

# Defining Multi Decade Gold-Copper Projects

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## EXPLORATION TARGETS

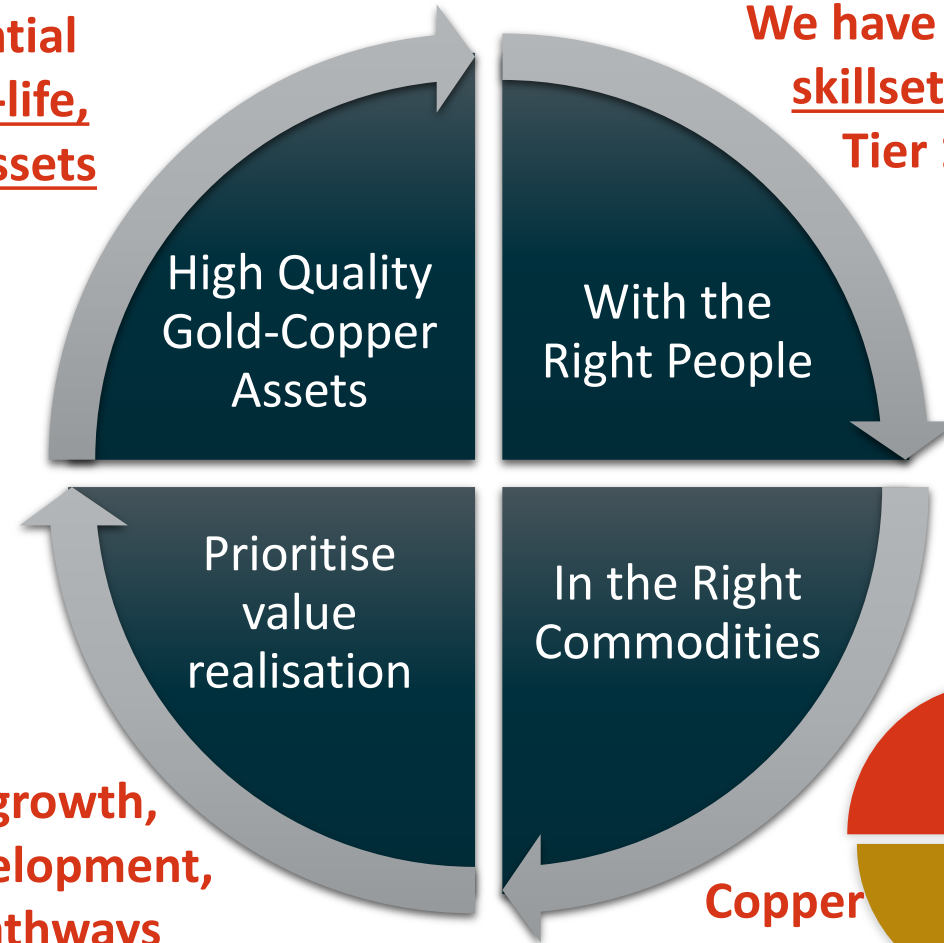
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# Our Strategy

Crafting our advantage

**Two potential large, long-life, low-AISC assets**

**We have the necessary skillsets to execute Tier 1 projects**



**Resource growth, scalable development, funding pathways**



# Our Flagship Assets

## El Palmar

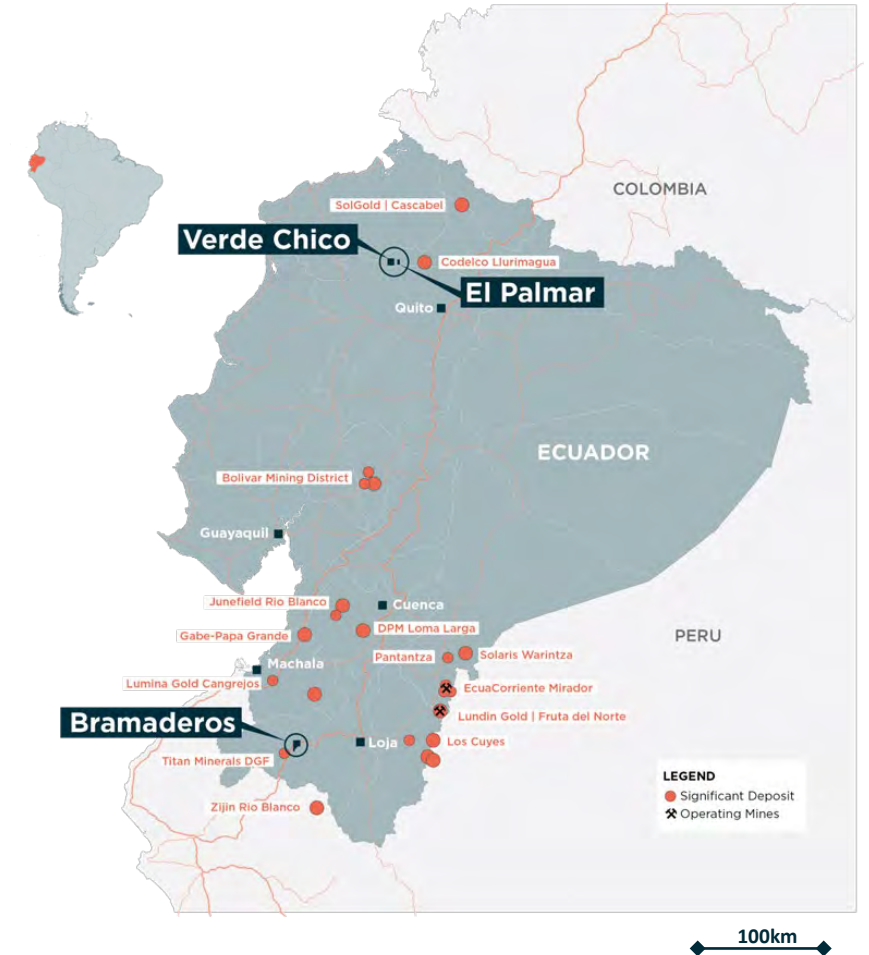
Delivering a world-class asset

- Major bulk scale, low-cost gold-copper deposit in Northern Ecuador
- 17,799m of drilling defines mineralisation extending over 1,750m deep
- **1.2Moz AuEq<sup>2</sup> Maiden JORC Resource<sup>1</sup>** from top 450m of the T1 target
- **15M – 45Moz AuEq<sup>3</sup> JORC Exploration Target<sup>1</sup>** across T1, T2 & T3 targets

## Bramaderos

Large-tonnage, low-cost, ideal location

- Cluster of gold-copper-silver porphyry systems extending from surface
- Complimented by epithermal discovery with world-class thickness and grades
- **3.6Moz AuEq<sup>4</sup> Bramaderos 2025 JORC Resource<sup>6</sup>**
- **5.0M – 12.9Moz AuEq<sup>5</sup> JORC Exploration Target<sup>6</sup>** (in addition to MRE)



<sup>1</sup> See ASX announcement 22 Oct 2024

<sup>2</sup> 64Mt at 0.60g/t AuEq for 1.2Moz AuEq

<sup>3</sup> 1.0-1.2Bt at grade between 0.3-0.7 g/t Au and 0.1-0.3% Cu

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<sup>5</sup> Porphyry: 315-505Mt at grade between 0.30-0.54 g/t Au and 0.09-0.11% Cu  
Limon: 30-40Mt at grade between 0.8-1.1 g/t Au and 12-15.8g/t Ag

<sup>6</sup> See ASX announcement 24 November 2025  
Refer slides 24 to 28 for full JORC details

# Our Experienced Team

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS



**Patrick Duffy**  
**Managing Director & CEO**

Ex-Red 5, Glencore and Xstrata, Mr Duffy brings international leadership and capital markets experience with a successful mine development track record



**Malcolm Norris**  
**Non-Executive Chair**

Ex-WMC, Intrepid and SolGold, Mr Norris has been part of several major global porphyry discoveries and brings mineral exploration and management expertise



**Neal O'Connor**  
**Non-Executive Director**

Former Xstrata Copper Chief Legal Counsel, Mr O'Connor has extensive experience developing South American mining operations and infrastructure



**Stephen Stroud**  
**Non-Executive Director**

Mr Stroud is Director – Corporate Finance at Morgans and brings extensive capital markets knowledge and investor relationships

## MANAGEMENT TEAM



**Dr Bruce Rohrlach**  
**General Manager - Exploration**

Ex-WMC, Intrepid and SolGold, Dr Rohrlach has been part of several major porphyry discoveries and oversees all exploration programs at Sunstone



**Lucas Welsh**  
**CFO & Company Secretary**

Former CFO of St Barbara, Mr Welsh is a specialist resources financial executive with international mining, capital markets and governance expertise



**Ray Robinson**  
**GM – Studies & Tech Services**

Ex-PanAust, Placer Dome and Intrepid, Mr Robinson has extensive mining studies and operations experience, and oversees all study programs at Sunstone



**Rodrigo Izurieta**  
**Country Manager**

Based in Quito, Ecuador, and US-educated, Mr Izurieta is highly respected with deep relationships in the local mining industry and government

# Ecuador – Rich in Gold and Copper



## Apr-25 President Noboa re-elected for a four-year term

- President actively encouraging responsible mining
- Single national mining department

### Forms part of the worlds most endowed copper gold belt

- 2 world-class operating mines – Fruta del Norte ① Mirador ②
- Majors present (BHP, Newmont, Barrick, CMOC, Jiangxi Copper)

### Mining Investment Pipeline includes

- Silvercorp – El Domo Curipamba Copper/Gold Project ③
- Solaris – Warintza Copper Project ④
- CMOC – Cangrejos Gold Project ⑤
- Jiangxi/Solgold – Cascabel Copper Project ⑥

### 2025 Transaction Highlights

- ✓ Jiangxi Copper A\$1.7bn acquisition of Solgold in December 2025
- ✓ CMOC C\$581m acquisition of Lumina Gold in April 2025

# Ecuador – Our Cost Advantage

## Ecuador has two world-class, lowest cost-quartile operating mines

- Fruta del Norte Gold Mine (Lundin Gold)
- Mirador Copper Mine (Chinese-owned)

## Low mining input costs are a competitive advantage

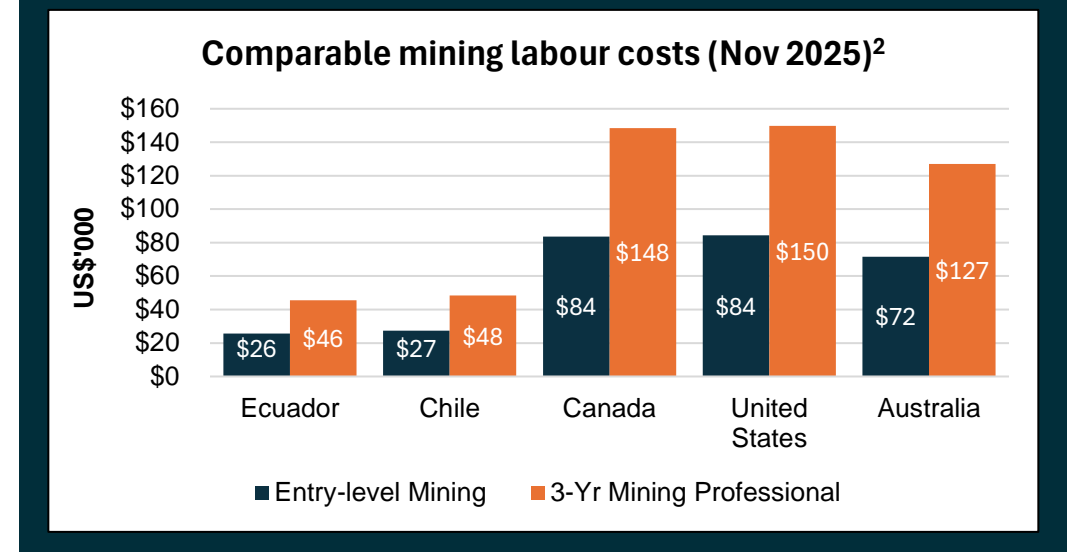
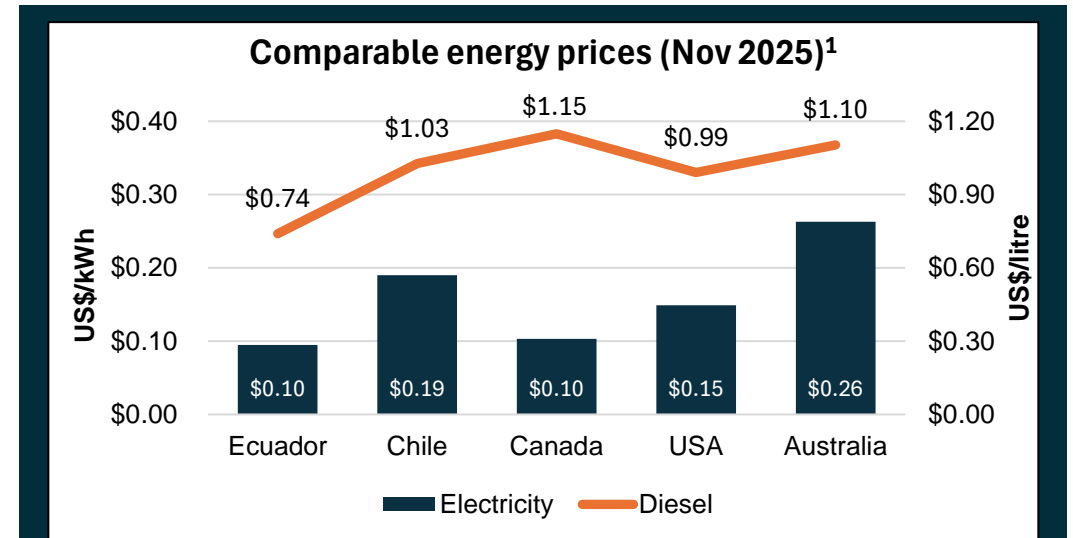
- Energy and Labour are both significantly lower than Australia and comparable mining nations
- Potential for Sunstone’s projects to be in the lowest cost quartile
- Complimented by very low stripping ratios

## Hydro provides base energy load for the country (>90%)

- Potential for low-cost, low-carbon emission mining

## Ecuador’s currency is USD

- Provides protection against inflation



Source:

1. <https://www.globalpetrolprices.com/>
2. <https://www.eri.com/salary/job/mining-engineer>, <https://ca.talent.com/salary?job=Mining>

# Our Commodity Advantage

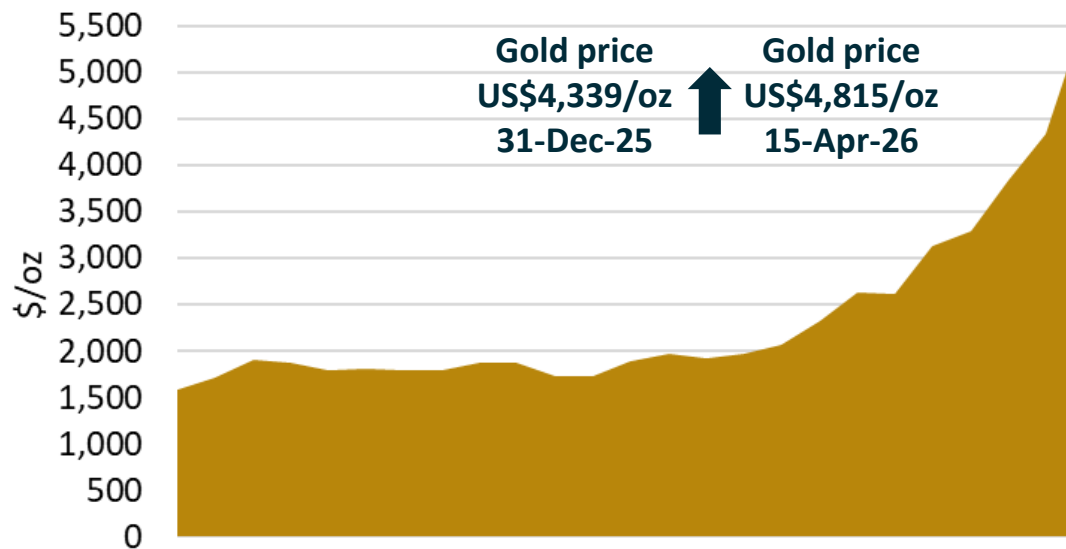
## Record high AUD gold prices – up 65% in 2025

- ✓ Regional conflicts, trade restrictions, shift from USD
- ✓ Inflation subsiding, USD rate cuts are imminent
- ✓ Favorable AUD:USD exchange rate lifts value to Sunstone

## Strategic demand for tier-1 scale copper assets

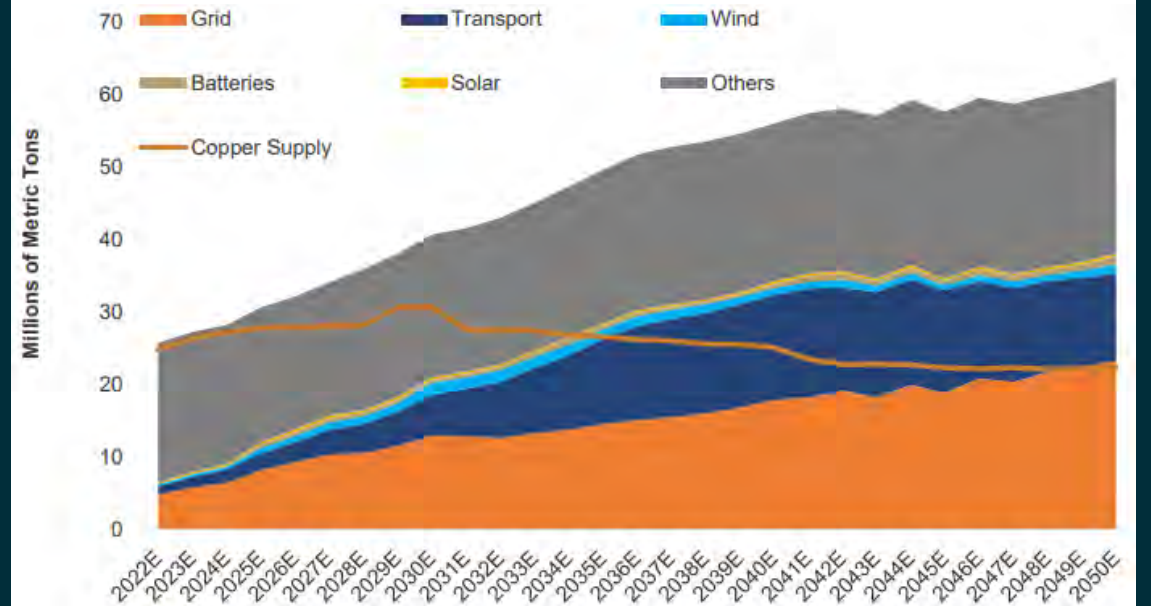
- ✓ New copper supply coming from difficult jurisdictions
- ✓ Net Zero Transition requires huge increase in copper
- ✓ Increasing M&A from multinational miners for large projects

### 5-year USD Gold Price



Source: Bloomberg

### Copper Demand and Supply imbalance likely to grow



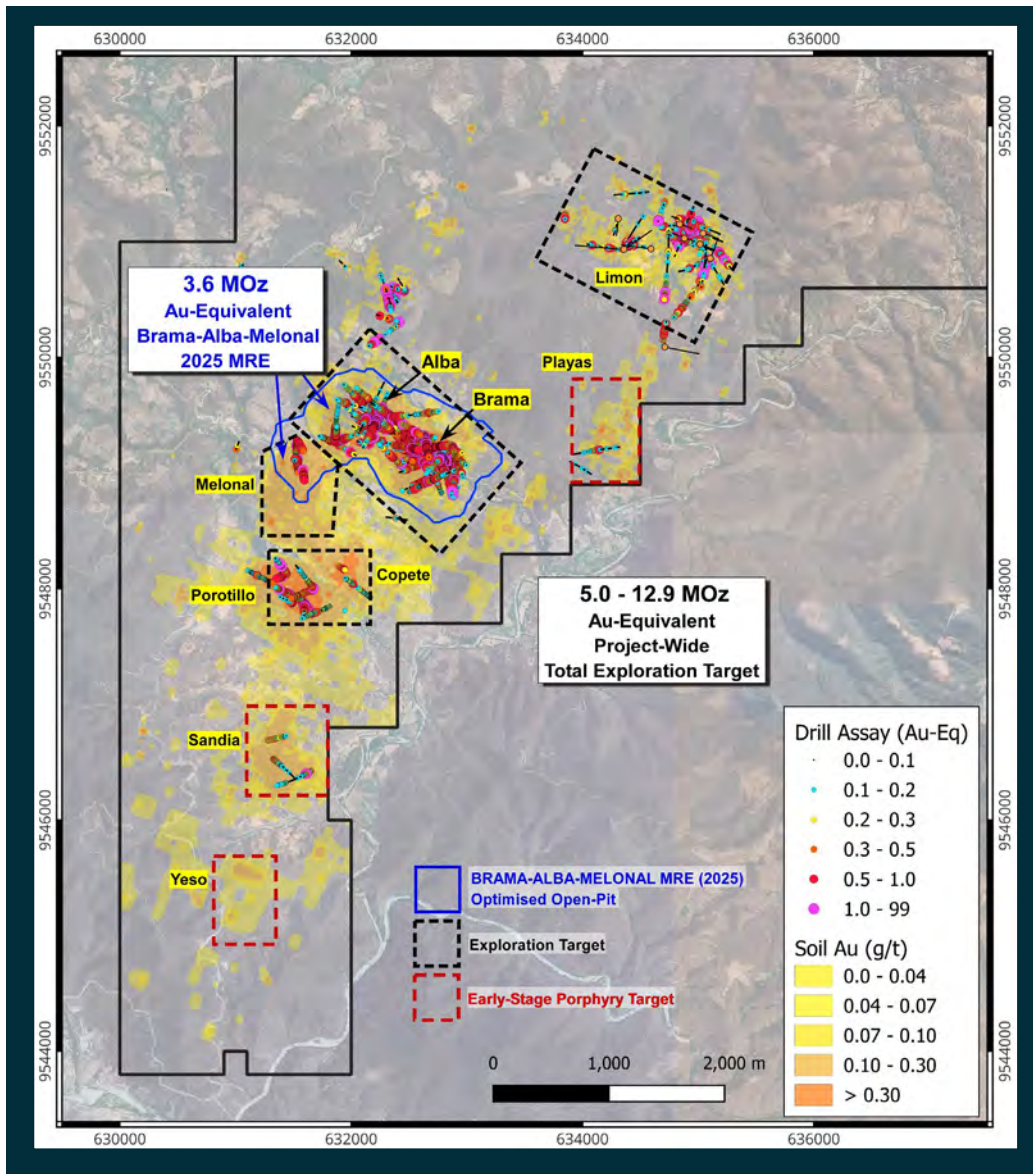
Source: Sprott Webcast, March 23



# Bramaderos

Cluster of open pit multi-decade development opportunities  
Located in an ideal mining location

# Bramaderos: The Ideal Project



## Bramaderos Project, Au-Equivalents (Moz's)



0.9Moz AuEq was converted from the Exploration Target into the Bramaderos 2025 Resource update

<sup>1</sup> 220Mt at 0.50g/t AuEq for 3.6Moz AuEq.

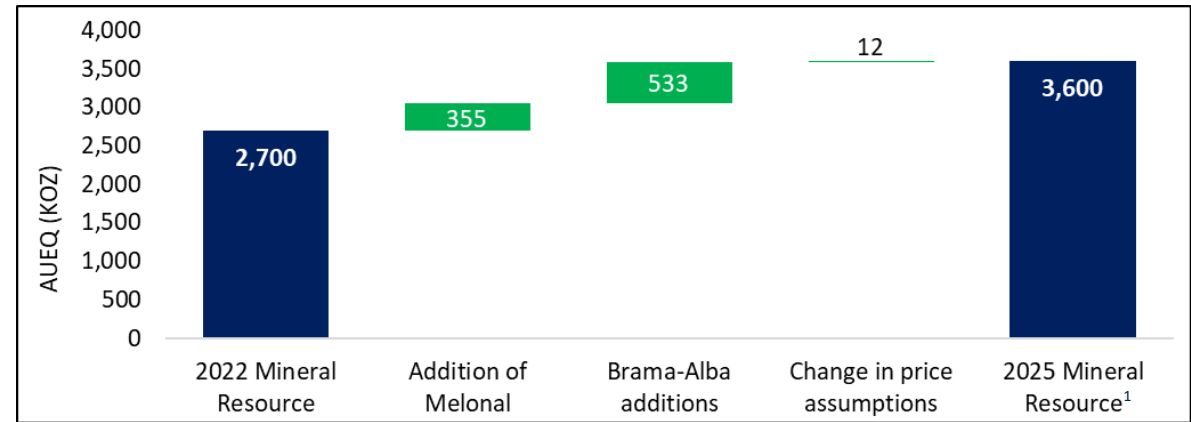
<sup>2</sup> 30-44Mt at grade between 0.9-1.2g/t Au Eq for 0.9-1.7oz AuEq

<sup>3</sup> 315-505Mt at grade between 0.40-0.74 g/t AuEq for 4.1-11.2Moz AuEq

<sup>4</sup> See slides 24 - 28 for full JORC details.

# Bramaderos: Unlocking Regional-Scale

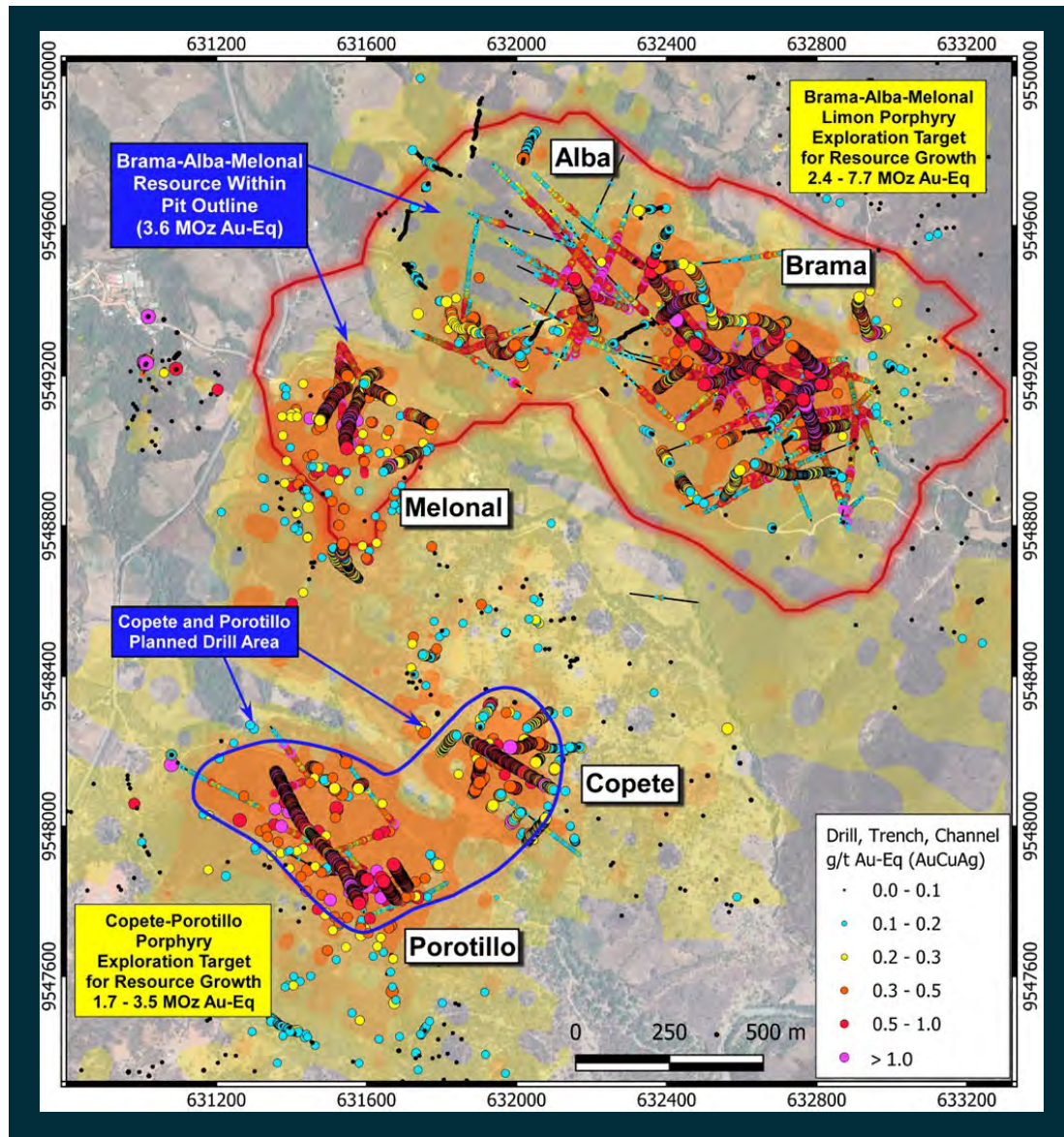
High-tonnage, near-surface Mineral Resource at Brama-Alba-Melonal with depth extensions and nearby targets ready for drilling

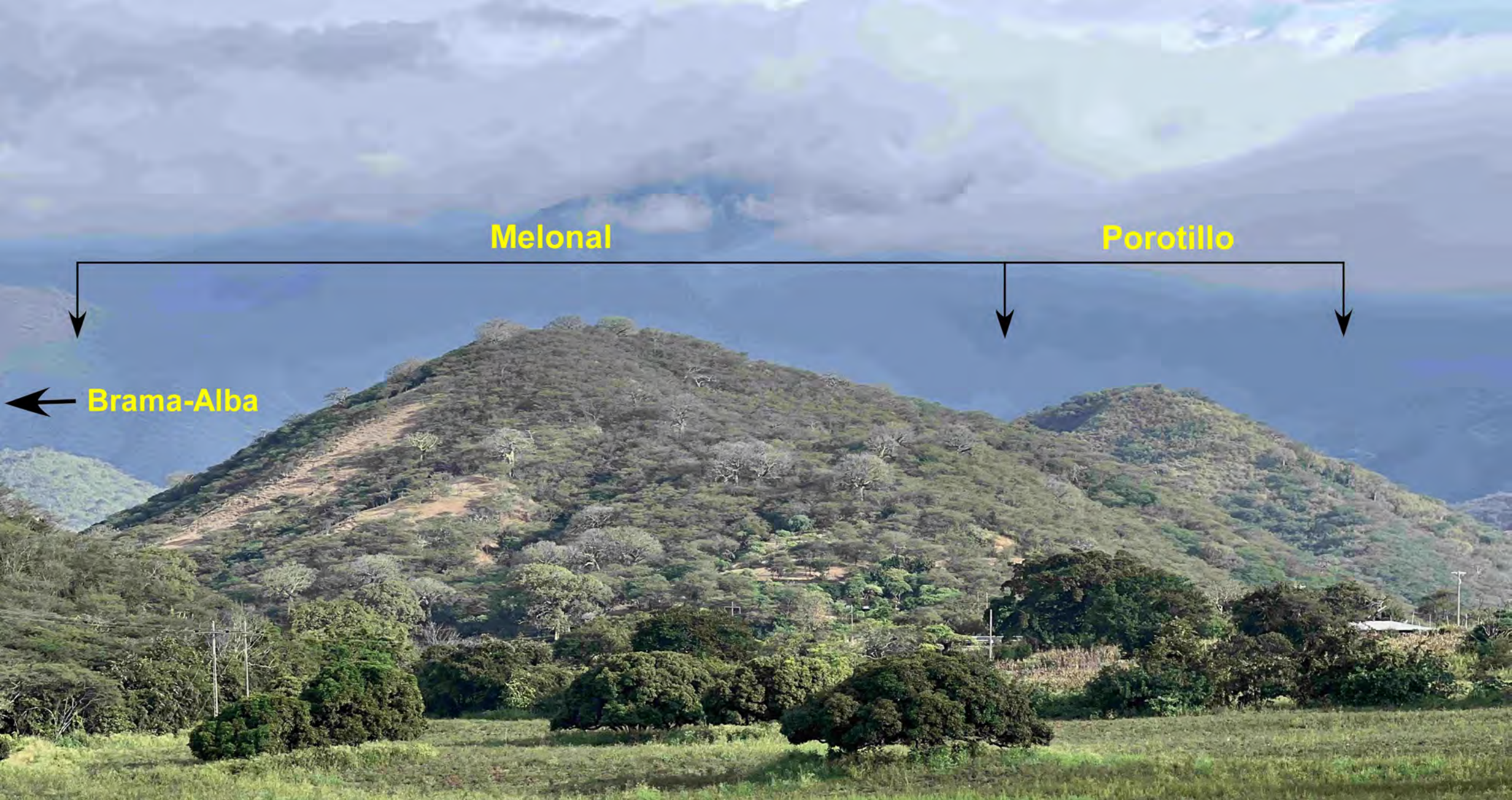


- The Bramaderos cluster of gold-copper mineralised bodies at surface now covers an area of 2km x 1.8km
- 31% of material excluded from MRE as outside pit shell

The Nov-2025 Bramaderos MRE<sup>1</sup>, including 600,000oz AuEq of Indicated material, will form the basis for a Project Scoping Study in 1H 2026

<sup>1</sup> See ASX announcement 24 November 2025



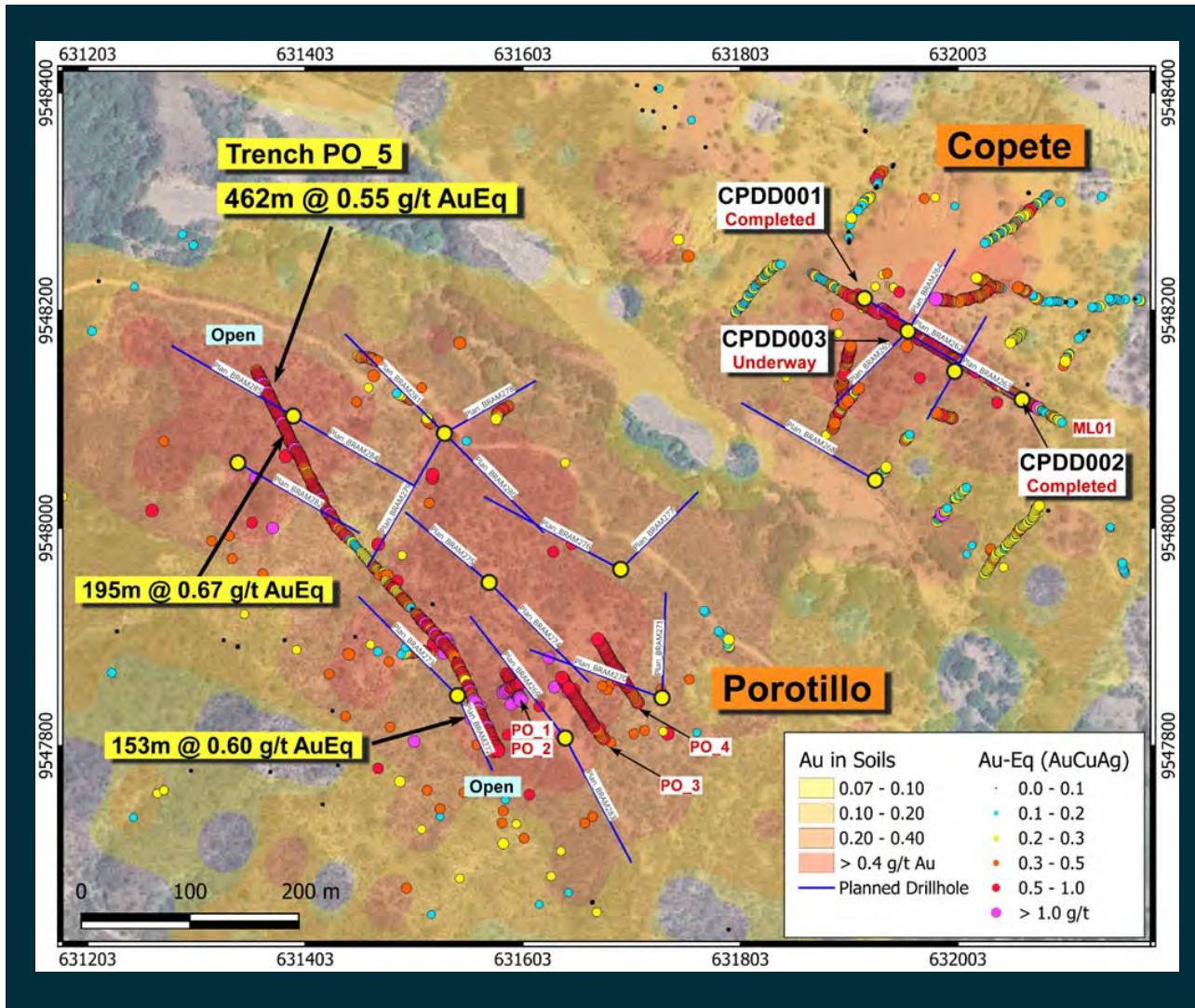


**Melonal**

**Porotillo**

**Brama-Alba**

# Bramaderos: Copete-Porotillo Target<sup>1</sup>



**New Copete-Porotillo Exploration Target:**  
1.7 – 3.5 Moz Au Eq<sup>2</sup>  
**Total Bramaderos Exploration Target:**  
5.0 – 12.9 Moz AuEq<sup>3</sup>

- Recent high-grade surface porphyry mineralisation results at Porotillo<sup>1</sup> included:
  - 22m @ 1.19g/t AuEq (open in each direction)
  - 29m @ 0.91g/t AuEq (open in each direction)
  - 462m at 0.55 g/t Au-Eq (open in each direction)
  - Sit above historical hole 24m @ 1.47g/t AuEq (from 6m)
- Drilling recommencing in February at Copete and Porotillo - campaign to drive rapid inventory growth

**The Exploration Targets highlight management's confidence that Bramaderos will expand rapidly to a major Mineral Resource and become a significant mining centre in southern Ecuador**

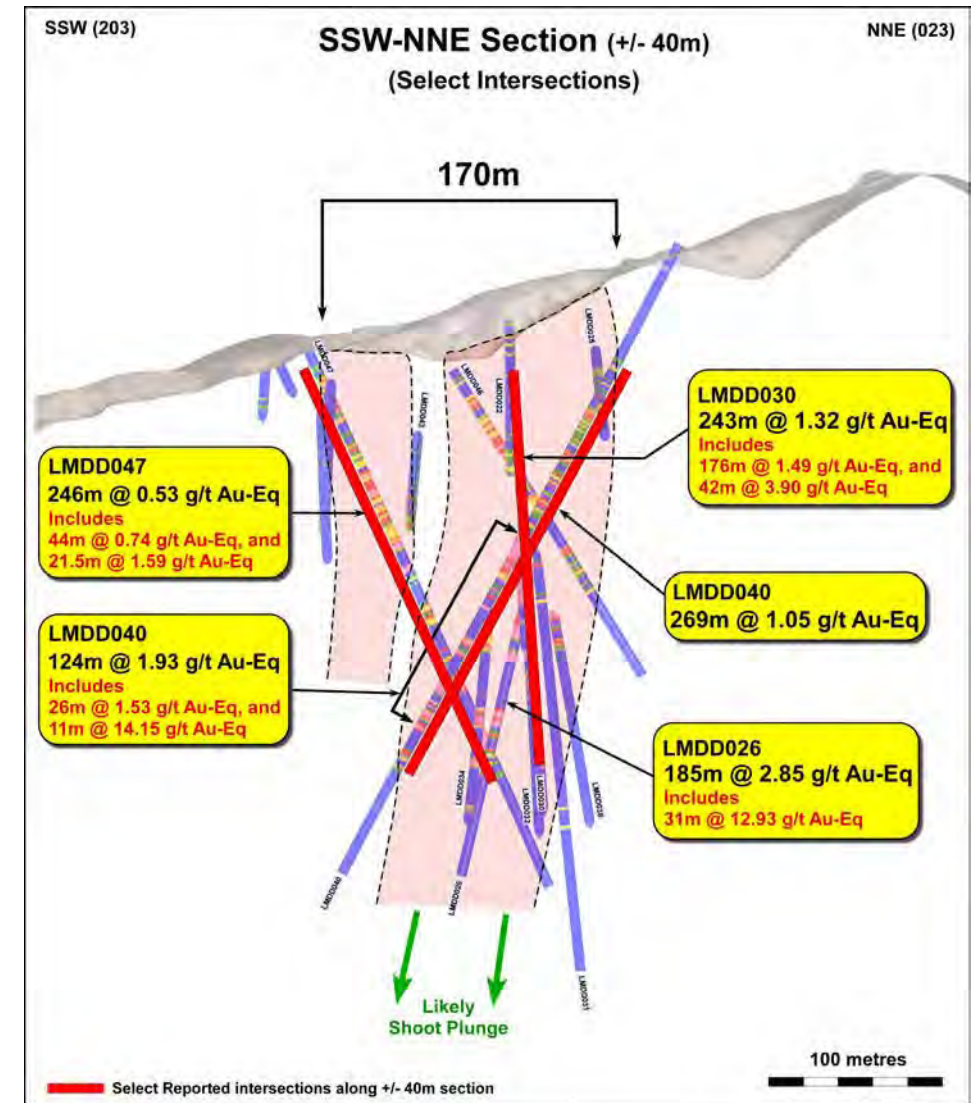
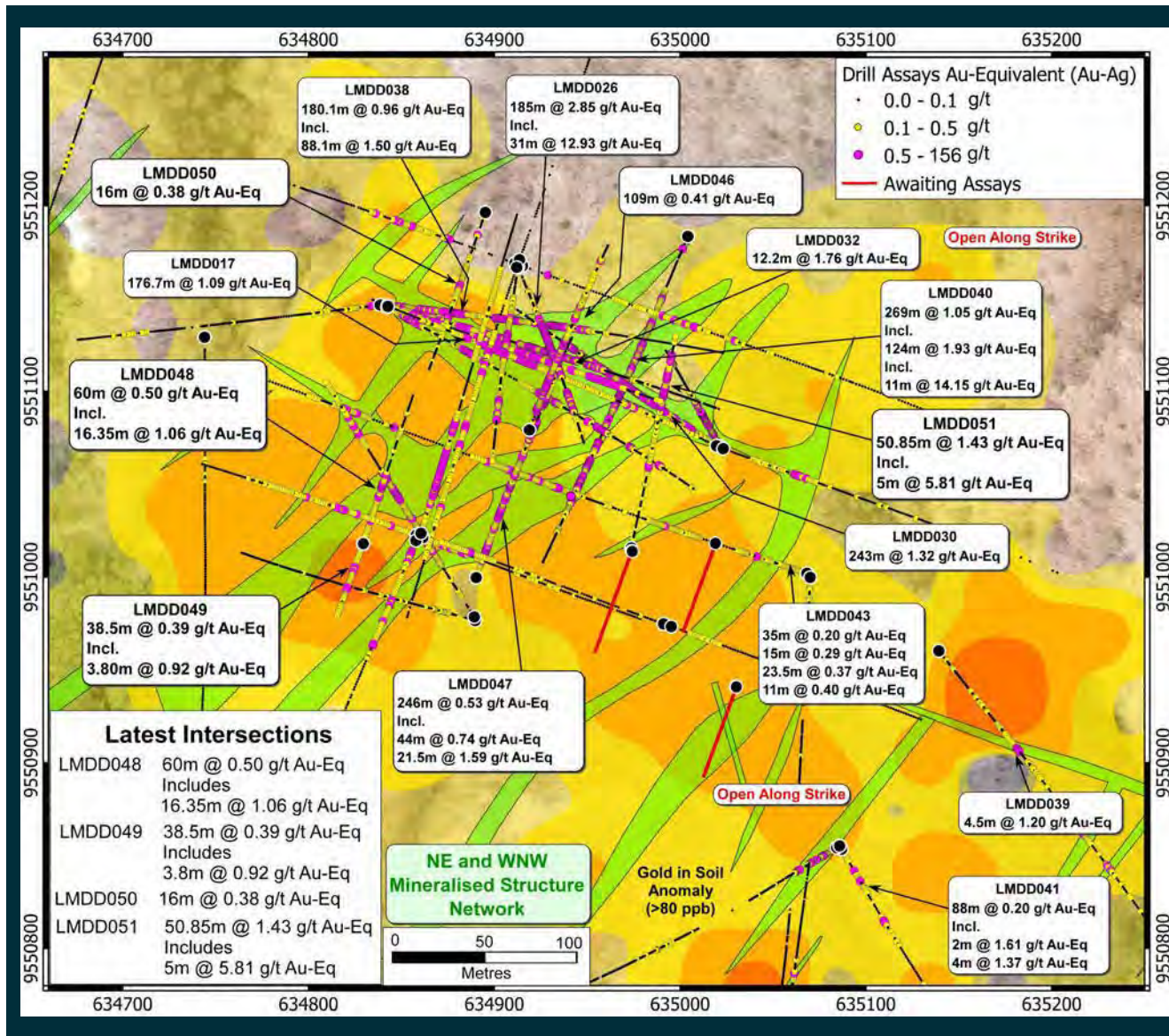
<sup>1</sup> See ASX announcement 24 November 2025, 4 February 2026, 23 February 2026

<sup>2</sup> Copete-Porotillo Exploration Target: 135-185Mt at grade between 0.25-0.40 g/t Au and 0.10-0.12% Cu

<sup>3</sup> Porphyry Exploration Target: 315-505Mt at grade between 0.30-0.54 g/t Au and 0.09-0.11% Cu

Limon Exploration Target: 30-40Mt at grade between 0.8-1.1 g/t Au and 12-15.8g/t Ag

# Limon: High-Grade Epithermal System



1: ~17k m's of drilling to-date (12k m's in the Limon epithermal)

# Bramaderos: Low-Risk Development



## 1. Predictable, low-risk geology

- ✓ Cluster of gold-copper-silver porphyry systems at surface
  - pit-constrained 3.6Moz Au-Eq Mineral Resource
  - rapid resource conversion potential for 5.0M – 12.9Moz AuEq Exploration Target
  - mineralisation is consistent and predictable
- ✓ Potential for future higher-grade epithermal ore feed

## 2. Development pathway with significant upside

- ✓ Initial lower capital cost development optionality
  - Stage 1 studies and approvals can begin post-Scoping Study (due 2Q 2026)
  - Stage 2 expansion to be funded from future operational cash flows
- ✓ Low environmental impact
  - no protected forests
  - no major river diversions or downstream major population centres

## 3. Straight-forward, multi-decade mining

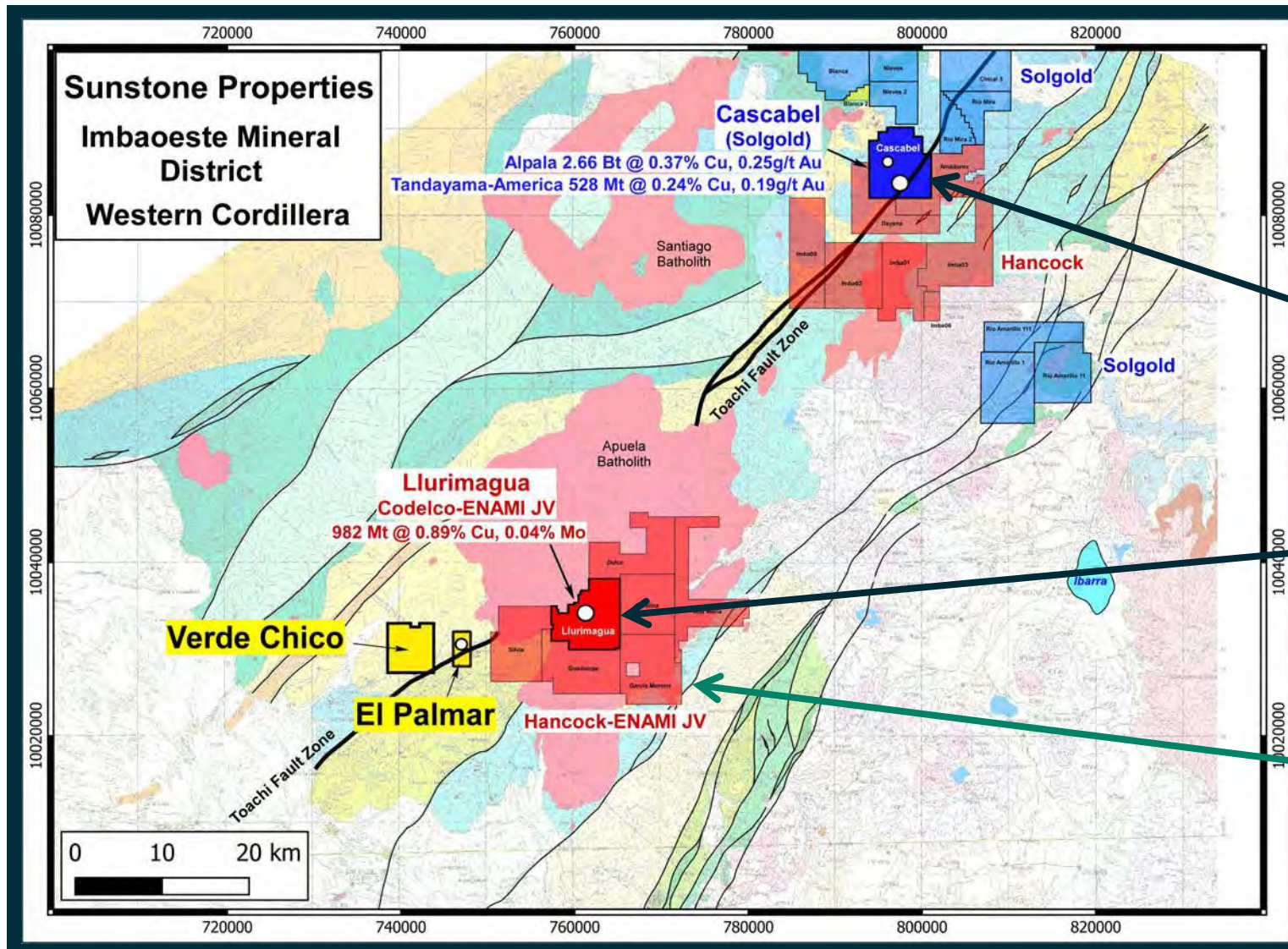
- ✓ Large scale, high-margin open pit mining (900m's above sea level)
- ✓ Low-cost mining jurisdiction
- ✓ Access to water, grid power and Pan-American Highway
- ✓ Strong support from remote host community seeking jobs and economic development



# El Palmar

Defining a bulk-scale, low-cost Gold-Copper Tier 1 deposit

# El Palmar: Surrounded by Giants



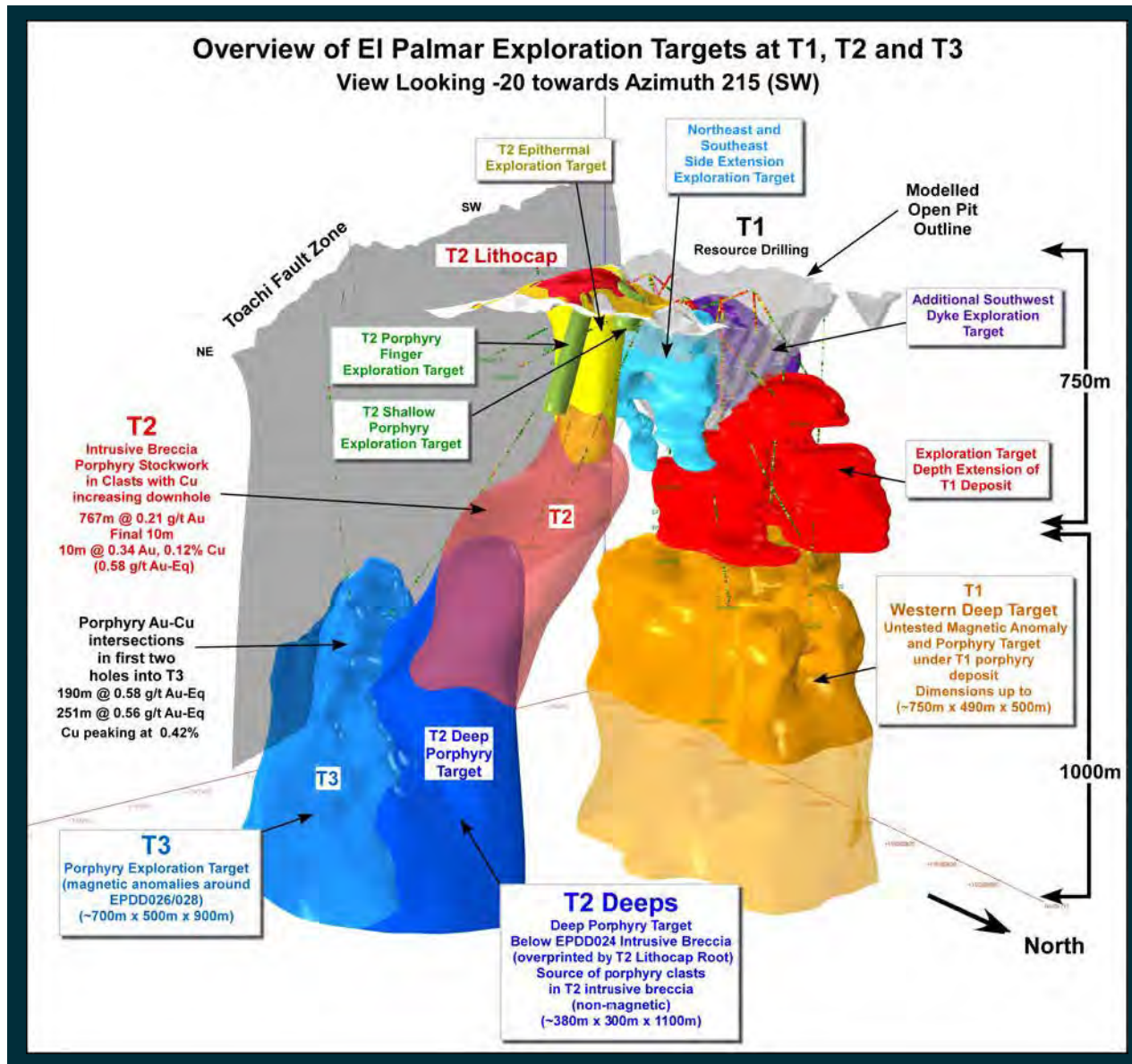
Highly prospective mineralised district related to the Toachi Fault Zone

### Tier 1 regional deposits

- 2.7Bt Alpa copper-gold porphyry deposit (0.53% CuEq) at Cascabel
- 0.53Bt Tandayama-America copper-gold porphyry deposit (0.36% CuEq) at Cascabel
- 1Bt Llurimagua copper-moly porphyry deposit (1.0% CuEq)

Hancock investing US\$120m to earn 49% into JV with state-owned ENAMI in northern Ecuador (adjacent to El Palmar)

# El Palmar: Uncovering the next Giant



**Significant gold-copper deposit**  
**Mineral Resource estimate 1.2Moz AeEq<sup>1</sup>**

- Drilling totaling 17,699m completed to date
- Three targets defined, with T2 and T3 both extending at depth beyond 1,750m
- Deep drilling at T3 delivers results such as 251m @ 0.56g/t AuEq confirming consistent grade at depth
- **Maiden resource defined from near-surface drilling**

**Gold and copper Exploration Target of 15M - 45Moz AuEq<sup>1</sup>**

- 1.0Bt to 1.2Bt at a grade between 0.3g/t to 0.7g/t gold and 0.1% to 0.3% copper
- Contained metal of between 10Moz and 27Moz gold and 1.0Mt to 3.7Mt copper
- Immense potential for El Palmar to grow:
  - ✓ Based on only three of five identified targets
  - ✓ Potential for copper content to increase

<sup>1</sup> See slides 24 - 28 for full JORC details

# El Palmar: True Tier-1 Scale



## El Palmar strategic advantage to commence as an Open Pit

- Same scale cross-section comparison with the 3Bt Alpala deposit at Cascabel
- Depth to top of the main Alpala orebody is ~700m

## Immense potential for El Palmar to continue to grow

### High tonnage, low-cost potential

1. Bulk mining / processing at scale
2. Low strip ratio
3. Lower labour and energy costs in the host jurisdiction

# 2026: Value realisation catalysts

## 1. Resource growth

- Drilling at Copete-Porotillo
- Targeted drilling at Melonal
- Upgrade Bramaderos 3.6Moz Au-Eq Mineral Resource
- Evaluating Limon high-grade epithermal options
- El Palmar surface exploration activities

## 2. Scalable development

- Bramaderos Scoping Study in 2Q 2026

## 3. Funding pathways

- Strategic options being pursued
- ✓ Share consolidation (completed Feb-26)

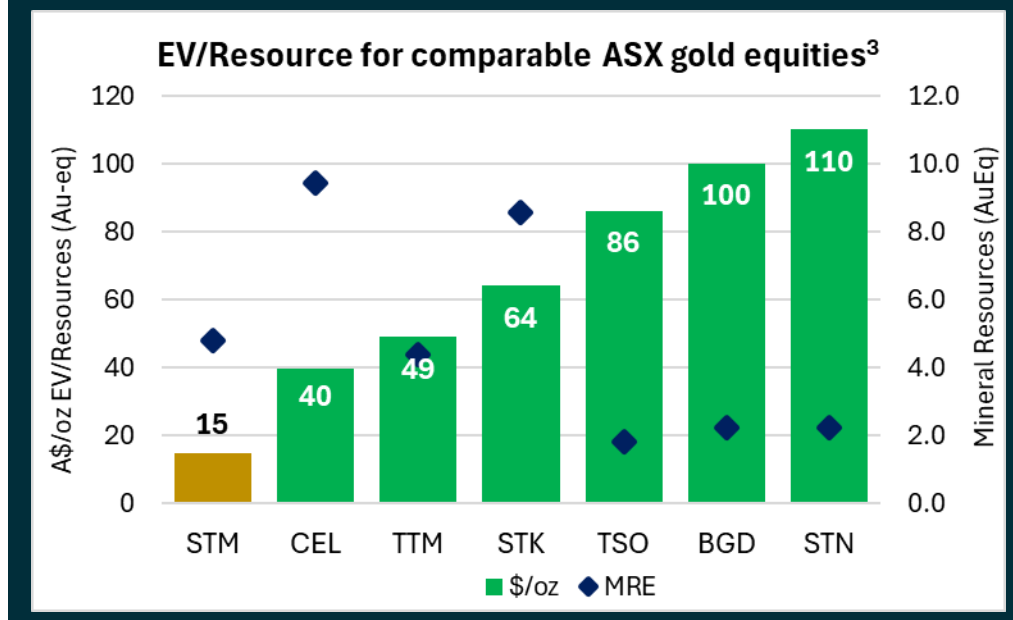
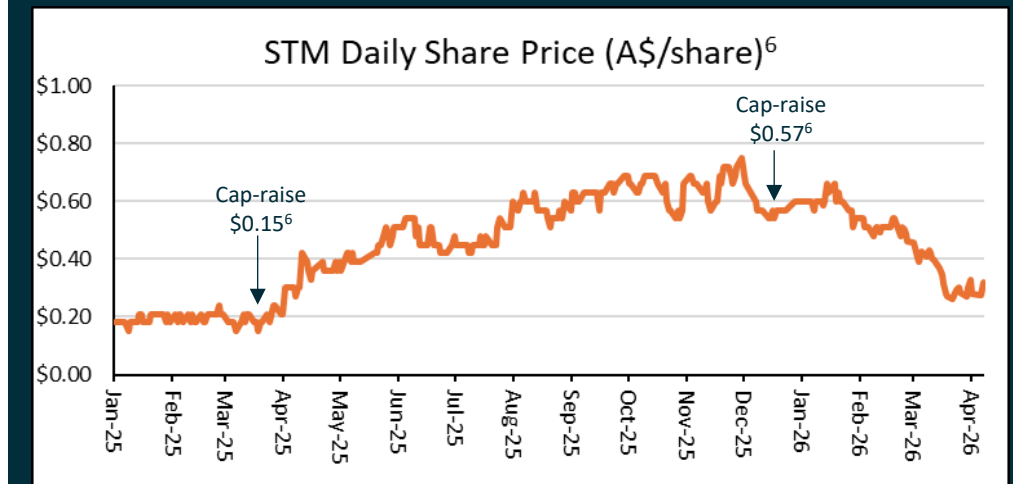


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Strategy

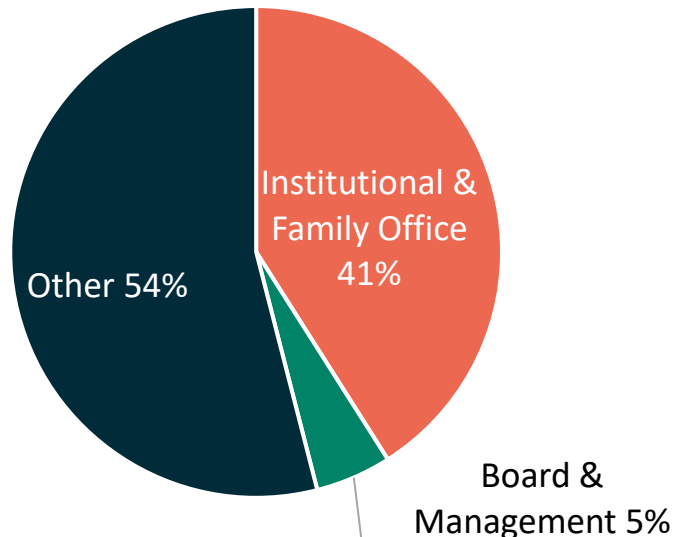
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# Significant room for value appreciation SUNSTONE METALS

ASX	STM
Shares on Issue	226.8M <sup>1</sup>
Market Capitalisation	A\$79.4M <sup>2</sup>
Cash and Equities	A\$7.8M <sup>4</sup>
Enterprise value	A\$71.6M
Outstanding options (in-the-money)	8.8M <sup>5</sup>



## Share ownership



<sup>1</sup> A 30-1 share consolidation was completed in February 2026.  
<sup>2</sup> Based on share price of \$0.35 on 15 April 2026  
<sup>3</sup> Source: Company Public MROR Statements and announcements. Share price data as at 15 April 2026. Refer to page 29 for further details.  
<sup>4</sup> Cash at 31 December 2025.  
<sup>5</sup> As at 31 March 2026. \$1.7m in-the-money options remain, still to be exercised (adjusted strike price of \$0.225/share).  
<sup>6</sup> Historical share prices have been adjusted for Feb-2026 30-1 share consolidation. The Mar-25 capital raise was undertaken at \$0.005/share, and the Dec-25 capital raise was at \$0.019/share.

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# Our Community Focus



Sunstone appreciates the strong community support that it has at its projects and takes its **environmental, social and governance** issues very seriously.

## Inaugural Sunstone Sustainability Report released 27 November 2023

- Significant **environmental monitoring programs** across all projects
- Involved in various high-impact **community programs** at Bramaderos and El Palmar
- Undertakes considerable **training programs** across a large range of skills for workers and the communities in which we operate
- **Sunstone works with the local communities** to assist where possible, for example, during the pandemic
- Employment and skills development for local communities

**Drilling is fully permitted and environmentally compliant at Bramaderos and El Palmar**

# Resource Overview

Sunstone has an advanced portfolio of exploration projects in Ecuador. The portfolio comprises:

## 1. The Bramaderos Gold-Copper Project

Sunstone owns an 87.5% interest, and SolGold Canada, Inc. (formerly Cornerstone Capital Resources) a subsidiary of SolGold, holding 12.5% (loan carried through to start of commercial production). The Bramaderos gold-copper project is located in Loja province, southern Ecuador, and is highly prospective for the discovery of large porphyry gold-copper systems, and high-grade epithermal gold systems. The Bramaderos concession is host to multiple fertile mineralised systems with significant discovery potential.

The Brama-Alba porphyry gold-copper-silver deposit, within the Bramaderos concession contains a current Mineral Resource estimate of 220Mt at 0.50g/t AuEq for 3.6Moz gold-equivalent\*. In addition to this is the Bramaderos project porphyry gold-copper-silver Exploration Target of between 4.1Moz and 11.2Moz AuEq\* within 315 to 505Mt at a grade between 0.41 and 0.68g/t AuEq\* (see ASX release dated 24 November 2025). The potential quantity and grade of the Exploration Target is conceptual in nature. There has been insufficient exploration to estimate a Mineral Resource for the target area reported. It is uncertain if further exploration will result in the estimation of a Mineral Resource.

An Exploration Target for the Limon epithermal gold-silver deposit was released on 9 November 2023 (also refer to ASX release dated 5 February 2024) consisting of between approximately 30 and 44 million tonnes at a grade of between 0.9 and 1.2g/t AuEq\*, for between 0.9 and 1.7mill oz AuEq\*. The potential quantity and grade of the Exploration Target is conceptual in nature. There has been insufficient exploration to estimate a Mineral Resource for the target area reported. It is uncertain if further exploration will result in the estimation of a Mineral Resource.

The company confirms that it is not aware of any new information or data that materially affects the information included in the original market announcement for the Mineral Resource estimate and Exploration Target referred to above and, that all material assumptions and technical parameters underpinning the estimates continue to apply and have not materially changed. The company confirms that the form and context in which the Competent Person's findings are presented have not been materially modified from the original market announcement.

\* The gold equivalent calculation formula for porphyry gold-copper-silver mineralisation is  $AuEq(g/t) = (Au \text{ grade} \times Au \text{ price} \times Au \text{ recov} / 31.1035) + (Ag \text{ grade} \times Ag \text{ price} \times Ag \text{ recov} / 31.1035) + (Cu \text{ grade} \times Cu \text{ price} \times Cu \text{ recov} / 100) / (Au \text{ price} \times Au \text{ recov} / 31.1035)$ . The prices used were US\$1,800/oz gold and US\$4.50/lb copper and US\$22/oz silver. Recoveries are estimated at 88% for gold, 85% for copper, and 60% for silver based on metallurgical studies (see ASX release dated 24 November 2025).

\* The gold equivalent calculation formula for epithermal gold-silver mineralisation is  $AuEq(g/t) = Au(ppm) + (Ag(ppm))/82$ . The prices used were US\$1,800/oz gold and US\$22/oz silver. Recoveries are estimated at over 90% for gold and 90% for silver from metallurgical studies (see ASX release dated 9 November 2022).

In Sunstone's opinion all the elements included in the metal equivalents calculation have reasonable potential to be recovered and sold.

JORC Classification	Tonnage (Mt)	Au (g/t)	Cu (%)	Ag (g/t)	AuEq (g/t)	AuEq* (Mozs)
Indicated	40	0.38	0.10	1.26	0.56	0.6
Inferred	190	0.32	0.10	1.14	0.49	2.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>0.33</b>	<b>0.10</b>	<b>1.16</b>	<b>0.50</b>	<b>3.6</b>

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## 2. The El Palmar Gold-Copper Project

Sunstone holds 74.5% of the highly prospective 800ha El Palmar gold-copper porphyry project in Ecuador. Sunstone can acquire 100% through a Staged Acquisition Agreement. A Staged Acquisition Agreement to acquire the nearby Verde Chico Project has also been signed. The El Palmar and Verde Chico gold-copper projects are located in Imbabura province, northern Ecuador, within the same geological belt that includes the giant Alpala, Tandayama-America and Llurimagua porphyry copper-gold and copper-molybdenum deposits.

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JORC Classification	Tonnage Mt	Average Grade					Material Content			
		AuEq (g/t)	Au (g/t)	Ag (g/t)	Cu (ppm)	Cu (%)	AuEq (Koz)	Au (Koz)	Ag (Koz)	Cu (Kt)
Indicated	5	0.63	0.42	0.81	1,456	0.15	100	100	100	7
Inferred	59	0.59	0.40	0.65	1,290	0.13	1,100	700	1,200	70
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>0.60</b>	<b>0.41</b>	<b>0.66</b>	<b>1,301</b>	<b>0.13</b>	<b>1,200</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>1,300</b>	<b>80</b>

# Competent Person Statement

## Competent Persons Statement - Bramaderos

The information in this report that relates to Mineral Resources is based on information compiled by Mr Rob Spiers. Mr Rob Spiers is a full-time employee of Spiers Geological Consultants (SGC) and is a Member of the Australasian Institute of Geoscientists (AIG). Mr Rob Spiers has sufficient experience relevant to the style of mineralisation 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 the Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves (JORC Code). Mr Spiers holds 0.016% of the ordinary shares on issue of Sunstone Metals, and this shareholding does not constitute a substantial holding in the Company, nor does it impair Mr Spiers's ability to provide an objective and unbiased assessment. The shareholding is disclosed in accordance with the JORC code transparency provisions. Mr Rob Spiers consents to the disclosure of the information in this report in the form and context in which it appears.

## Competent Persons Statement – El Palmar

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## Exploration Results & Exploration Target Competent Person – Bramaderos and El Palmar

The information in this report that relates to exploration results and exploration targets and results is based upon information reviewed by Dr. Bruce Rohrlach who is a member of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. Dr. Rohrlach is a full-time employee of Sunstone Metals Ltd and has sufficient experience which is relevant to the style of mineralisation 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”. Dr. Rohrlach consents to the inclusion in the report of the matters based on his information in the form and context in which it appears.

### *See ASX announcements*

14 April 2026 – Excellent start to new resource growth drilling program  
23 February 2026 – Drilling underway to grow the 3Moz Bramaderos resource  
4 February 2026 – Discovery of high grade surface mineralization at Porotillo  
24 November 2025 – Bramaderos 2025 MRE and Exploration Target  
22 October 2024 – El Palmar MRE and Exploration Target  
21 August 2024 - More Limon high grade gold and silver in drilling  
6 August 2024 - High-grade results expand size of Limon  
17 July 2024 - El Palmar trenching enhances significant Resource potential  
6 June 2024 - Limon drilling to start in known high-grade areas Limon  
22 May 2024 - Visible gold in trenches  
15 May 2024 - El Palmar significant gold-copper mineralisation at surface  
18 April 2024 - Limon large mineralised system, multiple high-grade clusters  
5 February 2024 – Limon Exploration Target – Additional JORC Information  
31 January 2024 - Limon gold-silver discovery grows  
19 December 2023 – Limon gold-silver discovery grows significantly

### *ASX announcements (continued)*

23 November 2023 – El Palmar gold target, Verde Chico work commencing  
9 November 2023 – Large Limon Exploration Target  
18 October 2023 – Limon – Bumper results, greatly expands scale  
12 October 2023 – Limon drilling growing scale  
18 September 2023 – High grade, near surface gold at Limon  
11 September 2023 - El Palmar 2nd hole confirms T3 strongly mineralised porphyry  
15 August 2023 - Limon gold discovery continues to grow  
3 July 2023 – High grade gold and silver at Limon, Bramaderos  
20 June 2023 – El Palmar T3 gold-copper porphyry discovery  
28 April 2023 – El Palmar drilling intersects porphyry copper system  
14 April 2023 – Limon emerging as major discovery with visible gold in hole  
29 March 2023 – Limon epithermal drilling results  
18 January 2023 – Limon delivers porphyry discovery  
13 December 2022 – Bramaderos MRE and Exploration Target

# Information on Exploration Targets

## ***Bramaderos***

The Bramaderos porphyry Exploration Target within the Bramaderos concession is estimated from 5 areas – the extensions to the Brama-Alba system that are not captured in the Mineral Resource estimate (**MRE**), mineralisation drilled at the targets of Melonal and Limon porphyry mineralisation, and surface sampling and historical drilling at Copete and Porotillo.

The Exploration Target does not include known porphyry mineralisation at Sandia, Playas, or Yeso. It was decided to not include these areas because Sunstone has not yet completed any or sufficient drilling in these areas. Further work in these areas will be undertaken and they are expected to contribute to an expanded Exploration Target in future.

Several areas of mineralisation have been identified outside of the area of the MRE. The MRE captured all material within a 'Mineralisation Wireframe', and within an economically modelled pit. Some drill holes that intersected mineralisation are outside the mineralisation wireframe, and either within or outside the pit. Inadequate drilling exists in these areas to show continuity. Furthermore, the effect of the reasonable prospects of economic extraction was to exclude 14% of material. This material has been captured in the Exploration Target.

Six domains were identified as having clear potential for additional mineralisation and these were reviewed either on a depth slice basis, or a block basis. Volumes were calculated and grade was assigned based on nearby data and on comparison with the overall Brama-Alba grade.

The Melonal target is a continuation of the Brama-Alba system. It is geologically grouped with Brama-Alba. Recent drilling by Sunstone, and historical drilling from 2007, has confirmed that the Melonal target is mineralised, and that mineralisation is hosted in rocks the same as those drilled at the nearby Brama-Alba deposit. The mineralised rocks are coincident with a discrete sub-vertical magnetic anomaly measuring up to 400m in diameter, and with a vertical extent of over 1,000m. The Exploration Target for Melonal was considered to a depth of 500m. The Melonal target straddles the approved Bramaderos-01 and Bramaderos-02 concessions.

Sunstone has drilled 8 effective diamond holes at the Limon porphyry target. Mineralisation has been intersected in a number of holes. A trench (LM\_TR\_01) was completed at Limon prior to drilling in an area of outcropping stockwork veining and minor secondary copper mineralisation. It returned 97m at 0.73g/t gold and 0.23% copper. A recent hole drilled under the trench has intersected similar stockwork veined intrusive and contains chalcopyrite.

This area around Trench TR\_LM\_01 has been included in the porphyry Exploration Target where more drilling is required to allow inclusion in a Mineral Resource estimate. This target area will be further explored with drilling programs to be executed over the next two years, subject to the Company's funding ability.

The Copete and Porotillo exploration targets are areas of outcropping porphyry stockwork veining that occur within an extensive gold and copper soil geochemical anomaly. These areas have seen substantial historical drilling (13 drill holes) with extensive mineralised intersections, plus widespread rockchip sampling of surface mineralisation, channel sampling in ravines and an extensive mineralised trench ML-01 at Copete that assayed 214m @ 0.50 g/t AuEq2 (ASX announcement 12 November 2024).

At Porotillo, within the main body of the gold-in-soil geochemical anomaly, an extensive early-mineral quartz diorite intrusion hosts overprinting porphyry-related, disseminated and vein stockwork mineralisation over an area spanning up to approximately 530m by 310m. Very substantial historic drill intersections were encountered at Porotillo.

Two domains were modelled to generate the Copete-Porotillo exploration target to depths of 200m and 400m below surface.

This target area will be further explored with drilling programs to be executed over the next two years, subject to the Company's funding ability.

## ***Limon epithermal***

The Limon epithermal Exploration Target was estimated on target prospects where there was a combination of diamond drilling (by Sunstone), geological mapping, trenching, geochemistry (soils) and to a lesser extent geophysical data (magnetics) which could support the geological and mineralisation concept model.

The Limon alteration area has been covered with soil sampling on a 50m x 50m grid. This survey is an important exploration method which identified several gold-in soil anomalies that are primary targets for drilling. The soil geochemical data is further interpreted using related element associations typical of epithermal systems, such as areas of somewhat coincident gold, silver, zinc, lead, copper, tellurium and arsenic. Target areas have also been strengthened using alteration mineralogy from a hand-held Terraspec instrument. These data assist in mapping the alteration zones most likely to be associated with epithermal mineralisation.

Drilling at Limon has also intersected a high sulphidation system in holes LMDD004 and 006, which included intersections of 13.3m at 0.43% copper and 0.11g/t gold, within 59.6m at 0.16% copper.

Standard geological mapping and rock chip sampling has also been undertaken across the Limon target area.

The volume ranges for the initial Exploration Target in the Central Shoot were estimated using cross sections and 3-D modelling in Leapfrog software, based upon an analysis of drilling, mineralised rock types, grade distribution, potential for extrapolation of mineralisation continuity and interpreted geological risk.

The volume ranges for the other components were estimated from geological interpretation and guided by extent of surface geochemical anomalism, supplemented by preliminary drilling. A conservative approach was taken to the potential distribution of gold and silver bearing veins.

This target area will be further explored with drilling programs to be executed over the next two years, subject to the Company's funding ability.

# Information on Exploration Targets

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### *El Palmar*

The Exploration Target within the El Palmar concession is estimated from within the T1, T2 and T3 areas.

The Exploration Target does not include interpreted or known porphyry mineralisation at the T4 and T5 target areas. It was decided to not include these areas because Sunstone has not yet completed any drilling at T4 and has conducted only minor drilling at T5. Further work in these areas will be undertaken and they are expected to contribute to an expanded Exploration Target in future.

The components of the exploration target are based on a combination of diamond drilling conducted by Codelco (during 2012) and by Sunstone (during 2022 and 2023), ground magnetics, multi-element soil sampling, multi-element rock chip and channel sampling, multi-element trench sampling and deep magnetic inversion anomalies modelled from ground magnetic data.

Wireframes of the areas within the Exploration Target areas were created in Leapfrog software using data interpreted from the Mineral Resource block model, iso-surface contours of modelled magnetic intensities, and grade ranges in available diamond drill holes. The volumes were multiplied by a specific gravity of 2.72g/cc (the average density of the T1 resource) to determine the tonnage range of the target. Grade ranges were determined with reference to drill intersection and surface rock chip assays.

The next step in testing these targets is primarily diamond drill testing. The targets have been adequately defined, but drill programs still require detailed planning regarding the number of drill holes, their azimuths, dips, and final depths. Drilling of these targets will be undertaken over the next two years, subject to the company's funding availability.

# Peer Comparison Data (page 21)

ASX Ticker	Company Name	Share price (\$/share)*	Ordinary Fully Paid Shares on issue (M)	Date of Appendix 2A	Market Cap (\$M)	Net Debt	Enterprise Value	Mineral Resource Moz AuEq	EV/ Oz AUEq	Comments
STM	Sunstone Metals	0.350	227	18-Mar-26	79	(8)	72	4.8	15	Net Debt Source: 31 December 2025 Interim Financial Report
TSO	Tesoro Gold	1.000	179	09-Feb-26	179	(22)	157	1.8	86	Net Debt Source: 31 December 2025 Annual Report
CEL	Challenger Gold	0.160	2,439	25-Mar-26	390	(16)	374	9.4	40	Net Debt Source: 31 December 2025 Annual Report; Colorado V Mineral Resource at CEL's 50% share
TTM	Titan Minerals	0.810	288	02-Apr-26	233	(17)	216	4.4	49	Net Debt Source: 31 December 2025 Annual Report; USD amounts translated at 0.70
STK	Strickland Metals	0.215	2,632	13-Feb-26	566	(15)	550	8.6	64	Net Debt Source: 31 December 2025 Interim Financial Report
BGD	Barton Gold	1.010	239	30-Mar-26	241	(17)	224	2.2	100	Net Debt Source: 31 December 2025 Interim Financial Report
STN	Saturn Metals	0.560	547	21-Jan-26	306	(59)	248	2.2	110	Net Debt Source: 31 December 2025 Interim Financial Report

Ticker	Company Name	Measured						Indicated						Inferred						Total Mineral Resources					
		Tonnes Mt	Grade g/t Au	Grade g/t Ag	Grade Cu %	Grade AuEq	Ounces AuEq	Tonnes Mt	Grade g/t Au	Grade g/t Ag	Grade Cu %	Grade AuEq	Ounces AuEq	Tonnes Mt	Grade g/t Au	Grade g/t Ag	Grade Cu %	Grade AuEq	Ounces AuEq	Tonnes Mt	Grade g/t Au	Grade g/t Ag	Grade Cu %	Grade Eq	Ounces AuEq
STM	Sunstone Metals	-	-	-	-	-	-	45	0.4	1.2	-	0.6	0.7	249	0.3	1.0	-	0.5	4.1	284	0.3	1.0	-	0.5	4.8
TSO	Tesoro Gold	-	-	-	-	-	-	32	1.1	-	-	1.1	1.1	20	1.1	-	-	1.1	0.7	51	1.1	-	-	1.1	1.8
ALK	Alkane Resources	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TTM	Titan Minerals	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	2.2	13.9	-	2.4	1.4	48	1.7	11.8	-	2.0	3.0	66	1.8	12.4	-	2.1	4.4
STK	Strickland Metals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	191	0.7	4.8	0.1	1.2	7.3	221	0.7	5.2	0.1	1.2	8.6
BGD	Barton Gold	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	0.8	-	-	0.8	1.0	40	0.9	-	-	0.9	1.2	80	0.9	-	-	0.9	2.2
STN	Saturn Metals	5	0.5	-	-	0.5	0.1	107	0.5	-	-	0.5	1.8	25	0.5	-	-	0.5	0.4	137	0.5	-	-	0.5	2.2

ASX Ticker	Company Name	Stage of project	Mineral Resource Source	Gold equivalent formula	Recovery percentages		
					Au	Ag	Cu
TSO	Tesoro Gold	Pre-development	ASX Announcement, 4 August 2025	Gold equivalent ounces and grade are calculated using United States dollar pricing for Gold (\$2,000/oz.), Copper (\$9,500/t), Silver (\$50.00/oz.) and Molybdenum (\$20,000/t), and metallurgical recoveries for each metal on a site by site basis, as [(metal grade x metal price x metal recovery) / (gold price x gold recovery)] from the respective Resource and Reserve statements.	95%	n/a	n/a
CEL	Challenger Gold	Pre-development	31 December 2025 Annual Report		85-95%	60-90%	85%
TTM	Titan Minerals	Pre-development	31 December 2025 Annual Report		93%	70%	n/a
STK	Strickland Metals	Pre-development	ASX Announcement, 15 April 2025		80%	80%	80%
BGD	Barton Gold	Pre-development	ASX Announcement, 8 September 2025		n/a	n/a	n/a
STN	Saturn Metals	Pre-development	ASX Announcement, 17 December 2025		n/a	n/a	n/a

\* Share price at close of trading 15 April 2026