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Sunstone Snapshot

Ecuador focussed, gold-copper explorer and discoverer

ASX - STM

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Market Capitalisation ¹	A\$74 mill		
Cash and Equities	~A\$10.5 mill		
Shares on Issue	3,082 million		
Top 20 Shareholding	36%		
Institutional and Family Office Shareholding	30%		
Board and Management Shareholding	5.0%		

Desk notes and Analyst Coverage -

Taylor Collison Morgans

Ecuador

- Pro-mining
- 2 modern operating mines, several advanced projects, all majors present
- Presidential elections in August 2023; likely next President pro-mining





Investment Opportunity

- Simple proposition discovery adds significant shareholder value
- The Sunstone team has a track record of globally significant copper-gold porphyry discovery
 - Tujuh Bukit, Indonesia (2008)
 - Alpala, Cascabel, Ecuador (2013)

Key messages today

- Two valuable gold-copper-silver assets
- In southern Ecuador, the Limon gold-silver discovery is a breakthrough opportunity supporting a highgrade front end to a targeted 10Mozs gold equivalent camp at the Bramaderos project
- In northern Ecuador, the T1 + T3 discoveries move El Palmar towards joining the big league of very large gold-copper porphyry discoveries



Bramaderos, Southern Ecuador



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- 4,984ha concession
- Adjacent to the Pan American Highway
- At ~900m asl
- The project is supported by good infrastructure (hydroelectric power, regional airport nearby)
- 93% of Ecuador's power is generated from renewables, primarily hydro power



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Bramaderos – targeting 10Mozs opportunity



Background image is gold-in-soils

LIMON - Outcropping gold-copper-silver porphyry and epithermal Currently drilling

97.6m at 0.71g/t gold and 0.23% copper in trench LMDD010 - 79m at 0.52g/t gold, 0.19% copper, 9.4g/t silver (0.9g/t AuEq^{*1}) from 90m (porphyry gold-copper-silver)

LMDD017 - 177m at 0.97g/t gold, 10.1g/t silver (1.1g/t AuEq^{*2}) from 7m LMDD026 - 185m at 2.67g/t gold and 15g/t silver (2.85g/t AuEq^{*2}) from 90m

BRAMA-ALBA - Mineral Resource Estimate - 2022

JORC Classification	Tonnage (Mt)	Au (g/t)	Cu (%)	Ag (g/t)	AuEq ^{*1} (g/t)	AuEq ^{*1} (Mozs)
Indicated	9	0.38	0.09	1.1	0.53	0.2
Inferred	147	0.35	0.11	1.3	0.53	2.5
Total	156	0.35	0.11	1.3	0.53	2.7

Exploration Target – 2022 in addition to MRE

Exploration Target	Min. Tonnage (Mt)	Max. Tonnage (Mt)	Min. AuEq ^{*1} (Mozs)	Max. AuEq ^{*1} (Mozs)
Brama-Alba (excluding				
MRE areas)	70	100	0.79	2.57
Melonal	150	200	1.93	4.50
Limon - Porphyry	35	60	0.56	1.54
TOTAL	255	360	3.30	8.60

Brama-Alba – mineralisation from surface



- View looking NE; December 2022
- MRE is pit constrained
- 1.2km long mineralised system so far
- Outcropping gold-copper
- Development would initially mine a hill very low strip ratio
- Higher grade domains close to surface
- Many opportunities to grow resource, and define higher grades



Brama-Alba – pit constrained MRE



Limon – view to NE





Limon – gold-silver epithermal



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Limon – gold-silver epithermal



- Large search space for epithermal gold-silverbase metal mineralisation
- Evidence of epithermal veins to depths exceeding 600m from previous drilling
- Evidence of multiple epithermal vein occurrences within 1.7km x 700m Limon alteration zone
- Current interpretation of mineralised structures trending NW and NE, and higher grades developed at the intersections of these structures
- Multiple targets scheduled for drilling
- LMDD017 and 026 intersections in first of 8 epithermal targets (peripheral to Limon porphyry gold-copper-silver)
- Hugely significant discovery



El Palmar, northern Ecuador



- Highly prospective belt of rocks related to the Toachi Fault Zone
- To date includes the 2.7Bt Alpala copper-gold porphyry deposit at Cascabel, the 0.53Bt Tandayama-America coppergold porphyry deposit at Cascabel, and the 1Bt Llurimagua copper-moly porphyry deposit
- Together with orthogonal structural control delivers target zones for porphyry mineralisation

El Palmar; T1-T2-T3-T5 porphyry cluster



- Mineralisation from surface at T1, T2, and T5
- 2.3km long cluster of porphyry targets identified to date; **T1 to T5**
- Targets could all be related and have geometries that relate to their position on or adjacent to the Toachi fault, and subsidiary orthogonal faults
- Results from hole EPDD026 in T3 are extremely significant – first hole into a large target delivering ore grade mineralisation. Drill hole intersection is deep but targets extend towards surface.
- Potential to deliver a very large gold-copper deposit camp



El Palmar; multiple large targets



- T3 EPDD026 intersection deep but coincident magnetic anomalies extend towards surface
- Increasing confidence that magnetic bodies correlate with goldcopper
- T1 already an orebody in its own right
- HUGE opportunity



El Palmar; comparison with SolGold-Cascabel-Alpala







El Palmar; cluster of opportunities

- Targets could all be related and have geometries that relate to their position on or adjacent to the Toachi fault
- Porphyries have very large vertical extent



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Vertical extent of El Palmar opportunities are in line with major company exploration search space

El Palmar search space

Looking Deeper in South America: Lithocap Search

From Newcrest Investor Day 26th October 2018



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What's ahead

- ✓ Bramaderos
 - Limon gold-silver discovery follow-up to LMDD017 and LMDD026 will fundamentally change Bramaderos
 - Deliver additional discoveries at Melonal, Limon, Porotillo
 - Strengthen expectation of 10Mozs AuEq district with Exploration Target updates
- ✓ El Palmar
 - Deliver additional discoveries within the 2.3km x 1km porphyry cluster
 - Continue to drill compelling T3 target follow-up to hole EPDD026 results, and drill in shallower domains
 - In the same belt as >1Bt orebodies will El Palmar join that club?



Competent Persons Statement

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The information in this report that relates to Mineral Resources is based on information compiled by Mr Aaron Meakin. Mr Aaron Meakin is a full-time employee of CSA Global Pty Ltd and is a Member and Chartered Professional of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. Mr Aaron Meakin 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 Aaron Meakin consents to the disclosure of the information in this report in the form and context in which it appears.

Exploration Target Competent Person

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 3rd July 2023 – High grade gold and silver at Limon. Bramaderos 20th June 2023 – El palmar T3 gold-copper porphyry discovery 28th April 2023 – El Palmar drilling intersects porphyry copper system 14th April 2023 – Limon emerging as major discovery with visible gold in hole 29th March 2023 – Limon epithermal drilling results 16th March 2023 – Drilling commences at T2 porphyry target, El Palmar 18th January 2023 – Limon delivers porphyry discovery 13th December 2022 – Bramaderos MRE and Exploration Target 27th October 2022 – AGM Presentation 20th October 2022 – More wide intersections at Brama-Alba to support initial MRE 27th September 2022 – El Palmar drilling results and new target defined 30th August 2022 – Brama-Alba – best porphyry intersection to date 21st July 2022 – Corporate Presentation 19th July 2022 – Brama-Alba drilling, met test work, resource preparation 29th June 2022 – El Palmar drilling expands gold-copper discovery



About Sunstone Metals

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

•The Bramaderos Gold-Copper Project where Sunstone owns an 87.5% interest with Cornerstone Capital Resources, a subsidiary of SolGold, holding 12.5% (see ASX announcement dated 10th April 2017, 28th August 2019, and 7 January 2020). 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 Bramaderos concession contains an initial Mineral Resource estimate of 156Mt at 0.53g/t AuEq for 2.7Moz gold-equivalent*. In addition to this is the Bramaderos project Exploration Target of between 3.3Moz and 8.6Moz AuEq within 255 to 360Mt at a grade between 0.40 and 0.74g/t AuEq (see ASX release dated December 13, 2022).

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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 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.

*1 The gold equivalent calculation formula for porphyry gold-copper-silver mineralisation is AuEq(g/t) = (Au grade x Au price x Au recov / 31.1035) + (Ag grade x Ag price x Ag recov / 31.1035) + (Cu grade x Cu price x Cu recov / 100)) / (Au price x Au recov / 31.1035). The prices used were US\$1,800/oz gold and US\$9,500/t copper and US\$22/oz silver. Recoveries are estimated at 89% for gold, 85% for copper, and 60% for silver based on metallurgical studies. In Sunstone's opinion all the elements included in the metal equivalents calculation have reasonable potential to be recovered and sold.

 $*^2$ 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 90% for gold and 90% for silver from metallurgical studies. In Sunstone's opinion all the elements included in the metal equivalents calculation have reasonable potential to be recovered and sold

•The El Palmar Copper-Gold Project where Sunstone holds 70% 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.



