

BENDIGO-OPHIR GOLD PROJECT – NEW ZEALAND



MULTI-MILLION OUNCE GOLD RESOURCE POTENTIAL WITH FREE GOLD IN OTAGO GOLDFIELDS

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- * "Acquisition of Bendigo-Ophir Gold Project, New Zealand" dated 14 September 2020
- "Gold Resources Increased 155% to 643Koz" dated 28 September 2021

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- "Bendigo-Ophir Gold Resources Increased 155% to 643k Oz" dated 28 September 2021
- "Further Wide Mineralised Drill Intercepts and Coarse Gold" dated 27 October 2021
- "High-Grade Gold Mineralisation Extended in Drillhole MDD014" dated 15 November 2021
- "Bonanza gold grades continue beyond new Rise & Shine Resources" dated 23 December 2021
- "Rise and Shine Gold Zones Extended as Drilling Accelerates" dated 27 January 2022
- "Significant Gold Continuity in Rise & Shine Extension Drilling" dated 8 February 2022

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ASX:SMI

SHARE PRICE (4 February 2022)	\$0.38
SHARES ON ISSUE	132,637,288
MARKET CAPITALISATION (UNDILUTED)	A\$50.4m
FULLY DILUTED SHARES (Inc. OPTIONS @ 0.20 – 0.30)	136,058,218
CASH	A\$5.5m (31 Dec '21)
EV PER RESOURCE OUNCE (based on Sep'21 MRE)	~A\$70/Ounce

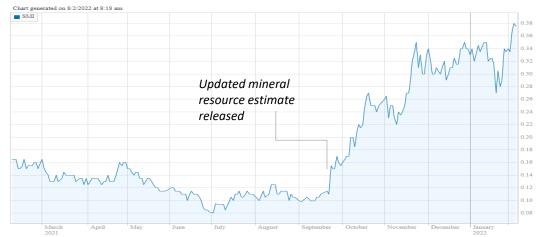
BOARD AND MANAGEMENT

CHAIRMAN	NORM SECKOLD
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	DICK KEEVERS
DIRECTOR & BENDIGO-OPHIR PROJECT MANAGER	KIM BUNTING
NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	WARREN BATT
NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	TONY MCDONALD
CORPORATE SECRETARY & CFO	CRAIG MCPHERSON

OVERVIEW

- SANTANA MINERALS IS A PRECIOUS METAL EXPLORER, FOCUSING ON THE BENDIGO-OPHIR PROJECT IN NEW ZEALAND
- SINCE ACQUIRING THE PROJECT IN 2020, GOLD RESOURCES WERE INCREASED 155% TO 643,000 OUNCES IN 2021
- SUBSTANTIAL EXTENSION AWAITING NEW JORC UPGRADE
- LOW EXPLORATION COST OF A\$5.82 PER OUNCE ADDED
- SMI IS TARGETING A MULTI-MILLION OUNCE RESOURCE IN 2022

SHARE PRICE PERFORMANCE



BENDIGO-OPHIR GOLD PROJECT OVERVIEW

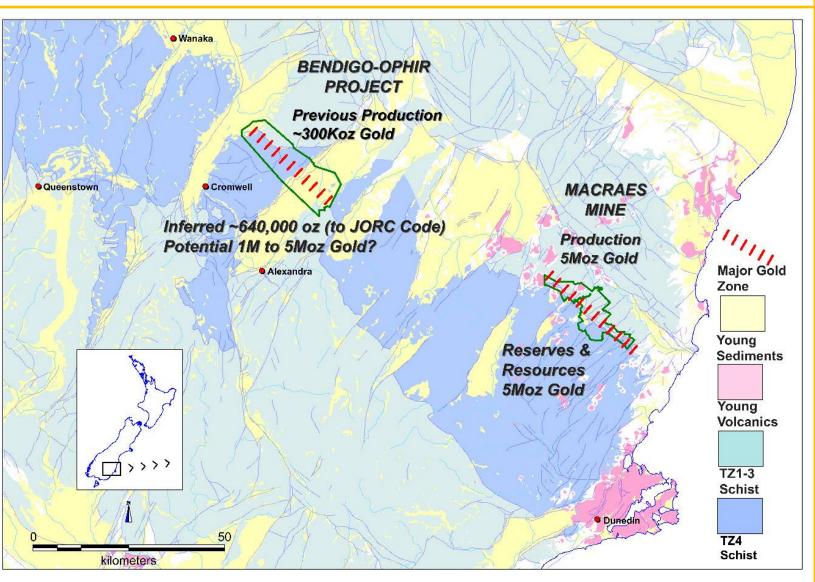


OBJECTIVE & OPPORTUNITY

- TO IDENTIFY A MULTI-MILLION OUNCE GOLD RESOURCE
- MULTIPLE DEPOSITS & PROSPECTS OVER 30
 KILOMETRE LINE OF STRIKE

OVERVIEW

- ~90km NW OF WORLD-CLASS MACRAES PROJECT IN OTAGO NEW ZEALAND
- 100% OWNERSHIP ACQUIRED IN OCTOBER
 2020
- PROJECT AREA EXPLORATION PERMIT 60311 COVERS 252km²
- 2021 MINERAL RESOURCE TO BE UPGRADED Q2 2022 FROM SIGNIFICANT NORTHERN EXTENSION DRILLING
- HIGH HISTORICAL GOLD ENDOWMENT IN PROJECT AREA INCLUDING 180,000 oz BENDIGO REEFS AREA PRODUCTION AT GOLD AT GRADES OF 1 TO 6 oz PER TON PRE-1900

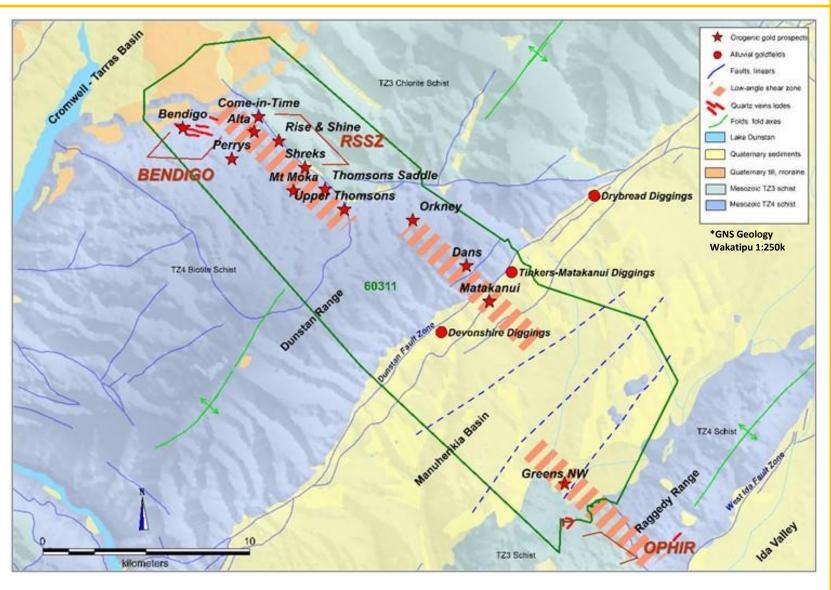


KEY OUTCOMES OF THE 2021 EXPLORATION PROGRAM TO DATE



ACHIEVEMENTS

- OUR UNDERSTANDING OF THE PROJECT IS RAPIDLY EVOLVING PARTICULARLY WITH HIGHER GRADES AND "FREE GOLD" BEING IDENTIFIED
- ~OVER 10,000 METRES OF RC AND DIAMOND DRILLING COMPLETED SINCE NOVEMBER 2020
- 155% GLOBAL GOLD RESOURCE INCREASE TO GROW FURTHER WITH FOLLOW-ON DRILL RESULTS
- GOLD GRADES INCREASED 25% WITH FURTHER
 UPSIDE EVIDENT FROM RECENT DRILL ASSAYS
- RECOGNITION OF HIGHER-GRADE ZONES WITHIN NORTHERLY DOWN-PLUNGE STRUCTURES
- FOUR INITIAL RISE & SHINE SHEAR ZONE (RSSZ) DEPOSITS DELINEATED OVER 4 KM STRIKE LENGTH
- RSSZ EXTENSIONS IDENTIFIED IN PROSPECTS ALONG 30 KM STRIKE
- HIDDEN POTENTIAL DELINEATED IN THE SOUTH-EAST STRADDLED BY RICH ALLUVIAL GOLDFIELDS



NORTHERLY DOWN-PLUNGE MINERALISATION MODEL THE KEY



STRUCTURES & MINERALISATION

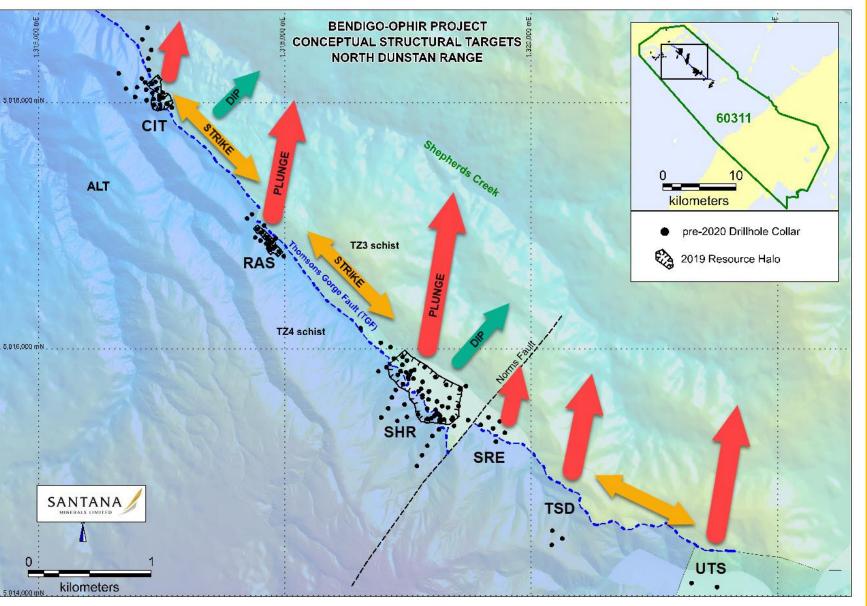
- POTENTIAL MINERALISATION MASKED BETWEEN OUTCROP & HISTORICAL WORK SITES
- NORTHERLY DOWN-PLUNGE
 STRUCTURES WERE THE FOCUS OF
 SUCCESSFUL DRILLING IN 2020, 2021
 AND NOW CONTINUING IN 2022
- EXTENSIONS REMAIN UNTESTED ALONG STRIKE AND DOWN DIP

EXISTING DEPOSITS

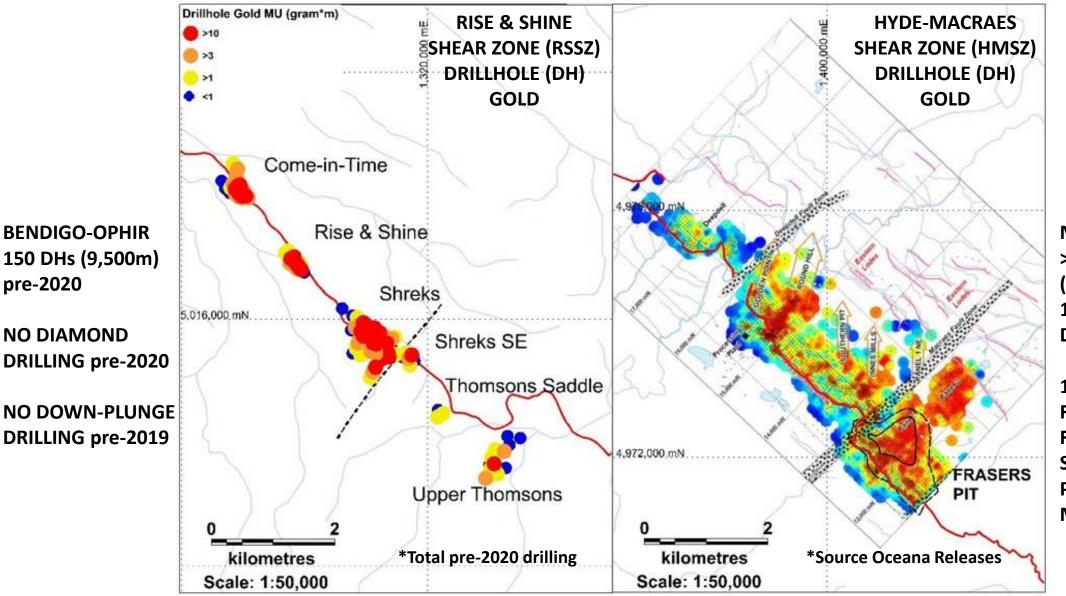
- COME IN TIME (CIT)
- RISE & SHINE (RAS)
- SHREKS (SHR)
- SHREKS-EAST (SRE)

BEYOND EXISTING DEPOSITS

DRILL READY TARGETS WITH IDENTICAL STRUCTURES



BENDIGO-OPHIR RSSZ TARGETS UNDER-EXPLORED vs MACRAES



MACRAES >2,300 DHs (>152,000m) pre-1990 MINE DEVELOPMENT

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1990 ROUND HILL FOCUS SHIFTED TO FRASERS WHERE STRONG DOWN-PLUNGE CORRIDOR MINED (FRUG)



- DOWN-PLUNGE DRILLING HAS RESULTED IN A 155% INCREASE IN GLOBAL RESOURCE AND 25% INCREASE IN GRADE OVER 2019 MRE
- SIGNIFICANT POTENTIAL EXISTS TO INCREASE BOTH RESOURCES AND AVERAGE GRADES WITH FURTHER DRILLING
- THIS MRE IS A SNAPSHOT OF THE SITUATION IN SEPTEMBER 2021.
 SINCE THAT TIME NEW DRILLING HAS CONCENTRATED ON THE DOWN PLUNGE EXTENSION OF THE RAS STRUCTURE FOR AN ADDITIONAL 420 METRES NORTH TOTALLING 1,000 METRES FROM OUTCROP (AS AT JANUARY 2022)

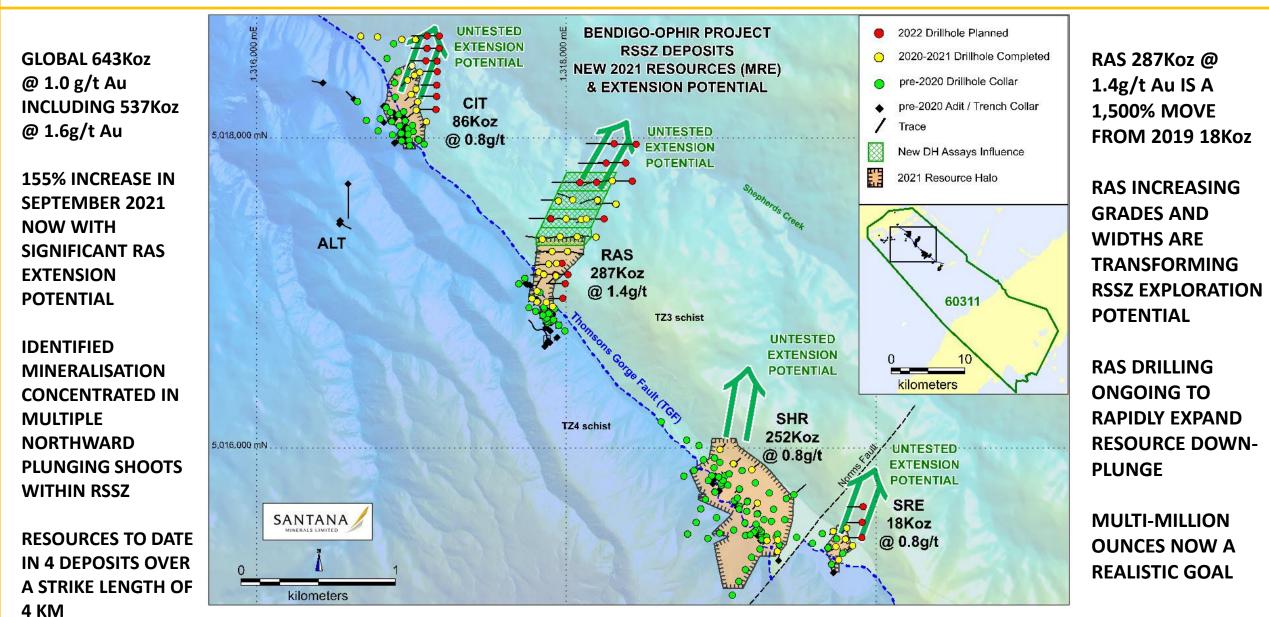
		Cut-off		Au_ppm	Au_ppm	Contained Oz Au	
Deposit	Class	Au g/t	Tonnes	Uncut	Cut	Uncut	Cut
CIT	inferred	0.25	3,227,000	0.8	0.8	86,000	82,000
RAS			6,276,000	1.4	1.4	287,000	283,000
SHR			9,662,000	0.8	0.7	252,000	228,000
SRE			679,000	0.8	0.7	18,000	15,000
GRAND TOTAL	inferred	0.25	19,844,000	1.0	0.9	643,000	608,000
CIT	inferred	0.50	1,217,000	1.6	1.5	64,000	60,000
RAS			4,203,000	2.0	1.9	264,000	260,000
SHR			4,741,000	1.3	1.1	195,000	173,000
SRE			268,000	1.6	1.3	14,000	11,000
GRAND TOTAL	inferred	0.50	10,429,000	1.6	1.5	537,000	504,000

* Figures rounded for reporting

87% Sulphide, 5% Transitional and 8% Oxide Mineralisation

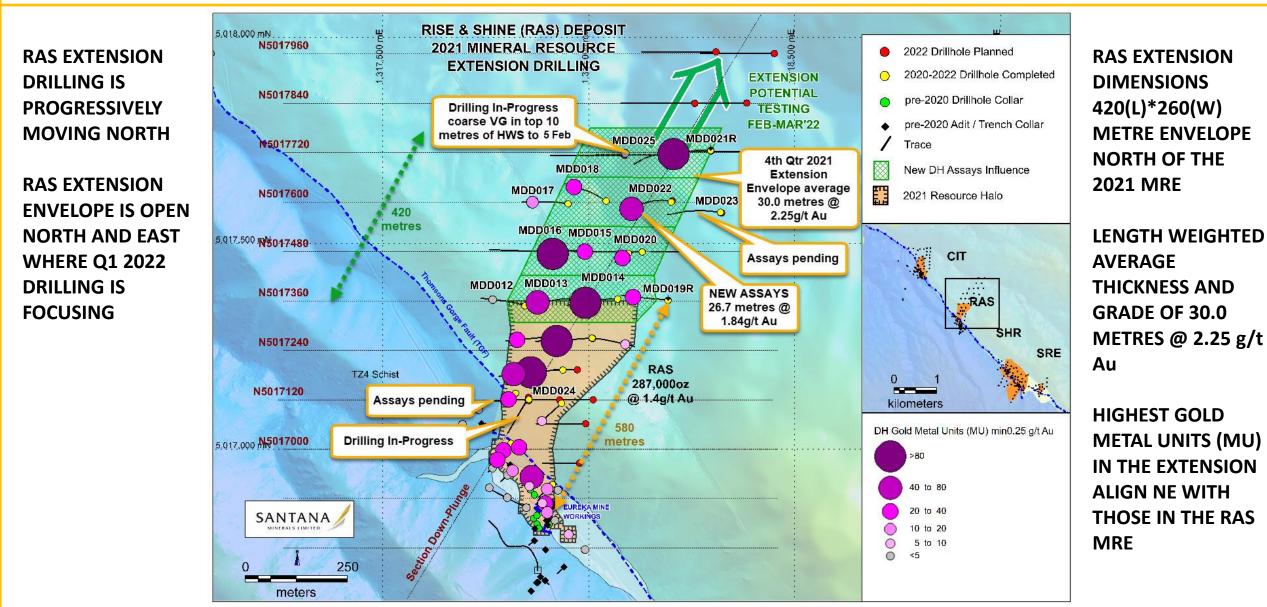
NEW 2021 GOLD RESOURCES - RAPIDLY EXPANDING NORTH





NEW Q4 2021 RAS EXTENSION EXTENDS 420 METRES TO THE NORTH





RAS DEPOSIT – RESOURCE GRADES INCREASE DOWN-PLUNGE

B80mRL **RISE & SHINE (RAS) DEPOSIT MDD026** SHOOT AXIS SECTION drilling in 800mRL progress **RESOURCE HALOS / GEOLOGY** RSSZ DRILLHOLES / GOLD DISTRIBUTION 1,000 METRES MINERALISATION UP **DOWN-PLUNGE** (view WNW +/-120m) **TO 100 METRES FROM THE 2021** ----THICK AND DIPPING **RESOURCE HALO** 640 **MODERATELY NE HAVE STRONG** /** h * * * * THICK GOLD di 560mRL MDD023R MDD025R STRONG MINERALISATION redrill in assays pending progress **CONTINUITY OF** IN THE HANGING 480mRL SHEAR-CONTROLLED WALL SHEAR 2021 RAS MRE **MDD014** 4th Qtr 2021 287Koz @ aggregate MINERALISATION IN (HWS) OF THE (11 DHs) 400mRL 1.4g/t Au 50.7m @ average 30.0 3.10g/t Au **RSSZ UPPER ZONE UPPER RSSZ** metres @ 2.25 g/t Au min 0.25g/t Au Halo NEW ASSAYS MDD020 OPEN **EXTENSIVE QUARTZ** 42.0m @ BONANZA min 0.50g/t Au MDD021R 0.80g/t Au 2021 Grade Halo **VEIN STOCKWORK MDD022 GRADES TO 57.5** min 0.25g/t Au 2021 Grade Halo NEW traces of MDD017/MDD018-MDD022 g/t GOLD HAVE DEVELOPMENT planned RESULTS MDD021R MDD016 MDD015 MDD020 holes 26.7m @ SUMMARY GEOLOGY 42.6m @ BELOW **ALSO BEEN** 1.84g/t Au 2.30g/t Au MDD012 MDD013 MDD014 MDD019R TZ3 Chlorite **INTERSECTED** Schist MICRO-CONTROLS TGF Cataclasite Fault Zone WITHIN SHOOT YET RSSZ Mineralisation **TO BE DETERMINED** 200 0 100 TZ4 Biotite 100 Schist meters meters

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NORTH DOWN-PLUNGE

RAS New E	ctension DH	Intercept	s - Section	ı Summary (r	min 0.25g/t /	Au, 4mid)	
Section	Hole ID	From (m)	Length (m)	Grade (g/t)	Section Envelope width (m)	Total Down Plunge influence (m)	Average Thickness (m)
N5017720	MDD021R	269.4	42.6	2.30			
N5017720	Average	269.4	42.6	2.30	145	120	42.6
N5017600	MDD018	190.5	9.6	2.26			
N5017600	MDD022	262.3	26.7	1.84			
N5017600	Average	226.4	18.2	1.95	245	120	18.2
N5017480	MDD016	192.0	21.9	7.42			
N5017480	MDD015	195.4	34.6	1.07			
N5017480	MDD020	183.0	42.0	0.80			
N5017480	Average	190.1	32.8	2.37	275	120	32.8
N5017360	MDD013	152.3	42.7	1.77			
N5017360	MDD014	174.3	50.7	3.10			
N5017360	MDD019R	187.0	25.7	1.29			
N5017360	Average	171.2	39.7	2.23	370	60	39.7
MDD012-MDD022 Statistics			2.25	260	420	30.0	

NEW EXTENSION REMAINS OPEN NORTH AND EAST

420(L)*260(W) METRE EXTENSION AVERAGES 30.0 METRES IN THICKNESS @ 2.25 g/t Au (THIS LENGTH WEIGHTED AVERAGE GRADE IS HIGHER THAN THE 2021 RAS MRE @1.40 g/t)

9 OF 11 DRILLHOLES ON NOMINAL 120*80 METRE CENTRES INTERSECTED SIGNIFICANT GRADE

*includes aggregate intervals and grades. Composite assays use 0.25g/t Au cut-off

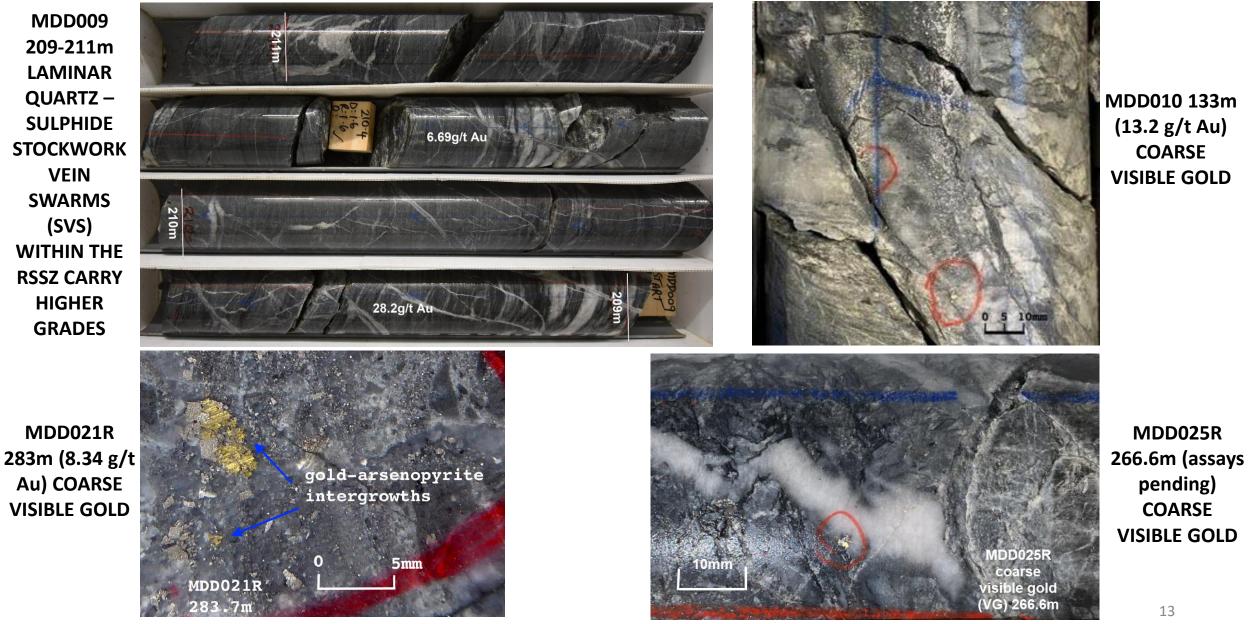
DRILLED SHOOT AXIS LENGTH IS 420 METRES NORTH BEYOND THE 580 METRE DOWN-PLUNGE LENGTH OF THE 2021 RAS MRE

RAS QUARTZ-SULPHIDE STOCKWORK WITH VISIBLE GOLD (VG) PREVALENT



MDD009 209-211m LAMINAR QUARTZ -**SULPHIDE STOCKWORK** VEIN **SWARMS** (SVS) WITHIN THE **RSSZ CARRY** HIGHER GRADES

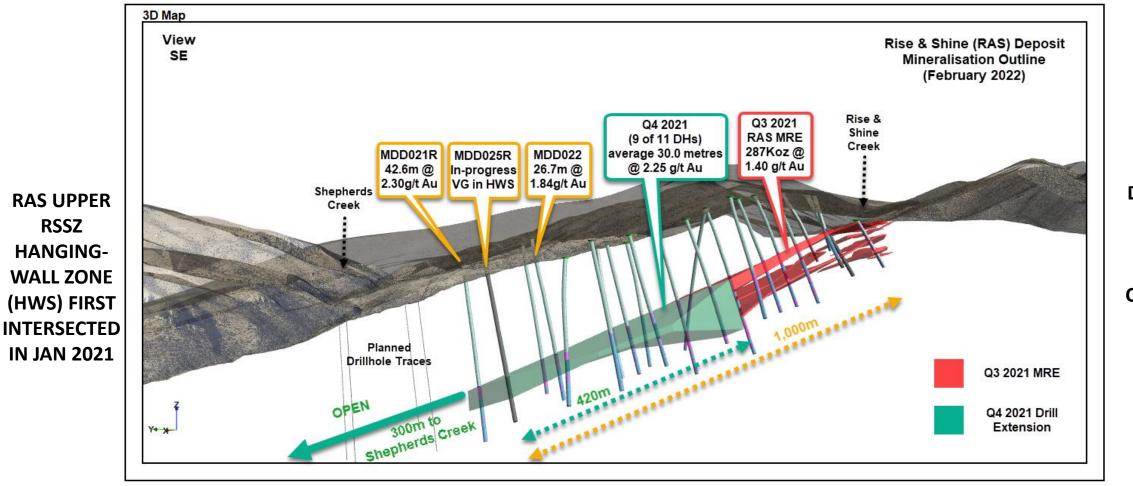
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COARSE

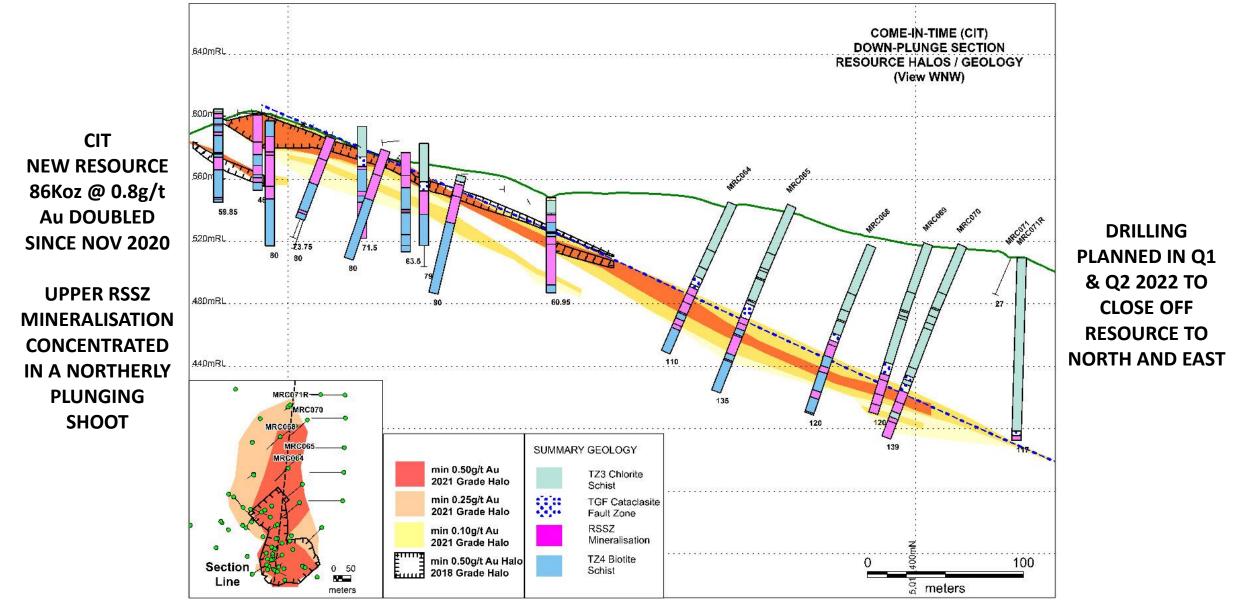




DRILLING IN PROGRESS EXTENDS RSSZ CONTINUITY DOWN-PLUNGE

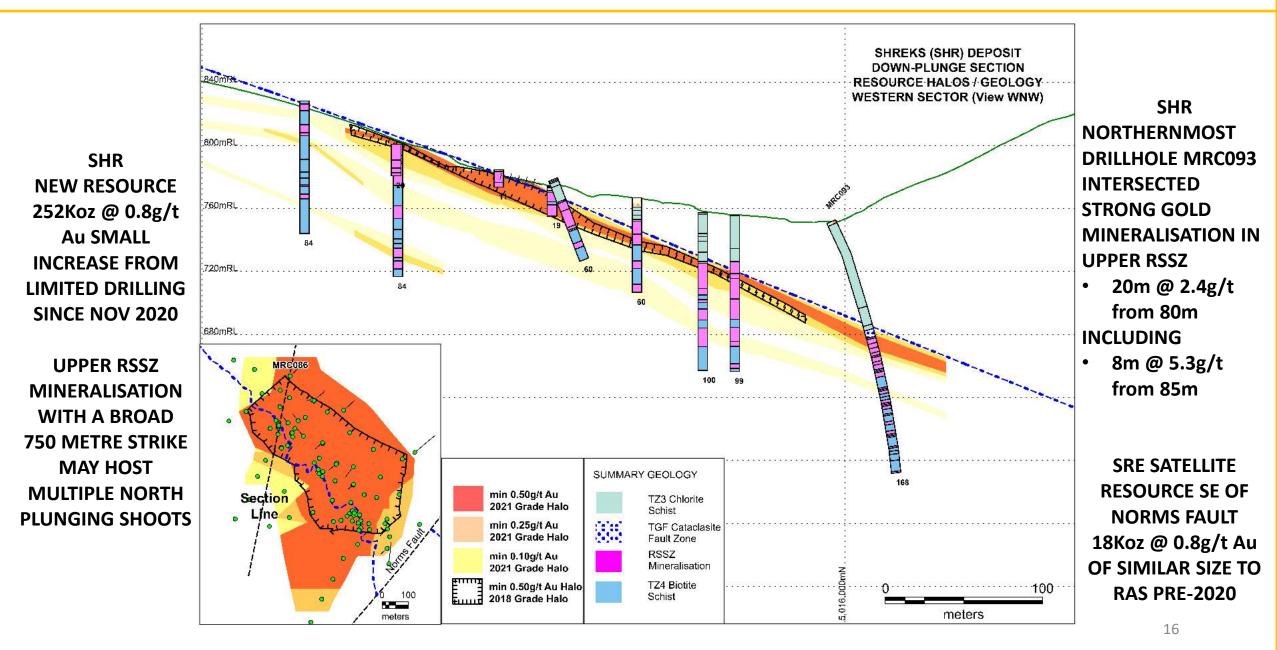
CIT DEPOSIT – OPEN EAST & DOWN PLUNGE





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SHR DEPOSIT – OPEN NORTH WITH MULTIPLE SHOOTS POSSIBLE



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REGULATORY ENVIRONMENT - A CLEAR PATHWAY TO MINING



LAND ACCESS

- COMPREHENSIVE MINING ACCESS CONTRACTS WITH ALL CRITICAL FREEHOLD LANDOWNERS
- NO HIGH VALUE SECTION 4 CONSERVATION LAND

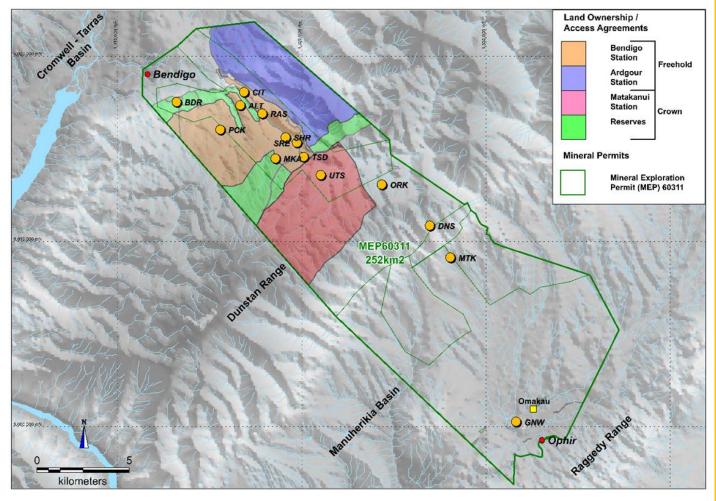
MINERALS PERMITS (CMA 1991)

- CLEAR PATH FROM EXPLORATION TO MINING PERMIT
- CONSTRUCTIVE WORKING RELATIONSHIP WITH CENTRAL GOVERNMENT CROWN MINING REGULATOR
- SANTANA COMPLIANT WITH ALL PERMIT CONDITIONS

RESOURCE CONSENTS (RMA 1991)

- REGIONAL COUNCIL CONSENTS IN PLACE FOR EXPLORATION EXCAVATIONS & DRILLING
- REGULATORS HAVE A HISTORY OF CONSENTING LARGE GOLD MINES IN OTAGO (45Mtpa MACRAES OPERATION) AND WAIHI (WITHIN TOWN BOUNDARIES)





NZ LEGISLATIVE, LEGAL AND ESG JURISDICTION HIGHLY REGARDED



METALURGICAL UNDERSTANDING AND OUTCOMES ARE ALSO IMPROVING

INDICATIVE GOLD RECOVERIES OF 60 TO 77% WITH

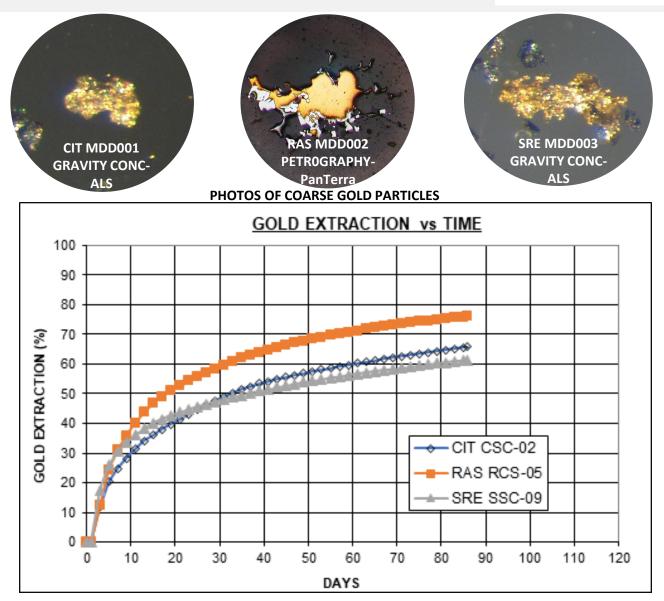
- 82 TO 89% FREE MILLING
- 7 TO 13% RETAINED IN SULPHIDES
- 4 TO 5% RETAINED IN SILICATES
- LEACHING CONTINUING IN ALL TESTS

SRE 1.00g/t Au FROM 1.68g/t Au HEAD (60% EXTRACTION) CIT 0.65g/t Au FROM 0.99g/t Au HEAD (66% EXTRACTION) RAS 0.51g/t Au FROM 0.66g/t Au HEAD (77% EXTRACTION)

COARSE FREE GOLD TO 400 MICRONS IN METALLURGICAL GRAVITY CONCENTRATES

PROCESSING OPTIONS INCLUDE HEAP LEACH, GRAVITY & CIL / CIP

GEOMETALLURGICAL EVALUATIONS ONGOING





2021

- CONTINUED DRILL FOCUS ON RAS WITH DOUBLING OF DRILL RATE IN Q 4
- FAST TRACKED 500 METRE DOWN-PLUNGE EXTENSIONS OF RAS
- INCREASED INFERRED RESOURCE POTENTIAL TO MINIMUM
 1 MILLION OUNCES BY YEAR END

2022

- 10-20,000 METRES OF DRILLING
- YEAR END GOAL A MULTI-MILLION OUNCE RESOURCE AND A LIFT OF EXISTING RESOURCES TO AT LEAST INDICATED STATUS
- COMMENCE TESTING OF HIGH PRIORITY EXPLORATION TARGETS OUTSIDE KNOWN DEPOSITS
- ADVANCE METALLURGICAL STUDIES
- COMMENCEMENT OF PRE-FEASIBILITY STUDIES
- INCREASED ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT







- GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY IN OTAGO GOLDFIELDS HOST TO THE WORLD CLASS MACRAES DEPOSIT
- HIGH HISTORICAL GOLD ENDOWMENT IN PROJECT AREA INCLUDING THE 180,000 oz BENDIGO REEFS DEPOSIT WHICH PRODUCED GOLD AT GRADES OF 1 TO 6 oz PER TON IN THE LATE 19TH CENTURY
- STRONG RESOURCE BASE TO BUILD ON AND HIGH REGIONAL EXPLORATION POTENTIAL
- CAPABLE OF MACRAES TYPE GROWTH WHERE A SINGLE DEPOSIT 1Moz RESOURCE BECAME 10Moz IN
 MULTIPLE DEPOSITS (5Moz PRODUCTION & 5Moz RESOURCES)
- EXPERIENCED MANAGEMENT AND BOARD WITH SUCCESS RECORD AND STRONG IN-COUNTRY EXPERTISE
- SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF Q4 2020 TO Q4 2021 PROGRAMMES FOR A LARGE INCREASE IN GOLD RESOURCES, AND IDENTIFIED A SIGNIFICANT FREE GOLD COMPONENT

THANK YOU



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