

Gryphon Minerals Limited

On track for gold production & further discoveries

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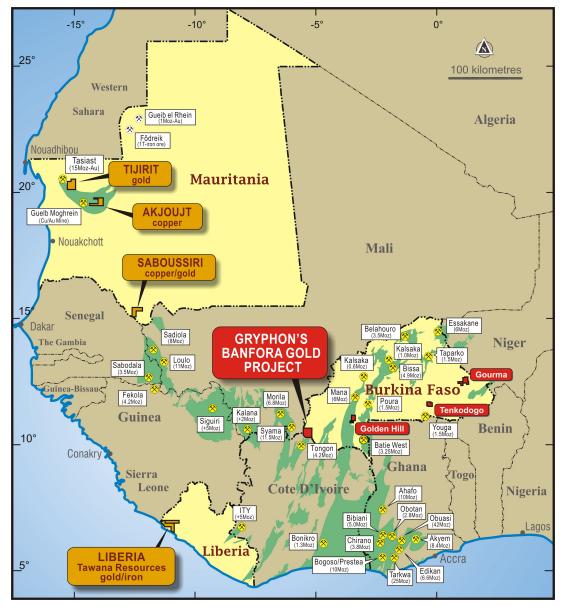
# A clear path to production & unlocking the exploration potential



- ••• A\$37M Cash & Investments with US\$60M Project Debt Mandated¹
- Proven Development Team with +20 projects built across Africa
- 3.6Moz Banfora Gold Project
  - -Low cost, high margin, start up Heap Leach Operation
  - -Easily up-scalable from project cash flow
  - -Fully Permitted
  - -Resource growth through near mine oxide targets
- Highly prospective West Africa exploration pipeline



Gryphon's Projects | Dominant Land Position



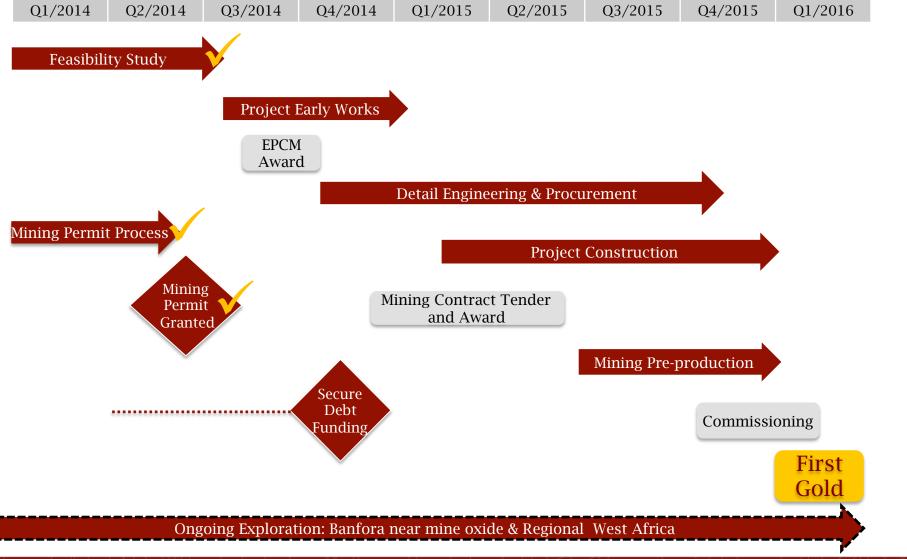


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# Banfora Gold Project | Development timeline





## Burkina Faso | "Land of the honest & upright men"

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- ••• New modern mining code "Burkina Faso is open for business"
- Moved from zero gold production to 4th largest gold producer in Africa
- ••• 8 new gold mines operating in the last 5 years
- Under explored & highly prospective
- Strong Government support
- Large representation of international mining companies
- Established precedents for fast permitting and financing in recent mines









# Robust Economics & highly leveraged to rising gold prices



- Low Capex
- Low Cash Costs
- Low All-In Sustaining Costs
- ••• High Grade Heap Leach
- High Margins
- 18 Months Construction
- •• First Gold Q1 2016

		2Mtpa start- up Heap Leach FS				
Gold Price US\$/oz		\$1250	\$1350	\$1450		
Physicals (pit shells at US\$125	50)					
Plant feed	Mt	17.4	17.4	17.4		
Gold grade	g/t	1.5	1.5	1.5		
Strip ratio	W:O	3.4	3.4	3.4		
Annual production	koz/yr	70	70	70		
Production first 4yrs	Koz/yr	80	80	80		
Gold Reserves	koz	826	826	826		
Mine Life	Yr	9.2	9.2	9.2		

Cash cost (C1)	US\$/oz	\$743	\$743	\$743
Cash costs (C1) first 4yrs	US\$/oz	\$707	\$707	\$707
All- in sustaining costs **	US\$	\$868	\$868	\$868
Initial capital cost*	US\$M	\$96.8M	\$96.8M	\$96.8M

Revenue US\$M	\$808	\$873	\$938	
Project cashflow US\$M	\$133	\$186	\$246	
NPV @ 5% US\$M	\$81	\$121	\$167	
IRR after taxes***	22%	29%	37%	

Pit shells were run at \$1250 only

<sup>\*</sup> Initial Capital Costs includes contingencies and project working capital

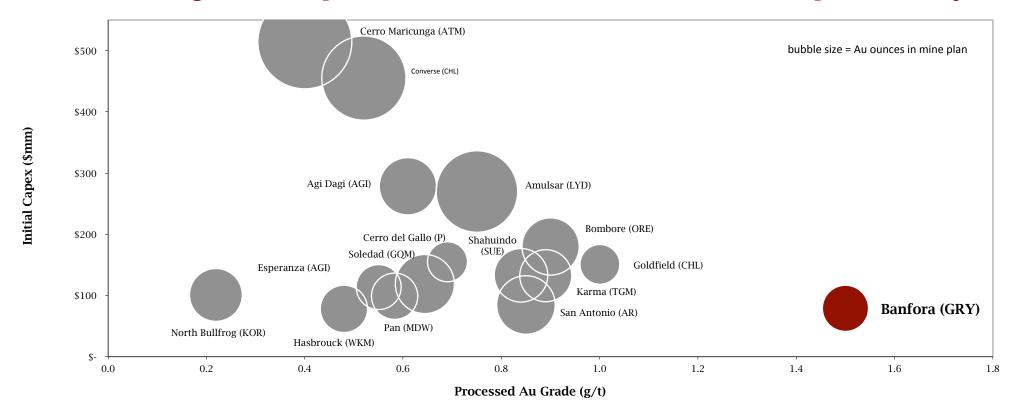
<sup>\*\*</sup> All- In Sustaining Costs (AISC) includes C1 cash costs, royalties, refining costs & sustaining capital

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Includes all taxes excluding income tax

## Exceptional gold grade of 1.5g/t vs Heap Leach Peers



### Contrasting Initial Capex and Processed Grades for select Heap Leach Projects

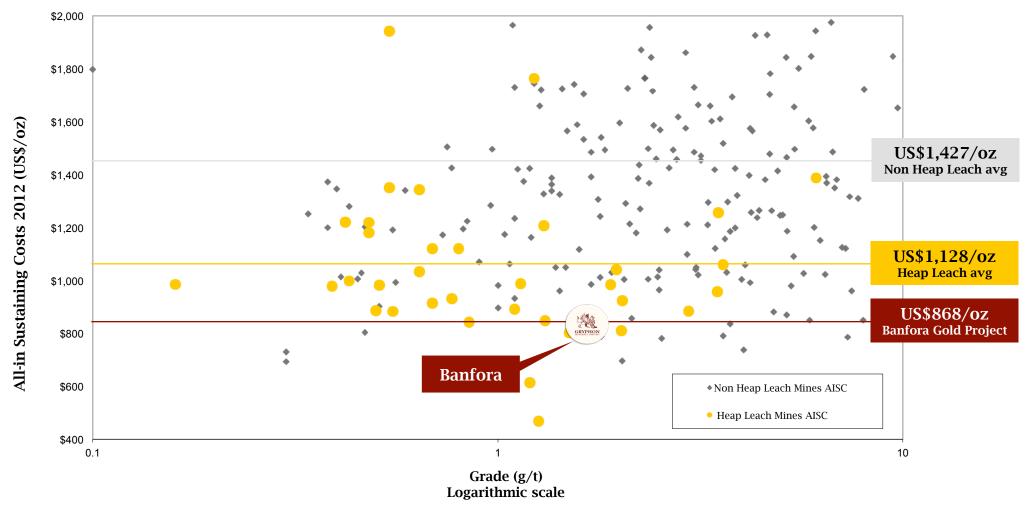


## Robust economics in low gold prices Highly leveraged to higher gold prices

# Heap Leach vs CIL operations worldwide



## Banfora Gold Project All-In Sustaining Costs Very Low vs Peers

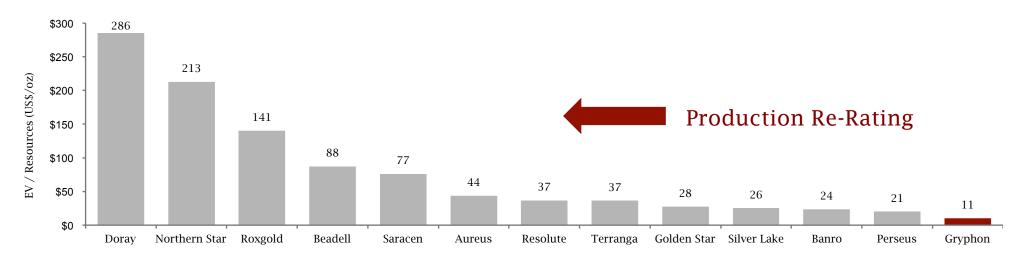


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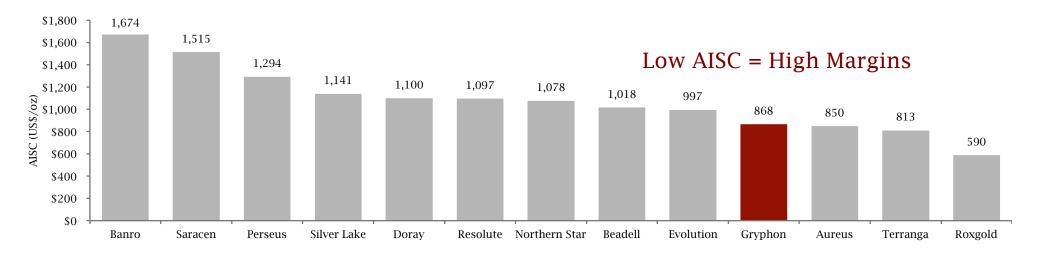
## Market Valuation Peer Comparisons

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## Enterprise Value/Resource oz

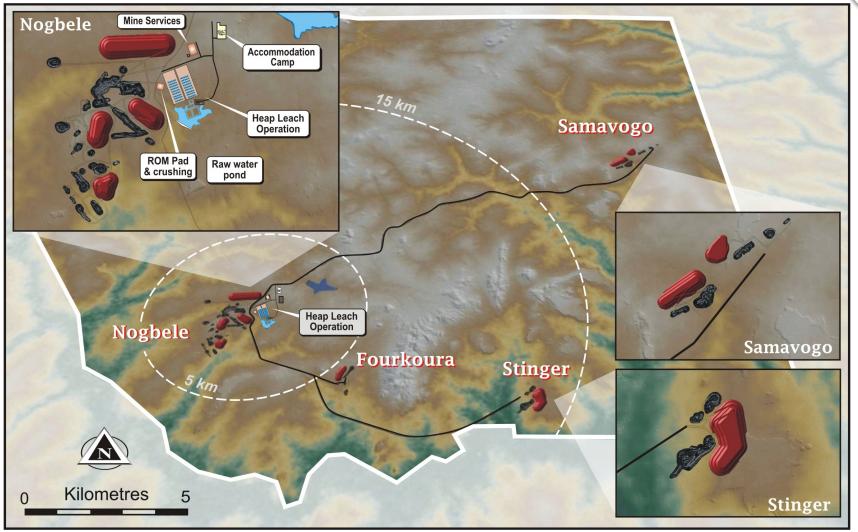


## All-In Sustaining Costs



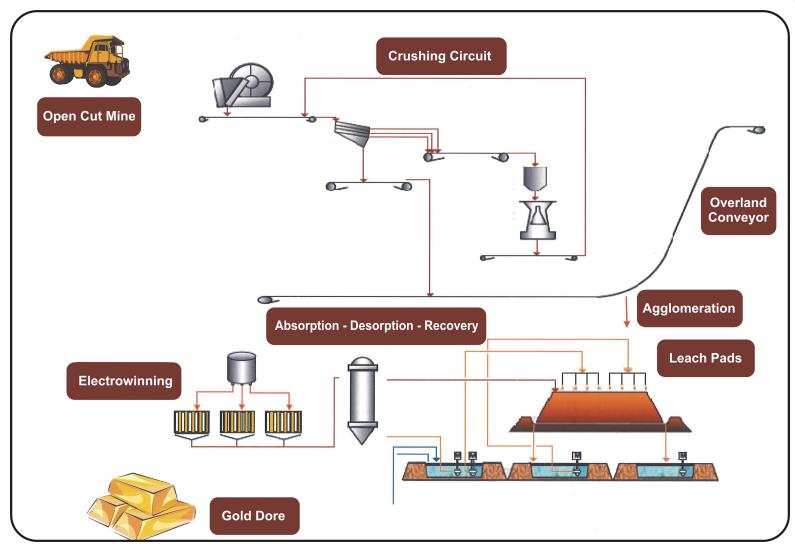
# Banfora Gold Project | Heap Leach Project & Plant Layout





# Banfora Gold Project | Conventional Heap Leaching Process

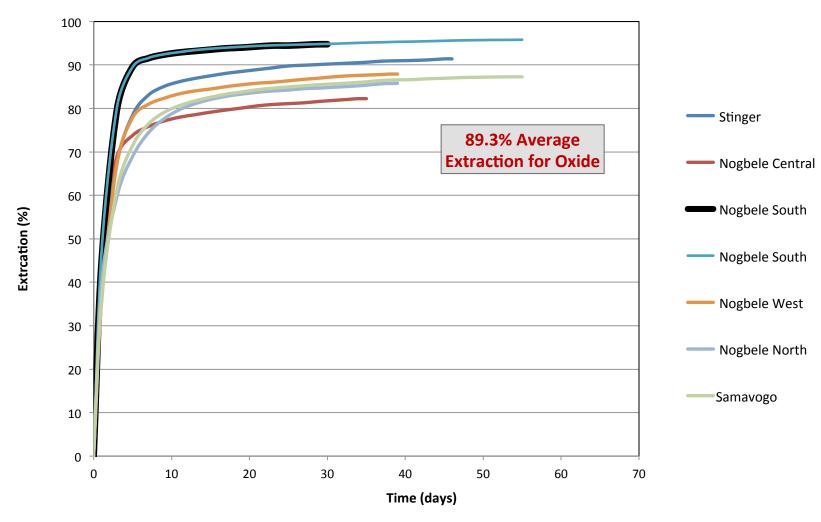




# Banfora Gold Project | Oxide Leach Extraction Testwork

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### Column Test Gold Extraction vs Time for Oxide Ores



## Banfora Gold Project | Proven Development Team



#### Bruce McFadzean | Non-Exec Director

Mining Engineer +30 years management, mining and processing experience.

- •••Currently CEO and MD of Mawson West building a copper project in the Congo
- •••Previously CEO and MD of Evolution Mining Limited
- ••••Involved in building & operating a large number of mining operations in Australia Indonesia and Africa

#### Steven Zaninovich | Chief Operating Officer

Over 20 years experience including 10 years in West Africa building gold mines

- •••Previously Project Director at Newmont's \$1Bn Akyem Gold Project in Ghana (7Moz) scheduled to produce 8.5Mtpa
- •••Other specific Gold Project experience includes:
- •••Tarkwa Phase IV (Gold Fields); Bibiani Gold Mine (Ashanti Goldfields);
- •••Chirano Gold Mine (Redback, now Kinross)

#### Roux Terblanche | Project Development Manager

- •••Project management professional
- •••+ 15 years mining construction experience
- ••••Worked on numerous gold projects including: Tarkwa Phase IV, Chirano and recently as Manager of Construction at Newmont's Akyem Mine (Ghana)
- •••Ex Director at Group Five Projects (South Africa)
- •••Extensive site experience in Africa including: Ghana, South Africa, DRC, Botswana and Burkina Faso

#### Stuart Cruickshanks | Principal Mining Engineer

- •••Ex-RSG / Coffey Mining Associate
- •••+18years operational & technical experience
- •••Africa experience: Damang extension project for Gold Fields (Ghana), Sabodala (Senegal), LEFA Corridor (Guinea) and Golden Pride (Tanzania)

#### Simon Bolster | Head of Exploration

- •••A history of exploration and discoveries across 15 African countries
- ••• West African projects includes: Sadiola, Morila and Syama (Mali); Ahafo and Akyem (Ghana); Geita and Buzwagi (Tanzania)

+20 Mines built in Africa

Proven mine development experience

Major project development experience

Operational mining experience

Strong history of excellent Corporate and Social Responsibility management

# A Strong Track Record

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#### **Board of Directors**

#### **Steve Parsons | Managing Director**

Geologist with over 20 years experience including over 10 years in African.

- ••• A history of discoveries with previous miners incl. Rio Tinto & PDAP
- Founder of Gryphon Minerals.

#### Mel Ashton | Non Executive Chairman

Chartered Accountant & Director of Institute of Chartered Accountants, Australia.

•• Former Managing Partner Ashton Read Specialist Receivers and Administrators

#### **Didier Murcia | Non Executive Director**

Lawyer, French speaking & understanding of the French legal system .

- Honorary Consul for Tanzania.
- •• Ex Non-Exec Director Gindalbie which grew from \$10M to \$1Bn market capitalisation through building the \$2.5Bn Karara iron ore mine in West Australia.

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#### Matthew Bowles | Corporate Development

- •• Ex Executive Director M&A, Mining & Resources, Ernst & Young.
- Ex Rio Tinto finance & strategy.
- •••-15yrs experience in corporate finance in mining and resources.

#### Michael Naylor | Chief Financial Officer

- ••• 8+ years experience in the financial management of resource focused public companies, +5yrs West Africa with Resolute Mining.
- •• Extensive experience in financial reporting, capital raisings, debt financings and treasury management of gold companies.

## Banfora Gold Project | Highly Leveraged to upside



- Shallow near pit reserve and reserve growth
- Depth Extensions below the pits
- Low cost easy upscaling of plant with project cash flow
- Further Optimisation studies & second hand equipment
- Silver Credits
- Exploration discovery



**Community Development Demonstration Village** 

## Banfora Gold Project | Depth Extensions



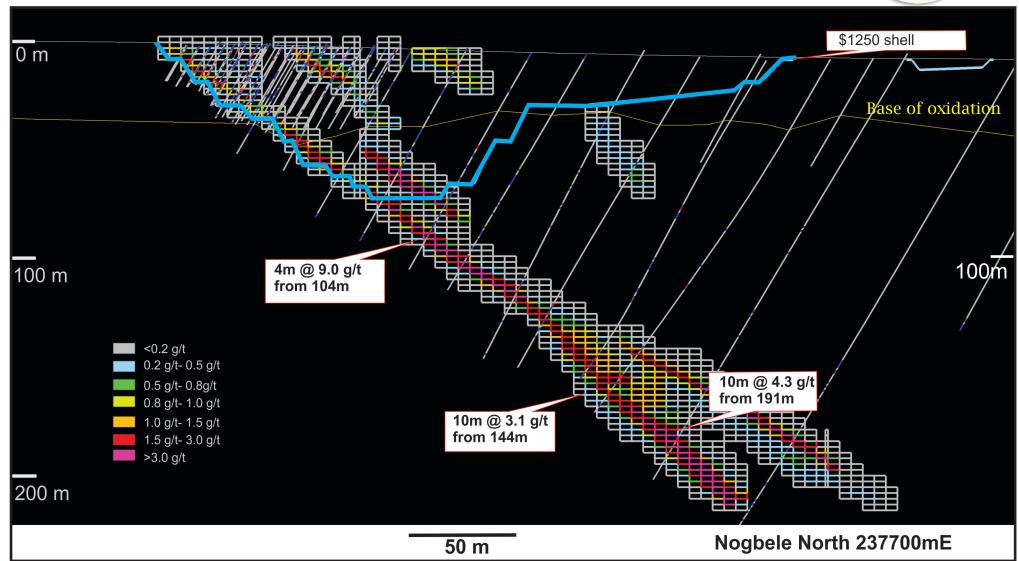
- Significant potential to push the pits below the current heap leach pit inventory
- Potential for future CIL plant feed in primary material as well as underground potential

# Mineral resources below 50 metres vertical depth that sit outside the Heap Leach pit shells @ 1.0g/t Lower Cut

Lower		Measure	ed	Indicated		Measured + Indicated		Inferred			Total				
cut (g/t)	Tons (Mt)	Grade g/t Au	Gold (Moz)	Tons (Mt)	Grade g/t Au	Gold (Moz)	Tons (Mt)	Grade g/t Au	Gold (Moz)	Tons (Mt)	Grade g/t Au	Gold (Moz)	Tons (Mt)	Grade g/t Au	Gold (Moz)
1.0	1.3	2.1	0.1	19	2.0	1.2	20	2.0	1.3	7	1.8	0.4	27	2.0	1.7

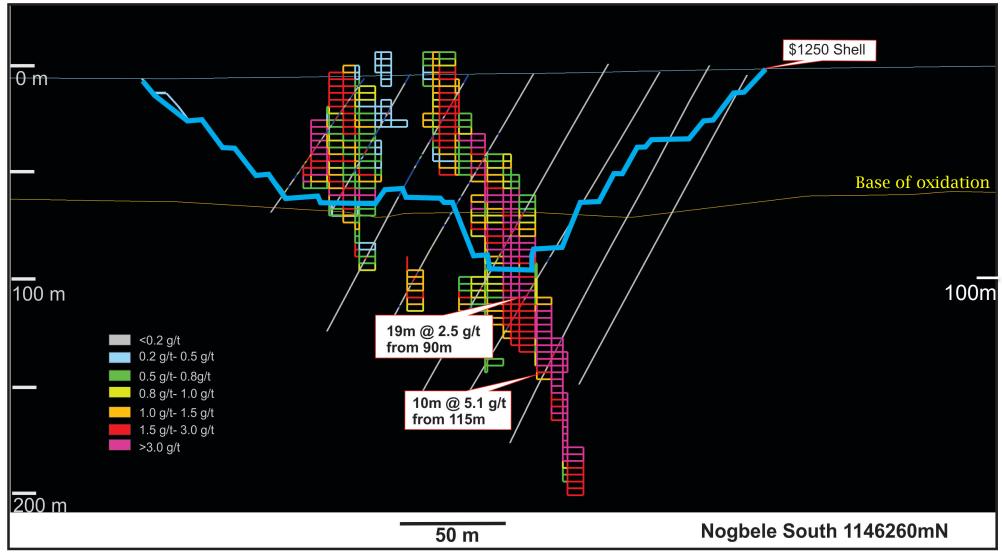
# Depth extensions below Nogbele North pit





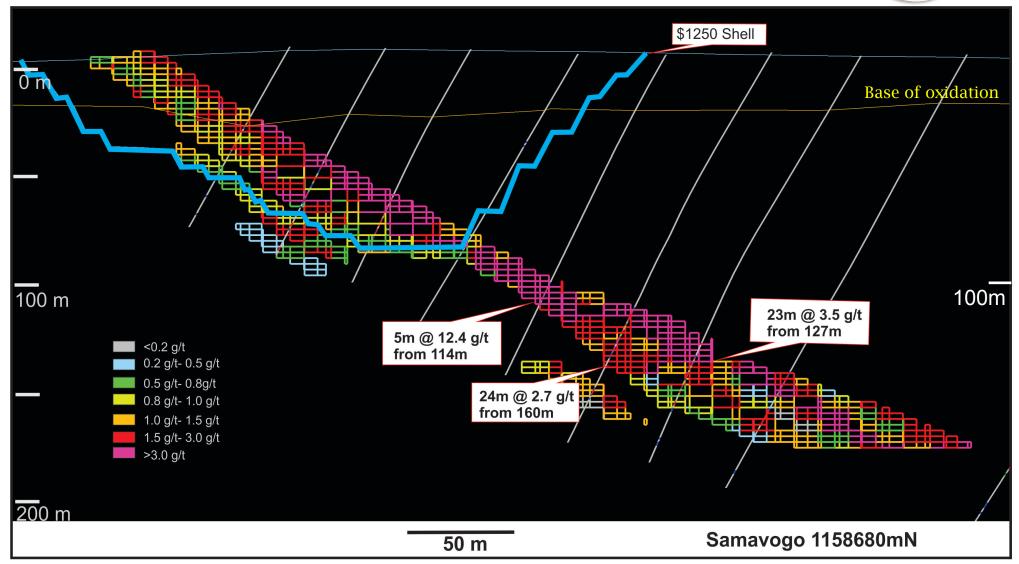
# Depth extensions below Nogbele South pit





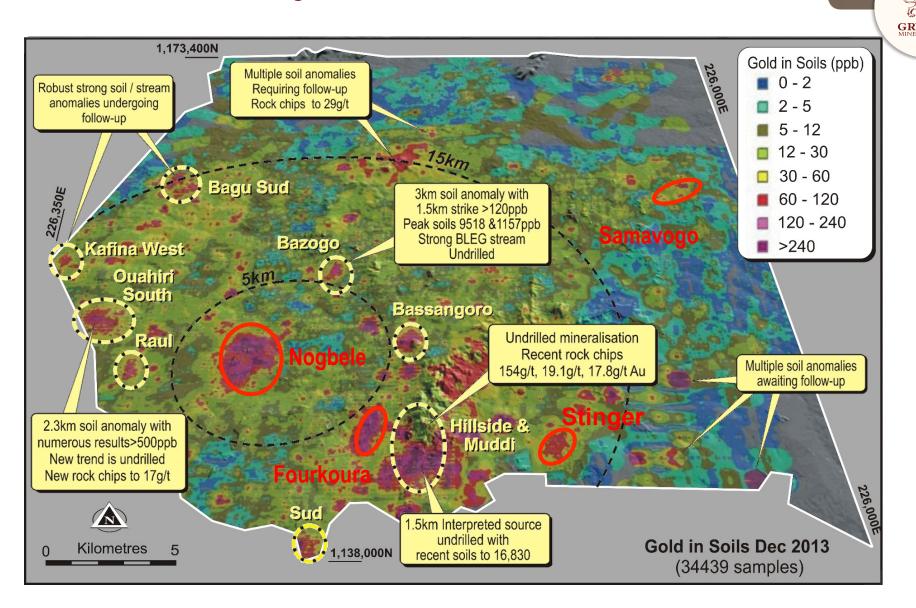
# Depth extensions below Samavogo pit



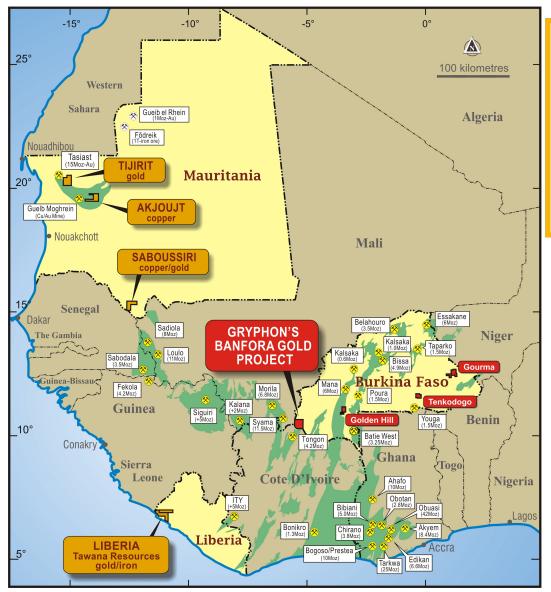


Refer to ASX releases 30/08/2010, 07/03/2012, 17/11/2011.

## Banfora Gold Project | Further discoveries are inevitable



Gryphon's Projects | World Class Exploration Pipeline





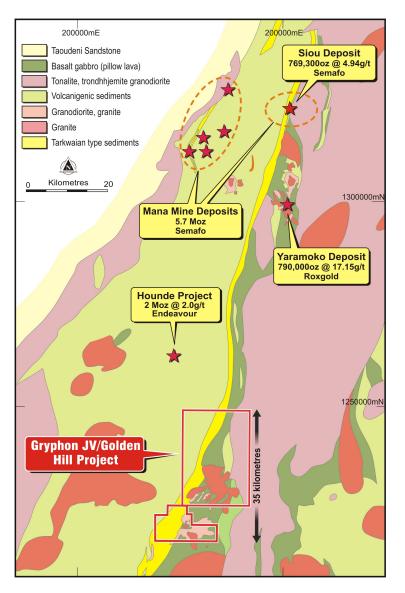
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## Burkina Faso Joint Venture | Golden Hill Project

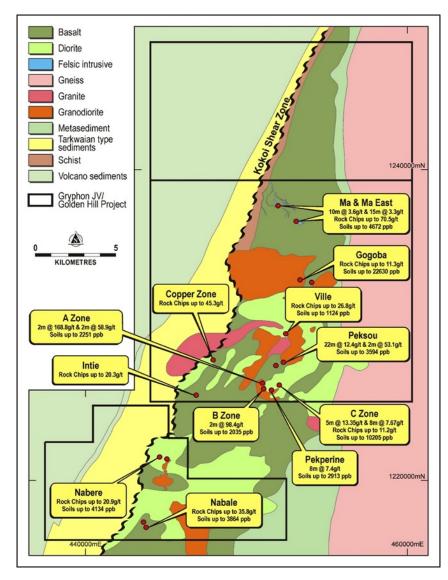




- ••• Simple earn in Joint Venture
- Significant exposure to highly prospective ground on the prolific Houndé Belt, Burkina Faso
- Houndé Belt hosts Semafo's flagship 6Moz Mana Mine and Endeavour's 2Moz Houndé project
- Golden Hill along strike from Semafo's new high grade Siou deposit (769koz @ 4.94g/t Au) and Roxgold's Yaramoko project (790koz @ 17.1g/t Au)
- ••• In line with Gryphon's low cost exploration strategy Earn In Joint Venture

## Burkina Faso Joint Venture | Golden Hill Project





- ••• Numerous prospective targets
- Gryphon's exploration to identify and priorities targets for drill testing
- Soil & BLEG sampling underway first results due Q3 2014
- ••• Historical drill results include:
  - **2m** @ **168.80g/t** gold from 22m in hole RC97-075
  - **2m** @ **98.40g/t** gold from 4m in hole RC98-148
  - **2m** @ **58.90g/t** gold from 2m in hole RC97-82
  - **2m** @ **53.14g/t** gold from 24m in hole IRC01-01
  - **22m** @ **12.35g/t** gold from 22m in hole IRC01-19

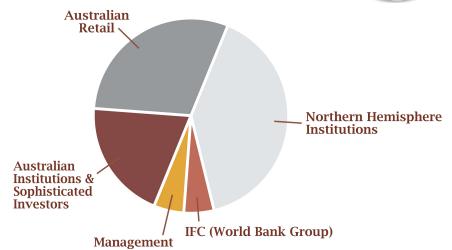
# **Corporate Overview**



#### Capital Structure & Cash Position

Shares	401M
Current Share Price 1	\$0.16
Market Capitalisation	\$64M
Excellent Liquidity	+2M shares/ day
Top 20 Shareholders	53%
Cash & Investments <sup>2</sup>	\$37M

#### World Class Shareholder Base



### 1 year share price



# Extensive Analyst Coverage



Firm	Analyst	Recommendation	ı Firm	Analyst	Recommendation
BMO A	Andrew Breichman	Market Perform	GMP Securities Griffiths McBurney	Conrad Mulherin	Hold
CLARUS SECURITIES INC.	Nana Sangmuah	Speculative Buy	Hartleys	Scott Williamson	Speculative Buy
	Jonathan Guy	Sector Perform	MACQUARIE	Ben Crowley	Outperform
PARADIGM	Don Maclean	Speculative	CREDIT SUISSE	Michael Slifirski	Outperform
CAPITAL	Buy		<b>XX RBS</b> Morgans	James Wilson	Add
			EUR ØZ SECURITIES LIMITED	Andrew Clayton	Speculative Buy
			CANACCORD Genuity	Reg Spencer	Speculative Buy

### A clear path to production & further discoveries inevitable



## **Banfora Gold Project**

- Low cost, high margin 2Mtpa start-up Heap Leach operation
- •• Fully permitted
- •Proven mine development team
- First Gold Qtr1 2016
   early site works starting Qtr3 2014
   construction period 18 months

Highly Leveraged to upside:

- increases in the gold price
- upscaling with project cash flow
- further gold discoveries inevitable

## A\$37M cash & investments US\$60M project debt mandated<sup>1</sup>

## West African exploration pipeline

- Track record of major discoveries
- •• 8000km² dominant land position
- Low cost value add exploration
- Proving up drill targets for Qtr3&4 2014
- Targeting shallow & high grade



Thank you