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### PERU JVs - DIAMOND DRILLING

2016 - 5 Porphyry Cu Prospects - 25,000 metres (Drilling commenced)

Next 48 months - 80,000 metres (possible)

POSSIBLE A\$37M FUNDED BY JV PARTNERS

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FRASER RANGE (WA) - Prospects drilled 2016

WIMBERLANA (WA) - Drill Targets 2016

BANFORA (BURKINA FASO) – JV Funded

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# CAPITAL STRUCTURE



AusQuest Limited	
ASX Code	AQD
Shares on Issue	496.4 million
Options on Issue	157.6 million
Market Cap. (at 1.3 cents)	~\$6.5 million
Cash (Dec 31st)	~\$1.5M
Enterprise Value	\$5.0 million

Significant Shareholder				
Chris Ellis (NED)	16.68%			
Directors (Incl C.E.)	22.4%			
Merrill Lynch (Aust) Nominees P/L	7.8%			
Acorn Capital	5.6%			
Top 20 (approx)	49.5%			

Directors	
Greg Hancock	Non Exec. Chairman
Graeme Drew	Managing Director
John Ashley	Non Exec. Director
Chris Ellis	Non Exec. Director



### MASSIVE 12 MONTHS FOR AUSQUEST



- Landmark Peru JVs worth up to A\$37M (incl. ~A\$13M cash)
  - Drilling underway 5 large Cu-Au targets to be tested in 2016
- Ni-Cu opportunities in Fraser Range & Jimberlana (WA)
  - Target definition and drilling in 2016
- Banfora Gold JV funded up to A\$10M (SEMAFO)
  - Extensive gold anomalies to be tested
- Successful Partnering with majors
  - For every \$1 raised : Extra \$2 JV funding secured

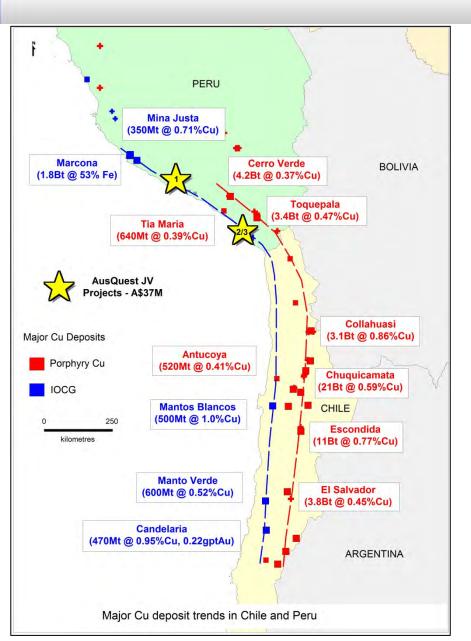
# PERU CU-AU HIGH IMPACT EXPLORATION (S)



- Three Joint Ventures with Peruvian Majors
- Drilling operations commenced 5 large Porphyry Cu-Au targets drilled before the end of 2016
- 25,000m diamond drilling or expenditure of US\$4.0M expected by end 2016
- 80,000m drilling + US\$10M cash over 4 years to earn 70% in 5 prospects
- Annual Option payments reduce local costs

## PERU - EXCELLENT CU-AU PEDIGREE

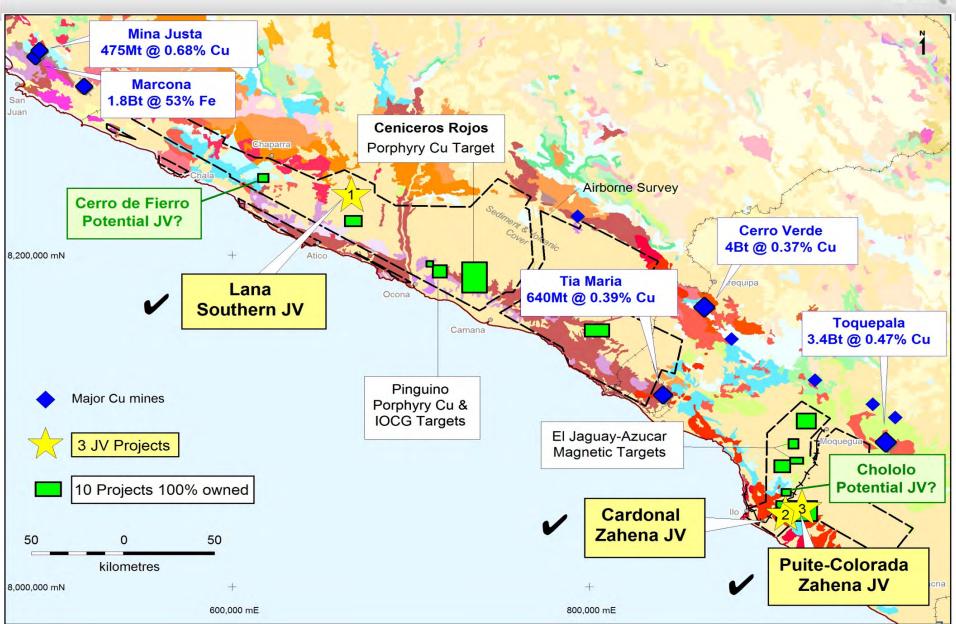




- Giant Cu (Au) deposits
- Major Cu producer
- >U\$3.5B Cu in south Peru
- Mine Expansions
- Covered areas
- Secure Mining Title

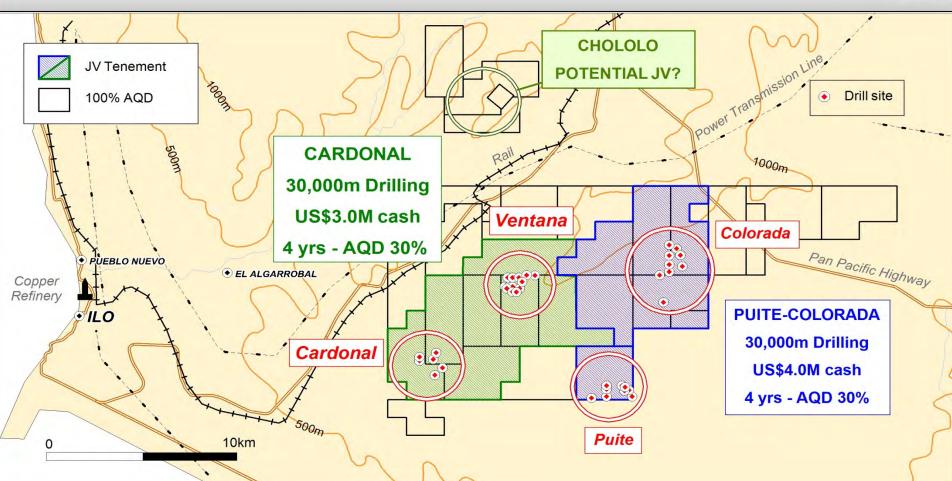
### PERU - PROJECT LOCATIONS





### DRILLING CU-AU TARGETS- ILO JVs

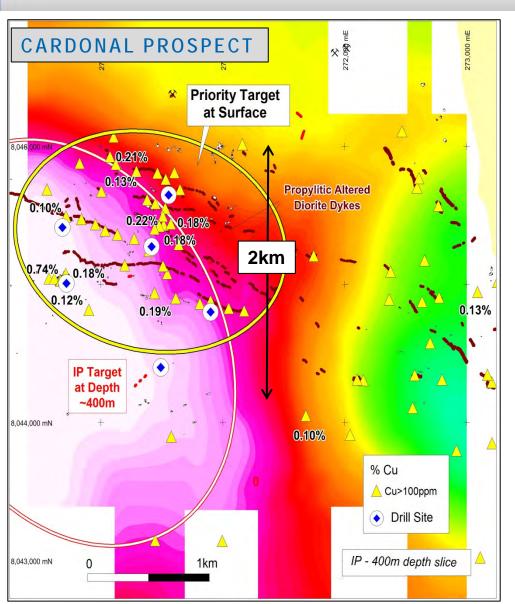




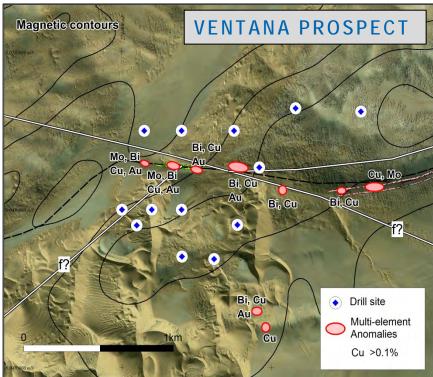
- JV Drill programs amended Drill permits in early 2016 4 prospects drilled in 2016
- 60,000m drilling & US\$7 million cash (est. value US\$21M) earns 70% in both JVs
- Excellent infrastructure to lower potential project capital and operating costs

### CARDONAL JV - TWO DRILL TARGETS



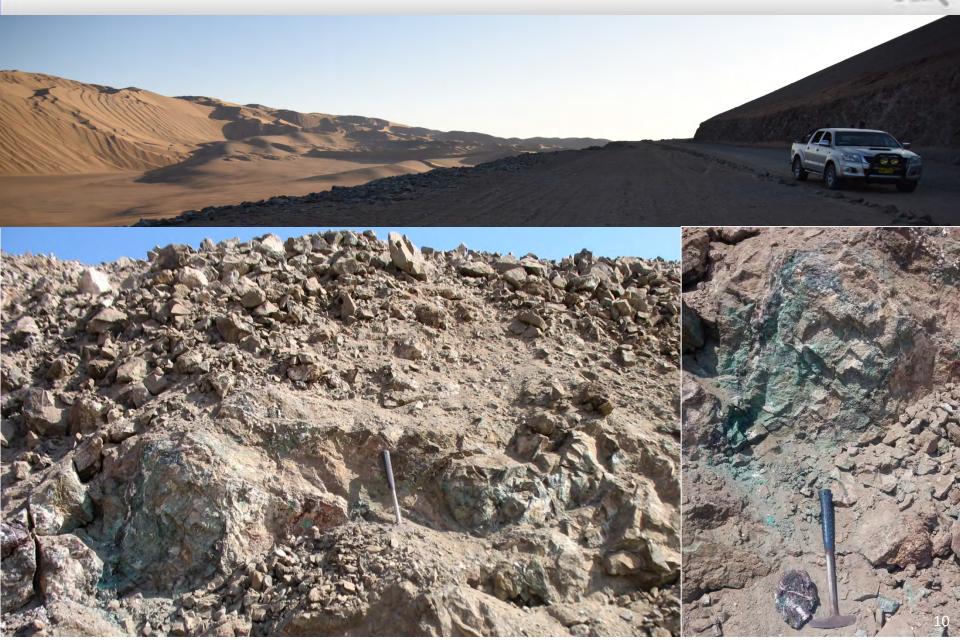


- Drilling amended to include Ventana
- Permitting for diamond drilling nearing completion (10,000m)
- Large Porphyry Cu targets defined by Cu, alteration & IP/magnetics



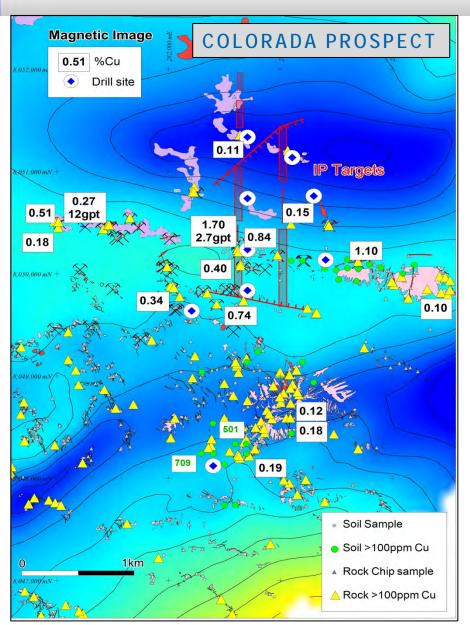
# VENTANA ROAD-CUT - NEW EXPOSURES



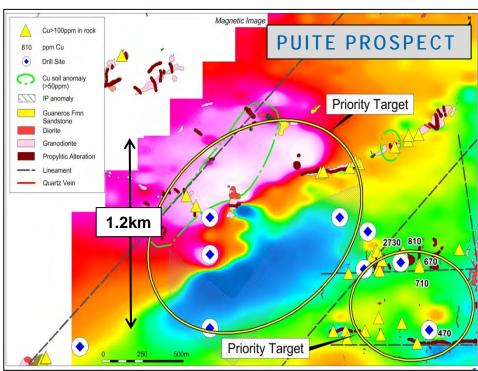


# Puite-Colorada JV - Two drill targets 🔊





- Drilling amended to include Colorada
- Permitting for diamond drilling nearing completion (10,000m)
- Large Porphyry Cu targets defined by Cu, alteration & IP/magnetics

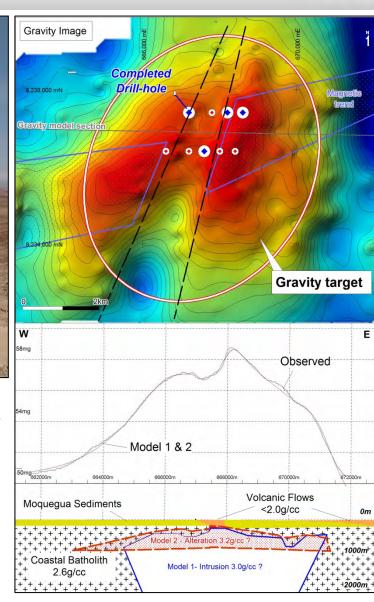


### LANA JV - FIRST DRILLING IN PERU





- First drilling operation in Peru commenced at Lana in late December 2015 – a two rig operation
- Cover sequence (sediments and volcanics) over gravity target thicker than expected (>500m)
- Attempts to test gravity target so far unsuccessful



# Peru Drilling Schedule - first round

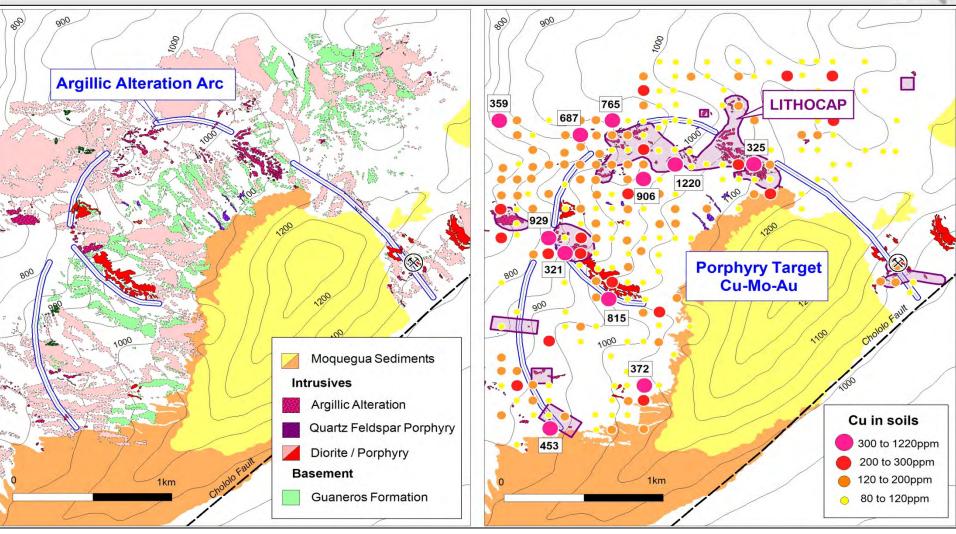


Joint Venture	Prospect	Drill (m)	Permits	Complete By
Lana	Lana	5,000	Yes	April 9 <sup>th</sup> -2016
Puite-Colorada	Puite	10,000	Pending	Dec 28 <sup>th</sup> -2016
	Colorada		Pending	Dec 28 <sup>th</sup> -2016
Cardonal	Ventana	10,000	Pending	Oct 9th -2016
	Cardonal		Pending	Oct 9 <sup>th</sup> -2016



# CHOLOLO - PORPHYRY CU (100% AQD)

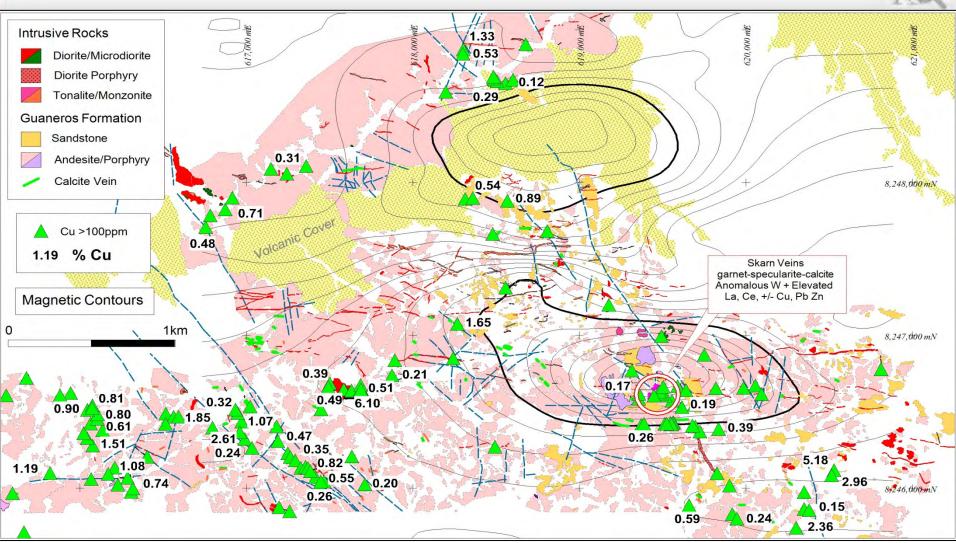




- New Porphyry Cu prospect No historic drilling Anomalous Cu, Mo, Au, Bi
- Lithocap implies proximity to preserved porphyry DRILL READY TARGET

# CERRO DE FIERRO - IOCG? (100%AQD)

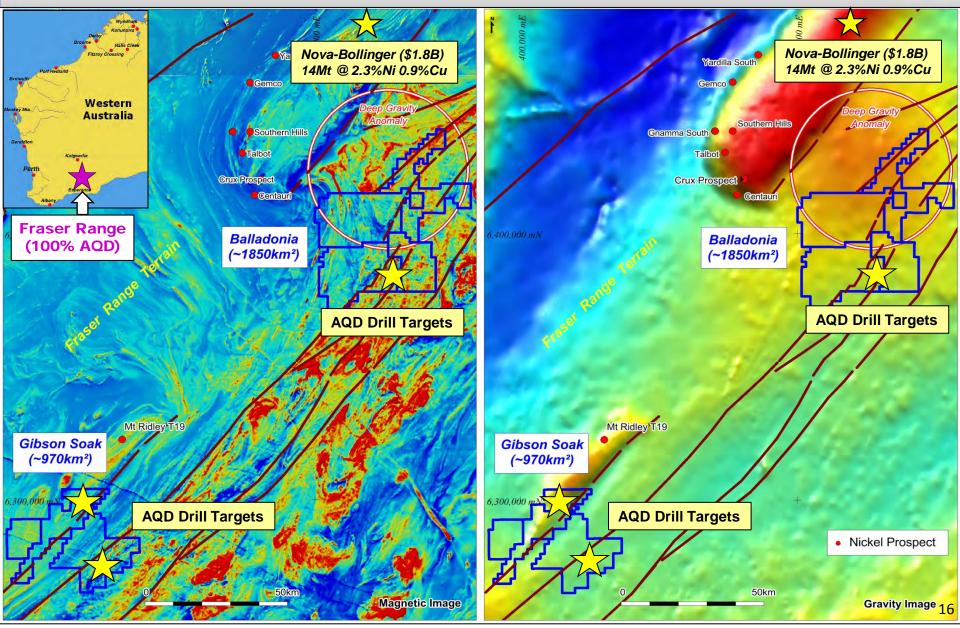




- Widespread Cu (+/-Au, Ag) Regional scale alteration (K) evident in rock chemistry
- Untested Magnetic target (~2km²) Skarns support buried target DRILL READY

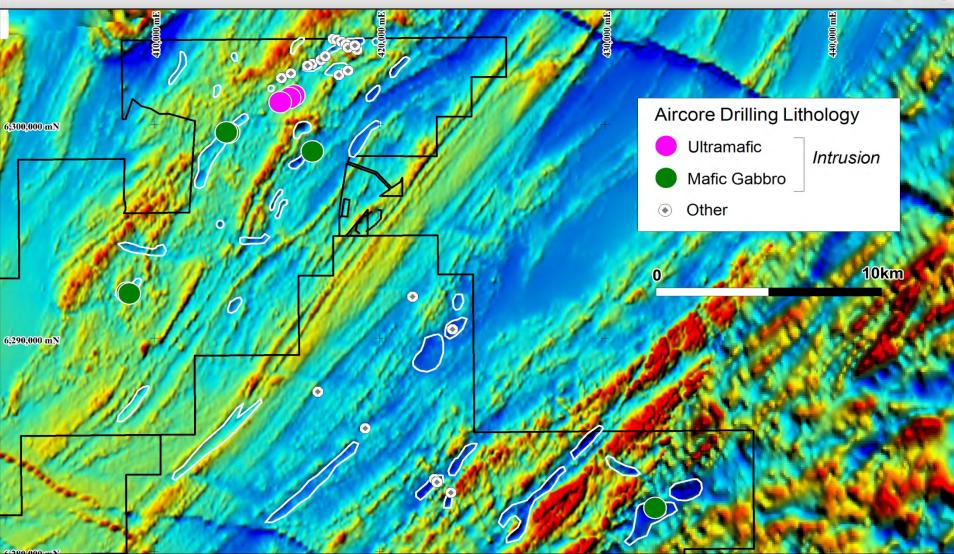
# FRASER RANGE NI-CU PROJECTS - 2800 Km<sup>2</sup>





# GIBSON SOAK NI-CU POTENTIAL ADVANCED

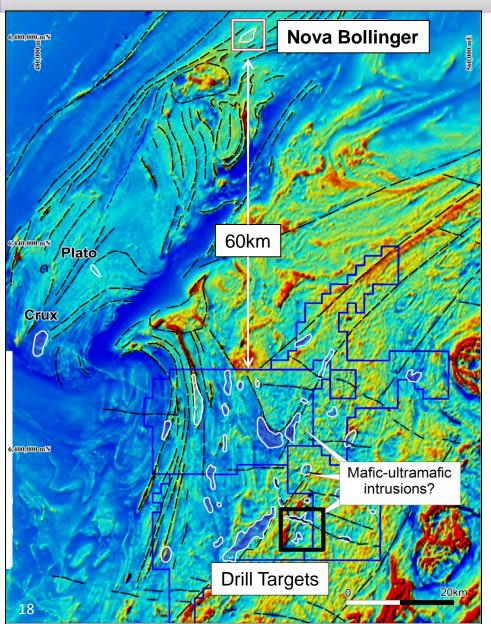




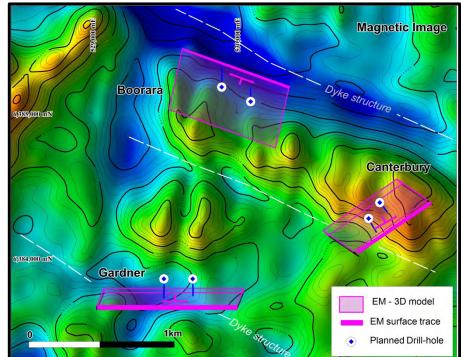
Recce drilling confirms mafic/ultramafic intrusions(?) – potential host rocks for Ni-Cu

### BALLADONIA (NI-CU) - DRILL TARGETS



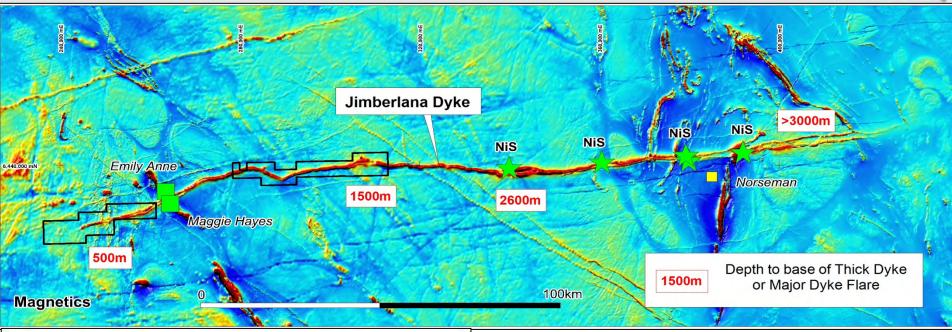


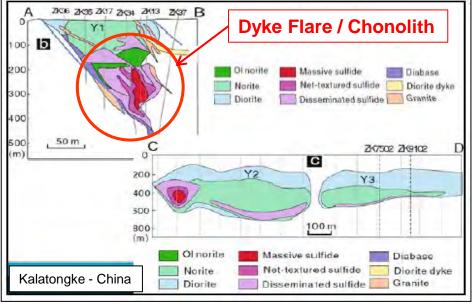
- Potential Mafic-Ultramafic intrusions inferred from magnetics
- EM surveys locate massive sulphide targets associated with intrusions
- EIS funding (\$150K?) awarded for drilling EM & Magnetic targets



#### JIMBERLANA - A NEW NI-CU OPPORTUNITY



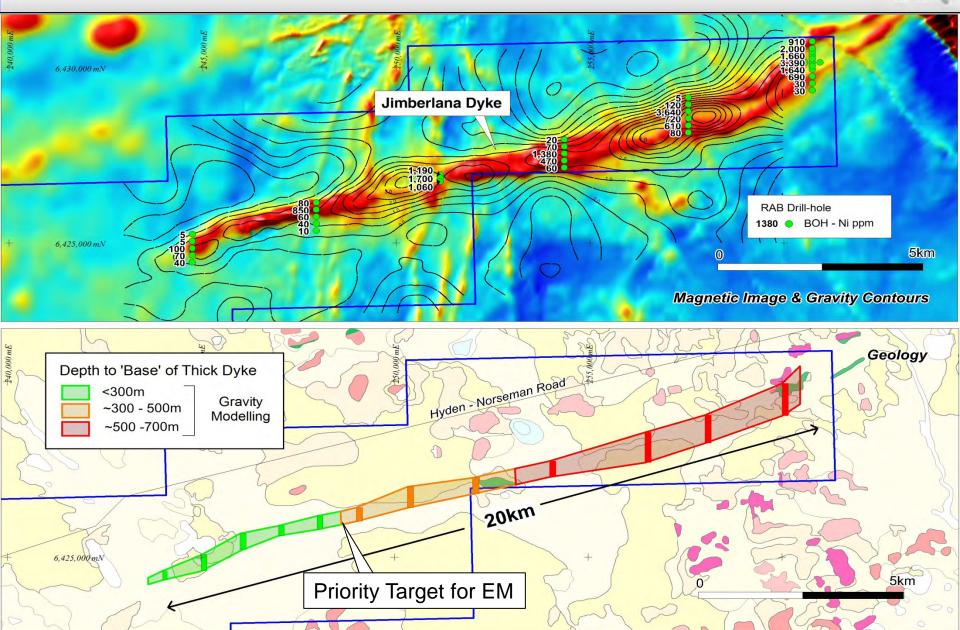




- Evidence mounting for close relation between intrusive NiS deposits and horizontal dyke flow
- Dyke Flares &/or Chonoliths provide priority trap sites within dyke structures (near base)
- Jimberlana is very large intrusion (u/m) with known NiS – highly prospective
- Gravity and magnetics imply Flare/Chonolith structures near surface (<500m) at western end</li>
- No prior exploration has tested (drilled) the basal section of the Jimberlana Dyke

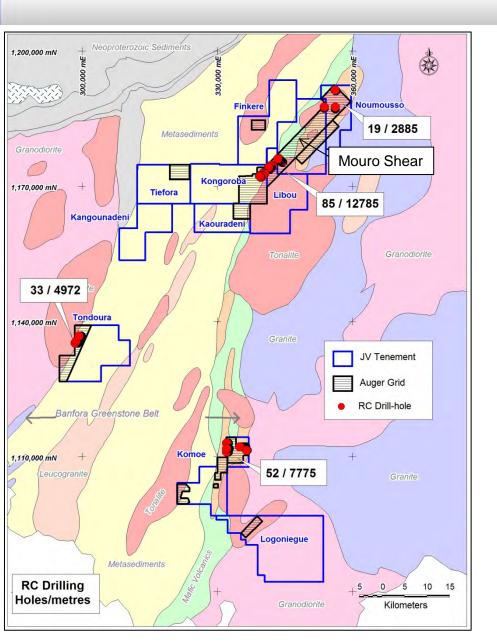
### JIMBERLANA - GRAVITY & MAGNETICS





### BANFORA GOLD JV - US\$7.5M TO EARN 80%





- Auger (400x25m) 13,982 holes for 116,223m completed in 12 areas
- Extensive gold auger anomalies defined - >30km along Mouro Shear
- Initial RC drilling tested 7 prospects
- Anomalous gold (0.4g/t to 9.0g/t Au) reported over narrow intervals
- Full assessment of extensive data sets in progress – report pending
- Budget for 2016 set at US\$650,000
- Burkinor (a wholly owned subsidiary of SEMAFO) are operators of JV

## WHY ADD AQD TO YOUR WATCH LIST?



- Historically low market cap
  - Technical Competence
  - Material Possibilities
  - Joint Venture Funding
    - Leverage to Success
      - News-flow

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