



Corporate Presentation
January, 2023

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All mineral resources have been estimated in accordance with Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy and Petroleum (CIM) definitions, as required under NI43-101.

Mineral resources reported demonstrate reasonable prospect of eventual economic extraction, as required under NI43-101.

Mineral resources are not mineral reserves and do not have demonstrated economic viability. The mineral resources may be materially affected by environmental, permitting, legal, marketing, and other relevant issues.

The PEA is preliminary in nature, it may include mineral resources that are considered too speculative geologically to have the economic considerations applied to them that would enable them to be categorized as mineral reserves, and there is no certainty that the PEA will be realized.

An inferred mineral resource has a lower level of confidence than that applying to an indicated mineral resource and must not be converted to a mineral reserve. It is reasonably expected that most of the inferred mineral resources could be upgraded to indicated mineral resources with continued exploration.

All-in Sustaining cost (AISC) is calculated as: Operating costs (mining, processing and G&A) + Incremental PTUs + Concentrate Transportation + Treatment & Refining Charges + Penalties + Sustaining Capital + Closure Costs + Silver Revenue Royalty and is reported on using a per tonne mined, AgEq plant feed, AgEq recovered for sale, and AgEq payable basis

PEA work completed by:

Kirkham Geosciences Ltd. (KGL): mineral resource estimate from Oct, 27, 2021;

Entech Mining Limited (Entech): mine design and mine OpEx and capital;

M3 Engineering & Technology Corp. (M3): process flowsheet, mine site design and surface OpEx, CapEx and discounted cash-flow model

Metallurgical Process Consultants Limited (MPC): metallurgy and process flowsheet

Investment Highlights



Focused on developing the Cerro Las Minitas (CLM) Ag-Cu-Pb-Zn project located in Durango, Mexico



One of the Largest and Highest Grade Undeveloped Silver Projects in the World

- Ind: 137Moz AgEq at 347g/t AgEq¹
- Inf: 198M oz AgEq at 314g/t AgEq1
- Well-established silver mining district in Durango, Mexico near several major mining companies



PEA Highlights

- 15yr Life-of-Mine
- Robust Project Economics
- High Revenues/Free Cash-flow
- Balanced Precious / Base
 Metal revenues



Corporate Highlights

- 100% ownership and control of the CLM Project
- Full treasury to continue ESG initiatives, permitting, drilling, engineering and other Corporate objectives



(pending News Flow)

- PEA: Now Completed
- New Discoveries at CLM, Mx
- Engineering Upgrades
- New Drilling at Oro Cu-Mo project, NM
- Greenfields exploration on Hermanas Au-Ag Project, NM

^{1.} Parameters for the NI 43-101 Compliant Mineral Resource Estimate are described on Slide 22 (appendices) and in the SSV News Release, dated Oct 27th, 2021

PEA Highlights



Robust Project Economics

Base Case¹: after-tax NPV5% of \$349M (C\$450M, <u>C\$1.55/share</u>),
 IRR of 17.9%

Excellent Silver and Zinc Price Leverage

 Base-case +15%²: after-tax NPV5% of US\$561M (C\$ 728M, C\$2.49/share), IRR of 24.4%

Large-Scale Underground Mining Operation

- Modelled LOM Production: 24.5 Mt @ 0.2% Cu, 1.1 % Pb, 2.6 %
 Zn, 110 Ag, 0.09 g/t Au Average NSR of \$US 128 /t
- 15-year mine life
- Annual Production of 11.3Mozs/yr AgEq (inc. 4.7 Mozs Ag)
- LOM Production of 168.8Mozs AgEq (inc. 70.8Mozs Ag)
- LOM AISC of \$13.27/oz AgEq sold

All \$ in USD unless otherwise indicated. Per share metrics based on 292 million shares outstanding.

- 1. Base case: assumes (Ag-\$21.95/oz, Cu -\$3.78/lb, Pb -\$0.94/lb and Zn -\$1.33/lb)
- 2. Base Case +15% assumes (Ag-\$25.24/oz, Cu \$4.35/lb, Pb \$1.08/lb and Zn \$1.53/lb)

High-Revenue Project

- Base Case revenues: US\$3.7B
- Balanced precious vs base metal revenues with silver representing 42% of revenues and zinc representing 39% of revenues
- Initial CapEx of \$341M

Well Located Project

 Mining friendly jurisdiction with excellent infrastructure in southeast Durango state, Mexico

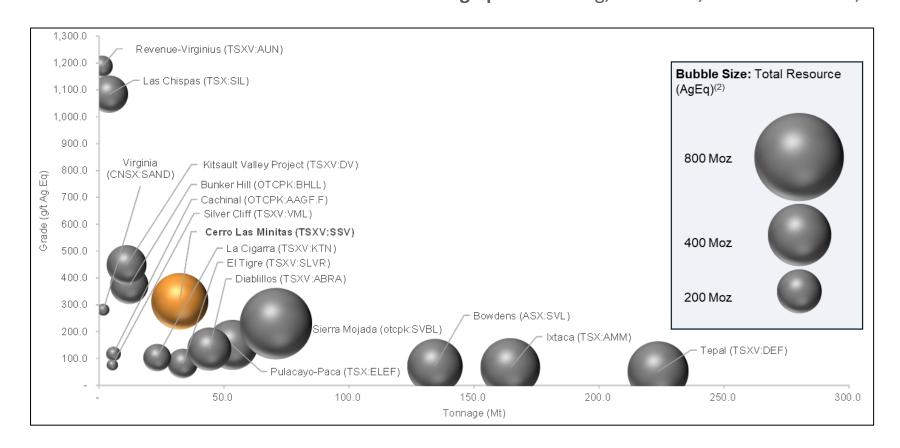
Further Project Upside

- New deposits: deposits remain open laterally and to depth to be explored
- Gold Recovery: to be incorporated into the process flowsheet
- Ore-sorting: initial test work is positive; to be included in the Process flowsheet

One of the Largest and Highest Grade Undeveloped Silver Assets in the World



2021 Mineral Resource Estimate (as of Oct 27th, 2021 using a \$60NSR/t cut-off)¹;
Indicated – 137Moz AgEq 42.1Moz Ag, 44Mlb Cu, 358Mlb Pb and 895Mlb Zn
Inferred – 198Moz AgEq: 73.6Moz Ag, 98Mlb Cu, 500Mlb Pb and 1,009Mlb Zn



Notes:

1. Parameters for the NI 43-101 Compliant Mineral Resource Estimate are described on Slide 22 (appendices) and in the SSV News Release, dated Oct 27th, 2021

Notes for chart

- Data as of September 8, 2022
- Prices Used (US\$): Gold \$1,708/oz, Silver \$18.59/oz,
 Copper \$7811/MT, Iron \$98/dMT, Lead \$1,881/MT,
 Zinc \$3,128/MT
- Discovery Silver's Cordero Mine removed from output.
 Total tonnage of 782 Mt, grade of 44.1 g/t Ag.Eq
- Applies to primary asset only (100% basis)

Capital Markets Profile



Capital Structure	
Ticker	TSX-V:SSV
Share Price (Jan. 5, 2022)	C\$0.21
Current Shares Outstanding	292M
Options	28.3M ¹
Warrants	65.9M ²
Fully Diluted Shares Outstanding	386M
Market Capitalization (basic)	C\$61.2M
Cash & Cash Equivalents	C\$6.0M
Enterprise Value (basic)	C\$74.8M
EV/Oz AgEq	C\$0.17
P/NAV	0.14x
Top Shareholders	
Electrum Global Holdings	25%
Institutional (as of July 30, 2020)	12%
Management & Directors	2.3%

^{1.} Includes 28.3M options outstanding with a weighted average exercise price of C\$0.37/share and a weighted average remaining term of 3.8 years

Share Price and Volume (Last 18 Months)



Analyst Coverage

Timothy Lee – Red Cloud Securities Ltd.

Siddharth Rajeev – Fundamental Research Corp.

Recent Ratings								
	Date	Reccomendation (C\$)						
Red Cloud Securities	Aug-29-2022	Buy (\$0.85)						
Fundamental Research	Sep-8-2022	Buy (\$0.51)						

Newsletter Coverage

Caesars Report – Thibaut Lepouttre

Silver Stock Investor – Peter Krauth

GoldSilver.com/SilverChartist – Jeff Clark

^{2.} Includes 59.9M warrants outstanding with a weighted average exercise price of C\$0.42/share and a weighted average remaining term of 1.8 years

^{3.} Includes 6.0MM finder's warrants outstanding with a weighted average exercise price of C\$0.34/share and a weighted average remaining term of 1.7 years

Management Team and Board

Experienced Mine Finders with a History of Success in Mexico



Lawrence Page (LL.B, QC) President, Director	 Director and Officer of a number of public prominent exploration and mining companies Major Projects and Mines involvement: Penasquito, Mexico; Hemlo and Eskay Creek, Canada
Rob MacDonald (MSc, PGeo) VP, Exploration	 VP of Geological Services for the Manex Resource Group of Companies and Exploration Manager for several publicly listed companies Overseen the exploration of many projects throughout North America including the discovery and delineation of the Homestake Ridge high-grade 1.2M oz Au-Ag deposit in northern British Columbia
Graham Thatcher Chief Financial Officer	 Senior accountant at Manex Resource Group and prior to this he worked in public practice at Smythe Ratcliffe LLP with companies in the mining and exploration sector
Arie Page Corporate Secretary	 Currently serves as corporate secretary to several public resource companies in the minerals sector including Bravada Gold Corporation, Pacific Ridge Exploration Ltd., Southern Silver Exploration Corp. and Valterra Resource Corporation.
Russell Ball (CA, CPA) Director	 Managing Director of QDBS Resources Inc. and former CEO, Director and Exec. Chairman of Calibre Mining Corp Former EVP and CFO of Goldcorp Inc as well as varying capacities with Newmont Mining Corp
Larry Buchanan (PGeo, PhD) Director	 Chief Consulting Geologist, Electrum Group Major Projects and Mines involvement: San Cristobal, Bolivia; Los Gatos, Mexico
Peter Cheesbrough (CA) Director	 President, Exploration Division, Electrum Group Served as CFO, Echo Bay Mines
Gina Jones (CPA, CA, CF, ICD.D) Director	 Currently serves as CFO, CCO PenderFund Capital Management Ltd., Served as CFO for two Vancouver Investment Dealers and CFO, COO for an independent Vancouver brokerage firm.
Eugene Spiering (PGeo) Director	 Served as VP Exploration of Quaterra Resources Inc. and Rio Narcea Gold Mines Major Projects and Mines Involvement: El Valle and Aguablanca, Spain
Roger Scammell (BSc, PGeo) Director	 Served as President Scorpio Mining Corporation and VP Exploration of Tamaka Gold Corporation Major Projects and Mines involvement: San Nicolas, El Limon and Nuestra Senora, Mexico
Nigel Bunting Director	Served as director Suffolk Life Pensions Ltd

District Scale Exploration & Development



Cerro Las Minitas, Durango, Mexico – Flagship

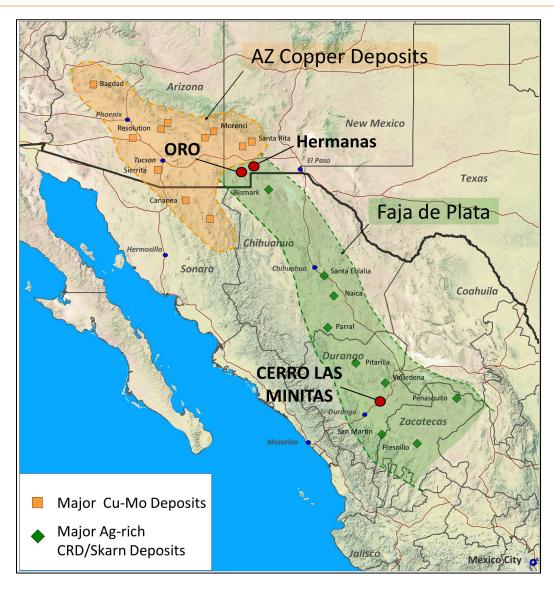
- 100% owned
- Silver-enriched Skarn/CRD deposits
- +US\$35M spent on acquisition and exploration since 2011
- NEW PEA RESULTS
- Further Upside on both Exploration and Engineering basis

Oro Project, New Mexico

- 100%-owned
- DRILLING COMPLETED; ASSAYS PENDING
- Large Laramide Cu-Au-Mo porphyry system with an adjacent near surface gold target

Hermanas Project, New Mexico

- Option to 100% own
- NEWLY ACQUIRED
- Large early stage Au-Ag epithermal vein system



Modelled Project Economics – Cash Flow



15 Years of Mine Life

Base Case Cash Flow (\$US)

LOM gross revenues: \$3,705M

Pre-Tax cash flow: \$1,124M

After-tax cash flow: \$696M

After-tax NPV5%: \$349M

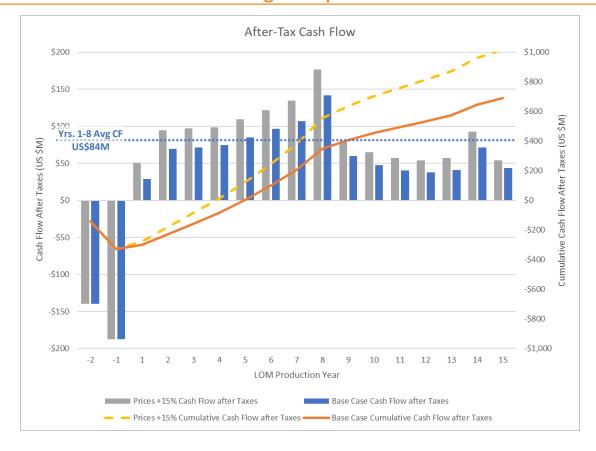
Years 1-8 Avg. Annual After-tax Cash Flow: \$84M

All Metal Price (Ag, Cu, Pb, Zn) Sensitivity									
Metal Price	Revenue (US\$M)	NPV, after tax @ 0% (US\$M)	NPV, after tax @ 5% (US\$M)	IRR, after Tax					
Base Case	\$3,705	\$696	\$349	17.9%					
+15%	\$4,261	\$1,024	\$562	24.4%					
-15%	\$3,149	\$368	\$137	10.6%					

Projected maximum cash outlay: US\$341M

Project payback: 60 months

Higher Margin Mineralization Targeted in the First Eight Years of Production Leading to Improved Economics.



Base case: assumes (Ag- \$21.95/oz, Cu – \$3.78/lb, Pb – \$0.94/lb and Zn - \$1.33/lb)

Base Case +15% assumes (Ag- \$25.24/oz, Cu - \$4.35/lb, Pb - \$1.08/lb and Zn - \$1.53/lb

Mine Plan – LOM Production and AISC



Modelled LOM Production: 24.5 Mt @ 0.2% Cu, 1.1% Pb, 2.6% Zn, 110g/t Ag, 0.09 g/t Au - Average NSR of \$US 128/t

Modelled annual sales (net deductions, treatment and refining):

> 11.3 Moz AgEq (inc. 4.7 Mozs Ag)

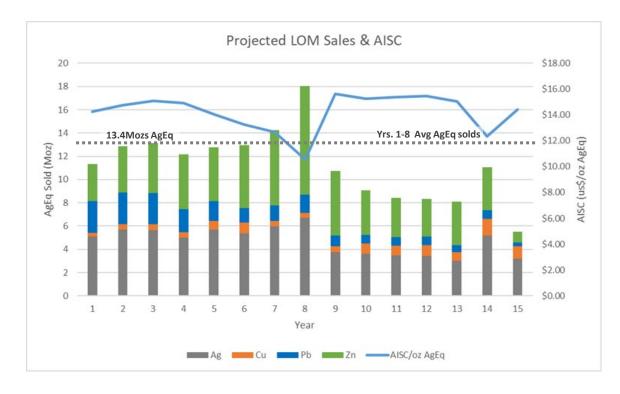
Years 1-8 average AgEq sold: 13.4Mozs AgEq

LOM Payable Silver Production: 70.8Mozs Ag

Peak Year of production - Year 8:

> 18.0Moz AgEq sold (includes 6.7 Moz Ag)

Robust AgEq Production which Peaks in Year 8



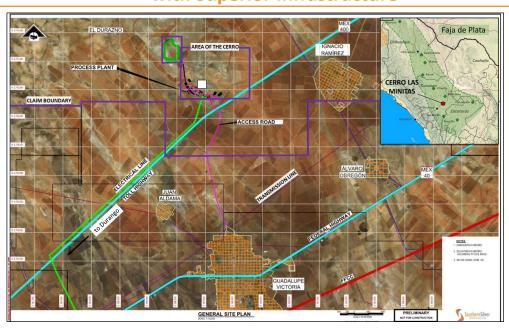
LOM Ag/Cu/Pb/Zn sales are shown on an AgEq basis based on: Ag = \$21.95/oz, Cu = \$3.78/lb, Pb = \$0.94/lb and Zn = \$1.33/lb

All-in Sustaining cost (AISC) is calculated as: Operating costs (mining, processing and G&A)
+ Incremental PTUs + Concentrate Transportation + Treatment & Refining Charges + Penalties +
Sustaining Capital + Closure Costs + Silver Revenue Royalty and is reported on using a AgEq payable basis

Infrastructure and Access



Well Located in an Active Exploration and Development Jurisdiction with Superior Infrastructure



- Safe jurisdiction, around non-narcotic related agriculture
- Located 70km NE of Durango (pop. ~650,000)
- The property is transected by infrastructure including two federal highways, a railway line and transmission lines
- Property is accessed via the town of Guadalupe Victoria (pop: ~35,000) located just 6km to the south

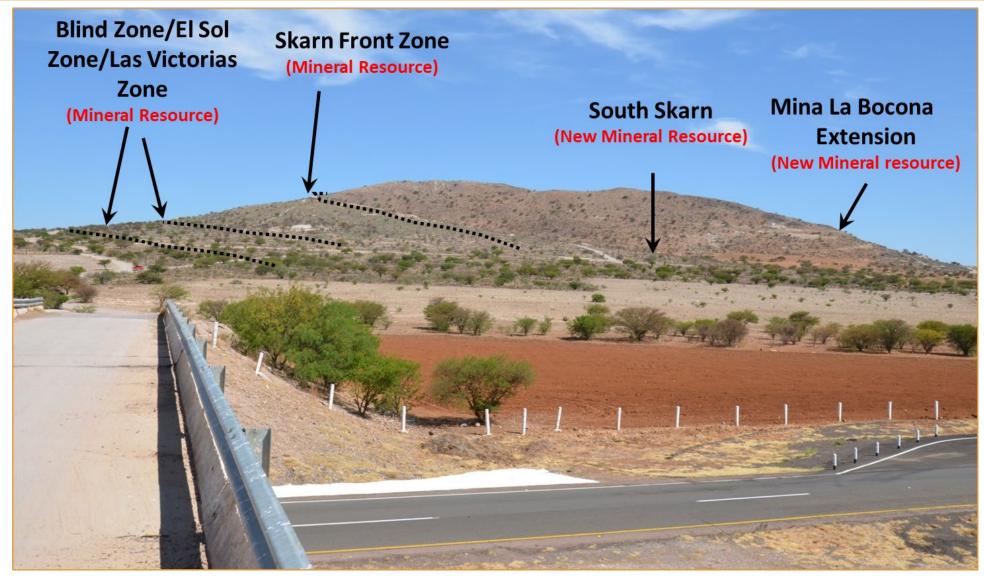
Knowledgeable and Supportive Local Community



- Exploration permits in place
- Social license initiatives: exploration access agreements in place with the local Ejido;
- Exploration/development team is embedded in the community with a local workforce
- Initiated Hydrological and Environmental baseline studies

Looking North from the Autopista (Highway)

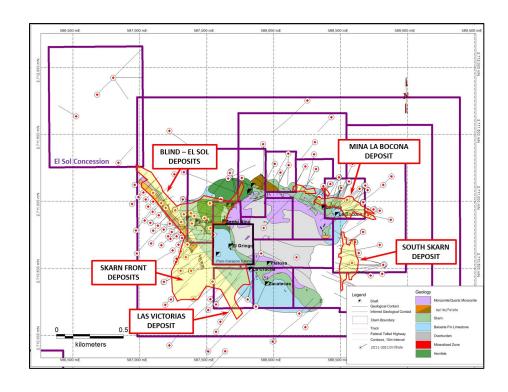




Site Geology and Deposit Distribution

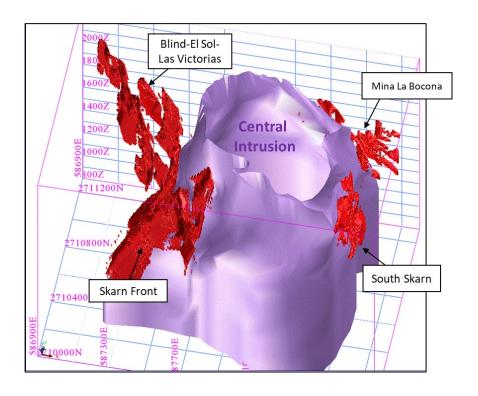


A classic Ag-Pb-Zn CRD/Skarn system hosted in similar major polymetallic Mexican deposits



- A Central Monzonite acts as the heat pump to the mineralizing system
- Historic Mines are localized in the skarn/hornfelsed margin of the monzonite

Six deposits make up the current Mineral Resources



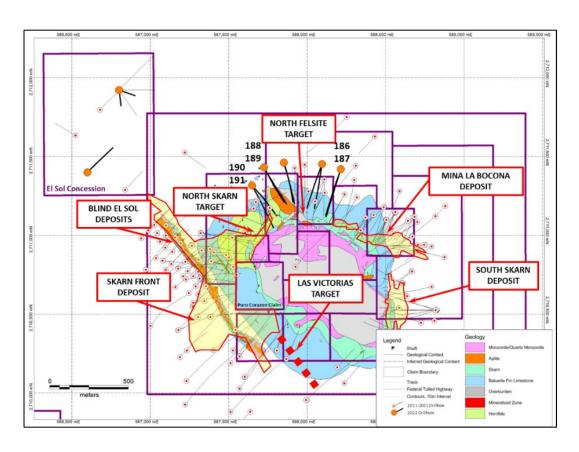
- Mineralization is localized in sub-vertical structures and on dyke margins in the Blind and El Sol deposits; and
- Semi-massive and massive sulphide lenses occur at the marble-skarn transition, adjacent to the monzonite contact in the Skarn Front, South Skarn and Mina La Bocona deposits

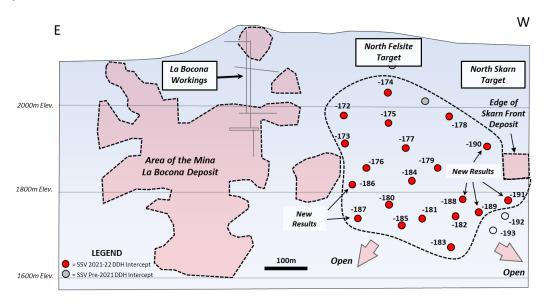
New Discoveries and Resource Expansion



Over 15,000 metres of drilling have been completed along the northeast and northern targets in 2021-22

Drilling has now identified a 400 metre strike—length of mineralization connecting the Mina La Bocona to the Skarn Front Deposits





- 21CLM-175: 0.8m grading 2169 g/t AgEq within 1.9m averaging 1530 g/t AgEq
- 21CLM-177: 0.7m grading 1040 g/t AgEq within 5.8m averaging 308 g/t AgEq
- 21CLM-177: 3.0m averaging <u>713 g/t AgEq</u> within 11.8m averaging <u>336 g/t AgEq</u>
- 21CLM-179: 0.4m grading 1028 g/t AgEq within 2.6m averaging 561 g/t AgEq
- 21CLM-191: 1.5m averaging <u>1463 g/t AgEq</u> within 4.0m averaging <u>617 g/t AgEq</u>

Next Steps



Work on the Cerro Las Minitas project over the coming months will continue to de-risk the project and add further value in preparation for the next stage of assessment

ESG - Continuing on the Pathway to Production

- Establish permitting parameters
- Environmental/Hydrology baseline studies
- Social/Government engagement

Preparation for Next Phase of Economic Assessment

- Establish Budgeting for:
 - ➤ Infill drilling: spacing study is underway
 - > Geotech program
 - > Further metallurgical testwork

Technical Opportunities to Upgrade the Project Economics

- Adding mineral resources which may include further exploration drilling
- Ore-sorting to reduce plant size and tailings
- Evaluate gold recovery from both sulphide and oxide sources and impact on the cash-flow model

Oro and Hermanas Project





US Exploration

Southern continues to advance two earlier stage projects in southern New Mexico, giving the shareholder additional exposure to copper, gold and silver



- Oro Project
 - Large Laramide Cu-Mo-Au
 Porphyry system
- > Hermanas
 - Widespread Au-Ag epithermal vein system.

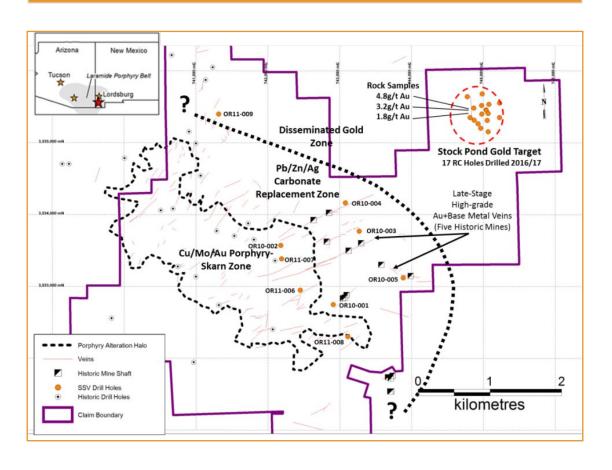


The Company has Identified Favorable Targets to Provide Investors an Exposure to Copper

Oro Project, southern New Mexico

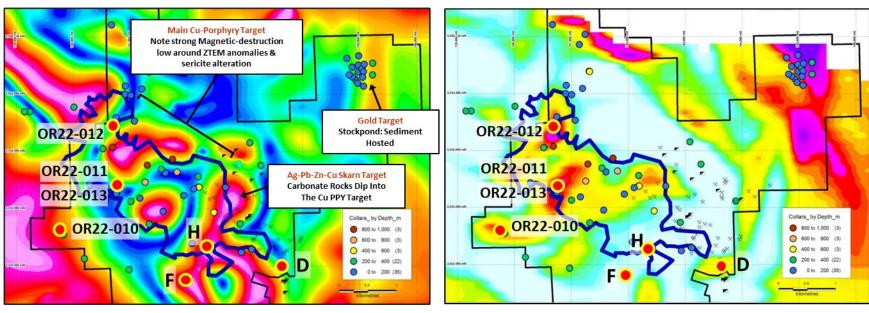
- 100% owned by SSV
- +\$5 million spend in Acquisition and Exploration
- 4050m core hole program completed
- 22.4 sq. km comprised of 8 mineral patents; 2 state leases; BLM Mineral Claims
- Geology Favorable for Large Porphyry Discovery
 - Classic porphyry system zonation
 - Near surface gold target; focus of recently concluded drill program
 - Target is deposit similar to El Chino (P+P reserves of 301Mt of 0.38%Cu) or Tyrone (P+P reserves of 59Mt at 0.32% Cu)¹
- Exploration Summary:
 - +300 line-kilometres Airborne Z-TEM survey completed over entire property to define potential Cu-Mo porphyry targets
 - New gold and Cu-Mo porphyry targets identified

Property Map



^{1.} All Reserves on this page are derived from company annual reports and are as of December 31st, 2014





Selected Drill Targets (A to H) with RTP Magnetics @ 400m depth for background; high magnetic signature in red/magenta

Selected Drill Targets (A to H) with ZTEM Conductivity @ 400m depth; high conductive zones in red/magenta;

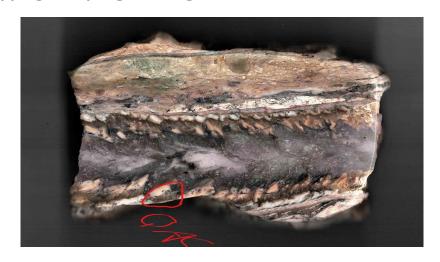
- Large zone of Magnetic-destruction coincident with conductive zones and surface sericite alteration
- Historic drillholes either terminated too early or drilled wide intervals of anomalous Cu-Au mineralization immediately adjacent to best ZTEM
 anomalies, which remain untested
- High potential for discovery of productive Cu-porphyry system at depth
- 4050m Core Drilling program recently completed; assays pending from two holes



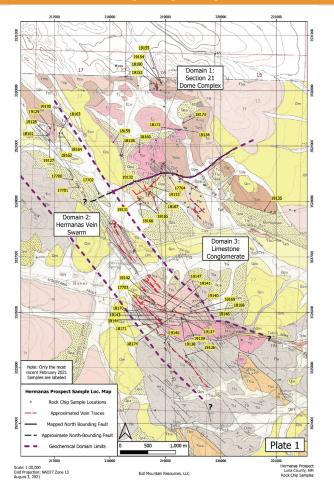
New Acquisition Provides Exposure to Large Au-Ag Vein System

Hermanas Project, southern New Mexico

- Newly optioned from Bud and Nick Hillemeyer and Perry Durning
- Optioned by SSV to own 100%
- Geology Favorable for Large Epithermal Vein System
 - Numerous occurrences of anomalous Au, Ag and pathfinder metals
 - High-level textures suggesting good exploration potential at depth
 - Limited historic drilling
- Mapping, Sampling and Target Definition in Q1-Q2 2022



Property Map



Why Southern Silver





Diverse Assets

Property Package with
Exposure to both
Precious and Base/EV
Metals

PEA Results

Highlights Robust Asset
Value of the CLM Project

Ongoing

CLM: ESG, Permitting, Engineering Upgrades Fall'22

Ongoing

Oro: Assays Pending
Hermanas: Drill
Permitting for 2023

1. The exploration target is conceptual in nature and relies on projections of mineralization that are beyond the standard CIM classification of mineral resources and should not be relied on as a mineral resource estimate

Southern Silver



Appendices

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2021 Resource Estimate



- 2021 Mineral Resource Estimate (as of October 27, 2021 using a US\$60/t NSR cut-off);
 - Indicated 137Moz AgEq 42.1Moz Ag, 44Mlb Cu, 358Mlb Pb and 895Mlb Zn (347g/t AgEq; or US\$130 NSR/t)
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Indicated Reso	urces		Average Grade						Contained Metal							
Zone	Tonnes	Ag	Au	Pb	Zn	Cu	AgEq	ZnEq	NSR	Ag TrOz	Au TrOz	Pb	Zn	Cu	AgEq TrOz	ZnEq Lbs
	(Kt)	(g/t)	(g/t)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(g/t)	(%)	(US\$/t)	(000's)	(000's)	(MIbs)	(Mlbs)	(Mlbs)	(000's)	(Mlbs)
Blind Zone	2,347	97	0.04	1.9	2.1	0.11	295	7.2	108	7,350	3	99	109	5.5	22,291	371
El Sol Zone	1,154	80	0.04	2.2	2.0	0.09	279	6.8	100	2,956	2	55	51	2.2	10,337	172
Skarn Front Zone	7,254	108	0.06	8.0	4.2	0.19	383	9.3	140	25,106	14	126	678	30.7	89,421	1,490
Bocona Zone	1,571	132	0.19	2.2	1.6	0.17	302	7.3	136	6,688	10	77	56	6.0	15,275	255
Total	12,325	106	0.07	1.3	3.3	0.16	347	8.4	130	42,100	28	358	895	44	137,323	2,288

Inferred Resour	ces		Average Grade					Contained Metal								
Zone	Tonnes	Ag	Au	Pb	Zn	Cu	AgEq	ZnEq	NSR	Ag TrOz	Au TrOz	Pb	Zn	Cu	AgEq TrOz	ZnEq Lbs
	(Kt)	(g/t)	(g/t)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(g/t)	(%)	(US\$/t)	(000's)	(000's)	(Mlbs)	(Mlbs)	(Mlbs)	(000's)	(MIbs)
Blind Zone	1,347	83	0.14	1.4	1.8	0.06	248	6.0	88	3,582	6	40	55	2	10,749	179
El Sol Zone	863	65	0.03	1.8	2.3	0.05	263	6.4	90	1,816	1	35	43	1	7,283	121
Las Victorias Zone	1,083	148	0.66	2.1	2.6	0.14	431	10.5	145	5,152	23	51	62	3	15,006	250
Skarn Front Zone	11,466	115	0.05	0.7	2.7	0.32	318	7.7	126	42,462	18	177	687	80	117,065	1,951
South Skarn Zone	3,789	140	0.18	2.0	1.3	0.09	309	7.5	130	17,007	22	167	112	7	37,660	628
Bocona Zone	1,057	106	0.20	1.3	2.2	0.18	293	7.1	117	3,589	7	30	51	4	9,950	166
Total	19,605	117	0.12	1.2	2.3	0.23	314	7.6	123	73,610	78	500	1,009	98	197,712	3,295

Notes:

- 1) The current Resource Estimate was prepared by Garth Kirkham, P.Geo., of Kirkham Geosystems Ltd.
- 2) All mineral resources have been estimated in accordance with Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy and Petroleum ("CIM") definitions, as required under National Instrument 43-101 ("NI43-101").
- 3) Mineral resources were constrained using continuous mining units demonstrating reasonable prospects of eventual economic extraction.
- 4) Silver Equivalents were calculated from the interpolated block values using relative recoveries and prices between the component metals and silver to determine a final AgEq value. The same methodology was used to calculate the ZnEq value.
- 5) Silver Equivalents and NSR\$/t values were calculated using average long-term prices of \$20/oz. silver, \$1,650/oz. gold, \$3.25/lb. copper, \$1.0/lb. lead and \$1.20/lb. zinc. All prices are stated in \$USD.
- 6) Mineral resources are not mineral reserves until they have demonstrated economic viability. Mineral resource estimates do not account for a resource's mineability, selectivity, mining loss, or dilution.
- 7) An Inferred Mineral Resource has a lower level of confidence than that applying to an Indicated Mineral Resource and must not be converted to a Mineral Reserve. It is reasonably expected that the majority of Inferred Mineral Resources could be upgraded to Indicated Mineral Resources with continued exploration.
- All figures are rounded to reflect the relative accuracy of the estimate and therefore numbers may not appear to add precisely 0.

Mining Capital



Capital Expenditures

Plant and Infrastructure Capex of \$275M is distributed on a 40% (Yr -2), 55% (Yr -1), 5% (Yr 1) basis

Costing utilizes a mining contactor model

Initial Capital: US\$341M

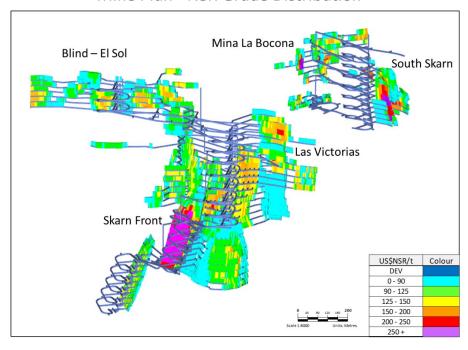
Total Capital: US\$509M

Plant and Infrastructure Capital includes a 25% contingency (US\$55M)

Capital Cost Breakdown

ltem	Total (\$M)
Process Plant and Infrastructure	
Project Directs including freight	\$185
Project Indirects	\$35
Contingency	\$55
Sub-Total	\$275
Process Pre-production	\$3
Mining	
Pre-Production Capital Costs	\$63
Total Initial Capital Costs	\$341
Sustaining Capital	\$168
Total Capital Costs	\$509

Mine Plan - NSR Grade Distribution



Head Grades and Tonnes Processed

HEAD GRADES	Units	Y1-8	Y9-15	LOM
Total Tonnes Processed	(kt)	14,325	10,125	24,451
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Mine Plan – Design Concept



Current Mine Plan Utilizes Efficient Bulk-Mining Underground Methods

LOM Production: 24.5 Mt @ 0.2% Cu, 1.1 % Pb, 2.6 % Zn, 110 Ag, 0.09 g/t Au - Average NSR of \$US 128 /t

Mining and Development:

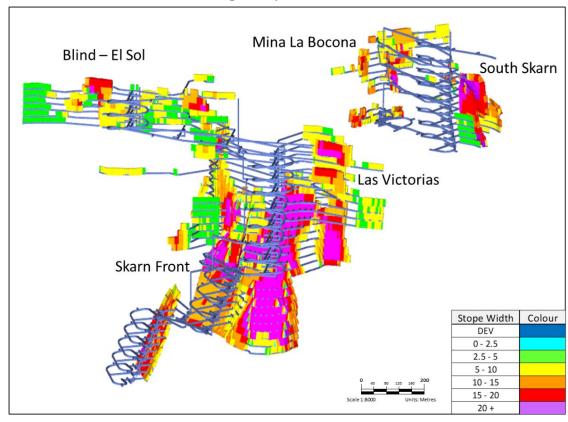
- Longhole stoping with paste backfill
- SF = Hanging Wall Ramp with Longitudinal and Transverse
- SS / MLB = Footwall Ramp with Longitudinal Stoping
- Mine schedule is based on equipment quantities and productivities

Surface stockpile builds up to approximately 1.27 Mt

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Processed Tonnages and Higher Grade Mineralization is Scheduled Forward

Average Stope Width



Sales – TCs and RCs



The project is expected to produce three clean, high-quality concentrates with minimal penalty elements

Batch/Locked cycle testwork/variability testwork programs over four years have confirmed:

- ➤ A Cu-Pb-Zn sequential flotation flowsheet for processing the sulphide mineralization
- Arsenic is efficiently rejected to tails; 80% of the ROM gold reports to the pyrite/arsenopyrite-rich concentrate

The high Ag grade in the Pb concentrate makes it attractive to smelters

Low penalty elements:

- Cd (in solution with Zn) (\$49/t conc.)
- ➤ Sb (in solution with Pb) being the major source of Pb penalties (\$27/t conc)

TCs: US\$96/wmt (wet metric tonnes) for Pb concentrate and US\$106/wmt for Zn concentrate.; moisture – 8.5%

Modelled Metal Recoveries

Item	Pb Conc.	Zn Conc.	Cu Conc.
Pb Recovery	88%		
Zn Recovery		93%	
Cu Recovery			60%
Ag Recovery	84%	7%	0%
Au Recovery			
Payable Metals	Pb, Ag	Zn, Ag	Cu
Concentrate grade,			
(primary base metal)	65%	53%	27%

Refining and Treatment

	Ag	Cu	Pb	Zn
Cu Concentrate				
Average Concentrate Grade LOM	-	27%	-	-
Payable Metal	-	95%	-	-
Minimum Deduction		1 unit		
Pb Concentrate				
Average Concentrate Grade LOM	6,350g/t	-	64.90%	-
Payable Metal	95%	-	95%	-
Minimum Deduction	50g/t	-	3 Units	-
Zn Concentrate				
Average Concentrate Grade LOM	179g/t	-	-	53.50%
Payable Metal	70%	-	-	85%
Minimum Deduction	3oz/t	_	-	8 units

Operations – Process Flowsheet



The Operating Costs Reflect Underground Mining of Polymetallic Sulphide Mineralization

Operating costs are broken down into Mining, Processing, G&A and Treatment and Refining costs, plus additional production charges including government royalty, employee profit sharing and closure expenses.

Breakdown of Operating cost

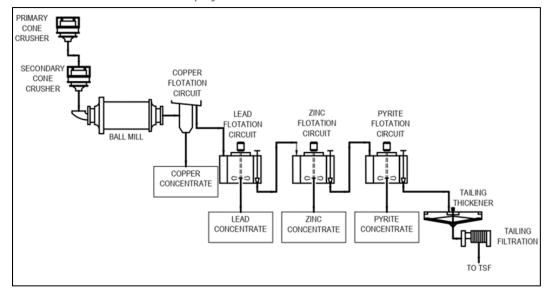
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Area	US\$/mt ore processed
Mine Operating Cost	\$38.74
Process Plant Operating Cost	\$15.12
G & A	\$3.59
Treatment & Refining Charges	\$22.66
Operating Cost	\$80.10
Royalties - Revenue	\$0.32
PTU-Profit Sharing	\$4.15
Closure & Salvage Value	\$0.17
Other Production Cost	\$4.63
Total	\$84.74

The Process Flowsheet Utilizes Conventional Sulphide Flotation and Produces Three Filtered Concentrates For Sale

The Flowsheet Includes:

- primary and secondary crushing
- a closed-circuit ball mill grinding; and
- a fourth pyrite-arsenopyrite-rich concentrate will be produced and sequestered.

Simplified Process Flowsheet



Opportunities



The PEA has modelled robust annual average cashflow in the first eight years of production. New work will focus on increasing that value particularly in the later years of operation

Mine Life Extension:

- New mineralization added in the North Felsite and North Skarn areas in 2021-22. Other areas with exploration potential:
 - Las Victorias area
 - down-dip extensions in the La Bocona and South Skarn target

High Margin Options:

 Higher payable subsets of the Mine Production Schedule to be evaluated

Upgrade Resource:

 Infill drilling will upgrade resources into the M&I classification will increase confidence in the Mineral Resource estimate, potentially increase the value of and further de-risk the project

Gold Upside:

- Gold is not included as a payable in the current processing flowsheet
- Recent metallurgical testwork confirms a pyrite/arsenopyrite-rich concentrate containing 80% of the ROM gold. Further work is required to determine Aurecovery from this concentrate
- 270,000 tonnes of Au-Ag-enriched oxide mineralization is not included in the flowsheet and could be used to augment recovered gold from the pyrite-arsenopyrite-concentrate

Ore-Sorting:

 Positive initial test results suggest significant waste rejection and retention of mineral value. Further work is required