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# Additional Information – Chalice enters option to acquire highly prospective Abitibi gold project

Chalice Gold Mines Limited **(ASX: CHN) (TSX: CXN)** ("Chalice" or "the Company") refers to the ASX announcement entitled "Chalice enters option to acquire highly prospective Abitibi gold project in Quebec" ("the Announcement") dated 12 October 2016. In relation to the Announcement, the Company provides the following additional information in accordance with ASX listing rule 5.12 regarding the reported historical and foreign mineral resource for the Nordeau West gold deposit.

- LR 5.12.4 As noted in the Announcement, the historical and foreign mineral resource is considered to be reliable. Chalice has assessed the reliability of the historical and foreign mineral estimate (Canadian NI 43-101) including by reference to the categories in Table 1 of Appendix A of the ASX Listing Rules which are relevant to understanding the reliability of the estimates (see Annexure 1).
- 2. LR 5.12.5 The Company provides further information of work programs on which the historical and foreign mineral resource is based and key assumptions in Annexure 1.
- 3. LR 5.12.6 The Company advises that it is not aware of any more recent estimates or data relevant to the reported historical and foreign mineral resource.
- 4. LR 5.12.7 and 5.12.8 Dependent on future exploration programs and results, the Company may validate and recalculate the reported historical and foreign mineral resource and issue a revised JORC 2012 and NI-43-101 compliant mineral resource. The Company intends to undertake exploration and evaluation activities over the next 12 months and will fund this work through existing cash reserves.

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#### **Competent Persons and Qualified Persons Statement**

The information in this report that relates to the Nordeau West historical and foreign mineral resource estimate is an accurate representation of the available data and studies for the project. The information in the report is compiled by Dr Kevin Frost BSc (Hons), PhD, who is a Member of the Australian Institute of Geoscientists. Dr Frost is a full-time employee of the Company and has sufficient experience in the field of activity being reported to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 edition of the Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Minerals Resources and Ore Reserves, and is a Qualified Person under NI 43-101. Dr Frost has verified the data disclosed in this release and has reviewed the Technical Report – Nordeau Gold Mineral Properties on behalf of the Company. Dr Frost consents to the release of information in the form and context in which it appears here.

### Annexure 1

#### Section 1: Sampling Techniques and Data

Criteria	Explanation			Commentary		
Sampling techniques		were identified by assemblage and was split and s	oased on geological or the presence of	criteria including sulphides (pyrite, a pre were dispatch	a combination arsenopyrite, cl ned to comme	re selected for analys of lithology, alterationalcopyrite). This co ercial laboratories for ices.
		database for th	e Nordeau proper Nordeau proper Nordeau East, Bate	ty which includes	s exploration of	e captured in a proje drilling undertaken a and other exploratio
		of sampling meth drilling programs historical progra conducted since	g campaigns, a varie us operators. The ma lable on the very ear y available for drillir 2006 for Plato Go ting to these progran			
		Year 1946-1947	Company Oneonta	Prospect Nordeau	<u>No. holes</u>	Meterage (Unknown)
		1340-1347	Pershing	West	2	
	Nature and quality of sampling (e.g. cut	<u>1948-1949</u>	<u>Oneonta</u>	Nordeau	<u>27</u>	<u>3400</u>
	channels, random chips, or specific	1957-1958	Pershing Nordeau	West Nordeau East,	24	4530
	specialised industry standard measurement tools appropriate to the	1557 1550	Mining Co.	Nordeau		4330
	minerals under investigation, such as down hole gamma sondes, or handheld XRF instruments, etc). These examples should not be taken as limiting the	<u>1962</u>	<u>Mines de Fer</u> Vauquelin Ltee	<u>West</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>1150</u>
		<u>1963-1965</u>	Mines de Fer Vauquelin Ltee		<u>5</u>	<u>700</u>
	broad meaning of sampling.	<u>1979</u>	<u>SOQUEM</u>	<u>Nordeau</u> <u>West,</u> Nordeau East	<u>41</u>	<u>6640</u>
		<u>1983</u>	Societe miniere Louvem	Nordeau West	<u>12</u>	<u>2608</u>
		<u>1984</u>	Societe miniere Louvem	Nordeau East	<u>21</u>	<u>4867</u>
		<u>1984-1985</u>	Golden Pond Resources	<u>Nordeau</u> <u>West</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>8142</u>
		<u>1987</u>	<u>Mines</u> Vauquelin Ltee	<u>Nordeau</u> <u>West,</u> Nordeau East	<u>54</u>	<u>10,610</u>
		<u>1988</u>	<u>Mines</u> Vauquelin Ltee	<u>Nordeau</u> West	<u>4</u>	<u>1279</u>
		<u>1988</u>	Bateman bay Mining	Bateman	<u>15</u>	<u>1557</u>
		<u>1990</u>	Mines Vauquelin Ltee	<u>Bateman</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>3095</u>
		<u>1990</u>	Mines Vauquelin Ltee	<u>Nordeau</u> West	<u>7</u>	<u>3471</u>
		<u>1990</u>	Mines Vauquelin Ltee	Nordeau West	<u>4</u>	<u>1942</u>
		<u>1994</u>	Mines Vauquelin Ltee	Nordeau East	<u>6</u>	<u>619</u>
		2006-2007	Plato Gold Corporation	<u>Nordeau</u> <u>West,</u> <u>Nordeau East,</u> <u>Bateman</u>	<u>22</u>	7363
		2008	Plato Gold Corporation	Nordeau West	<u>14</u>	<u>8555</u>

Criteria	Explanation	Commentary
	Include reference to measures taken to ensure sample representivity and the appropriate calibration of any measurement tools or systems used	Information concerning field and laboratory techniques adopted in historic drilling is typically unknown. However, the majority of the drilling is sufficiently well documented to be considered representative. Drilling that is the subject of this report is diamond core and has been selectively sampled based on mineral content and halved either using manua techniques or a masonry saw. The samples were presented to commercial laboratories and assayed for gold content and periodically for silver and arsenic. Plato Gold's exploration drilling programs were managed by MRB & Associates which includes documentation of field data collection, logging and sampling methods. Core wa collected, geologically-logged, sample intervals marked then halved using core saws. QA/QG samples and ¼ core duplicates were included in the sample stream and analysis of the samples with screen/AA and fire assay/AA analysis.
		these include the use of standards, blanks and duplicate samples.
	Aspects of the determination of mineralisation that are Material to the Public Report. In cases where 'industry standard' work has been done this would be relatively simple (e.g. 'reverse circulation drilling was used to obtain 1 m samples from which 3 kg was pulverised to produce a 30 g charge for fire assay'). In other cases more explanation may be required, such as where there is coarse gold that has inherent sampling problems. Unusual commodities or mineralisation types (e.g. submarine nodules) may warrant disclosure of detailed information	Sampling procedures are variable due to the duration of historical exploration and numerous companies involved. Sampling procedures range from being undocumented, to industry standard. All samples are diamond core that have been selected based on mineral content and lithology, and halved either using manual techniques or a masonry saw. The samples were presented to laboratories for preparation and analysis of gold content using fire assay techniques.
Drilling techniques	Drill type (e.g. core, reverse circulation, open-hole hammer, rotary air blast, auger, Bangka, sonic, etc) and details (e.g. core diameter, triple or standard tube, depth of diamond tails, face- sampling bit or other type, whether core is oriented and if so, by what method, etc).	All drilling has been diamond core drilling. All drill core relating to Plato Gold drilling programs is NQ sized.
Drill sample recovery	Method of recording and assessing core and chip sample recoveries and results assessed	No historic drill core was located from the historic drilling programs prior to 2006. All dril core from the Plato Gold drill programs has been logged under supervision of MRB & Associates. Core recoveries are not reported however there is no indication that core recoveries were unsatisfactory.
	Measures taken to maximise sample recovery and ensure representative nature of the samples	Not yet verified
	Whether a relationship exists between sample recovery and grade and whether sample bias may have occurred due to preferential loss/gain of fine/coarse material.	Not yet verified
Logging	Whether core and chip samples have been geologically and geotechnically logged to a level of detail to support appropriate Mineral Resource estimation, mining studies and metallurgical studies.	The geological logging has been used to build an appropriate 3D geological model of lithology and mineralisation to support the historical and foreign Mineral Resource estimation.
		Geological logging is quantitative, based on visual field identification of the various metavolcanics and metasedimentary rock sequences which are well known in the region.
	Whether logging is qualitative or quantitative in nature. Core (or costean, channel, etc) photography	The logging of the geological features was predominately qualitative. Parameters such as sulphide abundances are visual estimates by the logging geologist.
	channel, etc) photography.	It is not verified if drill core photography exists. The geological logging is at an appropriate level for the stage of exploration being undertaken.
	The total length and percentage of the relevant intersections logged	The entire length of all holes, excluding any surface casing were typically logged.

Criteria	Explanation	Commentary
Sub-sampling techniques and sample preparation	If core, whether cut or sawn and whether quarter, half or all core taken.	Core was cut longitudinally with a masonry saw (or often manually in older holes) and a half core sampled for analysis, the residual half core being retained in the core box for reference. In cases where duplicates were required, the remaining half core was sawn in half and sampled.
	If non-core, whether riffled, tube sampled, rotary split, etc and whether sampled wet or dry.	Not applicable
		Due to the duration of historical exploration, and work being conducted by numerous companies, sample preparation procedures are either not known or not verified.
	For all sample types, the nature, quality and appropriateness of the sample preparation technique.	For the Plato Gold drilling program all core has been split on site using a masonry saw. Preparation of samples has then typically been completed in commercial laboratories along with assaying by fire assay techniques, in line with industry standard practice.
		Based on information relating to the previous companies' approach of using commercial laboratory facilities the preparation is assumed to be industry standard practise.
	Quality control procedures adopted for	The documentation of historic field procedures applied by previous explorers including details regarding sample collection, preparation, transportation and security, and analytical techniques, is poorly documented or unknown.
	Quality control procedures adopted for all sub-sampling stages to maximise representivity of samples.	All previous sampling was selective on the basis of the visually interpreted presence of mineralisation.
		Drilling by Plato Gold has well documented sampling protocols and quality control procedures that are aligned with standard industry practice.
	Measures taken to ensure that the	Sampling representivity has not been verified for historic sampling completed before Plato Gold.
	sampling is representative of the in situ material collected, including for instance results for field duplicate/second-half sampling.	Plato Gold instigated QA/QC practices aligned with industry standard practice, including the insertion of blanks, field duplicates and standards at a rate of $\sim$ 1/15 to 1/40 each. Field duplicates are identified within the database. Whilst variation exists on a sample by sample comparison, the overall results are acceptable/comparable.
	Whether sample sizes are appropriate to the grain size of the material being sampled.	Sample sizes are typically 1.5m but ranges from less than 0.2m to 8m, although 99% of samples are less than 1.5m which is appropriate for the style of mineralisation being sampled.
Quality of assay data and laboratory tests		Samples used in the resource estimation modelling include only final assigned Au values as determined/entered by MRB & Associates from the original data source. Where multiple fire assays are historically reported for the same sample, the assays are averaged to produce the final assay grade entered into the database. When metallic screen assays were reported for the samples, the metallic screen assay results were entered as the final Au grade for the sample.
	The nature, quality and appropriateness of the assaying and laboratory procedures used and whether the technique is considered partial or total.	As preparation and analysis methods are likely to have changed over time the sample preparation and analysis protocols are likely to have changed.
		Plato Gold drill sample analyses were conducted by ALS-Chemex laboratories of Val d'Or and the laboratory has attained ISO 9001:2000 accreditation. To ensure compliance with this system, regular internal audits are undertaken by staff members specially trained in auditing techniques.
		These assay techniques are considered appropriate for the determination of total gold content.
	For geophysical tools, spectrometers, handheld XRF instruments, etc, the parameters used in determining the analysis including instrument make and model, reading times, calibrations factors applied and their derivation, etc.	Not applicable. No geophysical tools were used.
	Nature of quality control procedures adopted (e.g. standards, blanks,	Samples used in block modelling have been assayed by fire assay techniques. As preparation, analysis methods and QA/QC requirements have changed over time, and between different laboratories a variety of preparation and analysis protocols may have been followed.
	duplicates, external laboratory checks) and whether acceptable levels of accuracy (i.e. lack of bias) and precision have been established.	Detail on protocols has been captured in detail since Plato Gold initiated exploration. Plato Gold undertook geostatistical analysis of the drillhole database and showed that 919 samples (or less than 10%) occur within the defined mineralisation zones. The mean grade of the assay samples constituting the mineralised zones is 2.42 g/t Au which is significantly higher than the total sample population grade. The variance and coefficient of variations are also notably high. The results may be biased as a result of the varied sample lengths.

Criteria	Explanation	Commentary
Verification of sampling and assaying	The verification of significant intersections by either independent or alternative company personnel.	Not known
	The use of twinned holes.	No known twinned holes exist.
	Documentation of primary data, data entry procedures, data verification, data storage (physical and electronic) protocols.	Prior to Plato Gold drilling, very limited information is available concerning data capture and entry.
		Plato Gold utilized a GEMS electronic database containing data on 279 drill holes. Plato Gold checked the digital data against government assessment files or internal company records For all but 18 of the 96 historic drillholes the source data include some if not all assa certificates in support of the reported assay results.
	Discuss any adjustment to assay data.	Where multiple fire assays are historically reported for the same sample, the assays are averaged to produce the final assay grade entered into the database.
Location of data points	Accuracy and quality of surveys used to locate drillholes (collar and down-hole	All drilling completed by Plato Gold since 2006 has been DGPS survey located.
	surveys), trenches, mine workings and other locations used in Mineral Resource estimation.	Drillholes completed by Plato Gold since 2006 were surveyed with a downhole FlexIT too with survey points captured at 6m intervals downhole.
	Specification of the grid system used.	All drillhole information has been referenced to UTM NAD83 Zone 18 datum
	Quality and adequacy of topographic control.	Drillhole collar coordinates and elevations were used to create a 3D triangular interpolation surface.
Data spacing and distribution	Data spacing for reporting of Exploration Results.	Drillhole are located on 75m to 25m spaced drill sections with holes about 100-60m apart to about 25m with some holes less than 25m apart.
	Whether the data spacing and distribution is sufficient to establish the degree of geological and grade continuity appropriate for the Mineral Resource and Ore Reserve estimation procedure(s) and classifications applied.	Data spacing is suitable for definition of Indicated and Inferred Mineral Resources
-	Whether sample compositing has been applied.	Not verified
Orientation of data in relation to geological structure	Whether the orientation of sampling achieves unbiased sampling of possible structures and the extent to which this is known, considering the deposit type.	Most holes are oriented sub-perpendicular to the overall trend of mineralisation in order to capture true widths as close as possible.
	If the relationship between the drilling orientation and the orientation of key mineralised structures is considered to have introduced a sampling bias, this should be assessed and reported if material.	At this stage no orientation based sampling bias has been identified.
	The measures taken to ensure sample security.	Very little sample security information is available for sampling prior to Plato Gold's drilling programs.
Sample security		Plato Gold samples were individually bagged and labelled with a tag showing the drillhold number, sample number, sample interval, sample width and analysis required.
		The samples were delivered in security bags directly to ALS-Chemex Laboratories.
Audits or	The results of any audits or reviews of	

## Section 2: Reporting of Exploration Results

Criteria	Explanation	Commentary
Mineral tenement and land tenure status	Type, reference name/number, location and ownership including agreements or material issues with third parties such as joint ventures, partnerships, overriding royalties, native title interests, historical sites, wilderness or national park and environmental settings. The security of the tenure held at the time of reporting along with any known impediments to obtaining a licence to	Current Ownership:The Project comprises claims owned 100% by Globex Enterprises Inc. and other claims owned 60% Globex Enterprises – 40% Bateman Inc located approximately 40km east of Val- d'Or, Quebec, Canada. Chalice Gold Limited has entered into a binding option and farm-in term sheet to acquire Globex's interest in the Nordeau Gold Project through total option payments of C\$590,000 and incurring exploration expenditures of C\$2,500,000 over 4 years. Chalice shall grant a 3% gross metal royalty to Globex upon exercising the option.Claims owned 100% by Globex include title Nos. 2437791-2437811; 2437912-2437915; 2437862-2437873. Claims owned 60% Globex - 40% Bateman Inc. include title Nos. 2438798-2438811; 2438935-2438937.The project comprises a total 54 claims for 1,453 Ha.All granted tenements are in good standing and there are no known impediments to operating in the area.
Exploration done by other parties	operate in the area. Acknowledgment and appraisal of exploration by other parties.	Exploration commenced in the 1940's and numerous companies have carried out prospecting, geological mapping, trenching and outcrop sampling and ground geophysical surveys. Details of previous exploration are summarized in a NI43-101 report entitled 'Technical Report – Nordeau Gold Mineral Properties' authored by MRB & Associates, March 1, 2009.
Geology	Deposit type, geological setting and style of mineralisation.	<ul> <li>Gold deposits on the Nordeau project are greenstone-hosted gold deposits and they can generally be considered to be a part of the orogenic family of gold deposits.</li> <li>The Nordeau project contains a sequence of volcano-sedimentary rocks that is known as the Trivio structural domain, a kilometres-wide deformation corridor interpreted as the eastern extension of the larder lake – Cadillac tectonic zone.Au</li> <li>Gold mineralization is categorized into two types of epigenetic gold occurrences: <ul> <li>i)</li> <li>Gold mineralisation in silicified lodes with disseminated to semi-massive sulphides (arsenopyrite, pyrrhotite and pyrite) spacially related to sedimentary banded iron formations. Secondary quartz veining is commonly associated with this type of gold mineralisation.</li> <li>ii)</li> <li>Structurally controlled gold mineralisation in altered and sheared zones with quartz or quartz carbonate veins parallel to the schistosity and shear zones (most likelt to be found in volcanic units). Associated disseminated sulphides include arsenopyrite, pyrite and minor chalcopyrite; graphitic horizons are common.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Both types of mineralization occur as free gold associated with sulphide minerals ranging from 1% to 5% when in quartz veins to as much as 20% to 50% when in association with magnetite iron formations.</li> </ul>
Drill hole Information	A summary of all information material to the understanding of the exploration results including a tabulation of the following information for all Material drill holes: • easting and northing of the drill hole collar • elevation or RL (Reduced Level – elevation above sea level in metres) of the drill hole collar • dip and azimuth of the hole • down hole length and interception depth • hole length.	Details of historic exploration results are summarized in a NI43-101 report entitled 'Technical Report – Nordeau Gold Mineral Properties' authored by MRB & Associates, March 1, 2009.
Data aggregation methods	In reporting Exploration Results, weighting averaging techniques, maximum and/or minimum grade truncations (e.g. cutting of high grades) and cut-off grades are usually Material and should be stated.	No Exploration Results reported
	Where aggregate intercepts incorporate short lengths of high grade results and longer lengths of low grade results, the procedure used for such	Not applicable

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	aggregation should be stated and some typical examples of such aggregations should be shown in detail.	
	The assumptions used for any reporting of metal equivalent values should be clearly stated.	Not applicable
Relationship between mineralisation widths and intercept lengths	These relationships are particularly important in the reporting of Exploration Results. If the geometry of the mineralisation with respect to the drill hole angle is known, its nature should be reported. If it is not known and only the down hole lengths are reported, there should be a clear statement to this effect (e.g. 'down hole length, true width not known').	Exploration results are not being reported for the Mineral Resource area.
Diagrams	Appropriate maps and sections (with scales) and tabulations of intercepts should be included for any significant discovery being reported These should include, but not be limited to a plan view of drill hole collar locations and appropriate sectional views.	Exploration results are not being reported for the Mineral Resource area.
Balanced reporting	Where comprehensive reporting of all Exploration Results is not practicable, representative reporting of both low and high grades and/or widths should be practiced to avoid misleading reporting of Exploration Results.	Exploration results are not being reported for the Mineral Resource area.
Other substantive exploration data	Other exploration data, if meaningful and material, should be reported including (but not limited to): geological observations; geophysical survey results; geochemical survey results; bulk samples – size and method of treatment; metallurgical test results; bulk density, groundwater, geotechnical and rock characteristics; potential deleterious or contaminating substances.	No known or documented metallurgical test work has been carried out on the Nordeau property.
Further work	The nature and scale of planned further work (e.g. tests for lateral extensions or depth extensions or large-scale step- out drilling). Diagrams clearly highlighting the areas of possible extensions, including the main geological interpretations and future drilling areas, provided this information is not commercially sensitive	Future work programs are being assessed with a view to extension drilling of high priority areas.

## Section 3: Estimation and Reporting of Mineral Resources – Nordeau West Deposit

Criteria	Explanation	Commentary
Database integrity	Measures taken to ensure that data has not been corrupted by, for example, transcription or keying errors, between its initial collection and its use for Mineral Resource estimation purposes.	Data in the GEMS database provided for use in the historical and foreign Mineral Resource estimation was validated using software validation programs to check for erroneous data entries. All reported errors were corrected in the database against original data sources. The drillhole database used for the historic and foreign Mineral Resource estimation is considered to be of acceptable quality with no significant errors.
	Data validation procedures used.	Drillhole data was displayed and reviewed in 3D and assorted plan and section views to check for other possible location, deviation or similar related errors. No significant errors were found.
Site visits	Comment on any site visits undertaken by the Competent Person and the outcome of those visits.	There is no clear understanding if the Qualified Person under NI43-101 responsible for the historical and foreign Mineral Resource estimate has visited the project.

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	If no site visits have been undertaken indicate why this is the case.	
Geological interpretation	Confidence in (or conversely, the uncertainty of) the geological interpretation of the mineral deposit.	The level of confidence in the interpretations of the mineralised domains is reflected by the historic and foreign Mineral Resource classification. Alternative geological interpretations may be developed with further drilling although it is likely these would no significantly affect the global resource estimate, but could affect any local estimates.
	Nature of the data used and of any assumptions made.	Approximately 10% of drilled metres intersected interpreted mineralisation. Sampling habeen undertaken across the mineralized intersections and typically through to background unmineralised adjacent intervals, thereby effectively bracketing the mineralise intersections.
	The effect, if any, of alternative interpretations on Mineral Resource estimation.	In the areas of close-spaced drilling, the impact of alternative interpretations is considered to be minor. Away from the close-spaced drilling, alternative interpretations will have a increasing local impact, but are unlikely to materially impact the larger scale historic an foreign Mineral Resource estimate.
	The use of geology in guiding and controlling Mineral Resource estimation.	The underlying geology of the Nordeau West deposit empirically controls the gol endowment. The mineralised zones have been interpreted in 3D and digitized at a 0.5g/ Au cut-off to identify the apparent limits of the mineralised zones.
	The factors affecting continuity both of grade and geology.	Main Zone mineralisation appears largely confined to a single zone that strikes and dips nea parallel with the major structures and is characterized by the presence of strong shearing alteration, variable quartz veining with up to 10-15% sulphides. Locally, secondary sub parallel conjugate faults within the deformation corridor cross the mineralised zon- disrupting the mineralization into boudinaged or en-echelon zones or lenses. However Main Zone is remarkably consistent along strike and down-dip. B Zone is a series of wea parallel en-echelon lenses that occur approximately 10m south of Main Zone but are onl definable in the upper 250m of drilling.
Dimensions	The extent and variability of the Mineral Resource expressed as length (along strike or otherwise), plan width, and depth below surface to the upper and lower limits of the Mineral	The Nordeau West mineralization extends over a 775m strike length, has been drilled to maximum 700m vertical extent and displays a lense-like morphology. The averag intersection length of Main Zone is 8.3m and this is interpreted as near true width. The Zone is considerably narrower at an average thickness of 2.4m. Both the Main Zone and Zone are interpreted to extend from the base of overburden which is betwee approximately 10-15m below surface.
	Resource	Main Zone remains open at depth although the deposit trends out of the current propert boundary. The deposit trends 110 $^\circ$ in strike and -65 $^\circ$ in dip to the north.
Estimation and modelling techniques		Domaining of the mineralization was undertaken for two domains only being Main Zone an B Zone. Block modelling was established in the GEMS software system.
		Block model geometry is summarized below. Block model origin: 333,050mE, 5,319,400mN, 5400m Elevation No. block model rotation (i.e., x=E, y=N, z=Elevation) Block cell dimensions: 5m (E), 2.5m (N), 5m (Elevation) No. of columns: 320 (N) No. of Rows: 320 (E) No. of Levels 210(Elevation)
	The nature and appropriateness of the estimation technique(s) applied and key assumptions, including treatment of extreme grade values, domaining, interpolation parameters and maximum distance of extrapolation from data points. If a computer assisted estimation method was chosen include a description of computer software and parameters used.	Search-interpolation ranges used for Indicated Resource Estimates: ~66% of indicated range for x and y axis 50% of x and y axis range for samples >8.5 g/t Au z-axis increased to 15m to allow for variations in strike/dip z-axis for high grade samples >8.5 g/t Au restricted to 3.0m Ellipse 1 Principal X-Axis along Az 090 ° Dip -30 ° High Grade >8.5 g/t Au Ranges Range X – 50m Range X – 25m Range Y – 35m Range Y – 17.5m Range Z – 15m Range Z – 3m Ellipse 2 Principal Y-Axis along Az 270 ° Dip -60° High Grade >8.5 g/t Au Ranges Range X – 35m Range X – 17.5m Range X – 35m Range X – 17.5m Range Y – 50m Range X – 17.5m Range Y – 50m Range X – 17.5m
		Search-interpolation ranges used for Inferred Resource Estimates 133% of indicated range for x and y axis 100% of x and y axis range for samples >8.5 g/t Au z-axis increased to 20m to allow for variations in strike/dip z-axis restricted to 6m for high grade samples >8.5 g/t Au Ellipse 1: Principal X-Axis along Az 090° Dip -30° High Grade >8.5 g/t Au Ranges

Criteria	Explanation	Commentary
		Range X – 100m Range X – 50m Range Y – 70m Range Y – 35m Range Z – 20m Range Z – 6m Ellipse 2: Principal Y-Axis along Az 270° Dip -60° High Grade >8.5 g/t Au Ranges Range X – 70m Range X – 35m Range Y – 100m Range Y – 50m Range Z – 20m Range Z – 6m
		Grade estimation was carried out on an inverse distance squared algorithm.
		Grade interpolation was first completed using the ellipse ranges defined for estimatir Indicated Resources. Ellipse 1 oriented on the shallow NE plunge was used for the fir interpolation populating a total of 14,924 blocks with grade. A second interpolation usin Ellipse 2 oriented on the steep NW plunge up-dated only blocks with 0 grade and populate an additional 2,900 blocks with grade.
	The availability of check estimates, previous estimates and/or mine production records and whether the Mineral Resource estimate takes appropriate account of such data.	Previous resource estimation was undertaken prior to NI43-101 standard and is not considered a useful comparison.
	The assumptions made regarding recovery of by-products.	No assumptions of recovery of any by-products has been made.
	Estimation of deleterious elements or other non-grade variables of economic significance (e.g. sulphur for acid mine drainage characterisation).	No estimation is made of deleterious elements or other mineral components in the identified mineralisation.
	In the case of block model interpolation, the block size in relation to the average sample spacing and the search employed.	The parent cell size was 5.0 m in easting, 2.5 m in northing and 5.0 m in elevation. The drillholes are typically located on 25m and 50m spaced sections with wide-space drilling intersections up to 60-100m apart on average in the plane of the mineralizatio Drillholes that intersected the shallower zones of mineralization (approximately 250 below surface) are moderately spaced on average 25-50m apart.
	Any assumptions behind modelling of selective mining units.	No assumption regarding the selective mining unit have been made.
	Any assumptions about correlation between variables.	No assumptions about correlations have been made.
	Description of how the geological interpretation was used to control the resource estimates.	The contacts between the main geological units were interpreted and digitized to use as guide to the interpretation of the mineralized zones.
	Discussion of basis for using or not using grade cutting or capping.	All domains were capped at 8.5 g/t Au, with the cap values being derived from lo probability plots.
	The process of validation, the checking process used, the comparison of model data to drillhole data, and use of reconciliation data if available.	Not Verified
Moisture	Whether the tonnages are estimated on a dry basis or with natural moisture, and the method of determination of the moisture content.	The tonnages are estimated on a dry basis.
Cut-off parameters	The basis of the adopted cut-off grade(s) or quality parameters applied	The historical and foreign Mineral Resource estimate is reported at a 2.75g/t Au cut-off grade. This was based on economic parameters appropriate at the time of the resource estimation.
Mining factors or assumptions	Assumptions made regarding possible mining methods, minimum mining dimensions and internal (or, if applicable, external) mining dilution. It is always necessary as part of the process of determining reasonable prospects for eventual economic extraction to consider potential mining methods, but the assumptions made regarding mining methods and	No assumptions on mining methods have been applied as part of the historical and forein Mineral Resource estimate.

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	parameters when estimating Mineral Resources may not always be rigorous. Where this is the case, this should be reported with an explanation of the basis of the mining assumptions made.		
Metallurgical factors or assumptions	The basis for assumptions or predictions regarding metallurgical amenability. It is always necessary as part of the process of determining reasonable prospects for eventual economic extraction to consider potential metallurgical methods, but the assumptions regarding metallurgical treatment processes and parameters made when reporting Mineral Resources may not always be rigorous. Where this is the case, this should be reported with an explanation of the basis of the metallurgical assumptions made.	No metallurgical factors or assumptions have been used in the historical and foreign Mine Resource estimate.	
Environmental factors or assumptions	Assumptions made regarding possible waste and process residue disposal options. It is always necessary as part of the process of determining reasonable prospects for eventual economic extraction to consider the potential environmental impacts of the mining and processing operation. While at this stage the determination of potential environmental impacts, particularly for a greenfields project, may not always be well advanced, the status of early consideration of these potential environmental impacts should be reported. Where these aspects have not been considered this should be reported with an explanation of the environmental assumptions made	No environmental factors or assumptions have been used in the historical and fore Mineral Resource estimate.	
Bulk density	Whether assumed or determined. If assumed, the basis for the assumptions. If determined, the method used, whether wet or dry, the frequency of the measurements, the nature, size and representativeness of the samples.	The only recorded bulk density determinations are from 6 core samples from a historic diamond drill hole. The average bulk density is 2.90 g/cm3 and this value is assigned to the Main Zone and B Zone block models. The assigned bulk density value is appropriate for the style of mineralization comprising 10-15% disseminated sulphides in metavolcanics/metasedimentary host rock-types.	
	The bulk density for bulk material must have been measured by methods that adequately account for void spaces (vugs, porosity, etc), moisture and differences between rock and alteration zones within the deposit,	Not verified	
	Discuss assumptions for bulk density estimates used in the evaluation process of the different materials.	Not verified	
Classification	The basis for the classification of the Mineral Resources into varying confidence categories	<ul> <li>Historical and foreign Mineral Resource classification has been based on the following:</li> <li>Indicated Mineral Resources are those areas where the geology and grade continuity has been demonstrated to a confidence level sufficient to support this classification by drilling density of approximately 25 to 50m spaced drilling, high level of understanding of the geological controls and estimation confidence.</li> <li>Inferred Mineral Resources are those areas where geological continuity has been demonstrated, but grade continuity is inferred or extrapolated using broader spaced drilling.</li> </ul>	

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	Whether appropriate account has been taken of all relevant factors (i.e. relative confidence in tonnage/grade estimations, reliability of input data, confidence in continuity of geology and metal values, quality, quantity and distribution of the data).	The resource classification applied takes into account all available factors, including the current understanding of geological and grade continuity, the available spatial distribution of data and the overall interpretation.
	Whether the result appropriately reflects the Competent Person's view of the deposit.	The resource classification suitably reflects the Qualified Person's view of the deposit.
Audits or reviews	The results of any audits or reviews of Mineral Resource estimates.	Not verified
	Where appropriate a statement of the relative accuracy and confidence level in the Mineral Resource estimate using an approach or procedure deemed appropriate by the Competent Person. For example, the application of statistical or geostatistical procedures to quantify the relative accuracy of the resource within stated confidence limits, or, if such an approach is not deemed appropriate, a qualitative discussion of the factors that could affect the relative accuracy and confidence of the estimate	The relative accuracy and confidence is reflected in the assigned the historical and foreign Mineral Resource classification.
	The statement should specify whether it relates to global or local estimates, and, if local, state the relevant tonnages, which should be relevant to technical and economic evaluation. Documentation should include assumptions made and the procedures used	Indicated and Inferred Mineral Resources are considered global estimates.
	These statements of relative accuracy and confidence of the estimate should be compared with production data, where available	Not verified