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EXPLORATION UPDATE

OCTOBER 2006

SUMMARY

- Further positive uranium in water results were obtained within the Avon JV area. Sampling will be stepped up through October-November.
- The Scoping Study on Paradise Bore resource at Bulga Downs is nearing completion and a Deferred Mining Agreement is being negotiated with the Registered NTC.
- Drilling of EM targets at Mt Alexander revealed only barren sulphides.
- Drilling at Lake Noondie failed to identify uranium mineralisation but was unable to access the peaks of anomalies. Only part of the overall anomaly has been tested.
- Further drilling is planned for Meekatharra North and Panhandle in November-December

URANIUM PROJECTS

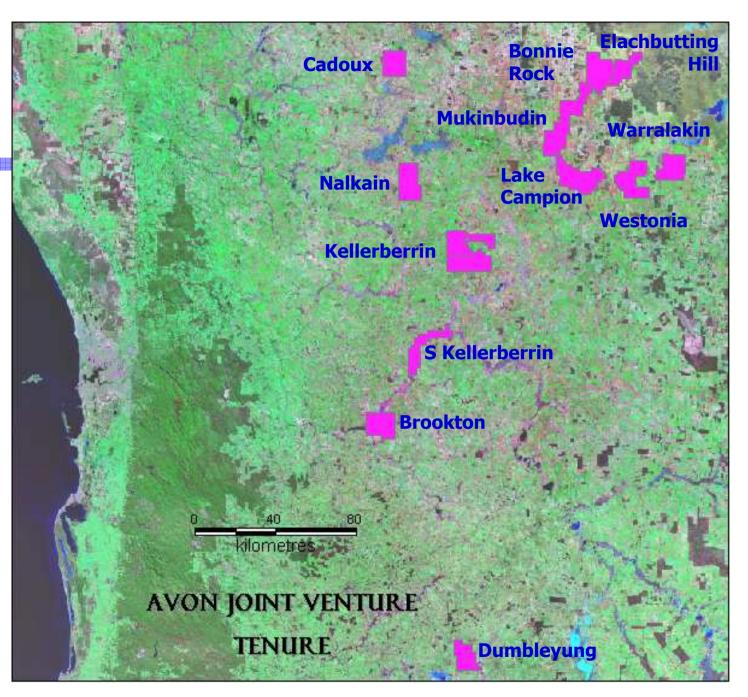
- Lake Noondie Project and Avon Joint Venture
- Lake Noondie, WA
 - 20km long radiometric target
 - Surface values to 60ppm U
 - U in water to 200ppb U
 - 300km² tenements and applications
- Avon Joint Venture, WA
 - Includes 150km of U anomalous drainage
 - 13 tenement applications over 2,300 km2
 - 100,000km² area of influence

AVON JV Mindax Energy 50%

Joint Venture with Quasar Resources Pty Limited

Based on CRC LEME Uranium in Water Research Project

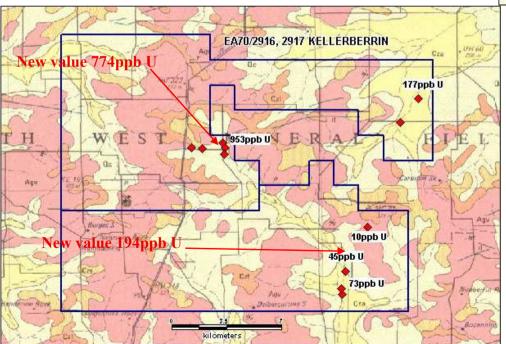
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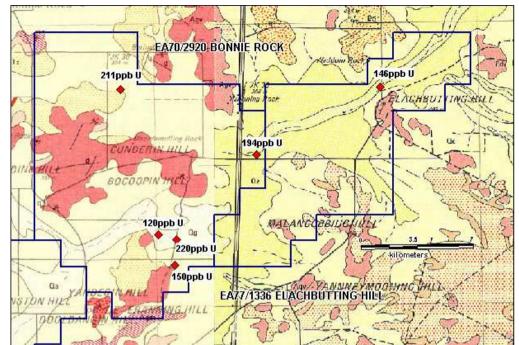


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ACTIVITIES

- two new EL applications
- thirty-three new water samples
- commissioned SiroSOM analysis





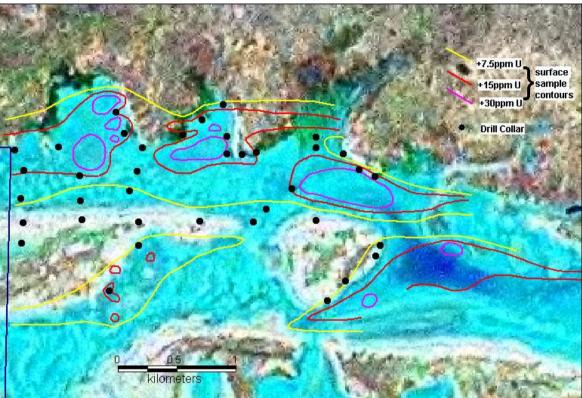
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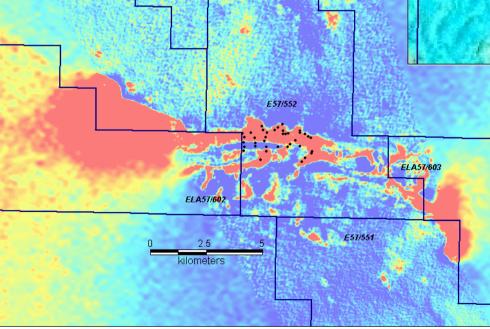
- •10 of 33 new samples (30%) returned
- > 100ppb U
- processing of large multi-element regional geochemical data set (~6000 samples)
- •now thirteen applications in place

LAKE NOONDIE Mindax 100%

ACTIVITIES

- Drilled 38 of 50 planned holes
- Tested 3km of 20km channel





OUTCOMES

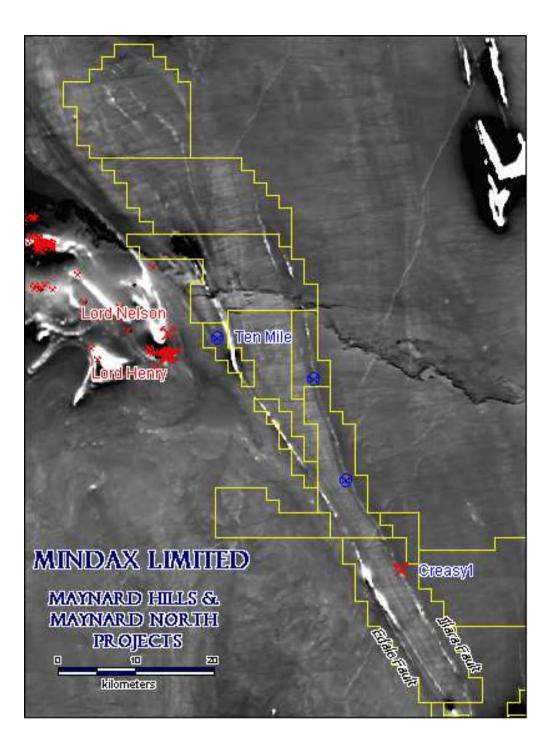
- No mineralisation observed at depth, limited to surface algal layer
- Unable to access surface anomaly peaks
- Water sampling to gauge wider prospectivity of channel

GOLD PROJECTS

- Meekatharra, Sandstone
- Sandstone, WA
 - Bulga Downs, Maynard Hills Projects
 - 36Koz resource (JORC compliant) at Paradise Bore
 - 150km of Edale-Illara gold anomalous structural corridor
 - Adjacent to Troy's Lord's gold mines
- Meekatharra North, WA
 - 200km² north of Meekatharra Goldfield (5M oz Past Production)
 - Strike projection of Paddy's Flat Structures
 - Extensive shallow cover

SANDSTONE Maynard Hills & Maynard North Mindax 100%

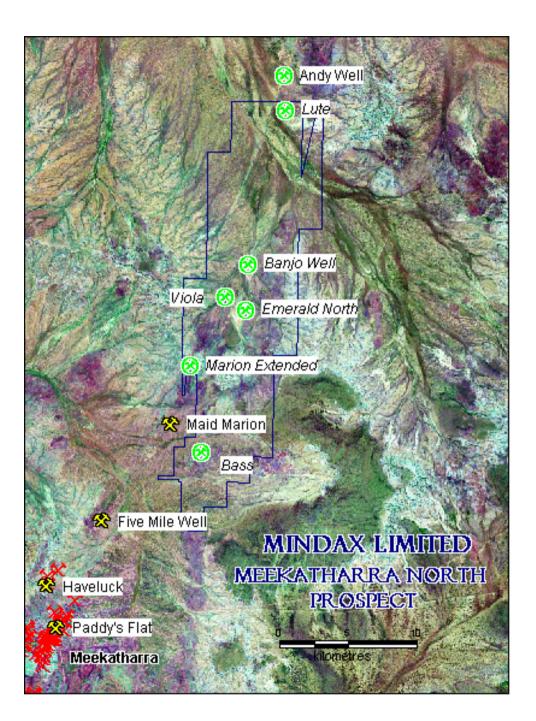
- 100km of prospective Edale-Illara Shears
- sub-economic gold at Creasy1 and Ten Mile
- statutory reduction of E57/556
- focus on structural positions under cover on Edale structure



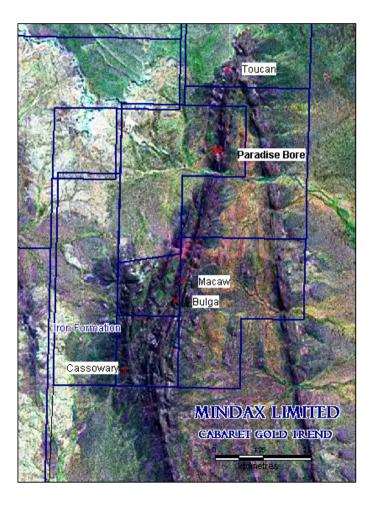
MEEKATHARRA NORTH Mindax 100%

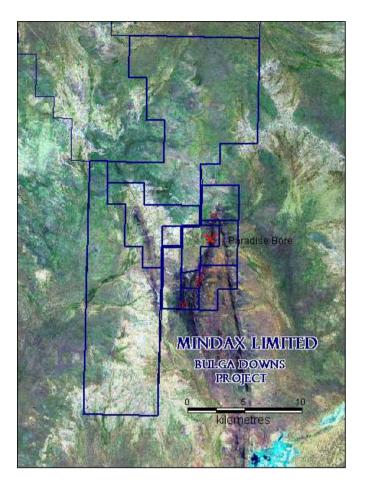
• Drilling at Lute, Banjo Well indicates Au-As anomalism and carbonate-fuchsite alteration associated with shears

 Drilling will be extended through Emerald and Marion during November



SANDSTONE Bulga Downs Mindax 100%





- Scoping study on Paradise Bore resource nearing completion
- Deferred mining agreement under negotiation
- Iron ore potential being studied

BASE METAL PROJECTS

- Mt Alexander Nickel, WA
 - Cumulate ultramafic mapped
 - Adjacent nickel sulphides to west
 - EM geophysical anomalies
 - Drill testing intersected barren sulphides
- Panhandle Copper-Gold, WA
 - Copper and gold geochemistry
 - Irreconcilable drill intercepts (Au to 2.5g/t, Cu to 0.12%)
 - Shallow subsurface intrusive provides focus
 - Wallaby-Montague like target

PANHANDLE Mindax 100%

ACTIVITY

 re-analysis of drilling, geochemical and geophysical data

ground based gravity survey

OUTCOMES

projected interpretation
November

• drill targets December

