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#### **Technical Information**

Dr. Quinton Hennigh (P.Geo.), Dr. Christopher Doyle (MAIG), Mr. Iain Groves (MAIG), and Mr. Alwin Van Roij (MAIG, MAusIMM) are the qualified persons, as defined in NI 43-101, who have reviewed, approved and verified the technical content of this presentation. Dr. Hennigh is the Company's Non-Executive Co-Chairman and a director. Dr. Doyle is the Company's Exploration Manager – Victoria & Project Generation. Mr. Groves is the Company's Exploration Manger – West Pilbara. Mr. Van Roij is the Company's Exploration Manager – East Pilbara. All technical information related to the Beatons Creek Project is based on the 2022 Beatons Creek Technical Report which is available under Novo's profile on SEDAR at www.sedar.com.



# **Acknowledgement of Country**

We acknowledge the Traditional Owners of the land upon which we operate; the Palyku, Nyamal, Kariyarra, Ngarluma, Yinhawangka, Yindjibarndi, Yaburara and Mardudhunera, Puutu Kunti Kurrama people, the Pinikura peoples, and the Dja Dja Wurrung people.

We recognize their unique cultural heritage, beliefs and connection to these lands, waters and communities.

We pay our respects to all members of these Indigenous communities, and to Elders past, present and emerging. We also recognize the importance of continued protection and preservation of cultural, spiritual and knowledge practices.

As we value treating all people with respect, we are committed to building successful and mutually beneficial relationships with the Traditional Owners throughout our area of operations.







# **Exceptional Gold Exploration Portfolio**

#### Potential of Becher Project key to growth - the next major Pilbara Gold Project

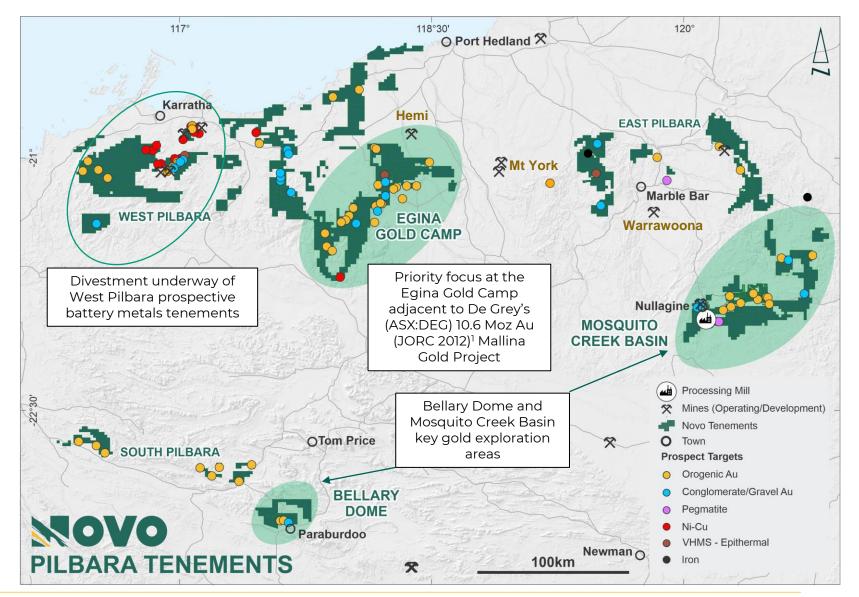
- Focused strategy to define standalone gold projects with > 1 Moz potential
- Dominant Pilbara gold exploration landholding ~10,500 sq km
- Egina Gold Camp most advanced exploration project and includes the Becher and Nunyerry North Projects
- Becher is located ~ 28 km WSW of De Grey's (ASX:DEG) 10.6 Moz Au (JORC 2012)<sup>1</sup> Mallina Gold Project
- ✓ Becher is the primary focus for 2023 drilling, due to exciting results to date and three standout gold targets identified from drilling
- Exploration planned in 2023 across additional key areas:
  - Bellary Dome
  - Belltopper Gold Project
  - Mosquito Creek Basin (MCB)
- Proven experienced exploration and technical team, with the credentials required to make discoveries and build out resources





### Dominant Pilbara Gold Exploration Landholding

- ~10,500 sq km of highly prospective ground provides Novo with a unique and exciting exploration opportunity
- Novo has completed an extensive amount of reconnaissance exploration and drilling across several initial targets, successfully identifying a pipeline of advanced targets, which will be drilled in 2023

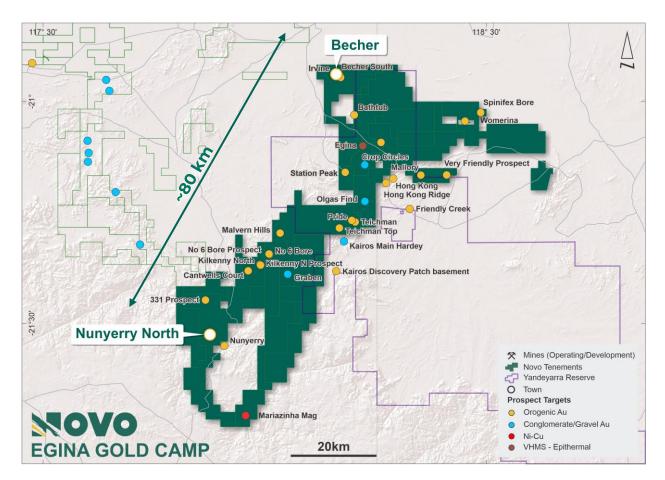


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# Egina - The Next Gold Camp in The Pilbara

- Key to significant shareholder value uplift exceptional discovery potential
- > 80 km strike trend along known goldfertile corridor between Becher and Nunyerry North
- Becher (100% Novo) most advanced and exciting prospect
  - Assay results from reconnaissance drill program highlight strong exploration potential
  - Recent lithogeochemical studies highlight several diorite intrusions commonly associated with gold deposits in the Mallina Basin
  - AC and RC drilling<sup>1</sup> to commence in Q2 2023
- Nunyerry North (Novo 70% / Creasy Group 30%) – previously untested significant gold prospect with high potential for success

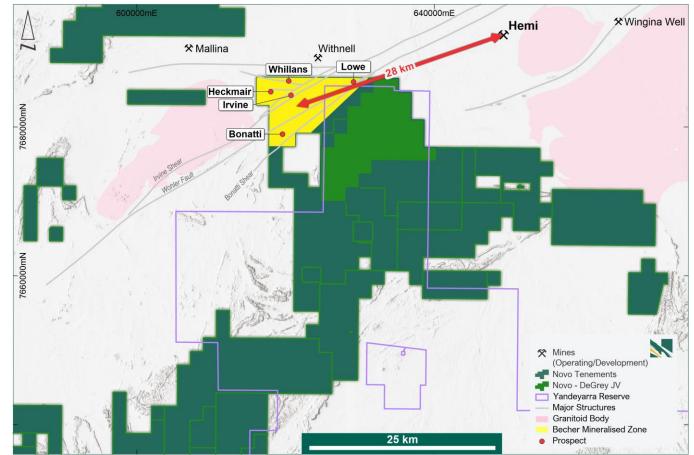


>80 kms strike length of the Egina Gold Camp tenure with associated priority prospects



## **Becher – Exploring for the Next Hemi Deposit**

- Located ~28 km WSW of De Grey's (ASX:DEG) 10.6 Moz Au (JORC 2012)<sup>1</sup> Mallina Gold Project
- Major ENE trending gold-fertile structural corridor, along the Wohler Fault and Irvine/Bonatti Shears
- ~32,000 m, 1,400-hole AC program completed across majority of priority target zones in late 2022
- Several new prospects identified for follow up with anomalous gold results
- Recognised pathfinder elements As, W and Sb proving effective for both targeting and defining mineralised structures
- Diorite intrusions recognized in all five main prospects



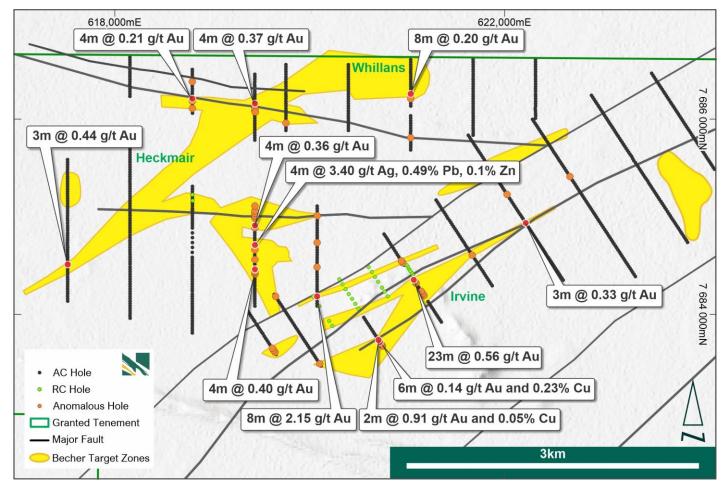
Becher Area location with associated priority prospects in proximity to De Grey's Hemi Deposit<sup>1</sup>

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### **Becher Exploration Uncovering New Gold Targets<sup>1</sup>**

- Excellent results generated best assay result of 8 m at 2.15 g/t Au
- Multiple targets identified using > 0.1 g/t Au threshold and associated pathfinder elements, visual logging of alteration and sulphide minerals
- Initial priority focus area
   ~ 20 sq km at Heckmair, Irvine and
   Whillans with > 20,000 m follow-up
   AC program drill ready for Q2 2023
- Remaining systematic AC drill program also drill ready
- RC drilling follow up as required

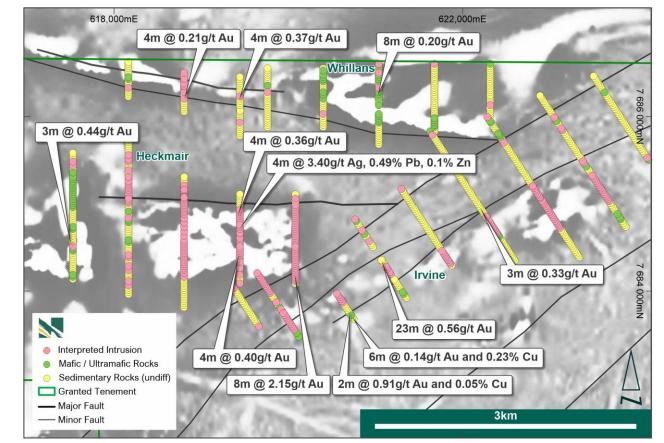


Becher targets defined by AC drilling completed to date with significant assay results, overlain on Shuttle Radar Topography Mission (SRTM)



#### Intrusion Related Targets Identified at Becher<sup>1</sup>

- Multielement geochemical analyses in endof-hole samples from the 2022 AC program have identified several hornblende diorite intrusions
- Chemically these intrusions belong to a magmatic suite known as 'sanukitoids', which are commonly associated with gold deposits in the Mallina Basin (e.g., Toweranna)
- The intrusions are also associated with anomalous levels of arsenic and tungsten, which are key pathfinder associations for gold deposits in this region
- Arsenic and tungsten are not confined to the intrusions and potentially also map mineralized shear zones that wrap around the 'sanukitoids' (e.g., Withnell)

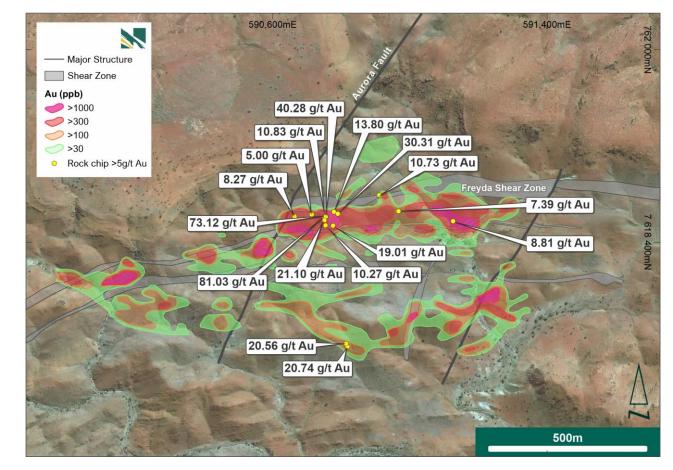


Rock types interpreted from bottom of hole multi-element assays in AC drilling overlain on 1VD aeromagnetic image



# Nunyerry North<sup>1</sup> – Captivating New Gold Project

- Exciting exploration target with significant gold project potential
- Grid soil sampling completed in 2022 extended a coherent high order > 300 ppb gold anomaly to over 1.4 km of strike
- Second 1.2 km long soil anomaly at > 30 ppb gold defined south of the main target
- Total of 18 soil samples returned grades
   > 1 g/t Au including 2.3 g/t Au, 2.13 g/t
   Au, 1.84 g/t Au and 1.59 g/t Au
- Rock chip results delivered peak highgrade results from quartz veins of 30.3 g/t Au, 21.1 g/t Au, 9 g/t Au, 8.81 g/t Au and 7.39 g/t Au
- Heritage surveys and logistics underway for road access in preparation for RC drilling in Q3 2023



Significant gold-in-soil assay contours overlain Sentinel imagery

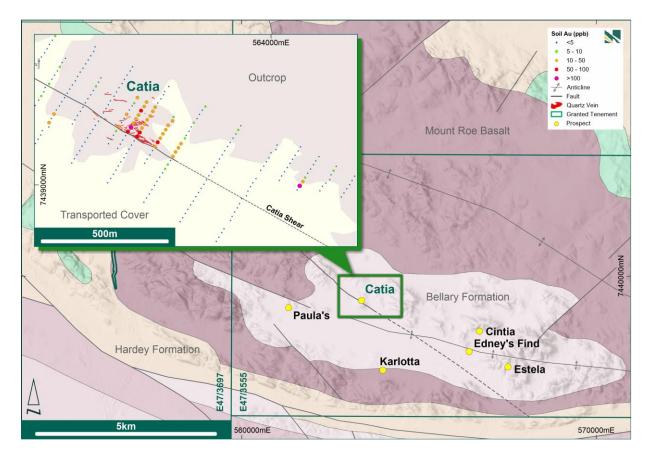


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## **Drilling Underway at Bellary Dome**

- Bellary Dome is located ~10 km NE of regional Pilbara town, Paraburdoo, and is accessed by a good roads and other infrastructure
- Catia Prospect is the primary target located on a major shear zone, with complex structure, extensive alteration and numerous mineralised vein sets mapped at surface
- High grade rock chip results included 556 ppm Au, 116 ppm Au, and 41 ppm Au<sup>1</sup>
- Soil sampling highlighted a coherent bullseye Au-Ag-Pb-Sb anomaly
- Mineralisation potentially extends to the east, where transported colluvium may be masking true extent of gold system
- Numerous exploration prospects identified
- RC drilling commenced mid March 2023<sup>2</sup>

Note: Novo holds an option to purchase gold rights at Bellary Dome from Bellary Dome Pty Ltd

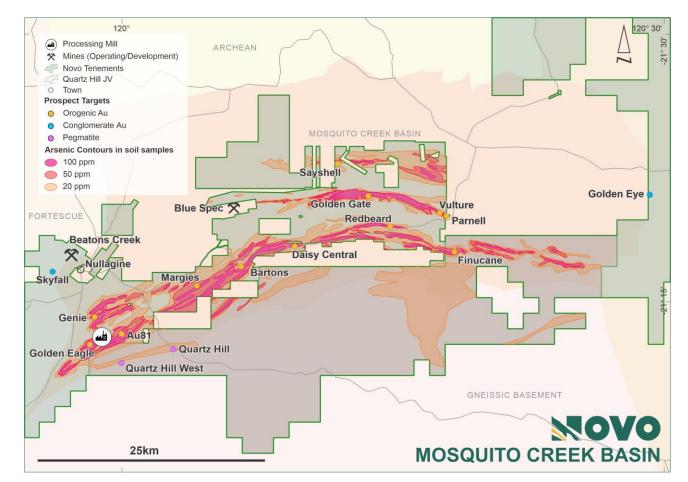


Gold-in-soil assay results and interpreted structural trend under cover



# New Exploration Approach to MCB Discovery<sup>1</sup>

- Novo controls over ~ 790 sq km of the highly prospective MCB
- Primary focus on exploration across multiple > 100 koz gold targets
- Exploration supported by access to Golden Eagle processing plant
- Key targets generated from new basinwide approach:
  - Extensions to known and fertile structures at **Finucane** – drilling planned in H2 2023
  - Delineating new structures such as the **Sayshell Trend** - systematic mapping and surface sampling planned for 2023
  - **Targets under cover** 15,000 m AC drilling planned to test mineralised trends identified

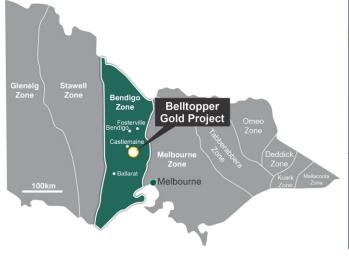


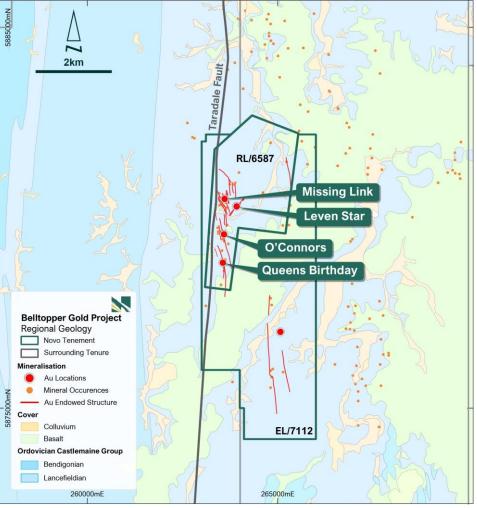
#### Tenements and main current prospects of the Mosquito Creek Basin, showing the Liatam Quartz Hill JV tenure in the south



## **Malmsbury and Queens Projects**

- Novo consolidating 100% ownership of the Malmsbury and Queens Projects<sup>1,2</sup> (Belltopper Gold Project), with completion expected in mid-April 2023
- Belltopper is located in the Bendigo Tectonic Zone, where over 60 Moz Au were produced historically
- Geological mapping outlined a dense network of highgrade gold reefs, in close proximity to a known gold bearing felsic intrusion
- 3D geology and mineralisation model development underway
- Exploration in 2023 will focus on large-scale targets, which have been defined by regional alteration, geochemical pathfinders and mapped mineralisation





Belltopper Gold Project tenure with regional geology and gold reef systems



# Value Through Discovery – Priority Areas

| EGINA GOLD CAMP            | <ul> <li>Becher – targeting De Grey 'Hemi' deposit styles, new targets defined and ready for AC and RC drilling planned in early 2023</li> <li>Nunyerry North – progressing heritage access, RC drilling planned in H2 2023</li> <li>Progressing access to high priority exploration prospects within the Yandeyarra Reserve</li> </ul>                                |
|----------------------------|--|
| BELLARY DOME               | <ul> <li>High priority target at <b>Catia</b> with AC and RC drilling planned in early 2023</li> <li>Quartz-vein dominated host for gold mineralisation, with mineralised outcrop at surface</li> <li>Access to good infrastructure</li> </ul>   |
| MOSQUITO CREEK<br>BASIN    | <ul> <li>Basin-wide strategy focused on &gt; 100 koz gold systems delivering new targets at Finucane and Sayshell Trend</li> <li>Drilling of known mineralised trends under cover and direct targets in 2023</li> <li>Golden Eagle Plant provides strategic opportunity for future processing</li> </ul>   |
| BELLTOPPER GOLD<br>PROJECT | <ul> <li>100% interest in both the Malmsbury and Queens Projects located ~50 km south of Fosterville Gold Mine in the in the Bendigo Tectonic Zone</li> <li>Focus on the large-scale alteration and mineralisation corridor identified by recent exploration</li> <li>Dense network of high-grade gold reefs close to a known gold bearing felsic intrusive</li> </ul> |



# 2023 Discovery Plan

#### **BELLARY DOME MOSQUITO CREEK BASIN BELLTOPPER PROJECT EGINA GOLD CAMP BECHER AREA** CATIA TARGETS UNDER COVER TARGETING • 20,000 m AC/RC drilling on • 3000 m RC drilling program • 15,000 m AC drill program to Integrated 3D test mineralised trends under targets at Irvine, Heckmair, underway for completion in mineralisation model near cover Lowe and Whillans completion to be used Q2 2023 commencing Q2 2023 in deep drill targeting FINUCANE **CATIA TREND** • > 5 km strike trend of the **DRILL PROGRAM** NUNYERRY NORTH • Step out RC drilling to test Middle Creek Fault for AC/RC under cover strike potential • Diamond drilling to test Heritage survey planning to drill programs in H2 2023 support drill program planned of Catia Trend recently identified large for O3 2023 scale targets planned for H2 2023 SAYSHELL TREND Newly identified mineralised **YANDEYARRA POTENTIAL** trend in the MCB ready for Prospective gold belt with systematic mapping and minimal historical exploration, surface sampling in 2023 numerous targets ready for reconnaissance programs in

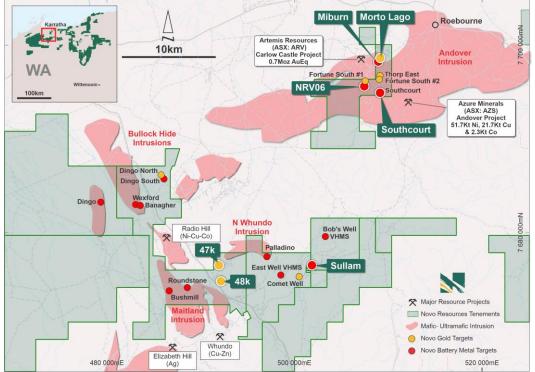
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### **Battery Metal Portfolio Provides Additional Uplift**

- Lithium Strategic Partnership with Liatam Mining Pty Ltd<sup>1</sup> on the Quartz Hill Project (south MCB) (slide 12)
  - Novo retains a 20% interest in battery mineral rights, 100% interest in all other rights (including gold/silver), a royalty right and is free-carried to the earlier of a BFS or A\$20 million expenditure
  - Liatam planning a A\$4 million 2023 exploration program<sup>2</sup>
- West Pilbara Battery Metal Tenements divestment
   process has commenced
  - ~ 240 sq km landholding in Karratha District prospective for battery metals
  - Tenements adjacent to Azure Minerals (ASX: AZS) Andover Ni-Cu Project and Artemis Resources (ASX:ARV) Carlow Castle Au-Cu-Co Project<sup>2</sup>
  - Promising results from Milburn Prospect include 5 m @ 0.65% Cu, 0.40% Ni & 0.02% Co from 12 m (KC356)<sup>2</sup>



Karratha District tenure deemed highly prospective for Ni-Cu and other battery metals, including priority targets



### **Experienced & Proven Board & Management Team**



**Dr. Quinton Hennigh** Non-Executive Co-Chairman & Director

Denver, CO, USA



Mr. Michael Spreadborough Executive Co-Chairman & Director





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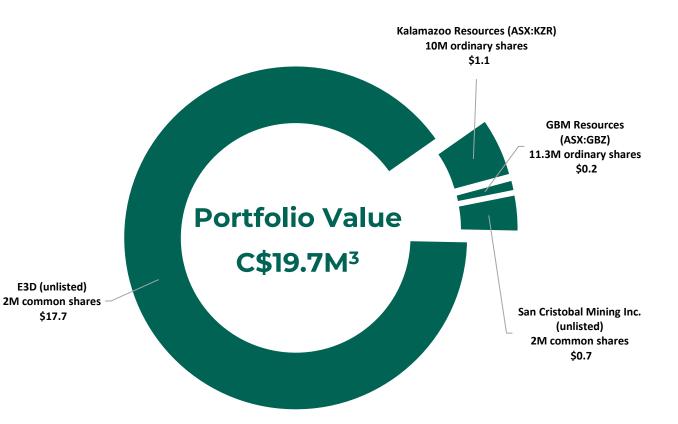
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### **Balance Sheet Supports Exploration Strategy**

| Share Structure                                   |        |         |
|---|--------|---------|
| Share Price (March 29 '23) TSX: NVO               | (C\$)  | \$0.335 |
| Basic Shares Outstanding                          | (M)    | 263.1   |
| Stock Options                                     | (M)    | 9.5     |
| Warrants  | (M)    | 28.5    |
| Fully Diluted Shares Outstanding                  | (M)    | 301.1   |
| Market Cap (Basic)                                | (C\$M) | \$88.1  |
| Cash Balance (March 29 '23) <sup>1</sup>          | (C\$M) | \$31.0  |
| Marketable Securities (March 29 '23) <sup>2</sup> | (C\$M) | \$19.7  |

| Shareholder Breakdown  | %      |
|------------------------|--------|
| IMC (Singapore)        | 7.74%  |
| Eric Sprott            | 5.32%  |
| Creasy                 | 5.23%  |
| Liatam                 | 4.87%  |
| Crescat                | 4.82%  |
| Agnico Eagle           | 3.03%  |
| Management & Directors | 1.43%  |
| Free Float             | 67.56% |





# **ESG Supports Exploration Delivery**<sup>1</sup>

Novo is committed to delivering value to our stakeholders by operating in a responsible and sustainable manner.

Our approach to sustainability is built around three key pillars, which integrate all aspects of our operations.

#### **Operating with Integrity:**

We believe strong corporate governance is essential to the success of our business. We honour our commitments, and act in an ethical and transparent manner.

#### Valuing our People and Communities:

We seek to create an inclusive environment, and a culture that supports the health, safety and wellbeing of our employees. We respect culture, heritage and aim to make a positive contribution to the communities in which we operate.

#### **Building Environmental Resilience:**

We recognise the importance of environmental stewardship and seek to understand and manage our impact on the environment.





### **The Novo Investment Proposition**





# **ADDITIONAL TECHNICAL INFORMMATION**





### **Golden Eagle Infrastructure**

- Significant strategic value due to location, condition and expected life
- Golden Eagle Plant comprises of:
  - 1.5 Mtpa nameplate capacity (historical operated at 1.8 Mtpa) conventional gold gravity/CIL processing facility
  - 4 MW SAG mill
- Infrastructure includes:
  - 10 MW diesel power station
  - 230 person accommodation village
  - Offices, workshops and warehouse
- Infrastructure on site provides a pathway for future economic Beatons Creek Fresh or MCB Oxide and Sulphide operations<sup>1</sup>



Aerial image of Golden Eagle Plant



Golden Eagle Processing Plant

#### **MOSQUITO CREEK BASIN**



- Mineral Resource update released in November 2022<sup>1</sup> (2022 MRE):
  - Indicated Mineral Resource of 3.05 million tonnes at 2.4 g/t Au for 234,000 oz Au
  - Inferred Mineral Resource of 0.83 million tonnes at 1.6 g/t Au for 42,000 oz Au
- 2022 MRE is being reviewed, given assay results from final mineral resource definition drilling program completed in late 2022 which are expected in Q1 2023
- Test parcels of Fresh ore processed through Golden Eagle Plant returned high recoveries
- Optimisation study focusing on haulage, power, and tailings storage facility life-of-mine costs to be completed in late 2023
- Approval for mining of Beatons Creek Fresh to be submitted in late 2023<sup>2</sup>
- Mining of Beatons Creek Fresh subject to receipt of approvals and a final investment decision (FID)



Grant's Hill Oxide and Fresh 'test' parcel mining





### **Beatons Creek Mineral Resource**

#### Table 1. Total Mineral Resources: optimized open pit oxide and fresh.

| Classification | Cut-off Grade<br>(g/t Au) | Tonnes<br>(t) | Grade<br>(g/t Au) | Troy Ounces Au |
|----------------|---------------------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Indicated      | 0.5                       | 3,050,000     | 2.4               | 234,000        |
| Inferred       | 0.5                       | 830,000       | 1.6               | 42,000         |

#### Table 2. Optimized open pit oxide Mineral Resources.

| Classification | Cut-off Grade<br>(g/t Au) | Tonnes<br>(t) | Grade<br>(g/t Au) | Troy Ounces Au |
|----------------|---------------------------|---------------|-------------------|----------------|
| Indicated      | 0.5                       | 815,000       | 1.3               | 33,000         |
| Inferred       | 0.5                       | 445,000       | 1.3               | 18,000         |

#### Table 3. Optimized open pit fresh Mineral Resources.

|                | Cut-off Grade | Tonnes    | Grade    | Troy Ounces Au |
|----------------|---------------|-----------|----------|----------------|
| Classification | (g/t Au)      | (t)       | (g/t Au) |                |
| <br>Indicated  | 0.5           | 2,240,000 | 2.8      | 201,000        |
| Inferred       | 0.5           | 385,000   | 1.9      | 24,000         |

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Notes:

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1. Open pit Mineral Resources contain oxide and fresh mineralization within a Whittle optimized shell and constrained within a mineralized wireframe. A cut-off grade of 0.5 g/t Au was applied.

The pit shell was generated with the following parameters:

(a) A\$2,600 / troy ounce (US\$1,690 / troy ounce) of gold;

(b) Nominal process rate of 1.6 Mtpa for fresh mineralization with a recovery of 91%; and process rate of 1.8 Mtpa for oxide mineralization with a recovery of 93%;

(c) Bulk densities applied: oxide mineralization 2.50 t/m<sup>3</sup> (oxide waste 2.50 t/m<sup>3</sup>) and fresh mineralization 2.80 t/m<sup>3</sup> (fresh waste 2.75 t/m<sup>3</sup>);

(d) A\$5.15 / tonne (US\$3.35 / tonne) mining cost for oxide and A\$5.45 / tonne (US\$3.54 / tonne) for fresh;

(e) A\$37.47 / tonne (US\$24.36 / tonne) oxide and A\$38.37 / tonne (US\$24.94 / tonne) fresh processing cost (incl. G&A);

(f) 25% dilution and 5% mineralization loss;

(g) Royalties 5.25%;

(h) Discount factor of 6%; and

(i) A\$ to US\$ foreign exchange rate of 0.65:1.

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