## **MARATHON GOLD** TSX: Moz

The Valentine Gold Camp: Orogenic Gold in Central Newfoundland, Canada

> Precious Metals Summit September 2015

# **Forward Looking Information**



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# Capital Markets Snapshot – TSX : Moz



#### Share Capitalization

Share Price (September 11, 2015)	\$0.24
52 Week Low / High	\$0.18 / \$0.47
Shares Outstanding (Basic)	87,924,392
Warrants (average price \$0.46)	8,476,445
Options (average price \$0.84)	6,572,500
Market Capitalization	~C\$21 million
Debt, Hedging, Streams, etc.	None

#### **Share Holder Summary**

High Net Worth Investors: 50% Institutional Investors: 17% Management and Board: 4% Analyst Coverage **Clarus Securities** Canaccord Genuity Mackie Research Capital **Analyst Watch List** Haywood Securities **M** Partners

# **Experienced Management**



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#### Phillip Walford, P.Geo. | President , CEO & Director

- Over 40 years in the mining industry, primarily in mining geology
- One of the founders of Marathon PGM in 2003; sold it in 2010 to Stillwater Mining for \$110 million
- Has held senior management roles at a number of companies throughout the Americas, including Marathon PGM, Anaconda Gold, Geomaque Exploration, LAC Minerals, Pamour Porcupine Mines, and Hudson Bay Exploration and Development
- Has been involved in over 20 producing mines during his career

#### Sherry Dunsworth, P.Geo. | VP of Exploration

- Over 30 years in the mining industry
- Director, Mining Industry Newfoundland and Labrador
- Former member of the Mineral Rights Adjudication Board of Newfoundland and Labrador
- Former Geoscience Councilor for the Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of Newfoundland and Labrador

#### Jim Kirke CPA, CA | CFO

- Over 15 years involvement in the mining industry
- Former CFO of BacTech Mining and Soltoro Ltd.

# Marathon Gold Projects

#### FLAGSHIP PROJECT

#### Valentine Gold Camp, Newfoundland

• 100% Owned by MOZ

#### **EXPLORATION PROJECTS**

Golden Chest, Idaho

(52% MOZ)

Bonanza Mine, NE Oregon

(100% MOZ)

Baie Verte, Newfoundland

(100% MOZ)



# Valentine Gold Camp, Newfoundland, Canada



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# Odds are 1 in 1,000 or greater that an exploration project will become a mine – The Valentine Gold Camp is beating the odds...

Summary of Resources	Open Pit (0.50 g/t Au cut-off)			Underground (3.0 g/t Au off)			Total			
Total Valentine Gold Camp Deposit (Leprechaun, Marathon, Sprite and Victory)	Tonnes (kt)	Au Grade (g/t)	Gold (oz)	Tonnes (kt)	Au Grade (g/t)	Gold (oz)	Tonnes (kt)	Au Grade (g/t)	Gold (oz)	
Measured & Indicated	13,963	2.05	919,000	1,031	4.26	141,100	14,994	2.20	1,060,100	
Inferred	1,678	1.96	106,000	506	5.77	93,800	2,184	2.83	199,800	

Mackie Research Capital stated in a recent research report on Marathon Gold, "we conclude the Marathon's Valentine Lake project is one of the very few above-average open pit deposits in Canada that is not yet controlled by a major or intermediate mining company."

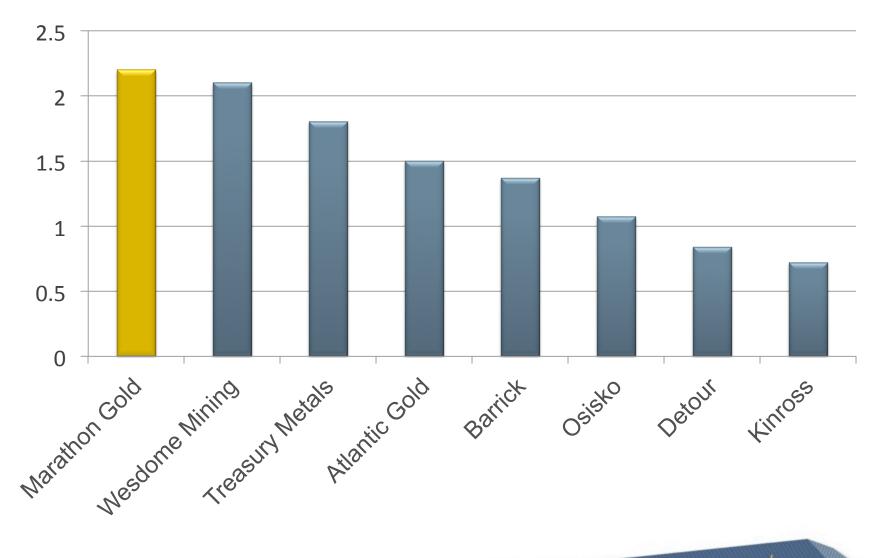
- In the Valentine Gold Camp all 4 open pit deposits are in the 2 g/t range
- The pit constrained resources represent 87% of the Indicated resources and are relatively insensitive to gold prices between \$1,100 and \$1,350
- All of the deposits are open along strike and to depth
- The discovery cost of the new resources is approximately \$9 to \$10 per oz.
- Underground potential at Marathon, Sprite and Victory Deposits will develop further with deeper drilling

## Project Strengths Valentine Gold Camp, Newfoundland



Good Au Grade and Size	1,060,100 oz. gold at 2.20 g/t (Measured & Indicated) 200,000 oz. gold at 2.83 g/t (Inferred)
Emerging Multi Million Ounce Gold Camp	18 km strike length, open along strike and to depth, just 10% of the gold trend has been looked at in great detail
Positive Metallurgy	Recoveries between 92% and 95%, 45% to 55% of the gold comes out in gravity concentrate
Existing Infrastructure	All weather road access, near major power lines
Mining Friendly Jurisdiction of Newfoundland, Eastern Canada	Ranked the 8 <sup>th</sup> Best Jurisdiction in the World to invest in Exploration and Mining Projects by the Fraser Institute (2014) No land claims

# North American Open Pit Resource and Reserve Grades



## Marathon Gold Corp. Mining Peer Comparison

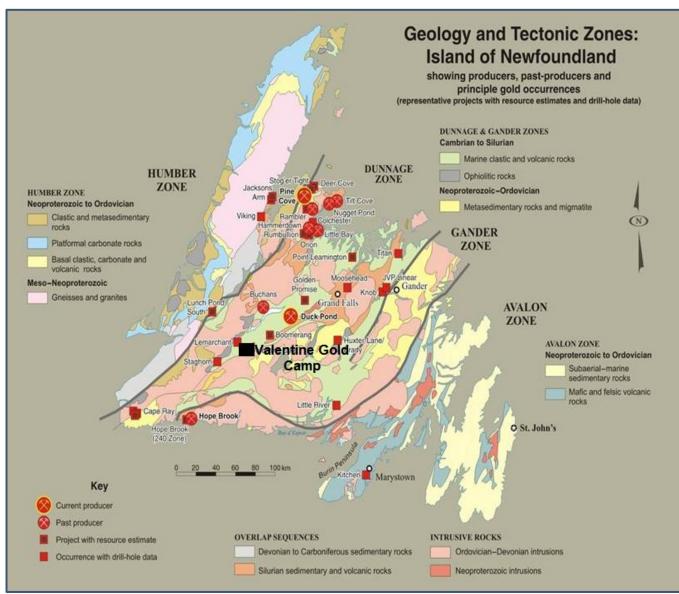


Company Name	Last Price	Mrkt Cap (\$CAD)	EV (CAD)	Cash (\$CAD)	Debt (\$CAD)	NAVPS (CapIQ)	-	Size (Moz)	Resource Grade (g/t)	EV / oz.
Marathon Gold Corp.	<b>\$0.23</b>	20	17	3.5	0	n/a	nm	1.3	2.28	<b>\$13.00</b>
Corvus Gold Inc.	\$0.44	35	30	5.2	0.3	\$ 2.47	0.18x	2.5	0.31	\$12.00
Eastmain Resources Inc.	\$0.35	46	41	4.8	0	n/a	nm	1.7	4.03	\$24.00
Golden Queen	\$0.71	71	65	86.4	80.7	\$ 1.46	0.49x	1.1	0.64	\$59.00
Gold Standard Ventures										
Corp.	\$0.48	81	63	17.9	0	\$ 1.05	0.46x	1.8	0.57	\$34.00
Newcastle Gold Ltd.	\$0.20	16	14	1.4	0	\$ 0.95	0.22x	4.2	0.59	\$3.00
NioGold Mining Corp.	\$0.33	40	34	5.9	0	\$ 1.67	0.20x	2.1	1.36	\$16.00
Romarco Minerals Ltd.	\$0.53	659	490	181	12	\$ 0.74	0.71x	4.8	1.65	\$101.00
Sabina Gold & Silver Corp.	\$0.34	66	44	22.2	0.4	\$ 1.56	0.22x	7.2	6.14	\$6.00
West Kirkland Mining	\$0.05	15	13	1.8	0	\$ 0.19	0.26x	1	0.46	\$13.00

Note: M Partners Morning Outlook September 10, 2015

# Valentine Gold Camp, Newfoundland

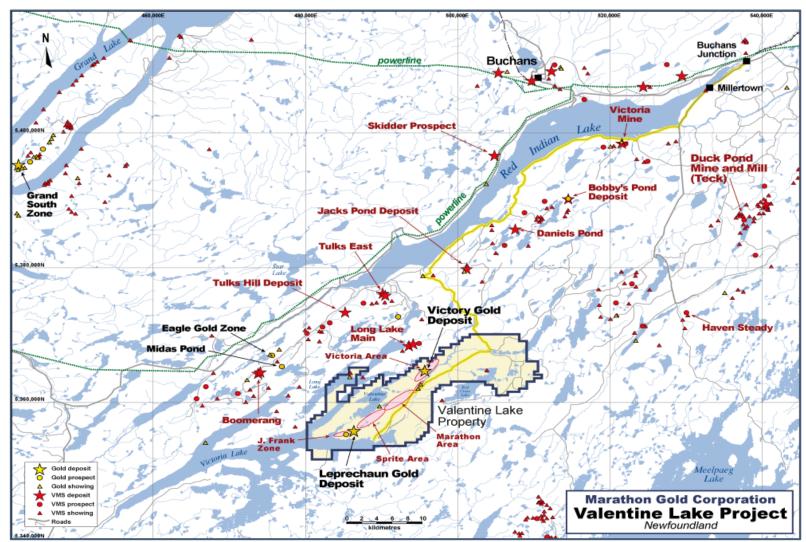




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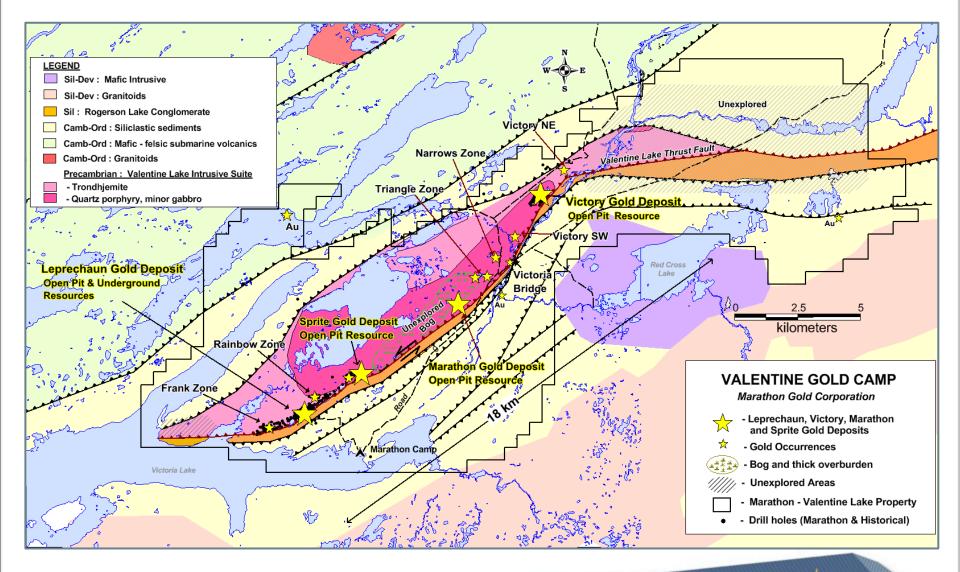
# Property Location and Infrastructure Valentine Gold Camp





# Multiple Deposits and Showings along a 18 km trend Valentine Gold Camp, Newfoundland



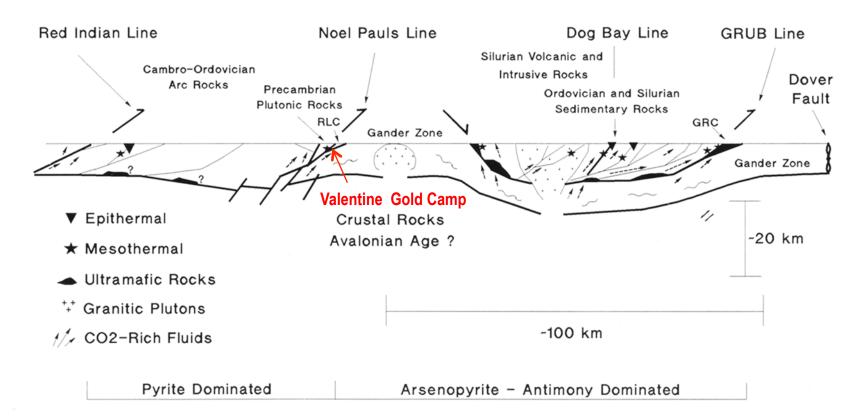


Orogenic Lode Gold Valentine Gold Camp, Newfoundland



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#### SCHEMATIC MODEL FOR GOLD MINERALIZATION, CENTRAL NEWFOUNDLAND



(after Evans, 1996)

# Valentine Gold Camp August 2013 and 2015 Resource



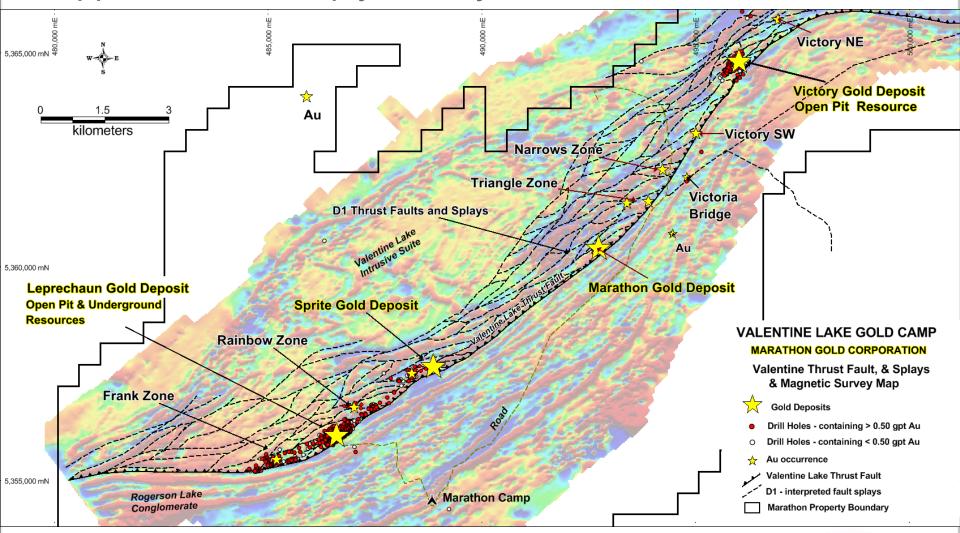
Summary of Resources	Open Pit (0.50 g/t Au cut-off)			Underground (2.0 g/t Au off)			Total			
Leprechaun Gold Deposit, Valentine Lake	Tonnes (kt)	Au Grade (g/t)	Gold (oz)	Tonnes (kt)	Au Grade (g/t)	Gold (oz)	Tonnes (kt)	Au Grade (g/t)	Gold (oz)	
Measured & Indicated	9,715	2.11	658,000	872	4.17	117,000	10,587	2.28	775,000	
Inferred	1,206	1.82	71,000	349	6.13	69,000	1,555	2.79	140,000	

Summary of Resources	Open Pit (0.50 g/t Au cut-off)			Underground (3.0 g/t Au off)			Total			
Sprite Gold Deposit	Tonnes (kt)	Au Grade (g/t)	Gold (oz)	Tonnes (kt)	Au Grade (g/t)	Gold (oz)	Tonnes (kt)	Au Grade (g/t)	Gold (oz)	
Indicated	301	2.03	19,700	36	4.73	5,500	337	2.32	25,200	
Inferred	158	2.72	13,800	49	5.27	8,300	207	3.32	22,100	

Summary of Resources	Open Pit (0.50 g/t Au cut-off)			Underground (3.0 g/t Au off)			Total			
Marathon Gold Deposit	Tonnes (kt)	Au Grade (g/t)	Gold (oz)	Tonnes (kt)	Au Grade (g/t)	Gold (oz)	Tonnes (kt)	Au Grade (g/t)	Gold (oz)	
Indicated	3,008	1.92	186,100	65	4.52	9,500	3,073	1.98	195,600	
Inferred	234	2.209	16,600	46	4.85	7,200	280	2.64	23,800	

Summary of Resources	Open Pit (0.50 g/t Au cut-off)			Underground (3.0 g/t Au off)			Total			
Victory Gold Deposit	Tonnes (kt)	Au Grade (g/t)	Gold (oz)	Tonnes (kt)	Au Grade (g/t)	Gold (oz)	Tonnes (kt)	Au Grade (g/t)	Gold (oz)	
Indicated	939	1.829	55,200	58	4.88	9,100	997	2.00	64,300	
Inferred	80	1.80	4,600	62	4.64	9,300	142	3.04	13,900	

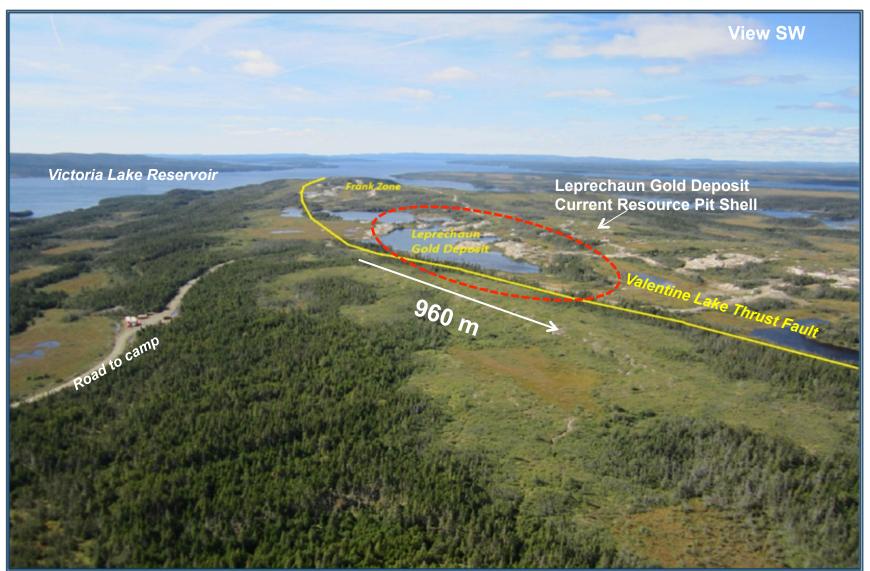
# Valentine Gold Camp, Newfoundland "Opportunities multiply as they are seized" Sun Tzu



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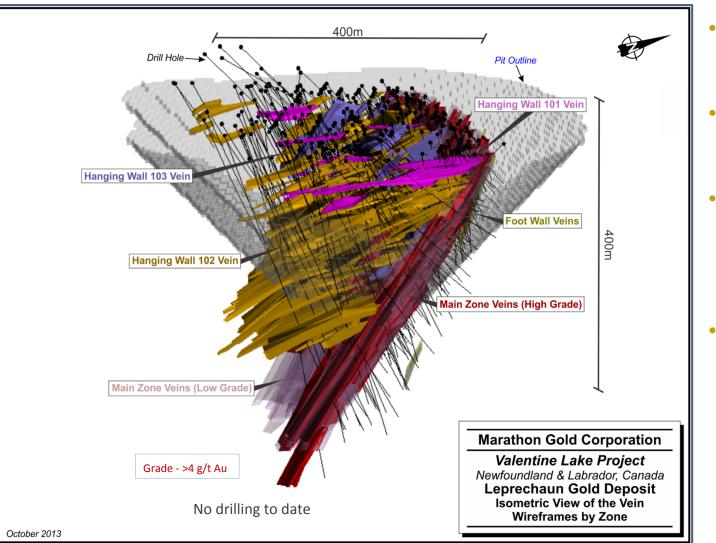
## Leprechaun Gold Deposit Current Resource Pit Shell - Valentine Gold Camp





#### Longitudinal of the August 2013 Resource Pit Shell Leprechaun Gold Deposit

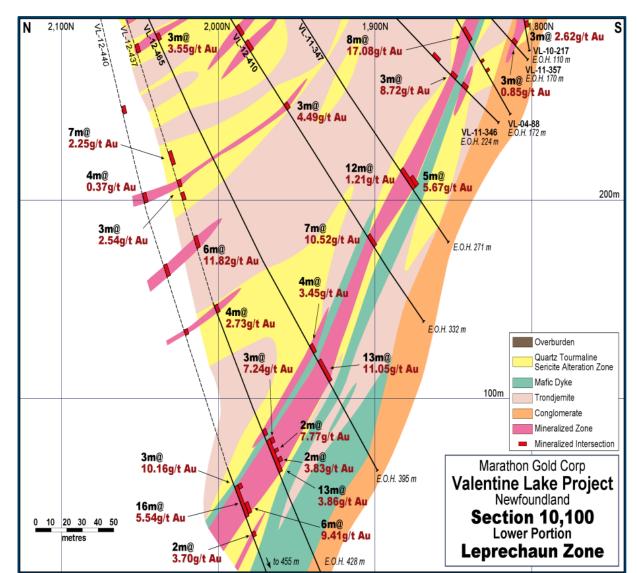




- Currently >960 m strike length
- Open along strike & down dip
- Grades increasing with depth in high-grade ore shoots
- 316 MOZ drill holes totaling 61,253 m of NQ-size core

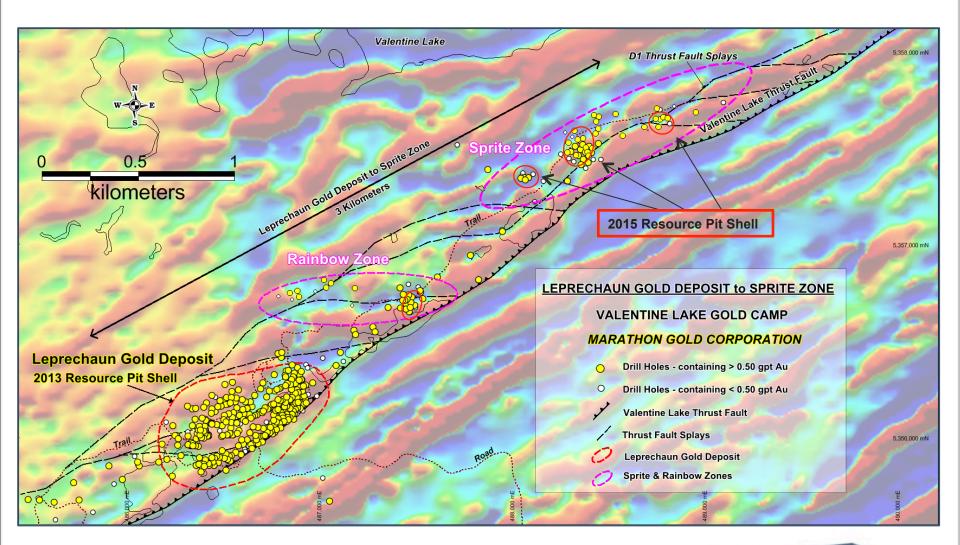
#### Leprechaun Gold Deposit - Cross Section 10100 Valentine Gold Camp, Newfoundland





- Structural controlled Orogenic lode gold deposit - Au-QTP veins
- Currently >960 m strike length
- Open along strike & down dip
- Grades increasing with depth in high-grade ore shoots
- 316 MOZ Drill Holes in deposit totaling 61,253 m

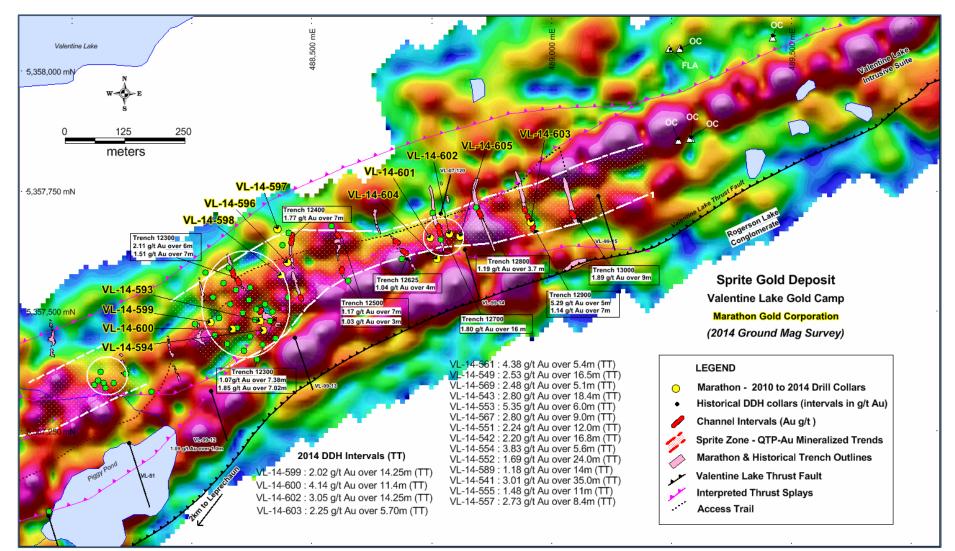
### Leprechaun & Sprite Deposits, Valentine Gold Camp 2007 Airborne Magnetic Survey





## 2014 Drilling at the Sprite Deposit Valentine Gold Camp, Newfoundland





#### Sept, 2015 – High Grade Gold Zones in 550m Strike Extension to the Sprite Zone

11.65 g/t Au / 6m with 32.82 g/t Au / 1m

1.48 g/t Au / 2m

213.02

195.13

81.59 0.09

L-15-607

12.67

55

550 meters

0.10

Attin to Marathon Gold Deposit

5.15

**Mineralized Corridors** 

1.33

7.39 8.09

2.37 13.24 8.33 0.45

VL-15-609

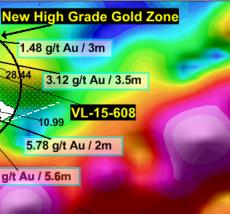
14.68

0.06

2.26 g/t Au / 5.6m

.95.

5.14



2014 Ground MAG : lows are green-blue

# Valentine Lake Thrust Faul Sprite NE Area

Valentine Gold Camp Marathon Gold Corporation

- 2015 Drill Holes

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- 2015 Channel Sample Intervals
- 2014 Channel Sample Intervals
- Outcrop Samples (Au g/t)
- Trench Outline
- 2015 Drill Holes Assays Pending
- Valentine Lake Thrust Fault
  - Access Trail

VL-14-603 2.26 g/t Au / 5.7m 2.35 g/t Au / 5.7m with 10.21 g/t Au / 0.95m 3.46 g/t Au / 2.85m with 9.86 g/t Au / 0.95m Trench 13000 1.89 g/t Au / 9m VL-15-606

New High Grade Gold Zone

11.76 240.60

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9.09

meters

**Trench 12900** 5.29 g/t Au / 5m 1.14 g/t Au / 7m

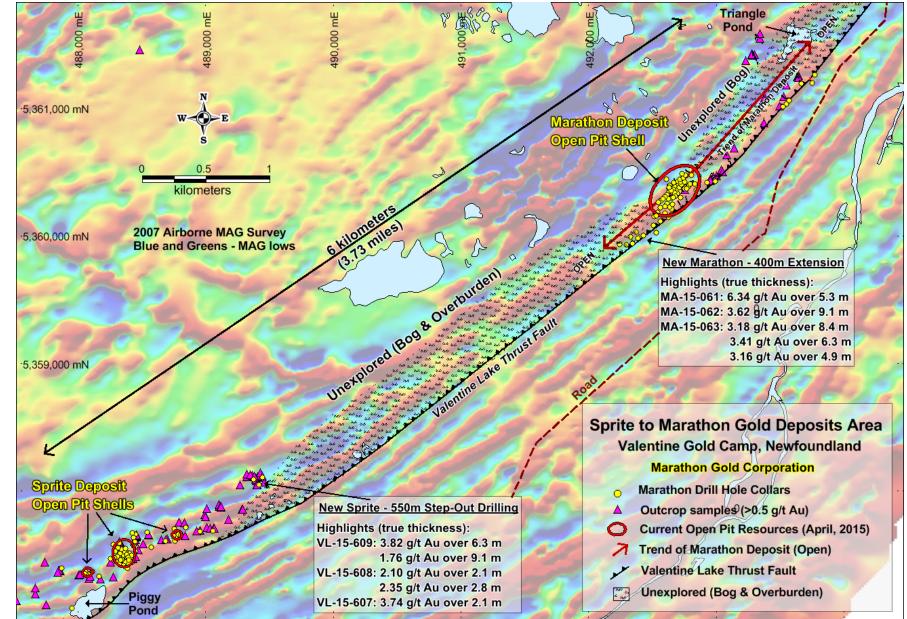
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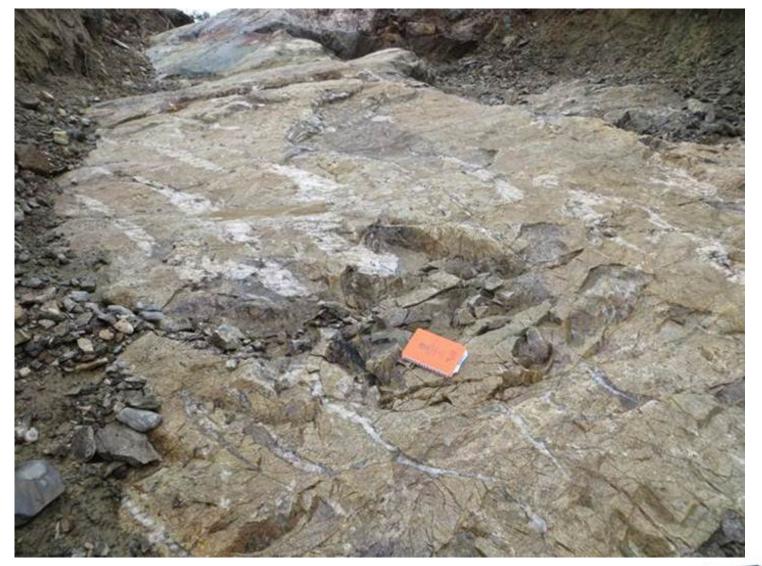
#### Sprite to Marathon Deposits Valentine Gold Camp, Newfoundland





#### Marathon Deposit : 2014 Discovery, Trenching, Drilling Resource Development

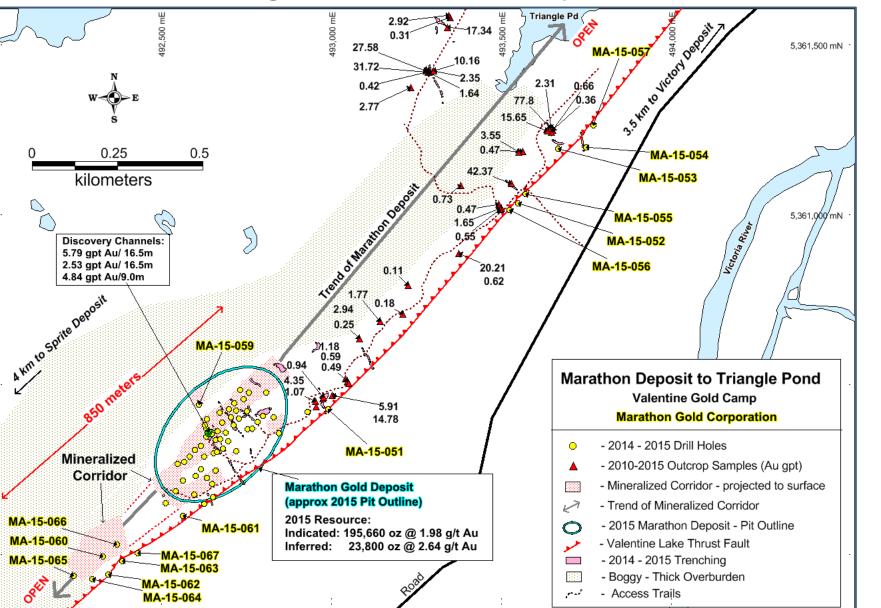




Marathon discovery trench, Oct 2014

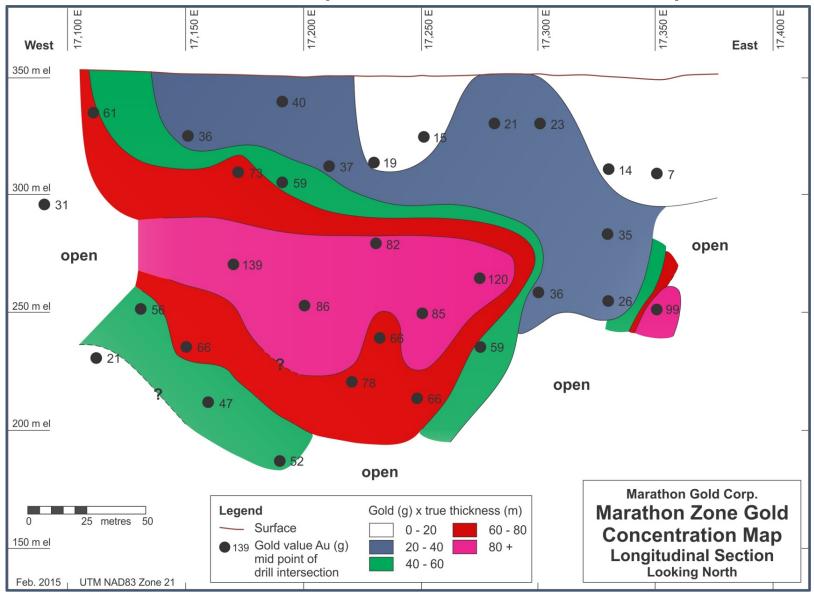


#### Marathon Deposit to Triangle Pond Area Summer 2015 Drilling, Valentine Gold Camp



# Marathon Deposit Longitudinal Section Gold Distribution Map, Valentine Gold Camp

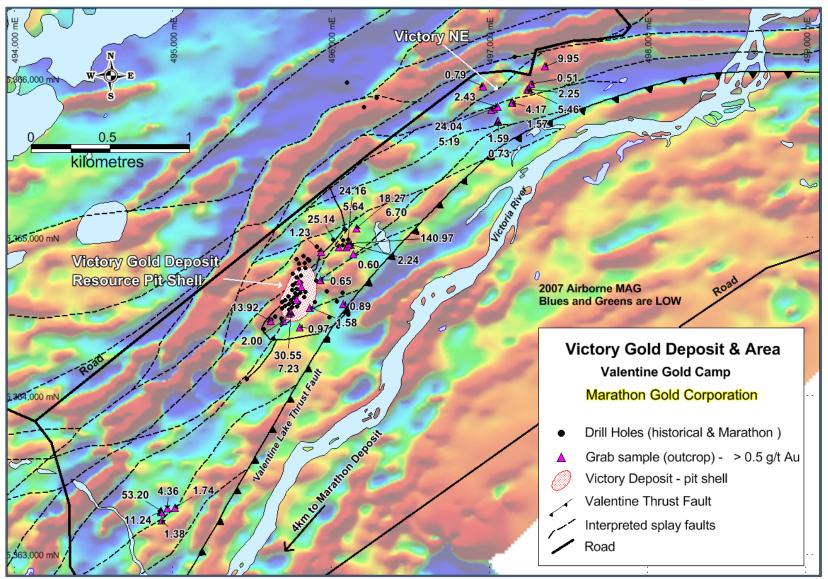




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# Victory Gold Deposit and Area Valentine Gold Camp, Newfoundland





#### Poised for Continued Resource Growth and Mine Development Valentine Gold Camp, Newfoundland

- Major orogenic gold vein system present over more than 18 km in 24,000 hectare property
- Current Resources: 1,060,100 oz. gold at 2.20 g/t (Measured & Inferred), 200,000 oz. gold at 2.83 g/t (Indicated)
- Multiple Gold Deposits Leprechaun, Sprite, Marathon and Victory Deposit
  with open pit resources in the 2 g/t Au range
- The pit constrained resources represent 87% of the Measured and Indicated resources and are relatively insensitive to gold prices between \$1,100 and \$1,350
- Discovery cost of the new resources is approximately \$9 to \$10 per oz. Au with all deposits open along strike and to depth

# Poised for Continued Resource Growth and Mine Development *D* Valentine Gold Camp, Newfoundland

- Recent metallurgical study demonstrates an average gold recovery of 92% to 95% using conventional milling flotation and cyaniding of the flotation concentrate
- Excellent working relationship and support from the JEA Program, Department of Natural Resources and Research and Development Corporation in Newfoundland and Labrador
- 5 years of Environmental work has been completed and baseline studies are ongoing
- Experienced Management and Exploration Team with a proven track record of finding excellent properties and advancing them to world-class resources
- Into 2016: Continued exploration, resource development and PEA

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