expect to prove up viability of a significant second stage to the project in the near future to add to the exciting DSO stage that is now taking shape.”

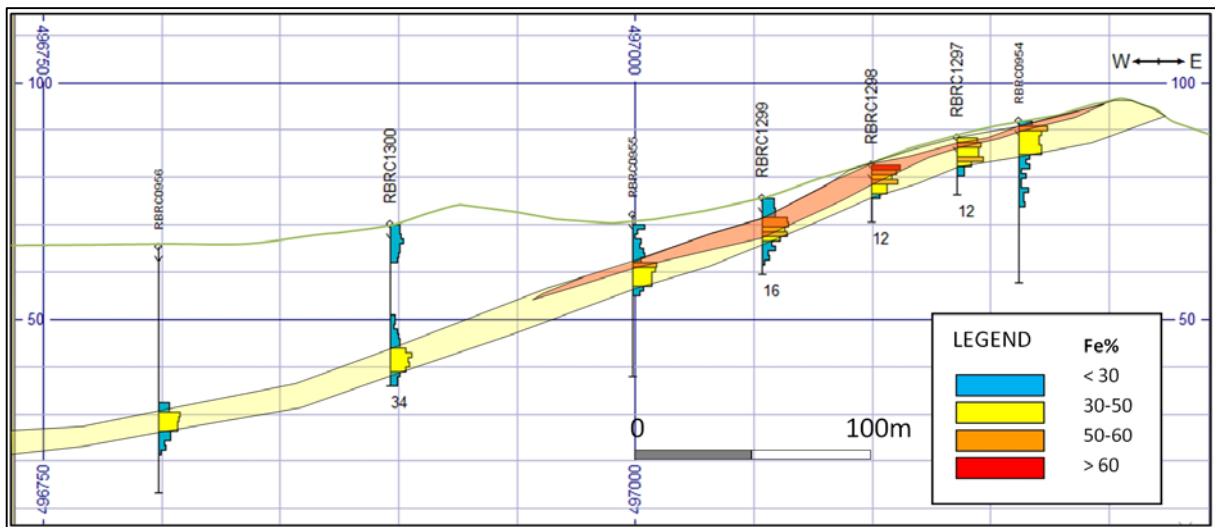


Figure 3. Roper Bar iron ore project Area B. Cross Section 8311000 N with x2 vertical exaggeration, showing Sherwin Iron Formation in flat lying layer at surface and in a broad domal structure.

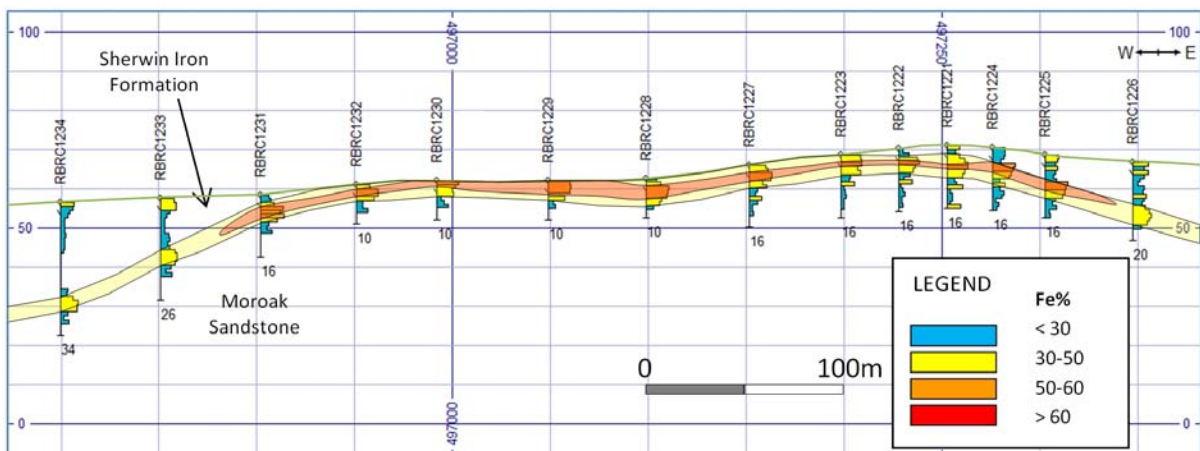


Figure 4. Roper Bar iron ore project Area B. Cross Section 8308800 N with x2 vertical exaggeration showing consistent, predictable mineralisation within the Sherwin Iron Formation on the western side of the domal structure.

Table 1. Roper Bar iron ore project Area B – assay results from RC drilling.

HOLE_ID		From	To	Int	Fe	SiO ₂	Al ₂ O ₃	P	LOI
RBRC1086	NSI								
RBRC1087	NSI								
RBRC1088	NSI								
RBRC1089	NSI								
RBRC1090		0	2	2	31.8	31.9	11.9	0.010	9.8
RBRC1091		0	5	5	47.7	22.9	2.9	0.006	4.9
RBRC1092		6	10	4	46.7	25.6	1.9	0.007	4.3
RBRC1093		0	4	4	45.1	27.6	2.1	0.005	4.1
RBRC1093	incl	0	1	1	56.3	13.4	1.5	0.003	2.9
RBRC1094	NSI								
RBRC1095	NSI								
RBRC1096	NSI								
RBRC1097	NSI								
RBRC1098		0	3	3	41.8	24.9	6.7	0.010	7.7
RBRC1099		0	5	5	44.7	26.6	2.5	0.005	5.2
RBRC1100		0	3	3	46.6	24.2	3.5	0.006	4.4
RBRC1201		5	9	4	49.0	22.3	2.7	0.006	3.7
RBRC1201	inc	6	7	1	61.2	7.1	1.6	0.004	2.8
RBRC1202		14	18	4	38.1	16.2	2.0	0.005	21.0
RBRC1203		10	14	4	47.5	23.4	2.4	0.007	4.6
RBRC1204		25	29	4	36.8	17.1	1.9	0.008	21.7
RBRC1205		0	5	5	47.7	19.2	5.5	0.009	6.0
RBRC1206		0	4	4	37.4	25.5	10.0	0.015	10.0
RBRC1207		0	4	4	39.9	28.4	6.4	0.010	7.4
RBRC1208		0	4	4	48.9	19.3	4.4	0.007	5.2
RBRC1209		0	5	5	42.8	30.5	2.4	0.005	4.0
RBRC1210		1	9	8	39.9	32.4	3.7	0.006	4.9
RBRC1210	inc	5	7	2	58.0	9.9	1.6	0.005	3.7
RBRC1211		8	13	5	47.1	21.7	3.0	0.006	5.2
RBRC1211	inc	10	11	1	57.9	7.9	2.5	0.002	4.2
RBRC1212		0	2	2	36.9	34.8	6.5	0.015	4.6
RBRC1212	and	19	23	4	40.3	17.2	1.5	0.005	18.0
RBRC1213		30	34	4	38.8	21.0	2.3	0.005	15.6
RBRC1214		0	9	9	44.5	26.5	3.7	0.007	5.0
RBRC1214	inc	4	5	1	62.6	4.5	1.7	0.006	3.9
RBRC1215		2	7	5	46.7	24.8	3.1	0.006	4.2
RBRC1216		1	7	6	43.6	28.0	2.6	0.007	5.8
RBRC1217		1	6	5	46.5	24.7	3.0	0.005	4.2
RBRC1217	inc	3	4	1	55.9	14.1	1.5	0.002	3.1
RBRC1218		0	6	6	44.4	27.6	2.7	0.004	4.6
RBRC1218	inc	4	5	1	58.8	8.5	2.1	0.002	3.6
RBRC1219		3	7	4	45.0	25.0	3.1	0.010	5.4
RBRC1219	and	10	12	2	32.9	41.4	3.1	0.007	6.7
RBRC1220		7	9	2	33.1	42.0	2.7	0.011	5.9
RBRC1220	and	11	15	4	40.1	14.0	1.9	0.005	20.3
RBRC1221		2	8	6	42.9	31.0	2.7	0.004	3.9
RBRC1222		2	6	4	43.4	31.2	2.8	0.004	3.2
RBRC1223		0	5	5	47.8	25.9	2.2	0.005	2.9
RBRC1224		4	8	4	48.2	22.0	3.1	0.005	4.3

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RBRC1225		0	2	2	32.4	42.1	4.1	0.008	5.7
RBRC1225	and	7	11	4	49.5	20.9	2.7	0.004	4.1
RBRC1225	inc	7	8	1	56.4	13.9	1.0	0.004	3.1
RBRC1226		0	3	3	34.8	33.1	8.9	0.019	6.4
RBRC1226	and	11	16	5	39.3	22.4	2.9	0.005	13.6
RBRC1227		0	6	6	45.2	25.5	2.8	0.005	5.4
RBRC1228		1	7	6	44.4	27.0	2.6	0.006	5.0
RBRC1228	inc	2	3	1	55.4	13.9	0.9	0.003	3.8
RBRC1229		0	5	5	48.5	19.4	3.3	0.009	5.5
RBRC1229	inc	1	2	1	56.3	11.3	2.0	0.004	4.1
RBRC1230		0	4	4	44.6	28.1	2.8	0.005	4.1
RBRC1231		2	7	5	47.4	20.7	2.8	0.006	6.3
RBRC1231	inc	3	4	1	56.4	11.9	1.3	0.008	4.0
RBRC1231	inc	5	6	1	58.0	10.9	2.0	0.003	3.1
RBRC1232		0	4	4	45.9	25.6	2.2	0.006	4.8
RBRC1233		0	3	3	36.1	35.8	5.7	0.014	5.4
RBRC1233	and	13	17	4	39.0	16.3	1.6	0.004	20.3
RBRC1234		24	28	4	39.0	14.0	1.9	0.006	22.0
RBRC1235		0	3	3	44.8	22.2	4.7	0.009	8.0
RBRC1236		0	5	5	42.0	31.0	3.4	0.006	4.6
RBRC1237		0	2	2	39.7	29.4	6.1	0.010	6.7
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RBRC1241		4	9	5	43.9	28.8	2.7	0.007	4.6
RBRC1242		0	3	3	37.5	32.9	6.1	0.010	6.4
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RBRC1264	NSI								
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RBRC1268		7	12	5	44.9	25.7	3.1	0.007	5.0
RBRC1269		14	19	5	47.5	22.6	2.4	0.004	5.0
RBRC1270		24	28	4	38.4	13.8	2.0	0.003	22.8
RBRC1271		8	14	6	42.5	30.0	2.6	0.005	4.9
RBRC1272		20	26	6	44.4	26.0	2.6	0.004	5.7
RBRC1272	inc	21	22	1	59.0	11.0	1.2	0.003	2.9
RBRC1273		33	36	3	36.8	14.1	1.9	0.004	23.3
RBRC1274		0	4	4	39.7	32.9	3.2	0.008	5.5
RBRC1275		2	7	5	46.0	25.3	2.7	0.006	4.9
RBRC1276	NSI								
RBRC1277	NSI								
RBRC1278	NSI								
RBRC1279		0	5	5	44.0	27.0	2.4	0.004	5.6
RBRC1280		7	11	4	46.0	23.4	2.5	0.008	5.7
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RBRC1282		22	26	4	34.7	17.9	2.1	0.005	22.8
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RBRC1284		7	11	4	42.9	29.1	2.7	0.008	5.0
RBRC1285		14	17	3	36.2	19.7	1.9	0.005	20.1
RBRC1286		5	8	3	45.4	24.4	2.5	0.008	5.2
RBRC1287		16	18	2	34.6	22.0	1.8	0.004	20.3
RBRC1288		0	2	2	32.1	36.8	5.5	0.011	9.0
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RBRC1289		9	13	4	39.1	34.4	2.9	0.005	5.1
RBRC1290		13	18	5	38.2	22.2	2.2	0.005	15.3
RBRC1291		1	7	6	44.6	26.8	2.4	0.005	4.5
RBRC1292		4	12	8	41.8	33.7	1.9	0.004	3.3
RBRC1293		7	13	6	43.6	29.8	2.3	0.004	3.8
RBRC1294		0	2	2	37.0	34.9	5.7	0.013	4.8
RBRC1294	and	12	16	4	43.5	18.9	1.7	0.003	12.4
RBRC1295		26	31	5	39.9	18.3	1.8	0.003	16.9
RBRC1296		28	33	5	40.4	19.1	1.8	0.004	15.7
RBRC1297		0	6	6	45.5	27.6	1.8	0.006	3.6
RBRC1297	inc	4	5	1	55.7	15.7	1.7	0.005	1.9
RBRC1298		0	6	6	46.4	27.2	1.4	0.004	3.2
RBRC1298	inc	0	1	1	60.4	7.7	0.9	0.007	3.1
RBRC1299		4	9	5	49.4	22.3	2.0	0.004	3.3
RBRC1299	inc	5	6	1	55.9	11.7	3.1	0.003	3.4
RBRC1300		26	31	5	38.4	21.8	2.2	0.004	15.4
RBRC1401		0	4	4	45.4	25.6	2.0	0.007	5.7
RBRC1402		0	5	5	44.1	25.1	4.2	0.011	6.4
RBRC1403		0	5	5	37.0	38.6	2.7	0.006	4.7
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RBRC1406		13	17	4	39.4	20.4	2.4	0.003	15.6
RBRC1407		20	24	4	41.6	19.7	1.8	0.002	14.4
RBRC1408	NSI								
RBRC1409		4	10	6	45.5	24.9	2.8	0.006	4.7
RBRC1409	inc	5	6	1	58.8	7.9	1.3	0.003	4.2

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RBRC1410	inc	8	11	3	56.6	11.2	2.3	0.006	4.6
RBRC1411		7	13	6	43.4	26.1	2.4	0.006	5.6
RBRC1411	inc	8	9	1	60.3	5.5	1.6	0.004	3.6
RBRC1412		2	2	0	37.7	34.2	5.2	0.012	4.8
RBRC1412	and	8	12	4	38.6	33.9	2.8	0.006	5.2
RBRC1413		12	17	5	37.7	26.9	2.5	0.005	11.8
RBRC1414		7	11	4	39.7	31.5	2.6	0.009	6.1
RBRC1415	NSI								
RBRC1416		6	11	5	35.2	37.1	3.9	0.007	5.5
RBRC1417	NSI								
RBRC1418	NSI								

RC drill samples collected at one metre intervals. XRF results by ALS Chemex.

Table 2. Collar information for drillholes reported in this ASX release.

Hole_ID	East	North	RL (AHD)	Azimuth (TN)	Inclination	Depth	Drill type
RBRC1086	497251	8310398	96.8	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1087	497199	8310400	98.4	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1088	497149	8310397	94.3	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1089	497099	8310399	90.9	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1090	497048	8310398	88.7	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1091	496949	8310399	79.5	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1092	496897	8310399	72.8	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1093	496849	8310399	70.9	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1094	497249	8310501	94.7	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1095	497201	8310499	97.2	0	-90	40.0	RC
RBRC1096	497151	8310499	96.5	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1097	497099	8310498	91.9	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1098	497051	8310500	87.2	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1099	497000	8310498	80.0	0	-90	40.0	RC
RBRC1100	496950	8310495	72.4	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1201	496899	8310499	68.1	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1202	496847	8310501	66.5	0	-90	28.0	RC
RBRC1203	496802	8310501	63.8	0	-90	28.0	RC
RBRC1204	496751	8310400	65.5	0	-90	40.0	RC
RBRC1205	497200	8310601	90.3	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1206	497149	8310601	91.2	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1207	497105	8310600	88.8	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1208	497052	8310600	82.3	0	-90	22.0	RC
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RBRC1210	496951	8310596	71.5	0	-90	22.0	RC
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RBRC1212	496848	8310604	63.6	0	-90	28.0	RC
RBRC1213	496792	8310603	61.3	0	-90	46.0	RC
RBRC1214	497199	8310801	73.7	0	-90	40.0	RC
RBRC1215	497153	8310800	76.8	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1216	497099	8310799	77.8	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1217	497046	8310792	76.6	0	-90	25.0	RC
RBRC1218	496999	8310798	72.3	0	-90	25.0	RC
RBRC1219	496948	8310801	66.2	0	-90	40.0	RC
RBRC1220	496900	8310800	60.5	0	-90	18.0	RC
RBRC1221	497253	8310991	70.8	0	-90	16.0	RC
RBRC1222	497228	8310991	70.1	0	-90	16.0	RC
RBRC1223	497199	8310986	68.6	0	-90	16.0	RC
RBRC1224	497276	8310990	70.4	0	-90	16.0	RC
RBRC1225	497303	8310988	68.6	0	-90	16.0	RC
RBRC1226	497348	8310988	66.6	0	-90	20.0	RC
RBRC1227	497152	8310988	66.0	0	-90	16.0	RC
RBRC1228	497099	8310992	62.6	0	-90	10.0	RC
RBRC1229	497049	8310987	61.9	0	-90	10.0	RC
RBRC1230	496992	8310985	62.0	0	-90	10.0	RC
RBRC1231	496902	8310988	58.4	0	-90	16.0	RC
RBRC1232	496951	8310987	60.9	0	-90	10.0	RC
RBRC1233	496851	8310990	57.4	0	-90	26.0	RC

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RBRC1234	496800	8310990	56.4	0	-90	34.0	RC
RBRC1235	497249	8311200	95.3	0	-90	34.0	RC
RBRC1236	497199	8311201	95.5	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1237	497149	8311193	92.3	0	-90	16.0	RC
RBRC1238	497150	8311200	92.9	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1239	497046	8311200	81.5	0	-90	10.0	RC
RBRC1240	496998	8311200	74.5	0	-90	28.0	RC
RBRC1241	496949	8311200	68.0	0	-90	20.0	RC
RBRC1242	497353	8311300	96.3	0	-90	31.0	RC
RBRC1243	497323	8311299	98.7	0	-90	16.0	RC
RBRC1244	497272	8311296	100.8	0	-90	18.0	RC
RBRC1245	497224	8311292	100.9	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1246	497174	8311300	99.8	0	-90	16.0	RC
RBRC1247	497124	8311294	97.1	0	-90	28.0	RC
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RBRC1283	496900	8310000	78.8	0	-90	4.0	RC
RBRC1284	496854	8310000	70.0	0	-90	22.0	RC

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Hole_ID	East	North	RL (AHD)	Azimuth (TN)	Inclination	Depth	Drill type
RBRC1285	496801	8310000	64.6	0	-90	22.0	RC
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RBRC1288	496955	8309604	64.0	0	-90	22.0	RC
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RBRC1291	497237	8308998	86.3	0	-90	28.0	RC
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RBRC1294	497042	8309000	72.9	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1295	496950	8309000	70.3	0	-90	40.0	RC
RBRC1296	496899	8309000	67.0	0	-90	40.0	RC
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RBRC1299	497054	8308803	75.4	0	-90	16.0	RC
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RBRC1405	496999	8308400	80.0	0	-90	22.0	RC
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RBRC1407	496900	8308400	75.0	0	-90	28.0	RC
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RBRC1409	497149	8308001	92.9	0	-90	16.0	RC
RBRC1410	497098	8308004	87.5	0	-90	16.0	RC
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RBRC1412	497676	8306196	63.5	270	-60	23.0	RC
RBRC1413	497702	8306195	61.3	0	-90	34.0	RC
RBRC1414	497664	8306251	66.3	0	-90	22.0	RC
RBRC1415	497745	8306222	64.6	0	-90	40.0	RC
RBRC1416	497711	8306022	57.1	322	-60	34.0	RC
RBRC1417	497603	8305905	56.1	270	-60	40.0	RC
RBRC1418	497639	8305919	55.0	270	-60	40.0	RC

All coordinates in GDA94 mga zone 53 and collected using hand-held GPS.

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Background

The Roper Bar Iron Ore Province covers about 1,900 km² within eight granted exploration licences in the Northern Territory and includes an estimated 100 km² of outcrop of the target Sherwin Formation which hosts extensive hematite iron ore horizons. The Province is divided into two project areas – Roper Bar and Mountain Creek.

JORC compliant Mineral Resource estimates from WDR's Roper Bar Project to date.

DEPOSIT AREA	Classification	Mt	Fe %	SiO ₂ %	Al ₂ O ₃ %	P %	LOI %	Published
Area D	Inferred	90.7	37.2	31.5	3.2	0.01	9.6	Oct-09
Area D (north)	Inferred	116.5	40.3	26.3	2.2	0.01	11.0	Feb-11
Area E (south)	Inferred	72.1	39.0	30.6	2.9	0.01	8.6	Nov-10
Area E (east)**	Indicated	12.1	46.1	22.4	1.7	0.01	8.0	Dec-10
Area F (east)*	Inferred	14.1	49.5	21.9	3.1	0.01	2.6	Nov-09
Area F (east) *	Indicated	6.3	46.8	26.0	2.8	0.01	2.8	Nov-10
TOTAL		311.8	39.9	28.4	2.7	0.01	9.4	

* Includes DSO of 9.8Mt @ 58.3% Fe, 10.7% SiO₂, 2.6% Al₂O₃, 0.01% P and 2.1% LOI

** Includes DSO of 4.7Mt @ 55.6% Fe, 14.1% SiO₂, 1.1% Al₂O₃, 0.01% P and 4.2% LOI

Competent Person's Statements

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