# LACHLAN STAR

## GOLD AND COPPER DISCOVERY IN AUSTRALIA'S WORLD-CLASS MINING DISTRICTS

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## **Corporate Overview**

### **CAPITAL STRUCTURE**

Share Price (07/02/25)	\$0.055
Shares	252,573,195
Options	6,000,000
Market Capitalisation	\$13.89M
Cash (31/12/24)	\$3.5M

### **MAJOR SHAREHOLDERS**

Top 20 Holders	55.37%
DevEx Resources Ltd	29.96%
Directors	5.10%
Tim Goyder	6.15%

### MANAGEMENT

### Andrew Tyrrell Chief Executive Officer

Geologist with 24+ years experience in the minerals industry with a primary focus on gold and exploration. Experience spans several international jurisdictions including senior management at AngloGold Ashanti and Gold Road Resources.

### Alan Hawkins

### **Exploration Manager**

Geologist for 29+ years in the minerals industry with a primary focus on gold and copper exploration and exploration business development in the Asia Pacific Region. Principal and management positions at Newmont and Evolution Mining.

### **Russell Hardwick**

### **Company Secretary**

Member of the Australian Institute of Company Directors and a Chartered Secretary. Extensive experience in corporate secretarial, capital raising and commercial management. Has held the positions of Director or Company Secretary for both AIM listed and ASX listed companies as well as Senior Executive positions within private companies.

### **BOARD**

### **Gary Steinepreis**

### Non-Executive Chairman

Chartered Accountant with 30+ years experience with ASX-listing rules, corporate governance and equity capital raisings. Has held Non-Executive Director roles with several other ASX-listed companies.

### **Brendan Bradley**

### **Non-Executive Director**

Geologist for 25+ years with extensive experience in exploration and development of epithermal gold deposits. Highly experienced in intrusive related nickel-copper-PGE deposits. Currently Technical Director at DevEx Resources Ltd and has held senior management roles at Perilya Ltd, Dominion Mining Ltd and Kingsgate Consolidated Ltd.

### Stacey Apostolou

### **Non-Executive Director**

Finance Executive with 30+ years experience in the mining and exploration industry. Currently General Manager Corporate at DevEx Resources Ltd and Non-Executive Director at Minerals 260 Ltd.

## Investment Highlights

### Unlocking Value through Gold and Copper Discovery



**Emerging Discovery:** High-grade copper sulphide mineralisation confirmed at Basin Creek, NSW



**Scale Potential:** Basin Creek mineral system footprint with over 1km of untested strike



**Strategically Positioned:** A first-class mineral exploration portfolio, in premier mining districts

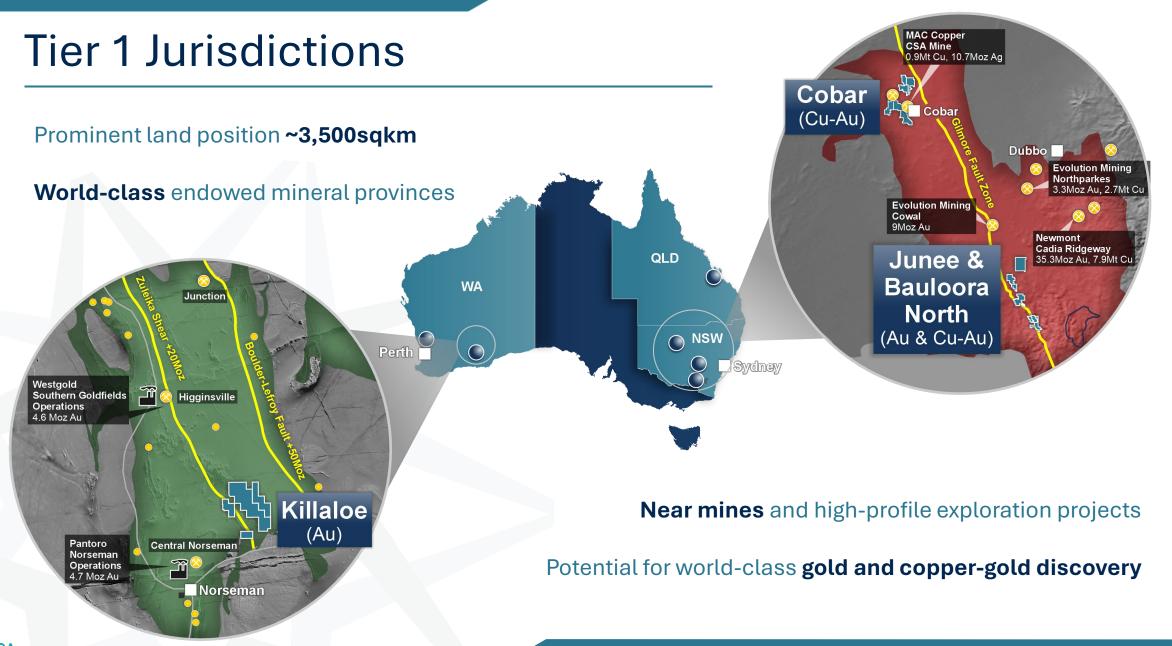


**Capital Allocation and Efficiency:** Disciplined capital management and a boots-on-ground focus



3.5m @ 6.6% Cu from 192.2m in BCD0005 - January 2025

Semi-massive chalcopyrite (copper sulphide)



## Junee Project Basin Creek Prospect

New South Wales, 100%



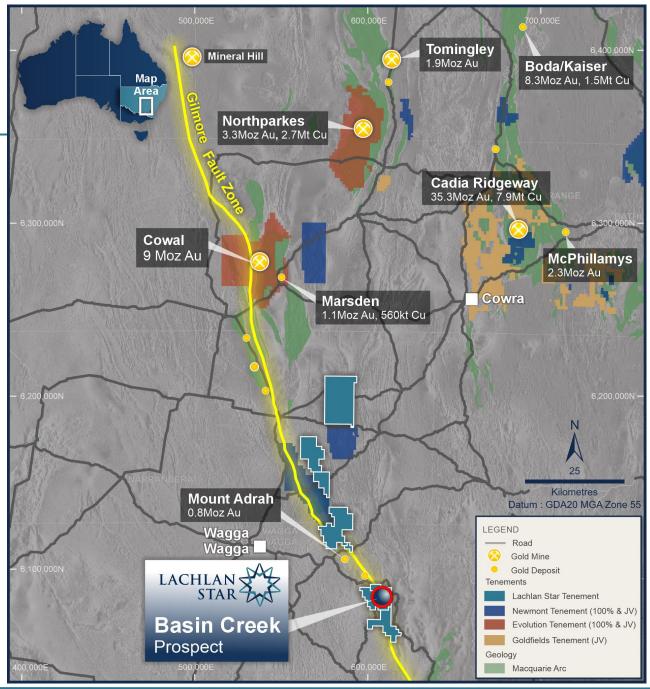
## Macquarie Arc

### Australia's Gold and Copper Heartland

- 110Moz gold and 19Mt copper endowment<sup>1,2</sup>
- Major hub of M&A / Exploration activity<sup>3</sup>
  - Newmont 100% acquisition of Newcrest,
  - Evolution 80% acquisition of Northparkes,
  - Majors in Exploration partnerships (Newmont, AngloGold Ashanti, Gold Fields, FMG etc.)
- Significant potential for gold and copper discovery

### **Basin Creek - Emerging Copper Opportunity**

- On the Gilmore Fault metal-rich structural corridor
- Structurally controlled **copper sulphide-rich system** analogous to CSA Mine / Tritton
- Large footprint and **mineral system scale potential**

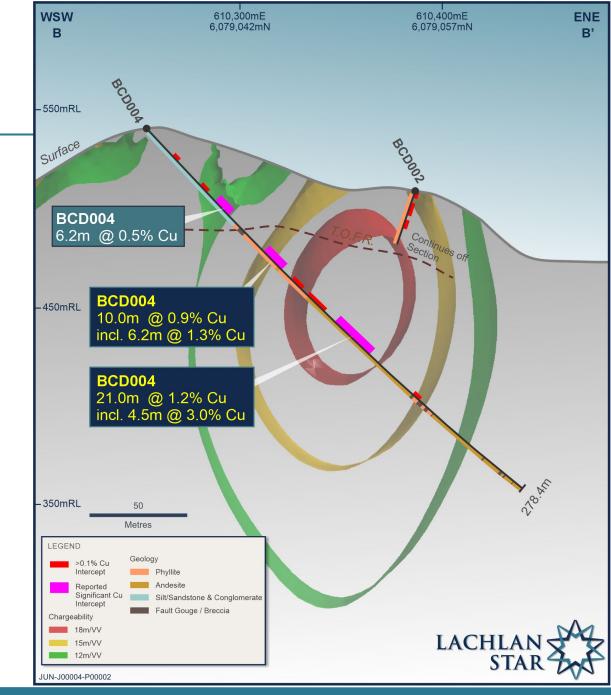


<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Current Resource and Past Production – Future of Minerals in NSW Report, March 2020. NSW, Dept. of Planning, Industry and Environment <sup>2</sup> Note, Mineral Resources presented in figure are sourced from the relevant Company public domain reports, <sup>3</sup> Refer to Appendix for details **7** 

## **Basin Creek Prospect**

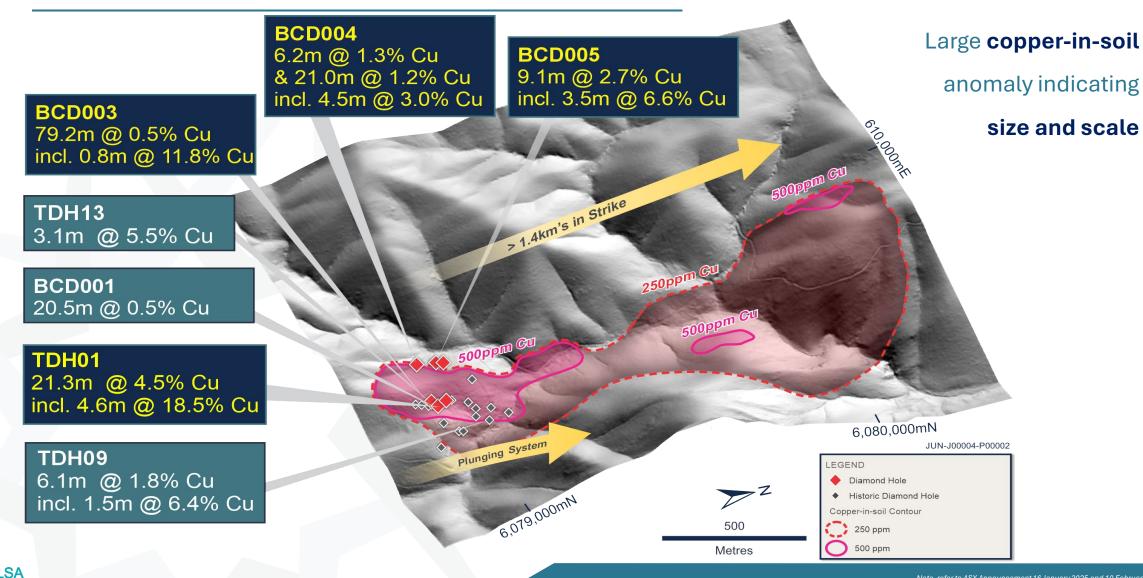
### **Emerging High-Grade Copper Opportunity**

- Priority drill target defined through high-grade copper intersections in historic drilling<sup>1</sup> including
  - 21.3m @ 4.5% Cu, incl. 9.2m @ 1.2% Cu and 4.6m
    @ 18.5% Cu (TDH01)
- 6-hole (1,252m) maiden diamond program completed
- All holes intersected copper mineralisation including high-grade intercepts<sup>1</sup>
  - 79.2m @ 0.5% Cu, incl. 0.8m @ 11.8% Cu (BCD003)
  - 21.0m @ 1.2% Cu, incl. 4.5m @ 3.0% Cu (BCD004)
  - 9.1m @ 2.7% Cu, incl. 3.5m @ 6.6% Cu (BCD0005)
- Copper sulphides strongly correlate with IP chargeability<sup>1</sup>



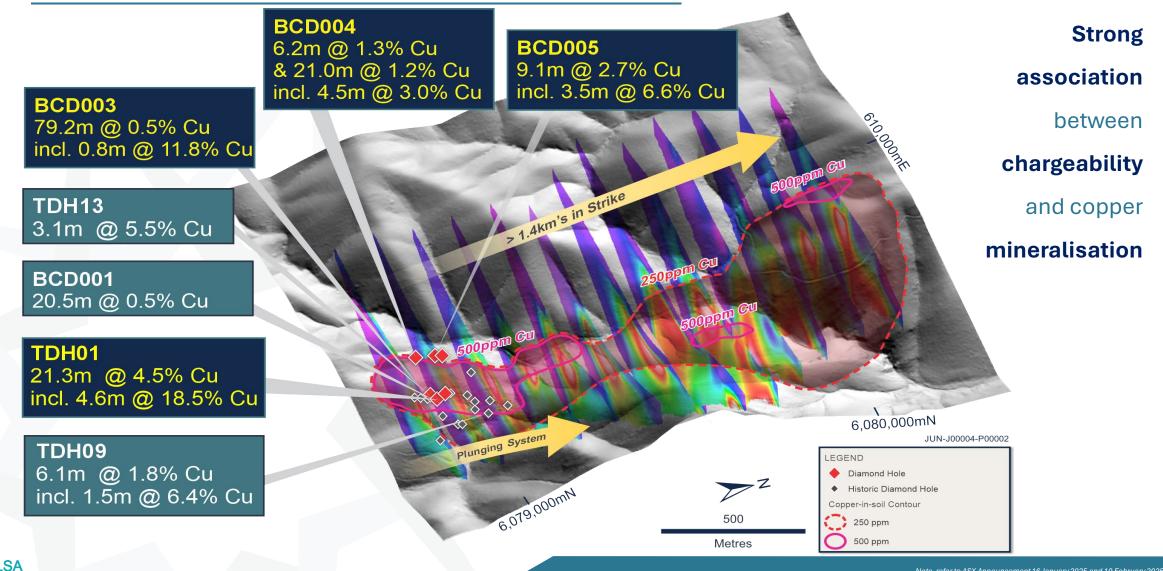


## Mineral System Scale Potential



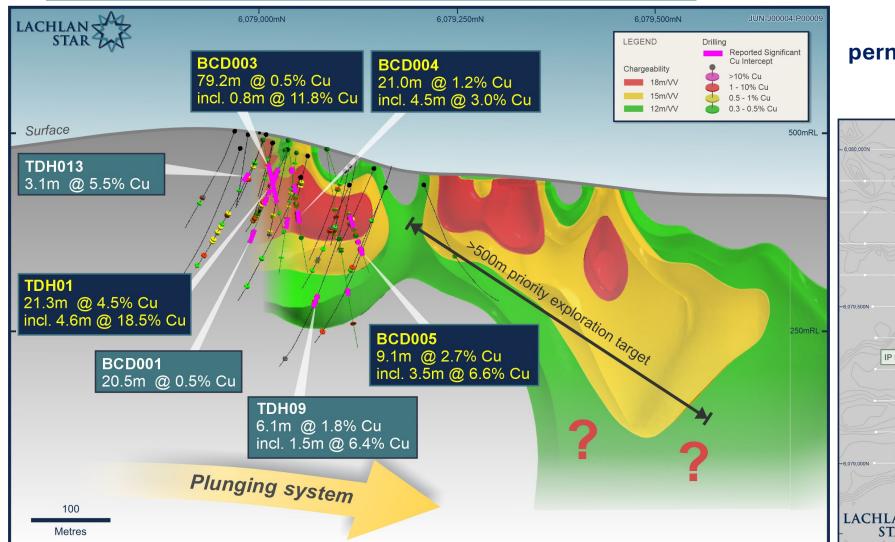


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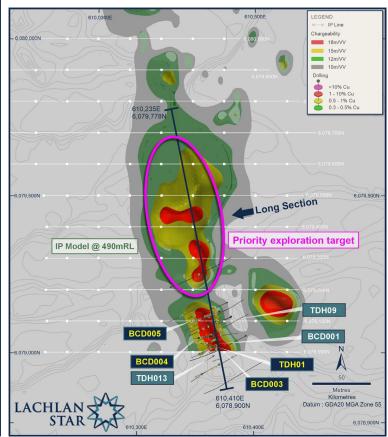
## System with Scale Potential



### Compelling drill target,

### permitting underway for planned

### step-out drilling



## North Cobar Project

New South Wales, 100%



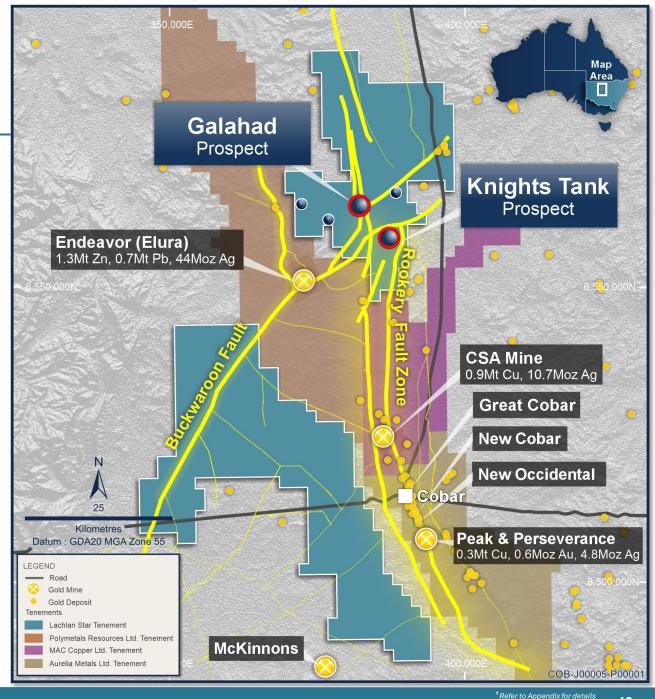
## World Class Mineral Field

### **Cobar Mining District - Rich +150yr History Of Mining**

- Highly ranked jurisdiction, endowed in quality coppergold (+ lead-zinc-silver) systems
- Renewed interest in region's mineral potential with recent significant discovery and mine development<sup>1</sup>
- Basin architecture key to controls on ore deposition

### **Cobar Projects - Underexplored Opportunity**

- Commanding ~1,600sqkm land position
- Overlies major structures and fault intersections
- Available search space suitable for major discovery
- Coincident magnetic-gravity-geochem targets identified
- 16-line km IP survey in progress to define drill targets



## **Killaloe Project**

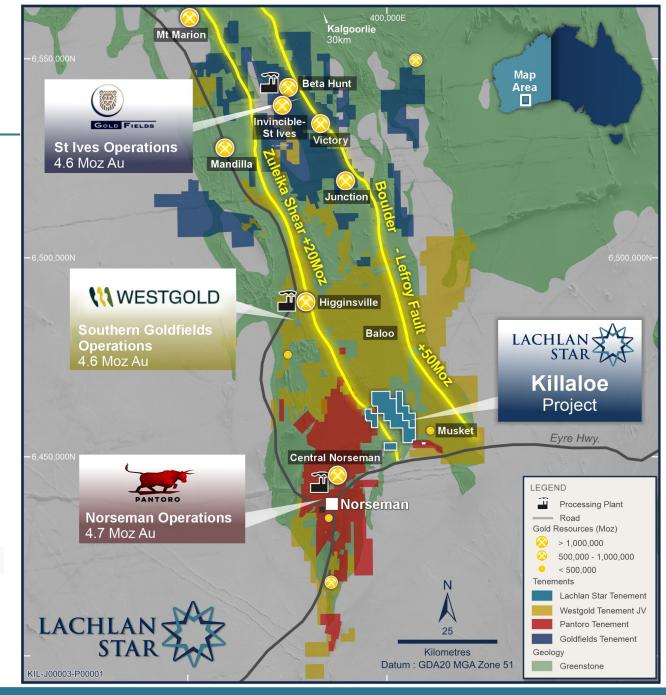
Western Australia, 80-100%



## **Killaloe Project**

### **Untested Gold Potential**

- Overlies **favourable litho-structural domain** and southern extension to Zuleika Shear
- Modern discoveries (e.g. Baloo, Musket)
   highlight prospective gold corridor
- Late-stage porphyry and demagnetised zones indicate feeder structures
- **Multiple** undrilled **gold-in-soil anomalies** identified, and **historic gold drill intercepts**
- Limited drilling and no modern systematic exploration
- Field mapping / drill planning in progress





### **Investment Case**

### VALUE PROPOSITION : MULTIPLE DRILL-READY TARGETS LEVERAGED FOR EXPLORATION SUCCESS



**Basin Creek Copper** - broad copper system with scale potential, near term step out drilling to scope full 1.4km target corridor and coincident Cu-in-soil and IP chargeable anomalies



**High-Impact Portfolio** - compelling gold and copper exploration portfolio and commanding land positions within demonstrated world-class terranes



**News Flow Catalysts** - near-term, active on-ground exploration across the exploration portfolio with focus on discovery through the drill bit- **Basin Creek (Cu), North Cobar (Cu) and Killaloe (Au)** 



**Mineral Systems-based Discovery** - best-practice exploration with a focus on cost effective boots-on-ground exploration that deliver results

...pursuing value creation through economic mineral discovery

### **CONTACT DETAILS**

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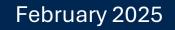
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## Appendix

### M&A, Partnership and Exploration Activity References

5 April 2023 - Newmont and Legacy Minerals enter Farm-in and Joint Venture Agreement at the Bauloora Epithermal Gold Project - ASX Announcement (https://legacyminerals.com.au/)
14 May 2023 - Newmont Enters into Definitive Agreement to Acquire Newcrest (https://www.newmont.com/)
14 June 2023 - Inflection Resources and AngloGold Ashanti Sign Definitive Exploration Agreement Across Portfolio of Copper-Gold Projects in Australia (https://inflectionresources.com/)
16 June 2023 - Metals Acquisition Limited Closes Purchase of the CSA Copper Mine (https://www.metalsacquisition.com/)
5 December 2023 - Acquisition of an 80% Interest in Northparkes copper-gold mine and A\$525 Million Equity Raising (https://evolutionmining.com.au/)
8 March 2024 - Fortescue to farm-in to the Myall Project and make cornerstone 19.9% investment into Magmatic Resources - ASX Announcement (https://magmaticresources.com/)
28 May 2024 - AngloGold Ashanti to earn-in to the NJNB Project (https://kincoracopper.com/)
1 August 2024 - Completion of Endeavor Mine Acquisition - ASX Announcement (https://polymetals.com/)
13 September 2024 - Majors, including Gold Fields, have pledged A\$300m to find the next gold giant in NSW's Lachlan Fold Belt – Stockhead Article (https://www.goldfields.com/)
16 January 2025 - Newmont commences drilling at Junee Cu-Au JV Project - ASX Announcement (https://koonenberrygold.com.au/)