## Mirasol: New Discoveries & New Horizons – Realized Value from Joaquin Discovery and Rapidly Advancing New Discoveries in Chile

### MIRASOL RESOURCES LTD

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### TSX-V: MRZ

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### **Mirasol Investment Highlights**

### ck Record: Explorer partner of choice

- Monetized project generation success with sale of **Joaquin** silver-gold project for U cash and stock (value of US\$1.36 per share)
- Advancing pipeline of organic discoveries: Titan and Atlas gold projects; Rubi co project in Chile. Virginia silver and Claudia silver-gold projects in Argentina.

### ly Funded: Strong long-term financial position

- June 2013 cash position ~C\$27.5M
- Marketable securities (Coeur shares) ~US\$18.5M
- Low G&A<sup>1</sup> and burn rate, excluding exploration, of <C\$0.4M/quarter
- No debt

### grity & Innovation:

- Experienced & strong Board, management & exploration team
- Cutting-edge exploration technology using satellite and remote sensing (ASTER) alterations

### ategic Focus: Dominant early-mover position in prime districts

Fiscal 2013-14 exploration program ~C\$7M (70% in Chile) In just two years, MRZ has identified 2 drill-ready discoveries and established 7 other in a new gold belt in Northern Chile

### Delivering Value to Shareholders

Ticker Symbol	TSX-V: <b>MRZ</b> Frankfurt: <b>M8R</b>		
Shares Outstanding (August 31, 2013)	44,218,461		
Options	3,757,800		
Warrants <sup>1</sup>	2,200,000		
Fully Diluted Shares (August 31, 2013)	50,113,461		
52-week Low/High	C\$1.07/C\$2.70		
Market Capitalization <sup>2</sup>	C\$55.3M		
Cash <sup>3</sup>	C\$23.0M		
Marketable Securities (Coeur NYSE:CDE)	1.31M shares (US\$18.5M)		
Closely Held – Insiders/Founders	9%		
Major Shareholders	Sprott Asset Management, JP Morgan Asset Management, US Global Investors, AGF Investments, John Tognetti, chairman of Haywood Securities		

### 5 equity financings since May 2005 IPO; last private placement was Dec. 2

the out of the money at C\$4.30 and C\$3.30 exercise prices. Warrants expire December 20, 2013

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In precious metal uptick periods, MRZ *outperforms* Market Vectors Jr. Gold Miners ETF (GDXJ)



MRZ offers precious metal investing leverage

New Discoveries – New Horizons

### **Management and Board**

**y L. Little, President, CEO, Director and Founder –** M.Sc., MBA, 25+ years as CEO, geologist, lyst and country manager for major mining companies, 15 years in South America.

phen C. Nano, V.P. Exploration and Founder, B.Sc. (Hons.) – 25+ years in exploration and mining nagement and consulting roles in Latin America, Asia Pacific & Central Asia for major mining compar

**othy W. Heenan**, *Exploration Manager, Director and Founder* – B.Sc., 25+ years as exploration logist and program manager throughout the Americas, with small and large mining companies.

II G. Lhotka, Principal Geologist, Ph.D., P. Geol. – 25+ years in exploration as technical and count ager and Qualified Person with 15 years experience in Latin America

**k DeMare**, Independent Director, CA – President and founder of Chase Management Inc. and boar of several TSX and Venture-listed companies.

den Putnam, III, Independent Director, M.Sc – Resource investment fund manager for the last 16 rs and previously regional exploration manager for several multi-national precious metals companies

Announced Dec. 11, 2012 - Closed Dec. 21, 2012

**Strategy:** Divested project in Argentina to balance geo-political risk focusi Chile and securing long-term exploration funding

Efficient Execution: Quick execution of deal. 11 days from announcemer closing on Dec. 21, 2012.

**Terms:** US\$60 million as \$30M cash + \$30M in shares (1,310,043 NYSE Coeur shares.) Cash component for half of the price.

Coeur purchased Mirasol's 100% owned Argentine subsidiary

**Discovery leverage:** Board and Management expects MRZ's investment exploration to leverage further project generation opportunities, creating gradue for shareholders

MRZ is now well-funded for the long-term, enabling future growth

### Joaquin Sale: Recent Comparable Deals

	Target Project	Seller	Acquirer	% Owned	Price (US \$ M)	US Eq	
L	ECU, Mexico	ECU	Golden Minerals	100%	312		
2	San Jose Mine, Mexico	Minera Andes	U.S. Gold	49%	763		
2	Cerro Moro, Argentina	Extorre	Yamana Gold	100%	402		
2	Joaquin	Mirasol	Coeur Mining	49% 39%	60		
3	La Preciosa, Mexico	Orko	Coeur Mining	100%	385		

Paragua Mirasol Chile Programs

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Argentina

Bolivia

Mirasol Santa Cruz Programs **Unique position:** <u>Cash and marketable securities of approx.</u> <u>\$45M</u> & primed with <u>large portfolio of high calibre projects</u>

Major producers continue to do JV's on quality projects

Delivering returns from the project generator JV business mod

Remain focused on a geologic / geographic/ strategic scale

De-risking by employing a Hybrid Project Generator – JV mod

Strong commitment of core team of <u>Discovery-Focused Manage</u> with growing list of discoveries.

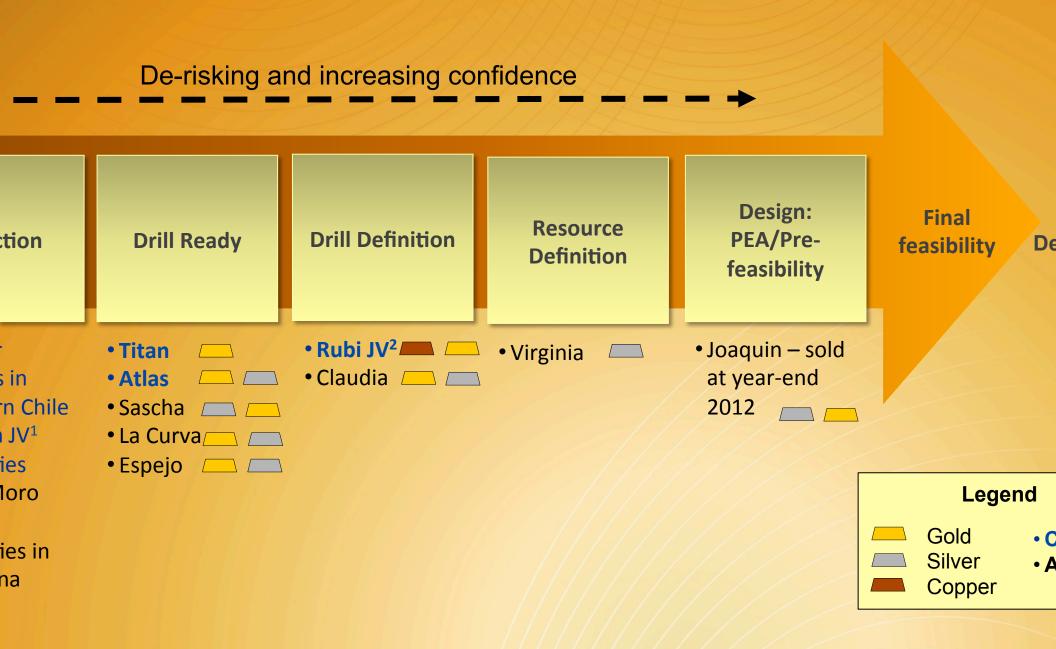
2 two geological terrains & 2 countries – complementary deposite styles

High grade vein style & large bulk tonnage / diversifying politic

**Chile:** 10 new projects & expanding. Focused on Mio-Pliocene deposits. Achieving early success with more to come.

**Argentina**: Many properties. Jurassic epithermal high grade v bulk mineable targets. Focused on JV model to minimize finan

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private Chilean company. JV agreement was signed in December 2012 and requires no cash payments from MRZ. MRZ is earning into an initial 51% st year exploration expenditures of \$300,000.

ounced in MRZ's news release of Sept. 18, 2013, First Quantum is earning into a 55% interest by expending US\$6.5M over four years (to Sept. 2017) I pay staged cash payments totaling US\$1.1M. First Quantum can then earn into 65% by completing a NI 43-101 compliant resource estimate and nary Economic Assessment on a minimum resource size of 1 million tonnes of contained copper. First Quantum may further increase its interest to

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## **Chile: Mio-Pliocene Arc / Rubi**





- Re-entered Chile 3 years ago after i 2006 acquisition of Rubi copper-por target
- Diversify sovereign and geological r Giant Mio-Pliocene gold deposits
- Discovery of the Atlas gold-silver tar and Titan gold system
- Early success: Identified 9 wholly-ov projects. Potential for new gold dist
- Excellent access and manageable altitude
- Dynamic exploration in underexplore region

## New JV with First Quantum

Strategy: Achieved another JV with a senior partner to accelerate project dvancement on Mirasol's 100% owned Rubi property

### **Ferms with First Quantum:**

- First Quantum to invest US\$6.5 million in exploration over 4 years to earn 55% interest
- First year exploration commitment of US\$1.5 million including magnetic survey and 3,0 meters of drilling
- US\$1.1 million in staged cash payments to MRZ with \$50,000 upon signing of definitiv agreement expected in December 2013
- After 55% earn in, First Quantum may increase to 75% interest by declaring a "decision mine" and will provide mine financing to MRZ, if requested by MRZ, at LIBOR +4%

### Rubi's potential:

- Located in the premier porphyry belt of northern Chile, which hosts many world-class copper deposits such as El Salvador, Potrerillos and Inca Del Oro
- MRZ identified a number of drill targets including a 9 sq km Lithocap prospect of anomalous copper molybdenum and gold geochemistry, porphyry stockwork zone at Portezuelo, and the gold-silver vein target at Quebrada del Salado.

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## **Titan Gold Project, Chile**



### I Itan Project: Attractive Attributes

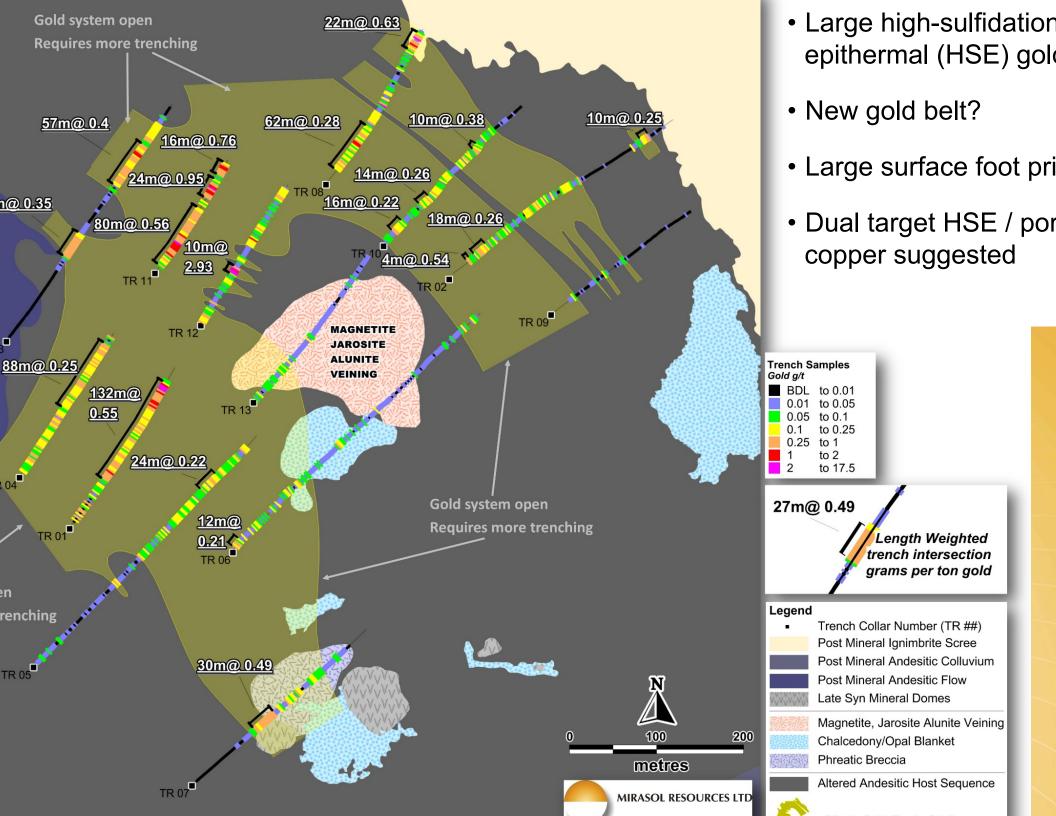
- terest: 100% MRZ
- ocation: Favorable access and logistics 4,200 meters elevatio
- ize: 5,500 hectares
- ackground: Titan was the first of several gold properties discover new, emerging area
- tructure: Trenching results indicated large gold anomalous systemeters
- Coincident geophysical IP signatures support high-sulfidation gold syste like La Coipa, Veladero, Pierina and Yanacocha
- Results highlights: 31 meters at 1.36 g/t gold and 10 meters at 2.13 g/t g
- xploration outlook: 3,000 meter RC drill program commenced on several targets
- New regional JV<sup>1</sup> increases exposure to additional 30,000 hectares

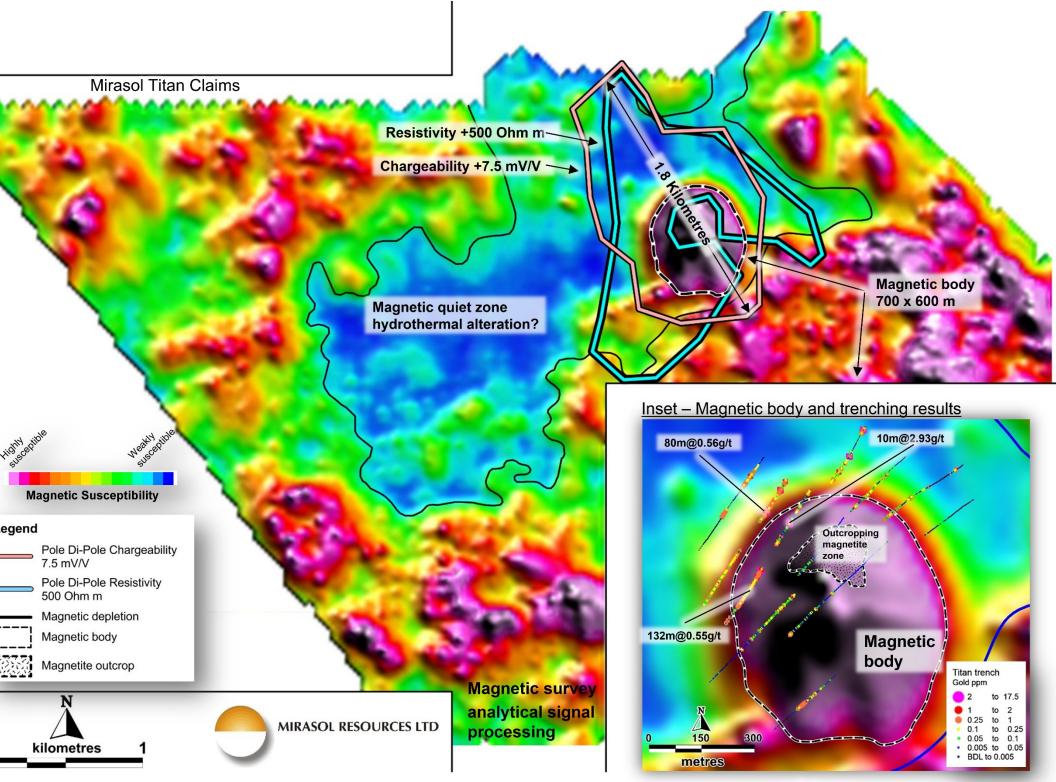
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### Titan Alteration in trench

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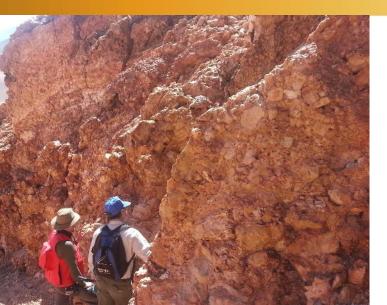




aure 1 - Titan Project, Ground magnetic survey showing buried magnetic body and magnetic quiet zone

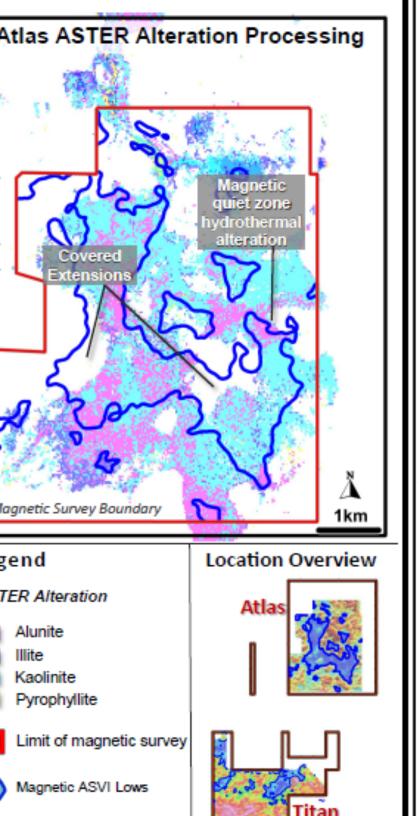


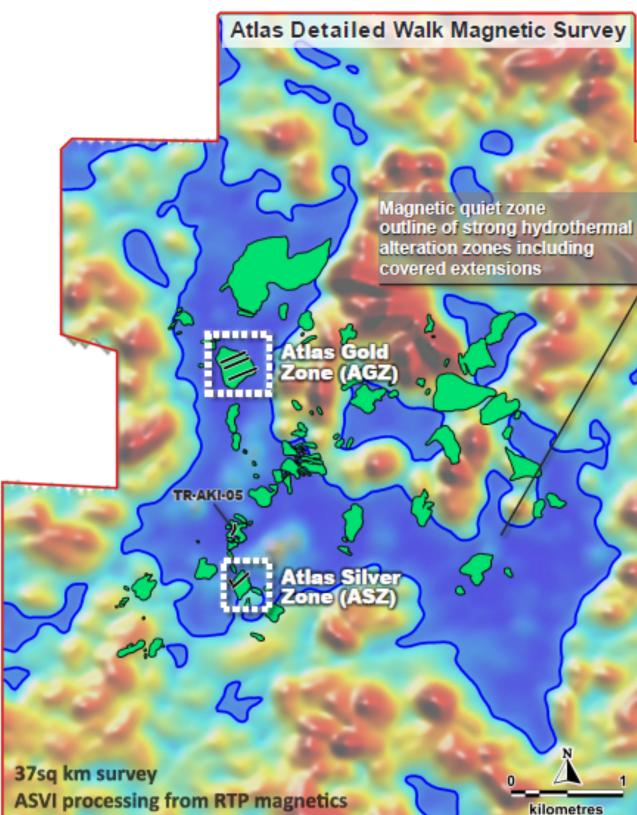
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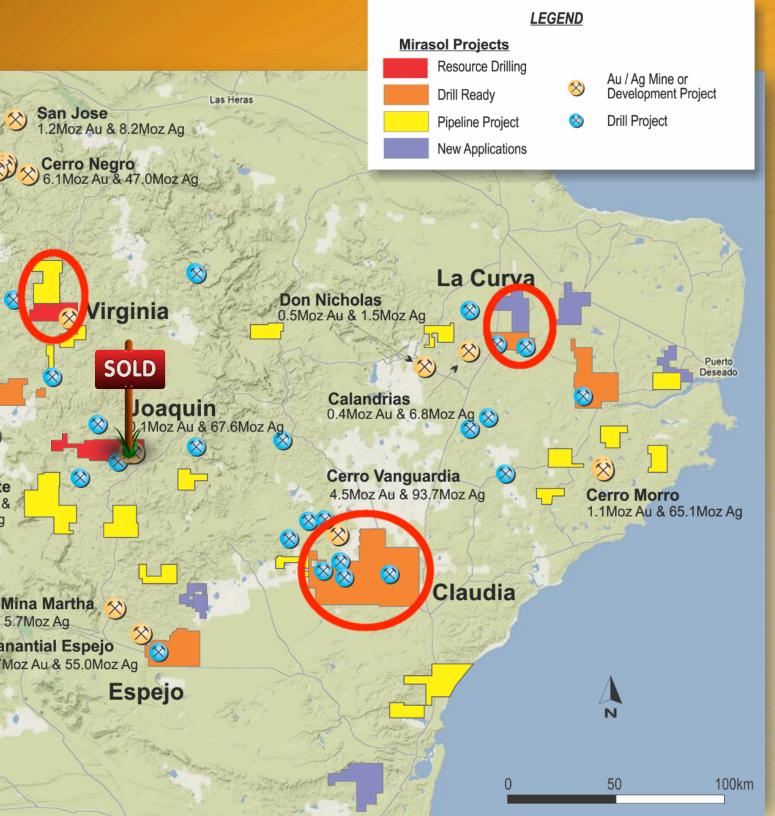
- terest: 100%
- cation: 10 km north of Titan
- ze: 7,500 hectares
- ackground: Second high sulfidation epithermal gold system in th an-Atlas district
- ructure: Large high sulfidation alteration signature.
- Evidence of "vuggy silica" and silica-alunite alteration in ribs and chips
- Sept. 16, 2013 trench results highlights: Hosts at-surface mineralization
  1.6 m of 7.3 g/t Au & 5.8 g/t Ag and
  6.7 m of 2.33 g/t Au & 1.09 g/t Ag in gold zone
  26.7 m of 0.02 g/t Au and 54.8 g/t Ag in silver zone
- Gold and silver dominant zones in outcrop and subcrop
- **ploration outlook:** Trenching program completed; very encourand and silver assays on structures and large alteration zone.





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## Claudia Gold Project, Argentina



#### Virginia-Santa Rita:

- Metallurgical studies in
- Independent code com within pit resource – in
- Property reconnaissand

#### Claudia:

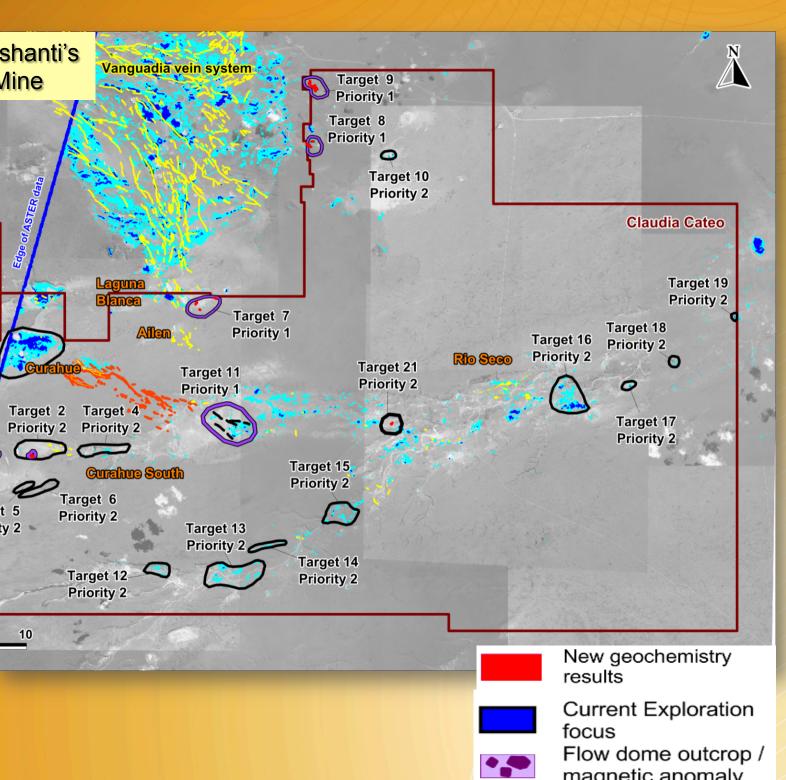
- +3,000m Trenching Pro Curahue, Alien & Rio S targets
- Project-level data analy targeting: Mapping, sar geophysics of target are progress

#### La Curva

- Integrated analysis & ta program
- New walk mag PDP su complete.
- Detailed mapping & sau underway
- Curva West & South-W targets: Ongoing prosp reconnaissance gradier covered targets

### Targeting JVs.

### - Extension of Cerro Vanguardia, a world class vein system



**CLAUDIA:** Extension Anglogold Ashanti's C Vanguardia Vein Mine

- Global resource of a gold & 117 Moz silv
- Mineable resources
   Oz gold & 94 Moz s
- Profitable, Open Cu Underground development

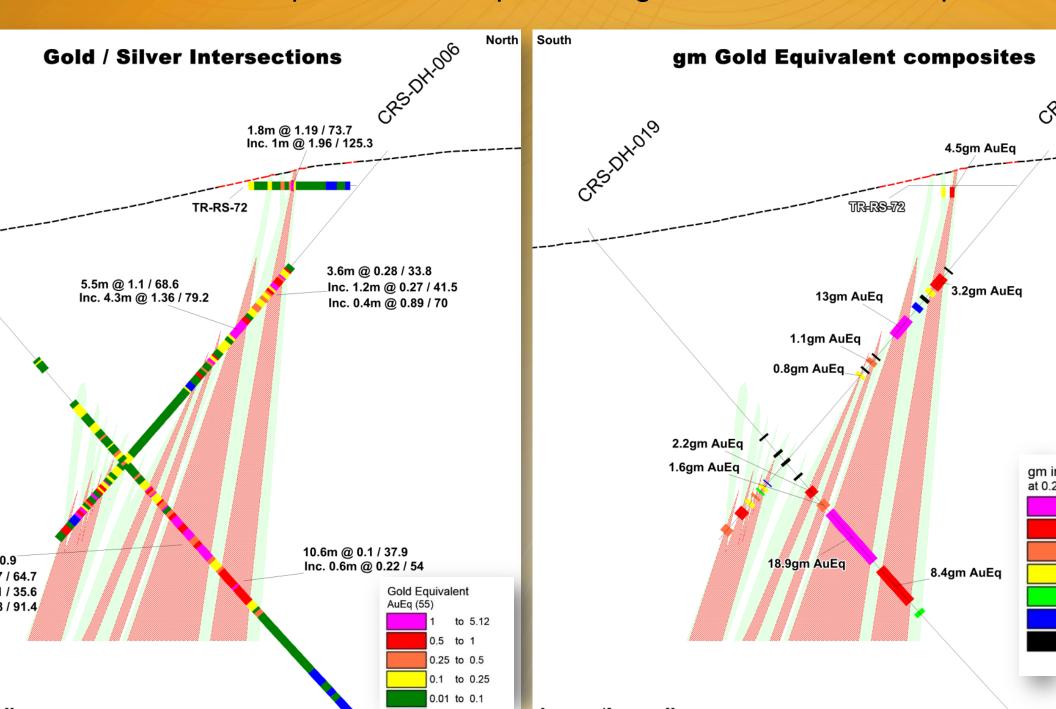
Cerro Vanguardia Min production for 11 mon Dec. 2011 = 196,000 equiv. at US\$390 / oz

#### Production:

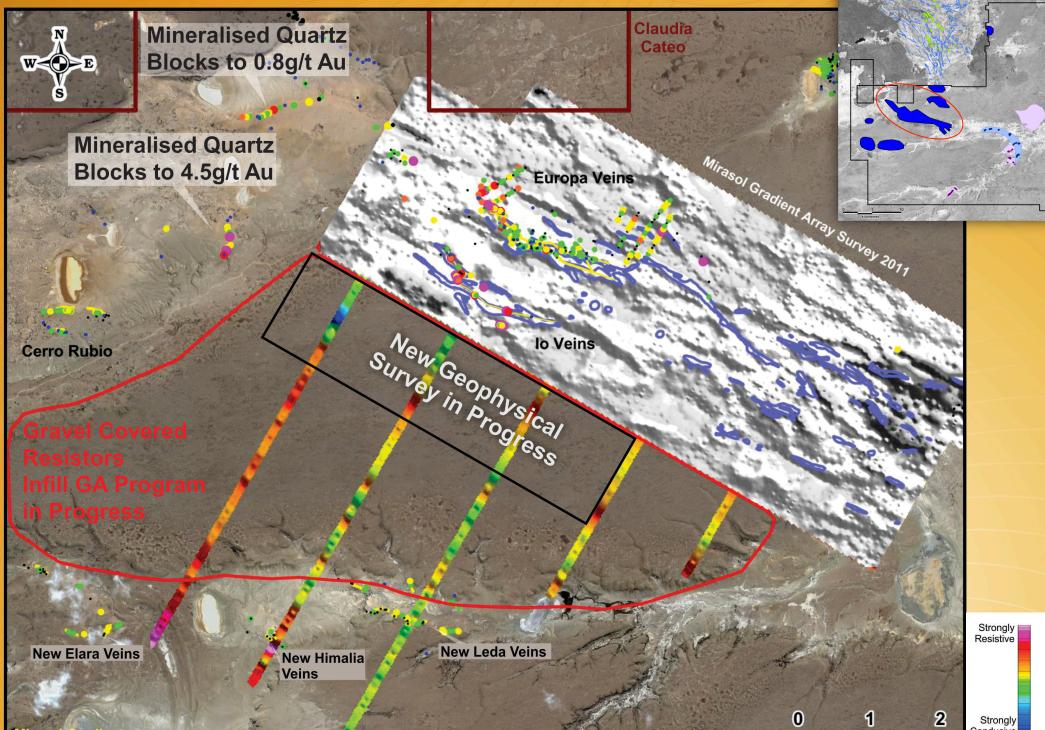
- 13 open pits
- Underground 2011 projected 2.8 Mt @ gold
- Reported gold head for 6 mths ended Ju 2013 of:
- Underground
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Veins developed at top of productive Chon Aike Fm – preserved Vein texture & alteration mineralogy consistent with top of system Gram meter Au Eq intersections point to higher wide shoot at depth

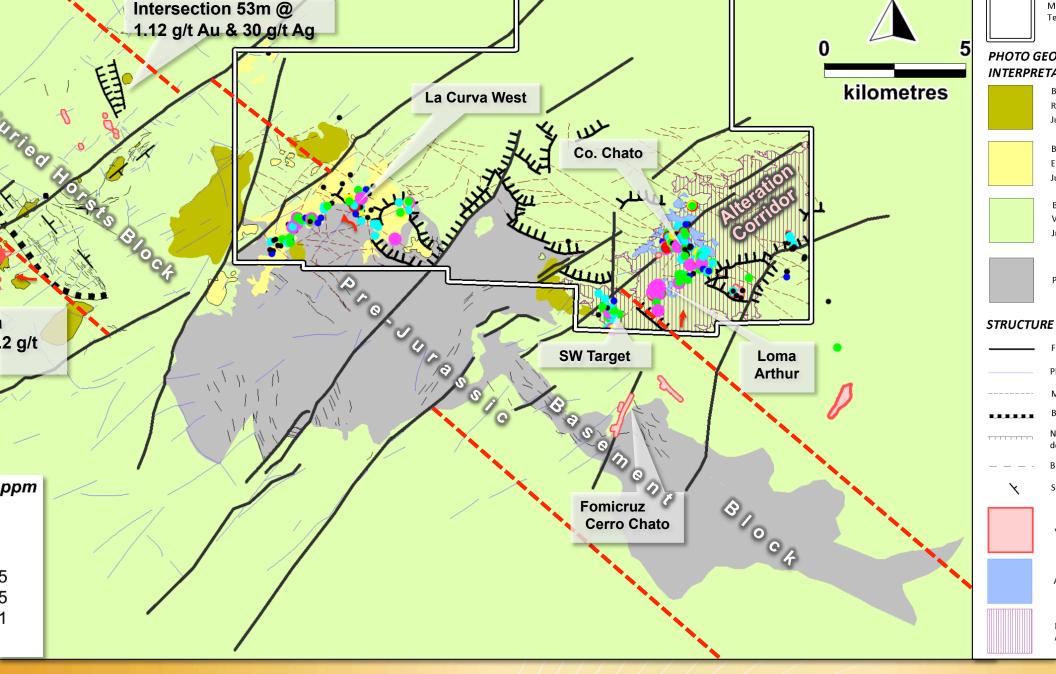


# New IP Gradient Array Survey in progress to identify covered source. New veins identified



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## La Curva, Argentina



old district interpreted as a regional-scale horst & graben style block. The horst block is interpreted to continue u NW where the possible block bounding faults may have influenced the emplacement of the Calandria/Falcon and ion.

old project – Two prospect areas defined. No previous drilling.

ast: 5.4 km gold trend. Series of prospects outcropping through shallow gravel cover: El Pison, Co Chato, Loma

## **Investment Drivers**

- ing value to "Head Line" projects
- ubi copper-gold JV, Chile dvancing with up to US\$6.5M in ploration expenditure by partner



- las gold-silver project, Chile Following up on positive trenching results
- an gold project, Chile Preparing for drilling
- egional JV with Chilean group Consolidating properties around Atlas and
- audia gold-silver project, Santa Cruz province Surface exploration contin spect to JV.
- Curva gold project, Santa Cruz province– Aggressive surface exploration
- first: Targeting giant Mio-Pliocene gold deposits. Titan and Atlas headline ojects. Achieved early success from pipeline of properties.
- Cruz province, Argentina: Deseado Massif epithermal high grade vein & bable targets. Many projects available to JV to diversify risk profile.

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## **Appendix**

### Juaquin Silver Fruject Sulu to Cueur

- Initial Mirasol generative exploration discovery Mirasol / Coeur Mining JV formed
- Coeur vested 51% interest

-2004-20

- 2007

– Nov. 201

- Coeur was earning-in to 61% for Bankable Feasibility (est. 2013)
- Two zones identified, La Morocha & La Negra demonstrated growth in resc
- 42.04M oz silver equivalent in M&I and 32.79M oz silver equivalent in Infer

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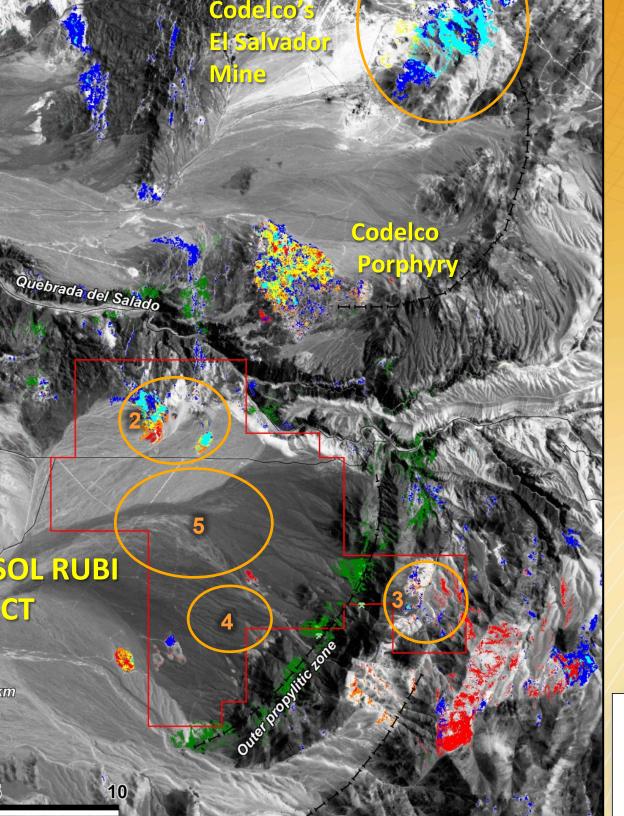
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Sold 49% interest to Coeur

- Dec. 21,

MRZ monetized its project generation success

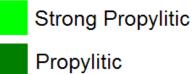
% basis, effective August 2012. Silver and gold were contained within 15.1M short tons at an average grades of 2.63 oz per short ton (opt) Ag and Au in M&I Resources and within 9.1M short tons at an average grades of 3.45 opt Ag and 0.002 opt Au in Inferred Resources. Metal prices used were



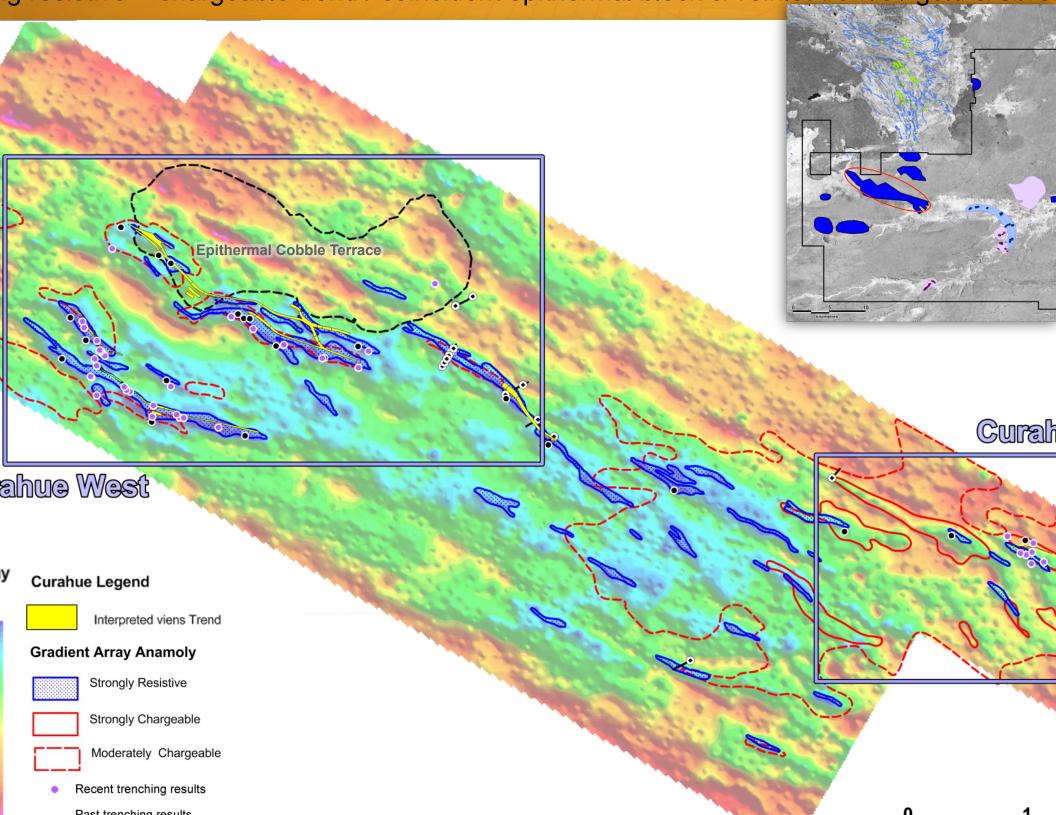
**Regional Setting & Aster Alte** 

- Codelco's El Salvador Cu Mine. Phyllic Argillic Alteration. 12.2 M 3.2 Moz Au
- 2. Lithocap Target Advanced Argillic Alteration Cu-Mo-Au
- 3. Portezuelo Prospect Argillic-Phyllic Alteration Cu-Mo-Au anomalous STK
- 4. Corner Zone K Alteration, Qz-mgt, Qz Tour S Cu-Ag-Pb
- 5. Covered Porphyry & Exotic Cu

### Aster Alteration



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