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# Antino Gold Project Suriname's Next Major Gold Camp

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## THE GUIANA SHIELD - A WEST AFRICAN ANALOGUE



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#### **GEOLOGICAL CONTINUITY**

Separated by continental drift, the Guiana Shield and the West African Birimian Shield share the same gold-rich geology

#### **ROOM TO GROW**

The Guiana Shield has a current gold inventory of 110 million ounces of gold, compared to the over 275 million ounces in West Africa

#### UNDEREXPLORED

The majority of the Guiana Shield has seen little to no modern exploration, providing considerable opportunity for major discoveries

## **ANTINO GOLD PROJECT**

20,000 hectare land package fully permitted for exploration drilling and exploitation

**Capital efficient exploration** with year around drilling at an all-in cost of ~C\$250/m

C\$12.1M strategic investment by B2Gold in October 2024

**Excellent access and** infrastructure with barge access and airstrip on site

32,000 m of historic drilling and 500,000+ oz Au reported from historical artisanal gold mining

**Pro-mining jurisdiction** with favourable tax and mining laws

#### Highlights

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#### **Antino Drilling Results**

- 28.5 m of 7.12 g/t Au
- 15.5 m of 30.72 g/t Au
- 38.0 m of 10.90 g/t Au
- 46.0 m of 5.31 g/t Au

#### **2025 Exploration**

- Fully funded 60,000 m drill program
- Drilling focused on testing new targets
- Airborne geophysical survey
- Geological mapping





## CORPORATE **SNAPSHOT**

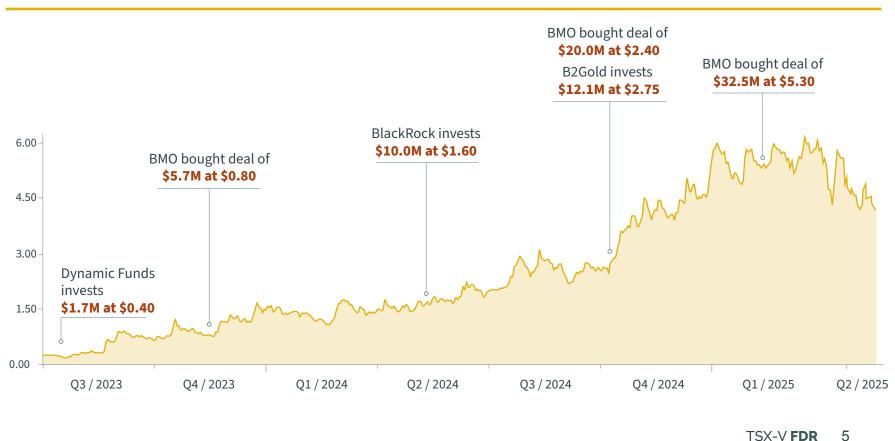


#### ANALYST COVERAGE

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Hannam & Partners	Jonathan Guy		
Paradigm Capital	Lauren McConnell		



#### SHARE PRICE CHART (\$C)





# Working Capital ~C\$50M

As of May 2025

## 12 MONTHS OF GROWTH AT ANTINO





#### H1 2025

"Cracked the Code" at Upper Antino with Parallel Structures Defined

#### 71,000

Upper Antino, Buese, Lower Antino, Da Vinci

Van Gogh, Lawa, Parbo, Maria Geralda

Non-refractory, up to 96% recoveries

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5 - 10 Moz Potential

#### **B2Gold**

#### Chris Taylor, Carlos Bertoni, Katie MacKenzie

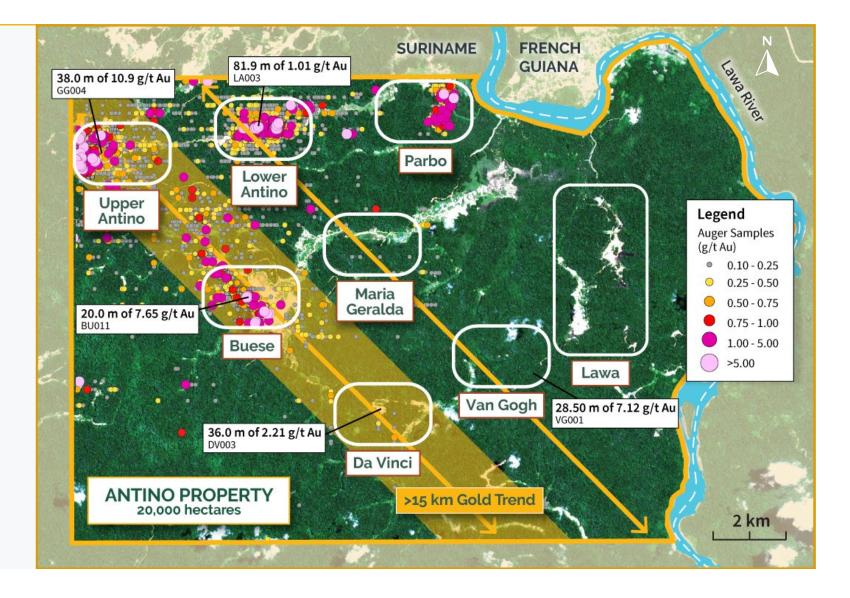
#### \$83 M

#### \$405 M

#### HOW MANY UPPER ANTINO'S ARE THERE?

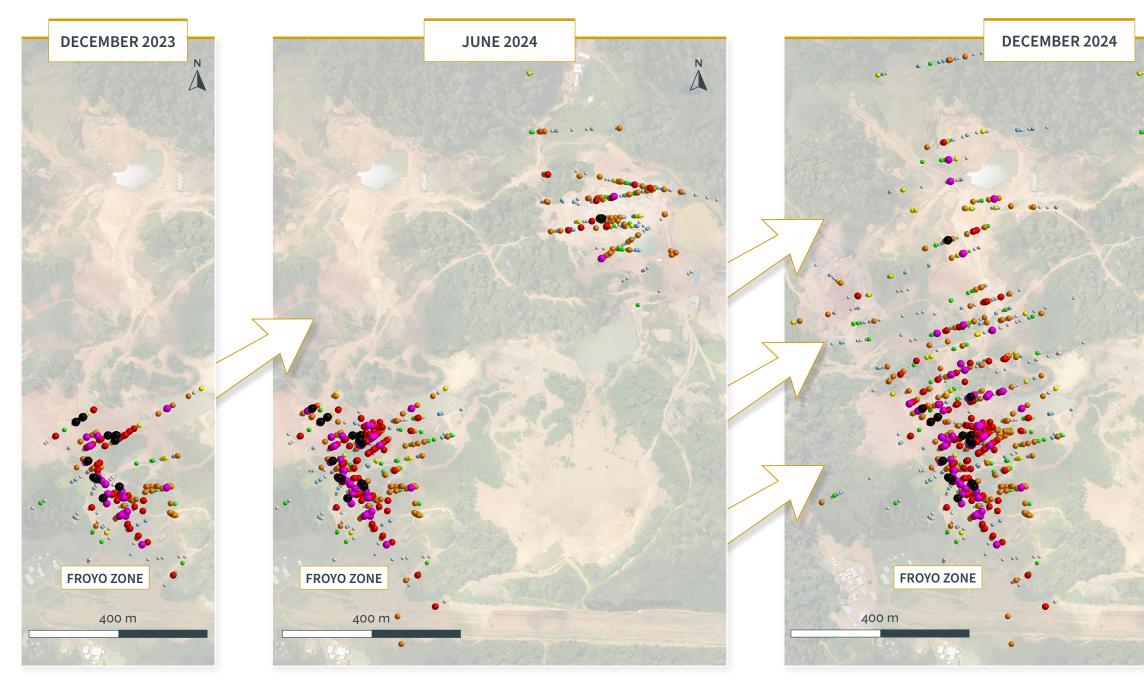
## ANTINO GOLD PROJECT

- Highly prospective geology for gold that is similar to
  Rosebel and Merian characterized by folded volcanic
  and sedimentary rocks
- **Proven Potential** with a long history of gold production occurring in the same stratigraphy hosting numerous multi-million ounce gold deposits in the region
- Multiple km-scale targets remain untested with an early focus on Upper Antino and Buese camps
- High-grade gold mineralization from surface
- Additional economic potential in historical tailings
- **Excellent preliminary metallurgical testing** with recoveries ranging from 91% to 96%

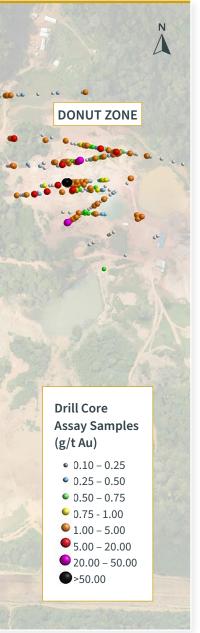




## **UPPER ANTINO GROWTH TIMELAPSE**



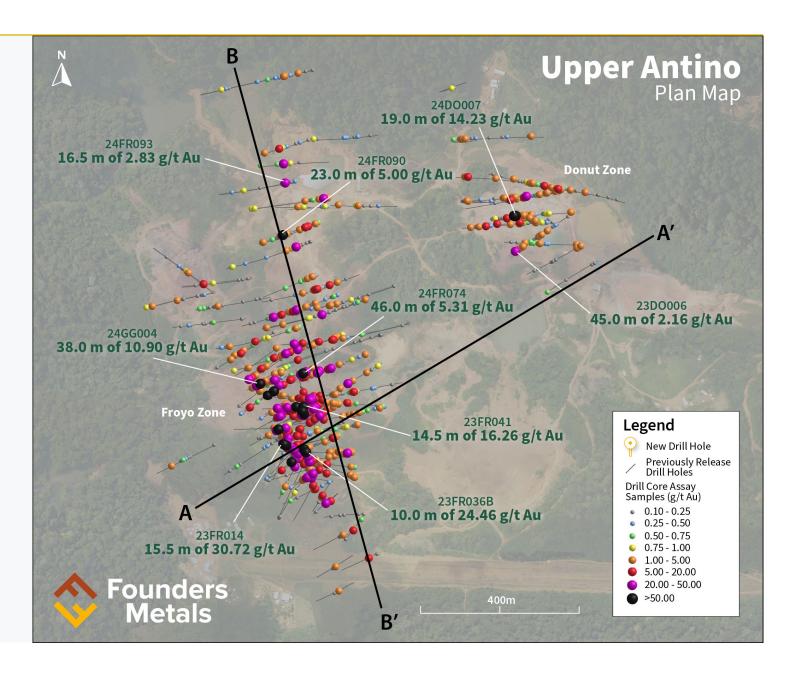
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## **UPPER ANTINO**

1.6 km drill defined gold trend at Upper Antino.
 Highlights from drilling include:

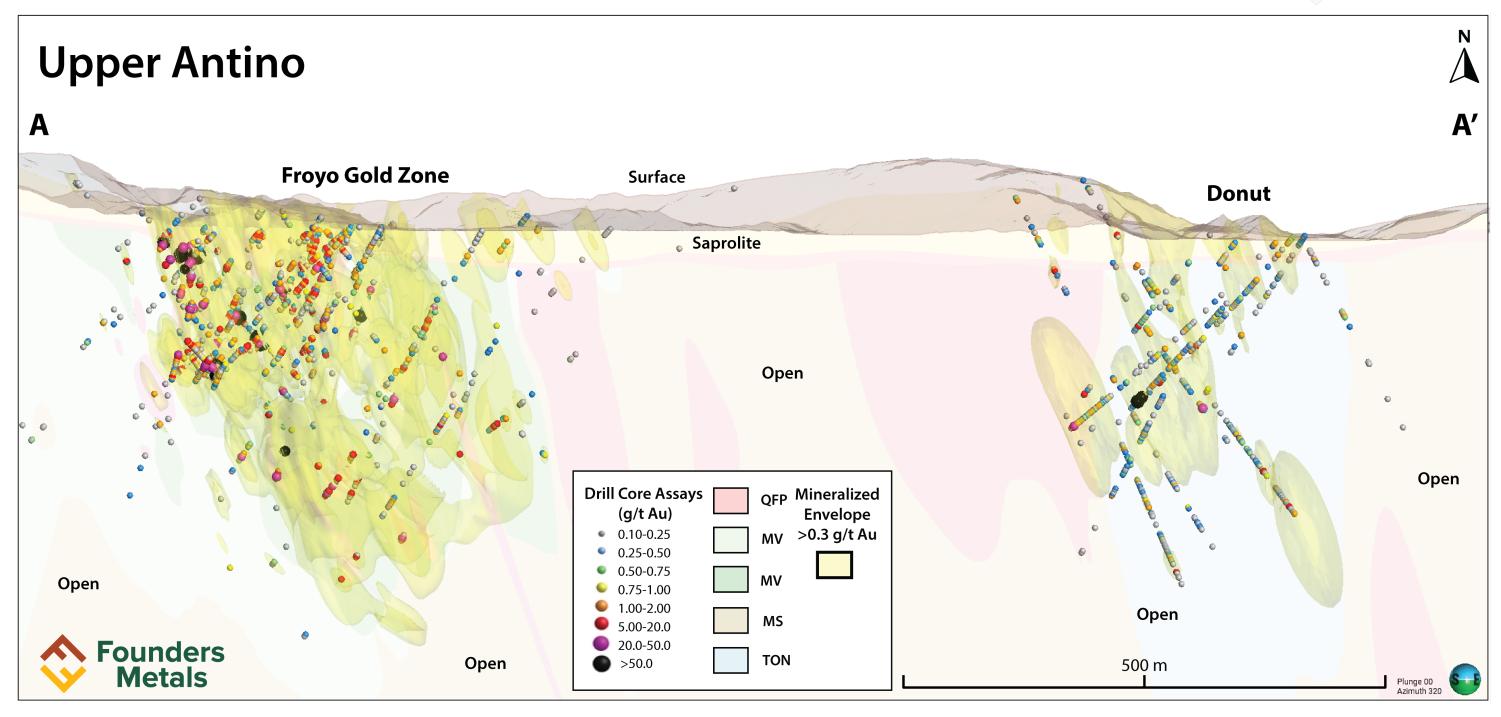
- 10.0 m of 24.46 g/t Au
- 15.5 m of 30.72 g/t Au
- 46.0 m of 5.31 g/t Au
- 19.0 m of 14.23 g/t Au
- Gold mineralization currently defined from surface to a vertical depth of 265 m and remains open at depth
- Drilling is ongoing at Upper Antino to further define the strike and depth potential



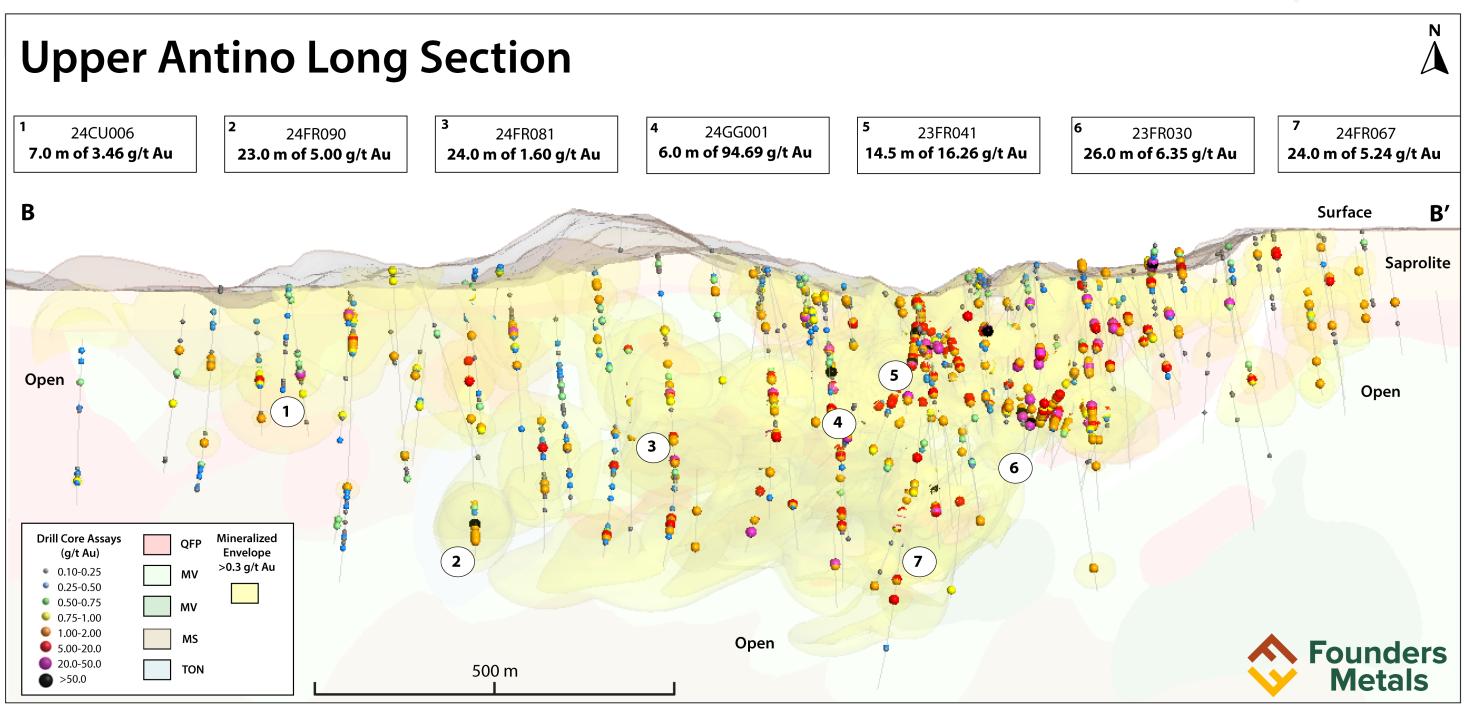


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## **BUESE ZONE**

- **Buese** covers 600 hectares with gold mineralization mapped over a 2 km strike length
- **Over 35,000 m<sup>2</sup>** of the Buese intrusive mapped
- Founders drill results at Buese to date include:
  - 78.0 m of 2.35 g/t Au, including 20.0 m of 7.65 g/t Au
  - 21.6 m of 2.38 g/t Au
  - 112.0 m of 0.55 g/t Au

#### Current ~7,500 m, Phase 2 exploration program

is focused on further defining bulk tonnage gold mineralization within the Buese Intrusive and high-grade, shear-hosted gold mineralization



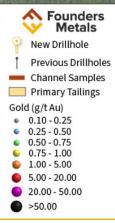




**Antino Property Boundary** 

#### 📕 8.98 g/t Au

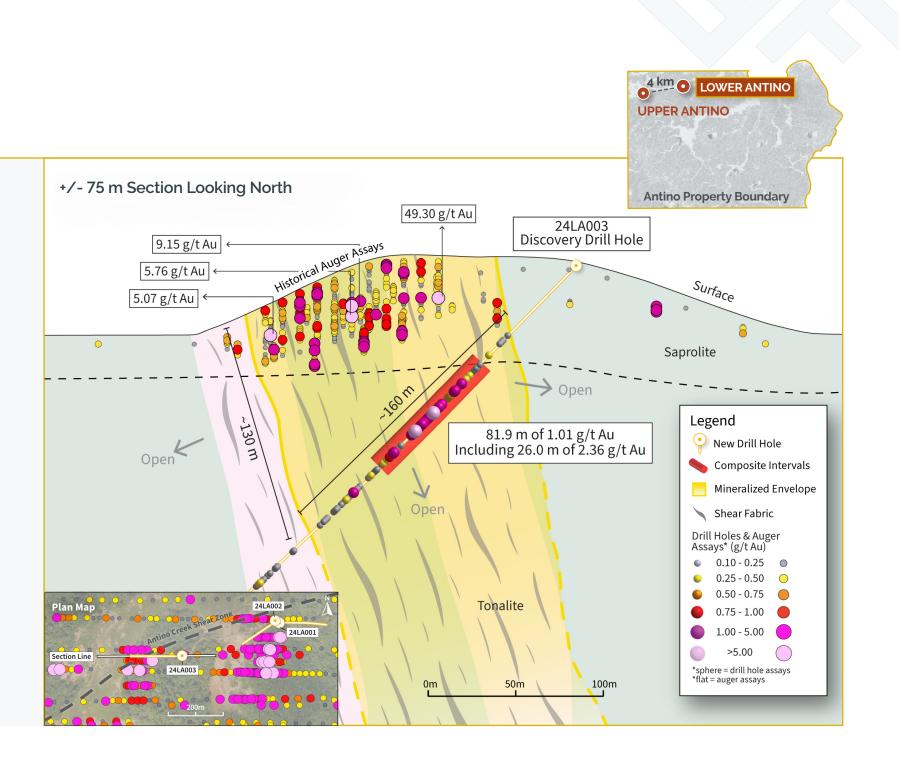
#### 6.62 g/t Au 5.92 g/t Au



21.6 m of 2.38 g/t Au

## **LOWER ANTINO**

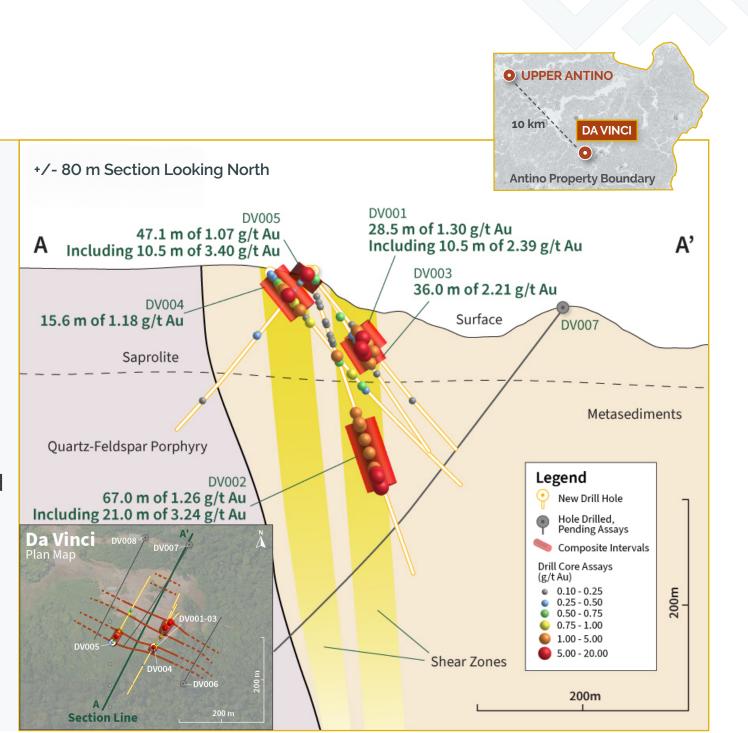
- New discovery in third drill hole at Lower Antino which intersected **81.9 m of 1.01 g/t Au, including 26.0 m of 2.36 g/t Au**
- Characterized by 1.5 km wide and 2.0 km long gold anomaly with historic samples grading up to 49.3 g/t Au
- Mineralized interval and auger gold anomalies
  coincident with >2 km long linear chargeability
  high from in-progress IP geophysical surveys





## **DA VINCI**

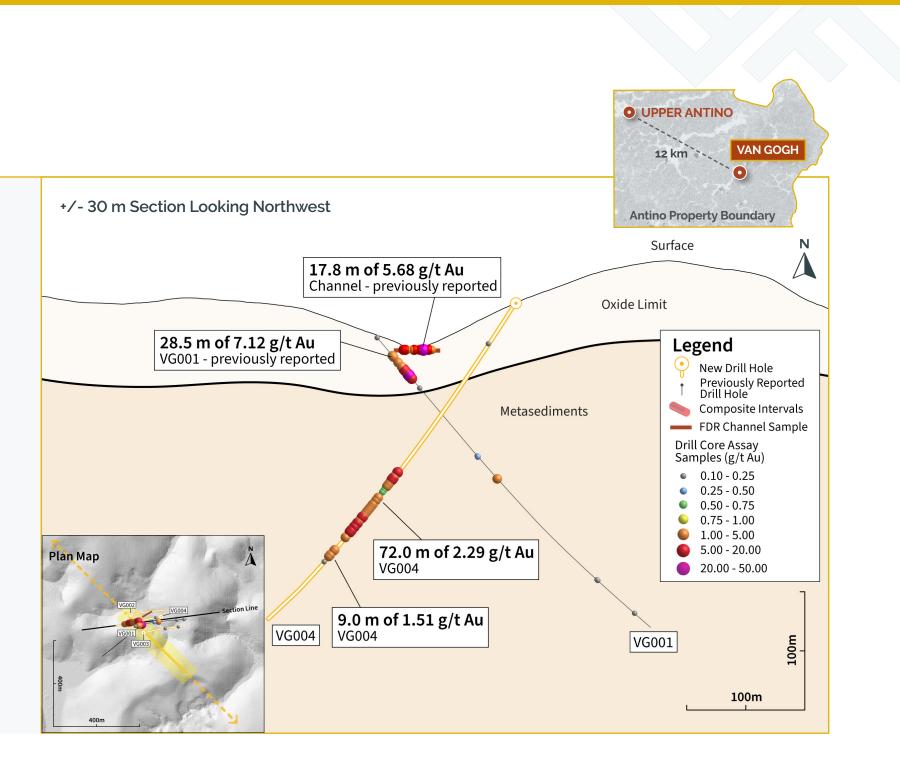
- New discovery at Da Vinci confirms from surface gold mineralization in two parallel shears over 100 m of strike and 180 m vertical depth in first five drill holes
- Highlights from drilling include:
  - 67.0 m of 1.28 g/t Au including 21.0 m of 3.24 g/t Au (DV002)
  - 36.0 m of 2.21 g/t Au (DV003)
  - 47.0 m of 1.07 including 10.5 m of 3.40 g/t Au (DV005)
- **Da Vinci displays several key geological features** that are similar in nature to Upper Antino's Froyo Zone, Lower Antino, and areas within Buese





## VAN GOGH

- **New discovery** 3.8 km east of Da Vinci and 2.0 km from Lawa
- Initial drilling followed up on a channel sample of
  17.8 m of 5.68 g/t Au and intersected the following high grade intervals:
  - 28.5 m of 7.12 g/t Au
  - 72.0 m of 2.29 g/t Au
- Van Gogh further supports Tier 1 discovery potential that Antino represents





## **3-STAGE** ANTINO OPTION AGREEMENT

- Founders exercised Stage 1 in September 2024 for
  51% ownership of the Antino Gold Project
- Upon satisfying the Option Agreement, Nana Resources and Founders Metals will form a joint venture, providing
   Founders with a potential pathway to increased ownership
- UAgreement includes logistical support, personnel, heavy equipment, and well-equipped Antino exploration camp facilities

	Payments (USD)	Shares	Work Commitment (USD)
<b>Stage 1</b> - for 51%			
Stage 1 total	\$1,650,000	1,615,000	\$6,000,000
<b>Stage 2 - for 70%*</b>			
Stage 2 total	\$1,500,000	95,000	\$10,000,000
<b>Stage 3 - for 75</b> %			
Stage 3 total			\$10,000,000

\*Upon completion of Stage 2, Founders may either proceed with Stage 3 or decline and immediately enter a joint venture with Nana, which would otherwise begin after Stage 3 is complete.



## AN OPPORTUNITY WITH SCALE

An advanced project with significant potential for growth through resource expansion and new discoveries in a pro-mining jurisdiction

Large historical drilling, geochemical, and geophysical datasets compiled into a new state-of-the-art database system Most advanced gold exploration project in Suriname. All mineralized zones remain open along strike and at depth

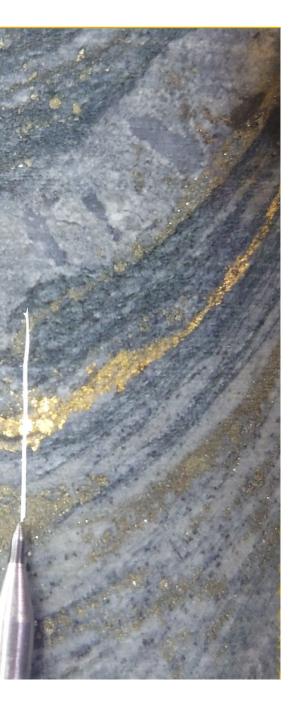
Numerous untested anomalies from historical gold-in-soils and geophysical data

#### **Ongoing Work & Upcoming Catalysts**

• Drill results from more advanced exploration targets including Upper Antino, Lower Antino & Buese (ongoing)

- Rapid release drill results from new targets including Van Gogh, Da Vinci, Lawa, Parbo & Maria Geralda (ongoing)
- Complete Stage 2 of Option Agreement (H1 2025)
- Additional metallurgical testwork & baseline studies (ongoing)





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