



Voisey's Bay Mine
(Vale)

Exploring opportunities with demonstrated potential for exceptional mines

Labrador Gold & Nickel/Copper/Cobalt Projects

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Tasiuyak Gold Project

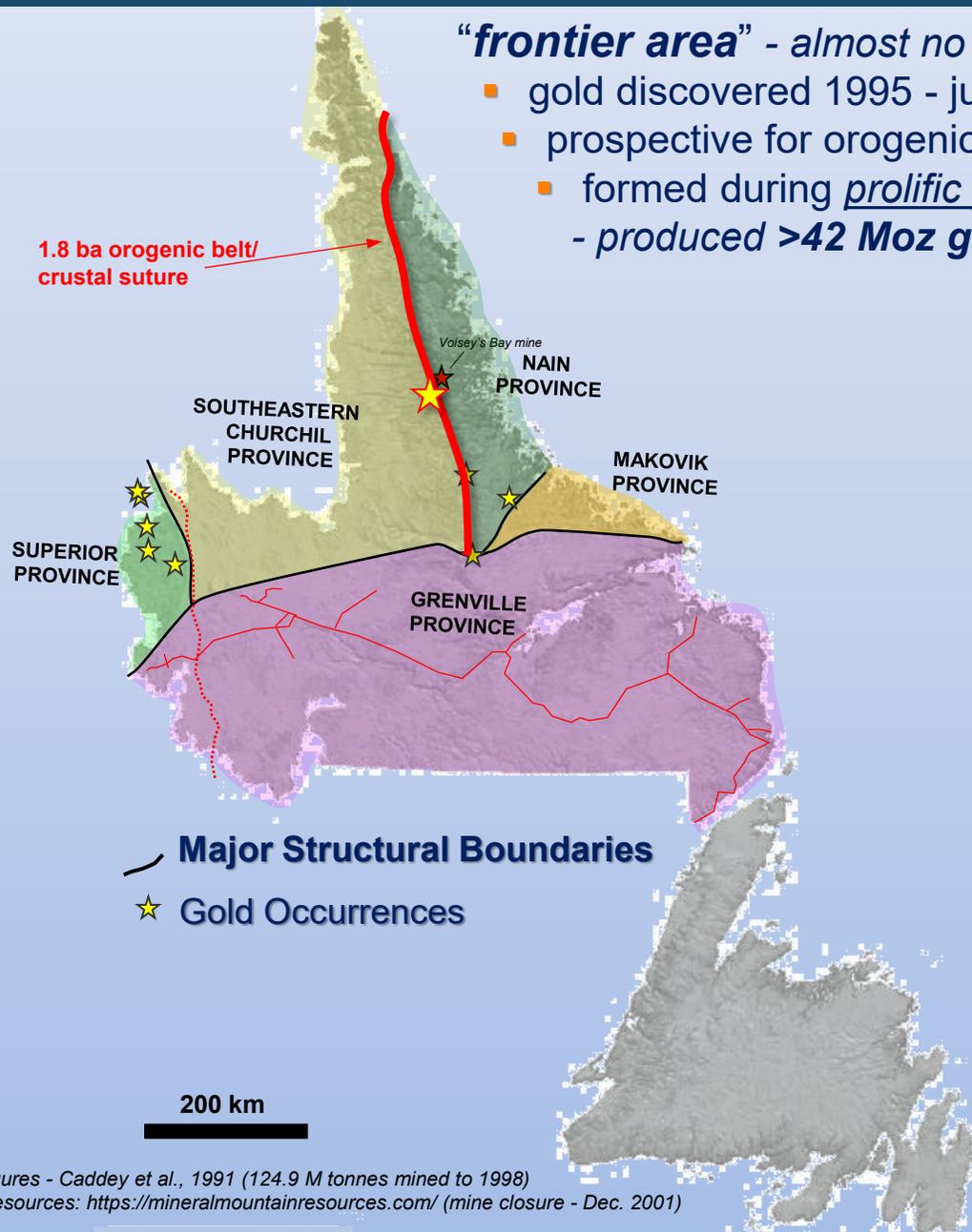
Paleoproterozoic Orogenic Iron
Formation-hosted Gold

Labrador, Canada

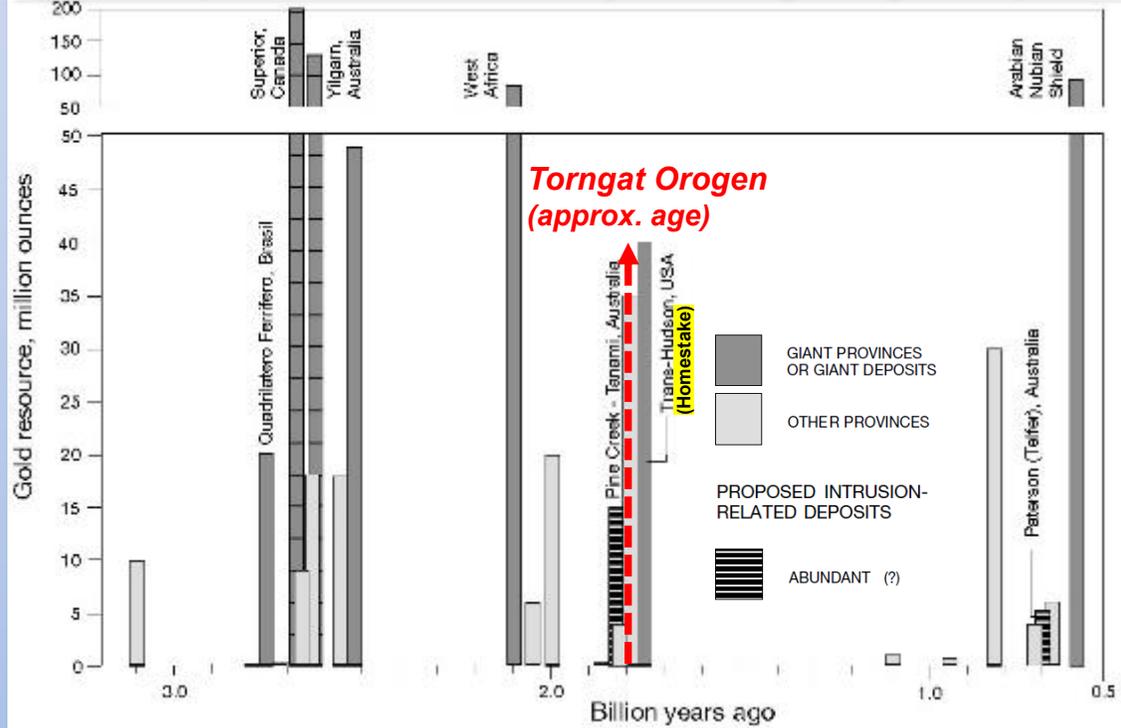


“frontier area” - almost no history of gold exploration

- gold discovered 1995 - junior company exploring for nickel - “Voisey’s Bay rush”
- prospective for orogenic **iron formation-hosted gold** deposits
- formed during prolific period for orogenic gold deposits - analogues include **Homestake** - produced **>42 Moz gold & 9 Moz silver** (~152 Mt averaging ~8.4 g/t Au (0.24 oz/ton)*

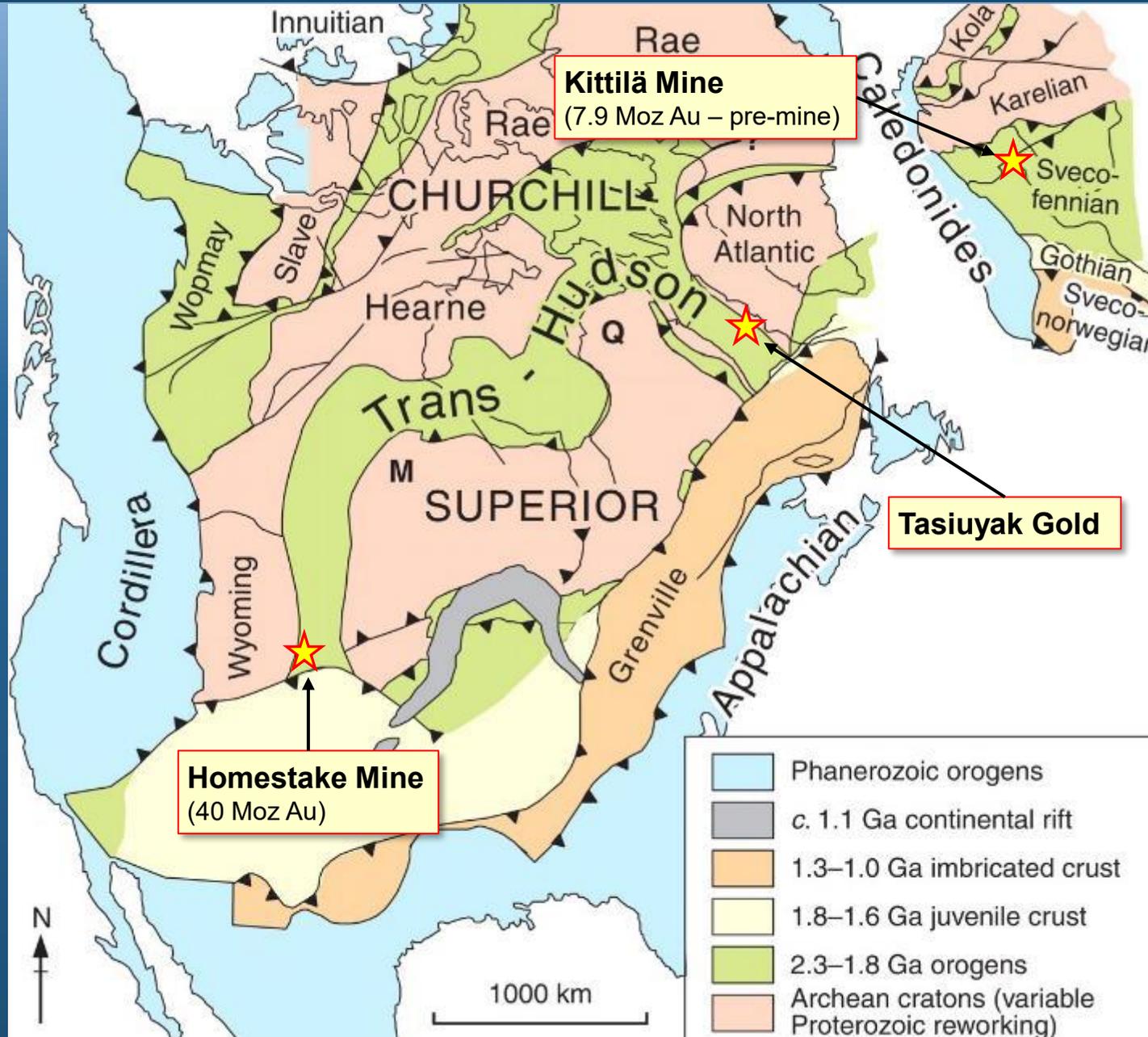


...prolific period in Earth's history - for orogenic gold deposits



Distribution of gold production - Precambrian orogenic gold deposits. After Goldfarb et al., (2001) and Groves et al., (2003). Approx. age Tongat Orogen after Bertrand et al., (1993). Homestake age after Morelli et al., 2010 (arsenopyrite (Re-Os) 1,736±8 Ma)

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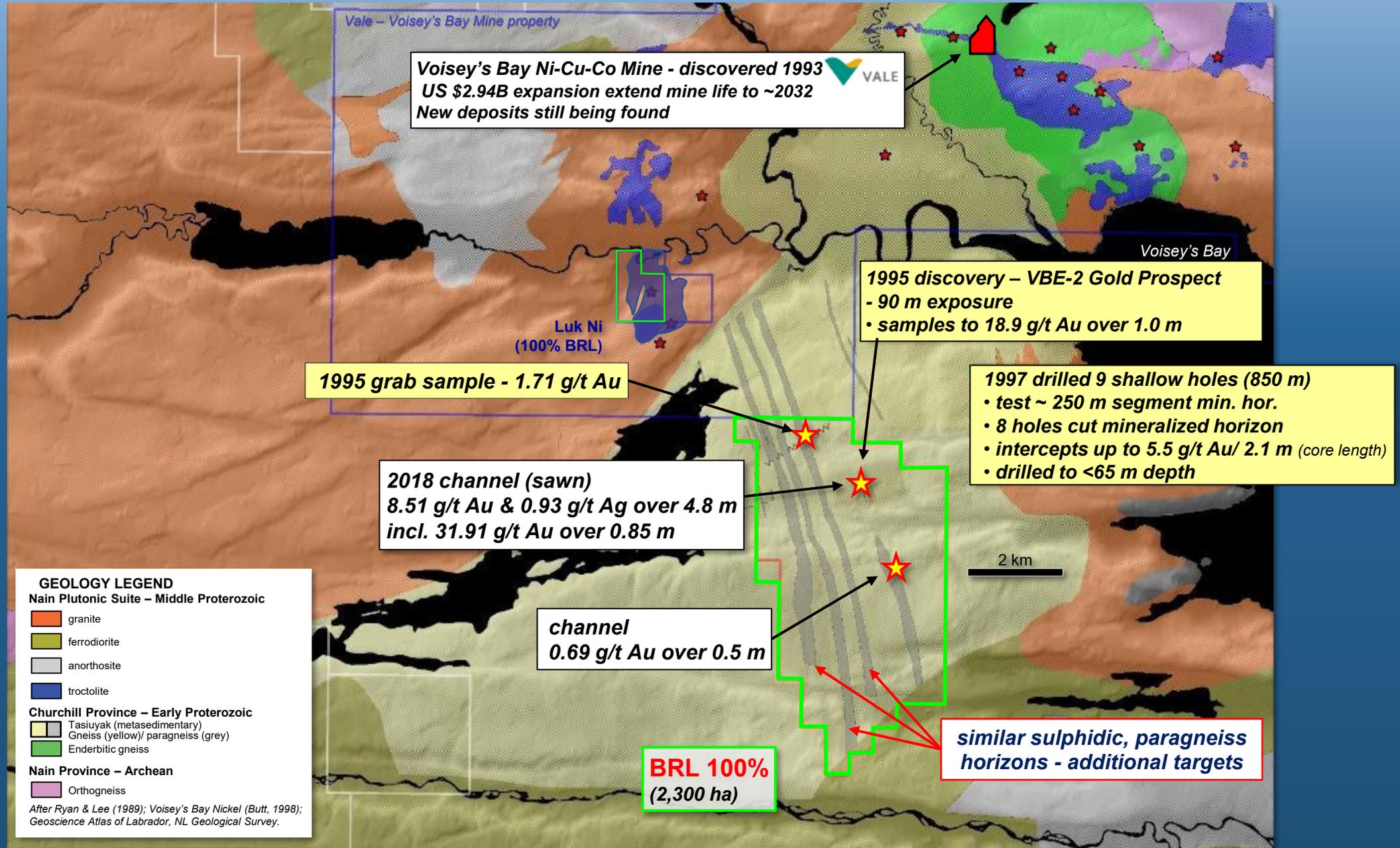


Paleoproterozoic Gold

Tasiuyak covers rocks analogous with gold-bearing orogenic rocks that hosts similar age (~1.8 billion years old) gold deposits (i.e., Homestake & Kittilä)

ores dominated by sulphidic iron-rich rocks including metasediments (Homestake) and mafic volcanics (Kittilä)

“formational host” - not fault structures or veins - tend to form large-tonnage deposits with large gold inventories





*Discovery outcrop
samples up to 18.9 g/t Au over 1.0 m*

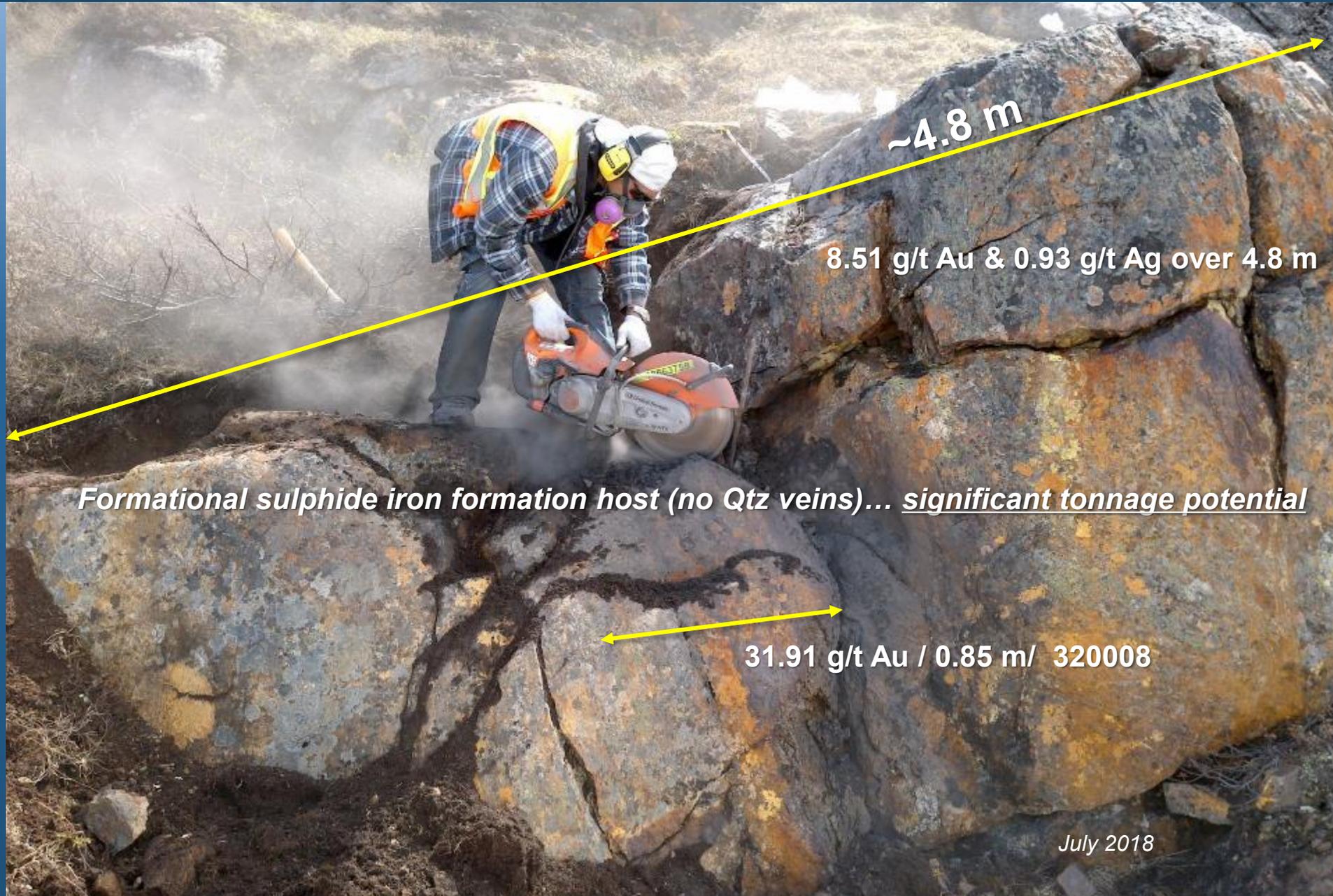


2018 Channel Sampling



*1997 core
tested horizon to <65 m
depth over 250 m strike*

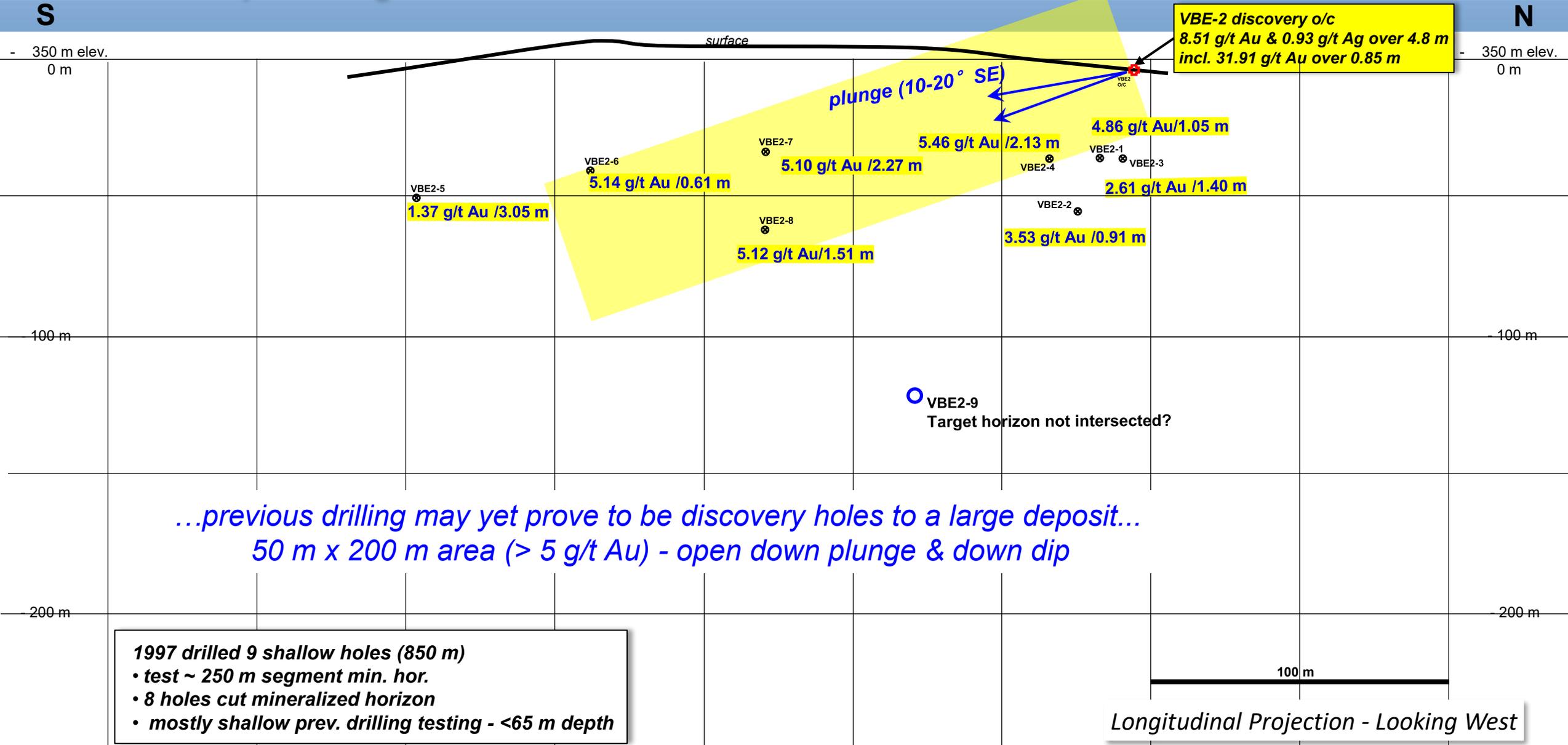
looking south – July 2018



July 2018

VBE-2 Prospect

Potential at Depth – Target Scale



Possible Analogue

- Homestake - gold occurs almost exclusively in Homestake Formation... mostly stratabound ore as segregations of pyrrhotite, arsenopyrite, minor pyrite, gold, & minor löllingite (FeAs_2) (Caddey et al., 1991)
- Tasiuyak - gold occurs almost exclusively in sulphidic paragneiss... mineralization dominated by pyrrhotite (pyrite), chalcopyrite, arsenopyrite, minor löllingite & (*free gold)



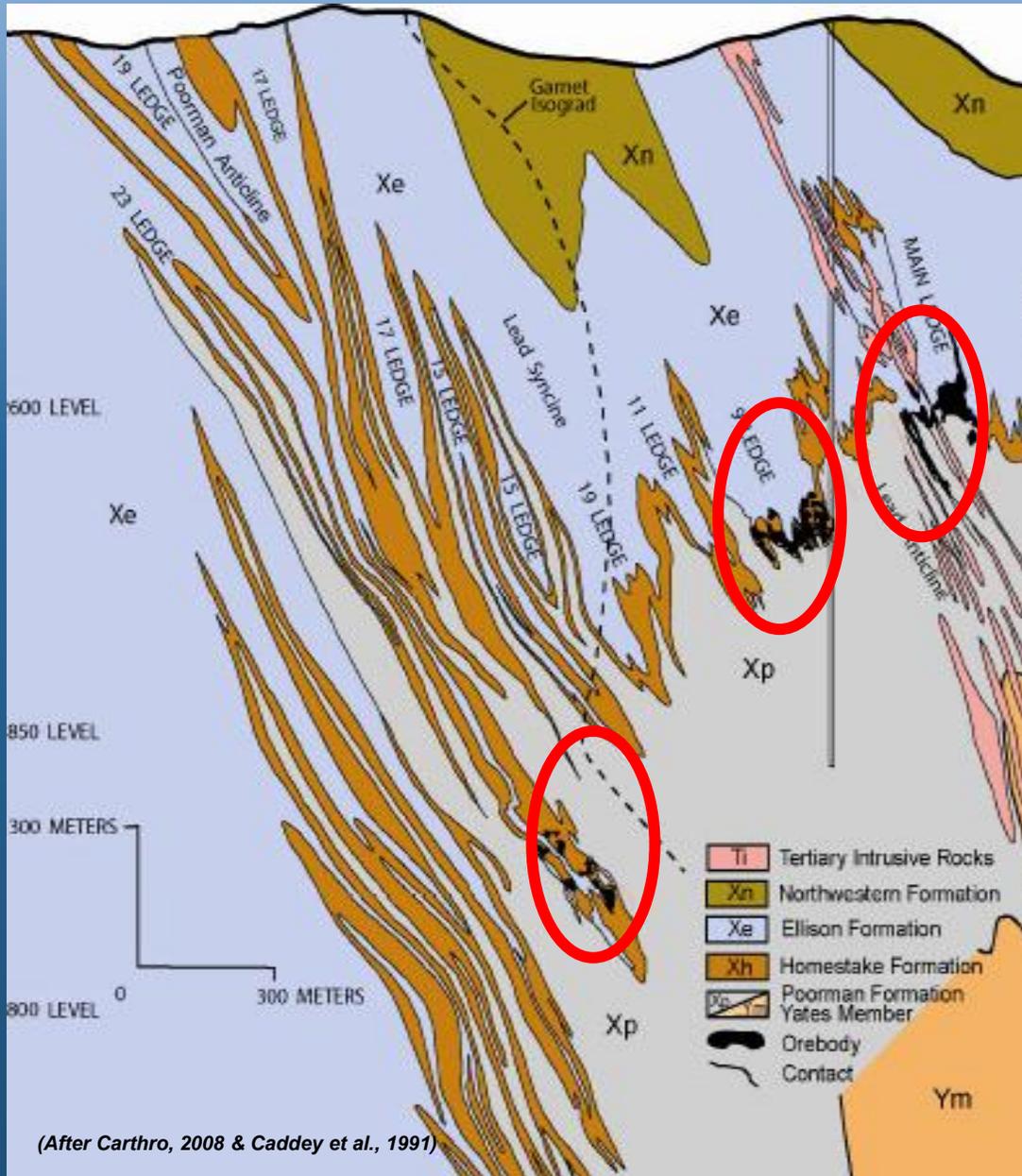
Ore – Homestake Gold Mine
Auriferous sulfidic chlorite schist

Homestake Gold Mine (South Dakota, USA)



- produced >42 Moz gold & 9 Moz silver from ~152 M tonnes ore averaging ~8.4 g/t Au (0.24 oz/ton)** between 1876 and 2001

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(After Carthro, 2008 & Caddey et al., 1991)

Also at HOMESTAKE...

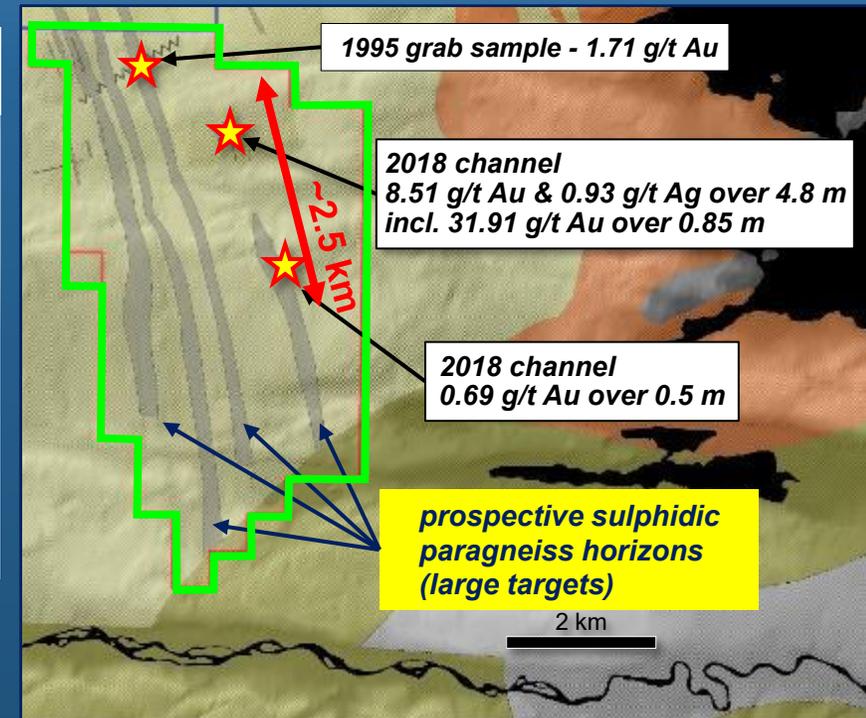
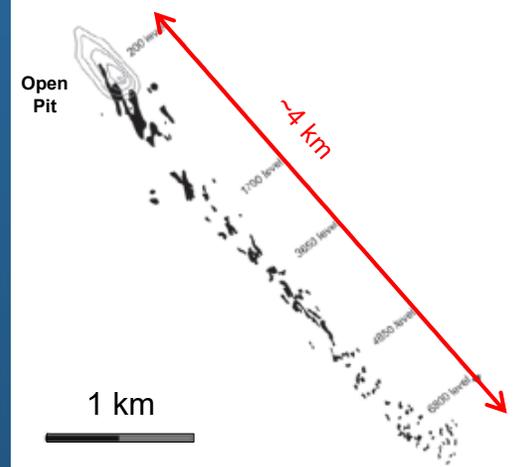
...“ledges”...synclinal folds...host most ore...

...ore ledges (hinges) linear zones extend up to >5 km down plunge

...targeting hinges may be key to exploring prospective horizons at Tasiuyak...isoclinal folds typical at Tasiuyak...

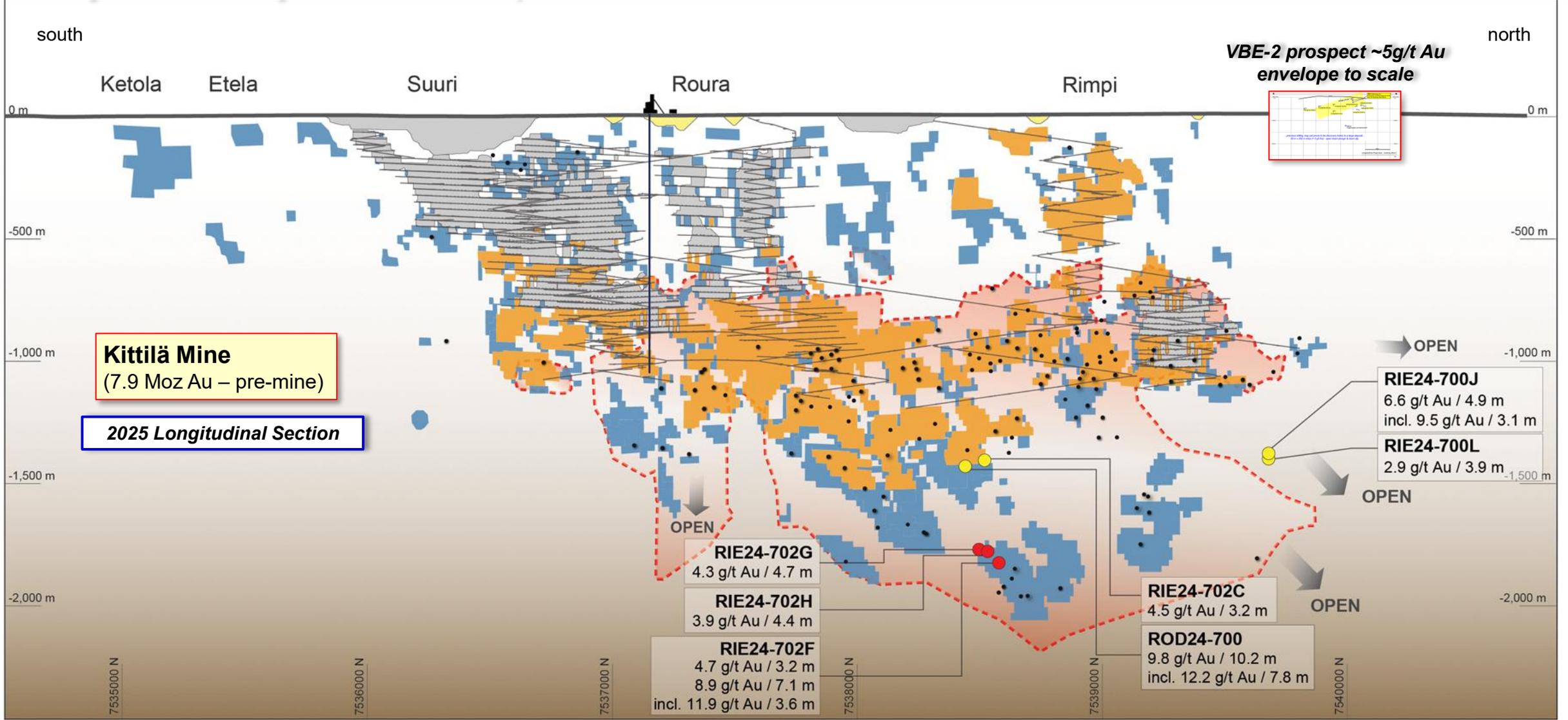
...multiple prospective sulphidic horizons - large targets

Homestake
(Main Ledge - plunge ~35°)



VBE-2 Prospect

Already a Discovery? – Kittilä Comparison



- 2024 Mineral Reserve
- Potential open-pit outline
- Sisar mineralized envelope outline
- 2024 Mineral Resource
- Mined out areas
- Underground mine workings
- Significant current drill hole pierce points - Main Zone
- Significant current drill hole pierce points - Sisar
- Previously released drill hole pierce points

0 1000 metres

Finnish Coordinate System KKJ Zone 2

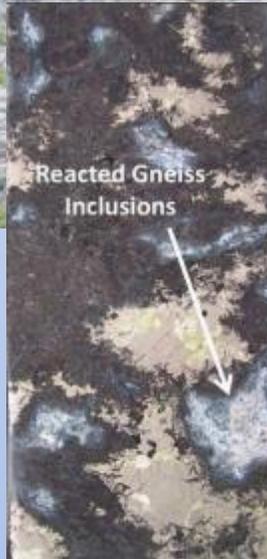
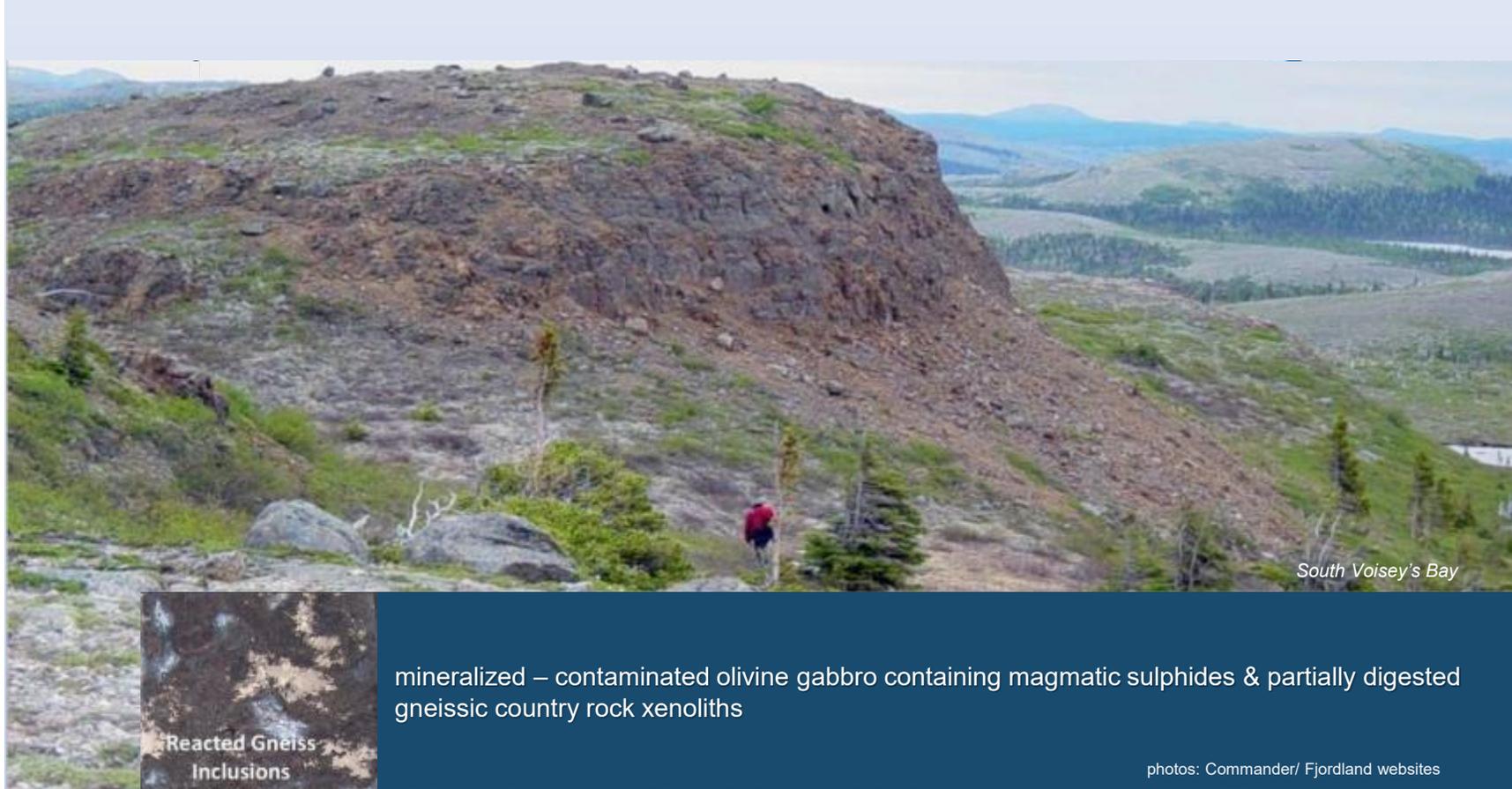
- **Outstanding opportunity** - prospecting may yield important discoveries
- **frontier area** - almost no prior gold exploration - gold discovered during Voisey's Bay Ni rush
- **district potential** - formational targets capable of yielding world-class accumulations of gold
- **multiple prospective horizons** to be prospected - target fold closures - "ledges"
- **drill ready** - VBE-2 "discovery" open down plunge (>250 m) and at depth >65 m
- **accessible** - 6 km from tide-water, established mining area adjacent to Vale's Voisey's Bay mine

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Labrador Nickel-Copper-Cobalt Projects

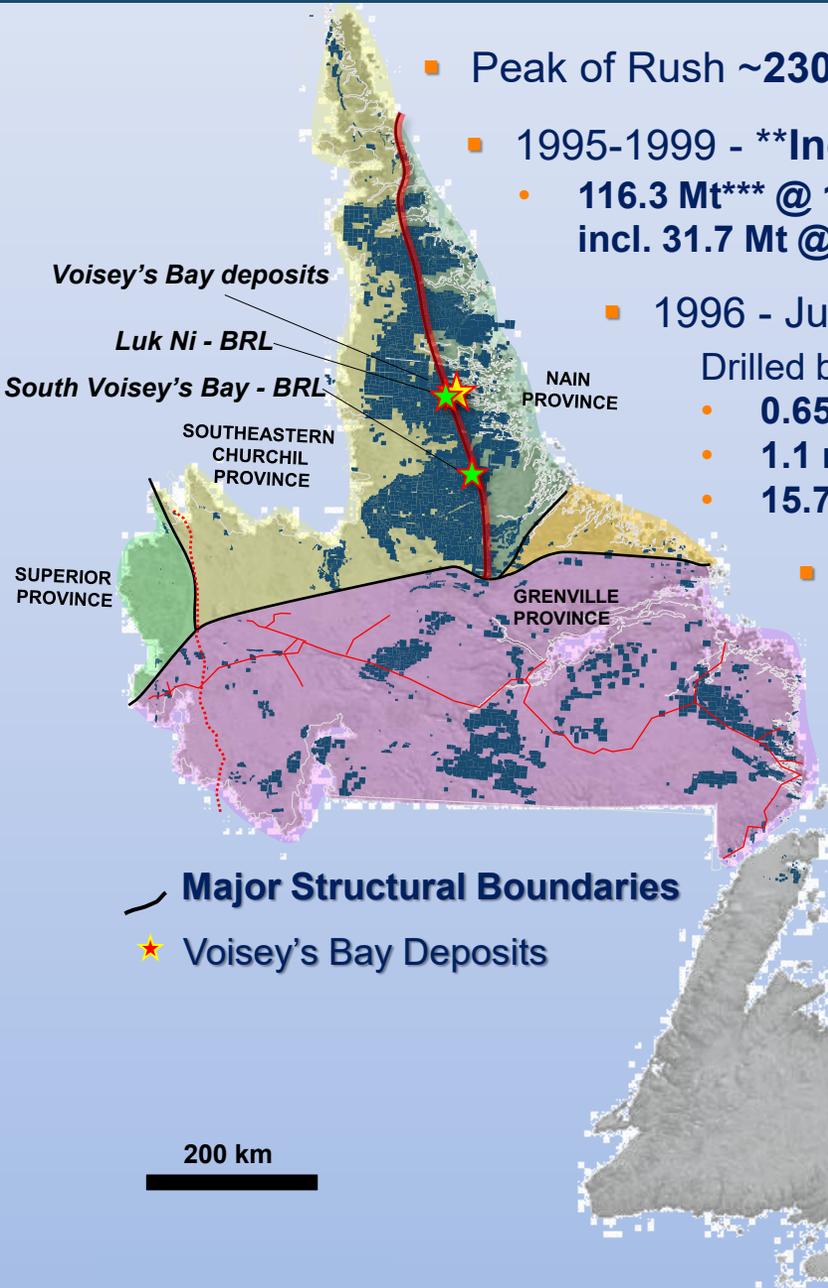
Voisey's Bay Meso-Proterozoic Magmatic Ni sulphides

Labrador, Canada



mineralized – contaminated olivine gabbro containing magmatic sulphides & partially digested gneissic country rock xenoliths

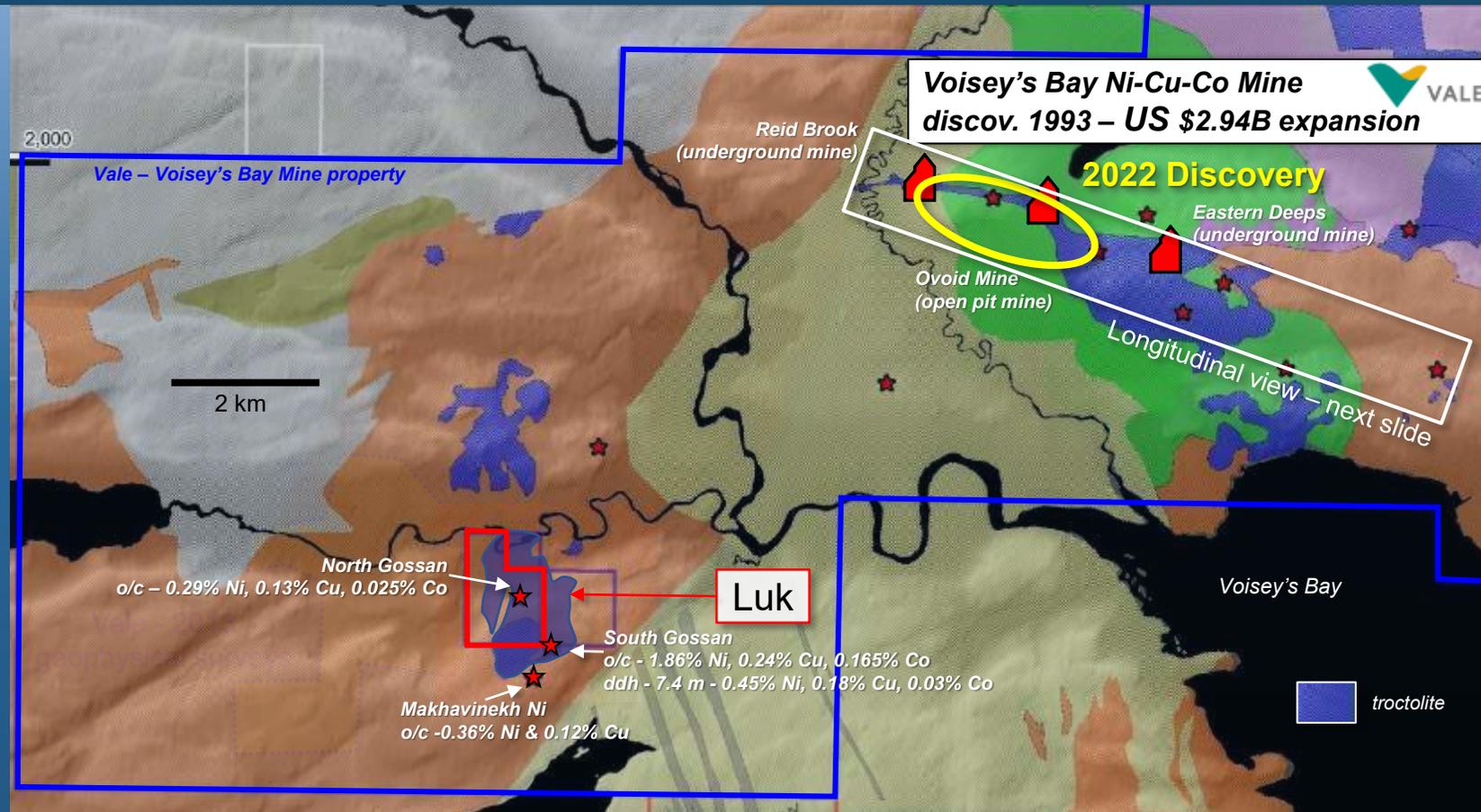
photos: Commander/ Fjordland websites



- Peak of Rush ~230,000 claims in Labrador* – mostly focused on Proterozoic igneous complexes
- 1995-1999 - **Inco Purchased 100% Voisey's Bay for ~US \$4.4 billion (equiv. shares & cash)
 - 116.3 Mt*** @ 1.71% Ni, 0.92% Cu & 0.09% Co (1998 pre-mining all categories – measured, indicated & inferred) incl. 31.7 Mt @ 2.83% Ni, 1.68% Cu, & 0.12% Co (Ovoid Open Pit) - mining started 2005
- 1996 - Junior Co. ~80 km south Voisey's Bay - mineralized olivine gabbro (Pants Lake) - **SVB**
 - Drilled by Teck (JV)
 - 0.65 m - 1.93% Ni, 1.07% Cu and 0.26% Co (hole 97-67)
 - 1.1 m of 11.9% Ni, 9.6% Cu, and 0.43% Co (hole 97-75)
 - 15.7 m - 1.13% Ni, 0.78% Cu, 0.20% Co (hole 97-96)
- 2016 - BRL (BMC) staked key portions SVB project - incl. high-grade intercepts
 - compiled historic data - Priority target - untested AMT anomaly near high-grade intercepts
- 2018 - BRL staked claims - within Vale's Voisey's Bay mine property - **Luk Project**
 - 2022 - Vale announce Reid Brook Extension discovery ~8 km NE of Luk
 - 2023 - BRL compiled historic data - identified exploration potential at depth

* Historic Claims (NL Geoscience Atlas, July 2023)
 ** Reuters (May 26, 2004) & Company Reports (Inco)
 *** pre-mining resource estimates – Inco 1998 Annual Report

Voisey's Bay – Labrador (Ni-Cu-Co) LUK Property



Luk Property - Voisey's Bay

100% BRL - 1.25 km² property covers Voisey's Bay Troctolite surrounded by Vale's Voisey's Bay mine property <8 km southwest of VB mine

2024 - US \$2.94 billion mine expansion - mine to operate to 2034

2022 - Vale exploration success below 1,000 m (**Reid Brook Extension - 2.79% Ni, 1.31% Cu/ 92.6 m)

2023** - Vale intends to drill 300 km (2023-2028)

BRL LUK Property Highlights

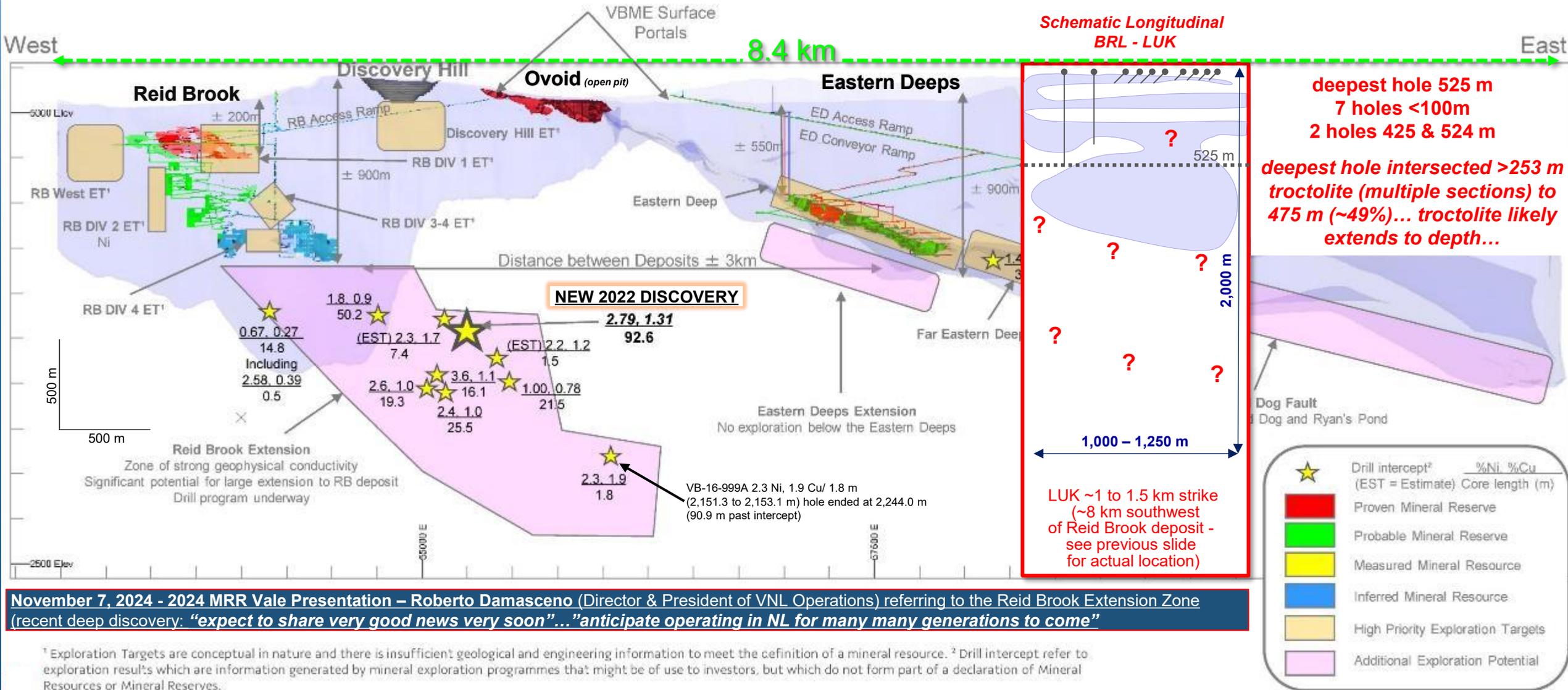
- historic surface samples incl. assays up to **1.86% Ni, 0.24% Cu, 0.165% Co**
- drilled intercepts up to **7.4 m @ 0.45% Ni, 0.18% Cu, 0.03% Co**

BRL - 2023 compiled exploration data - **exploration potential at depth >500 m**

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** 2022 Vale XXII Analyst & Investor Tour Presentation, Sept. 7th, 2022
2023 Vale - PDAC-Atlantic Edge presentation

Voisey's Bay – Labrador (Ni-Cu-Co) LUK Property – Vale's Recent Exploration Success





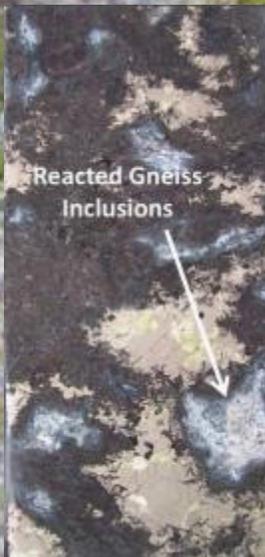
Target - Voisey's Bay Feeder Dyke
~30 m wide - <100 m from ore

~20 m

- **Optimal Target** – troctolite feeder dykes - adjacent/ below troctolitic intrusions - preferably mineralized intrusions & dykes...

Voisey's Bay – Labrador (Ni-Cu-Co) South Voisey's Bay Property

Mineralized olivine gabbro sill overlying gneissic country rock



Reacted Gneiss
Inclusions

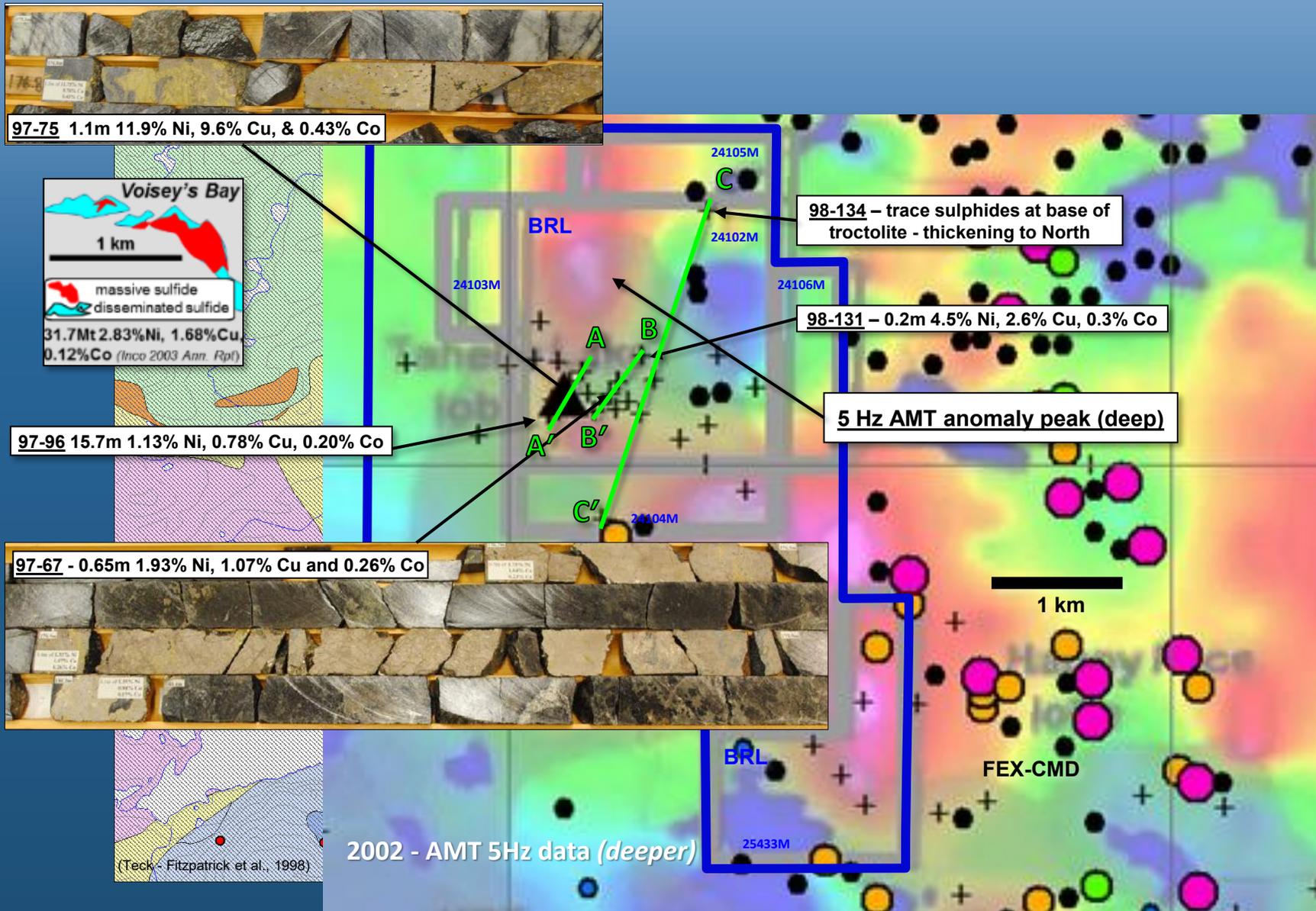
mineralized - contaminated olivine gabbro containing magmatic sulphides & partially digested gneissic country rock xenoliths (*confirmed Voisey's Bay style/age mineralization*)

GG showing - BRL Claims - South Voisey's Bay

Voisey's Bay – Labrador (Ni-Cu-Co)

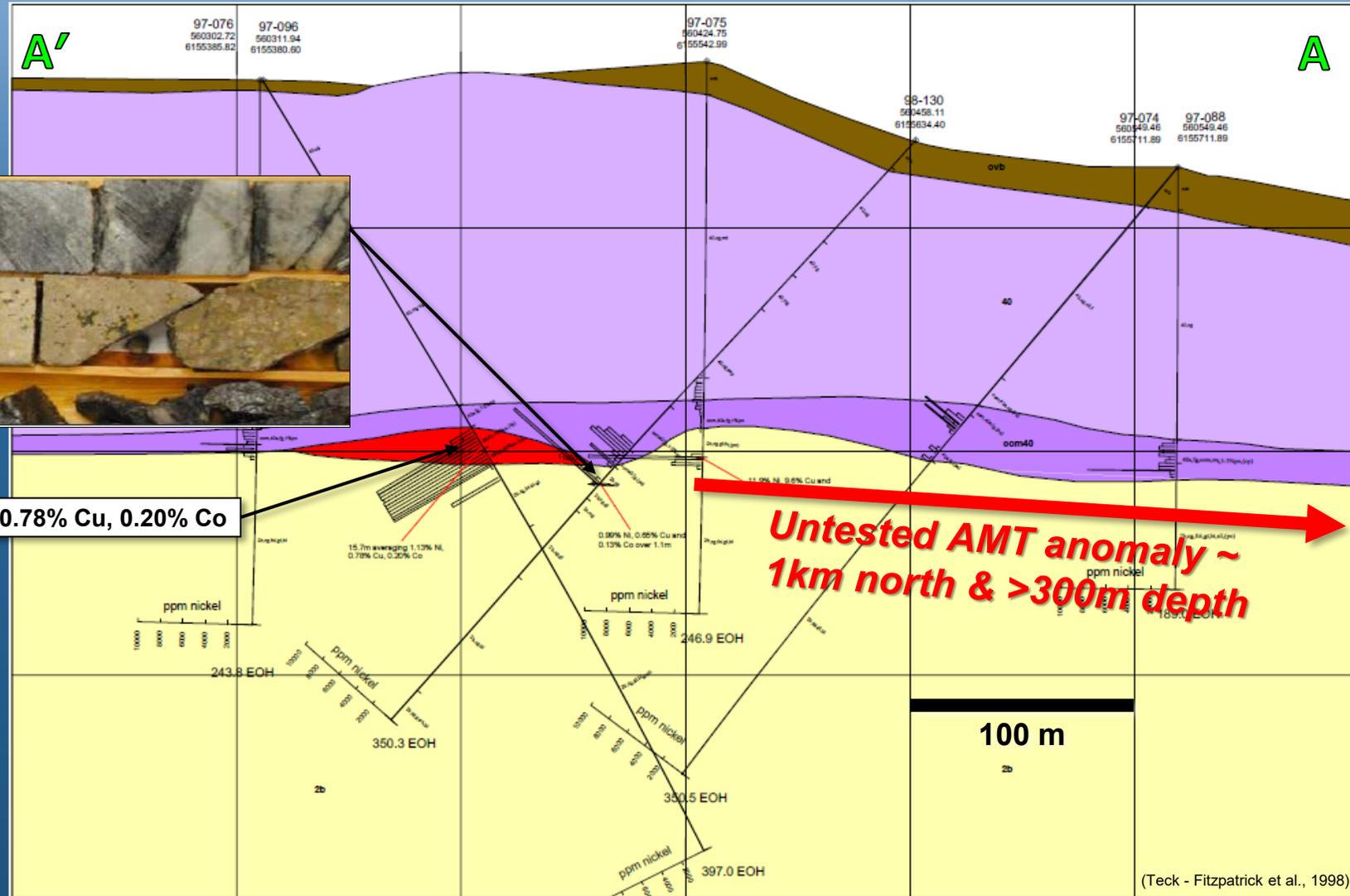
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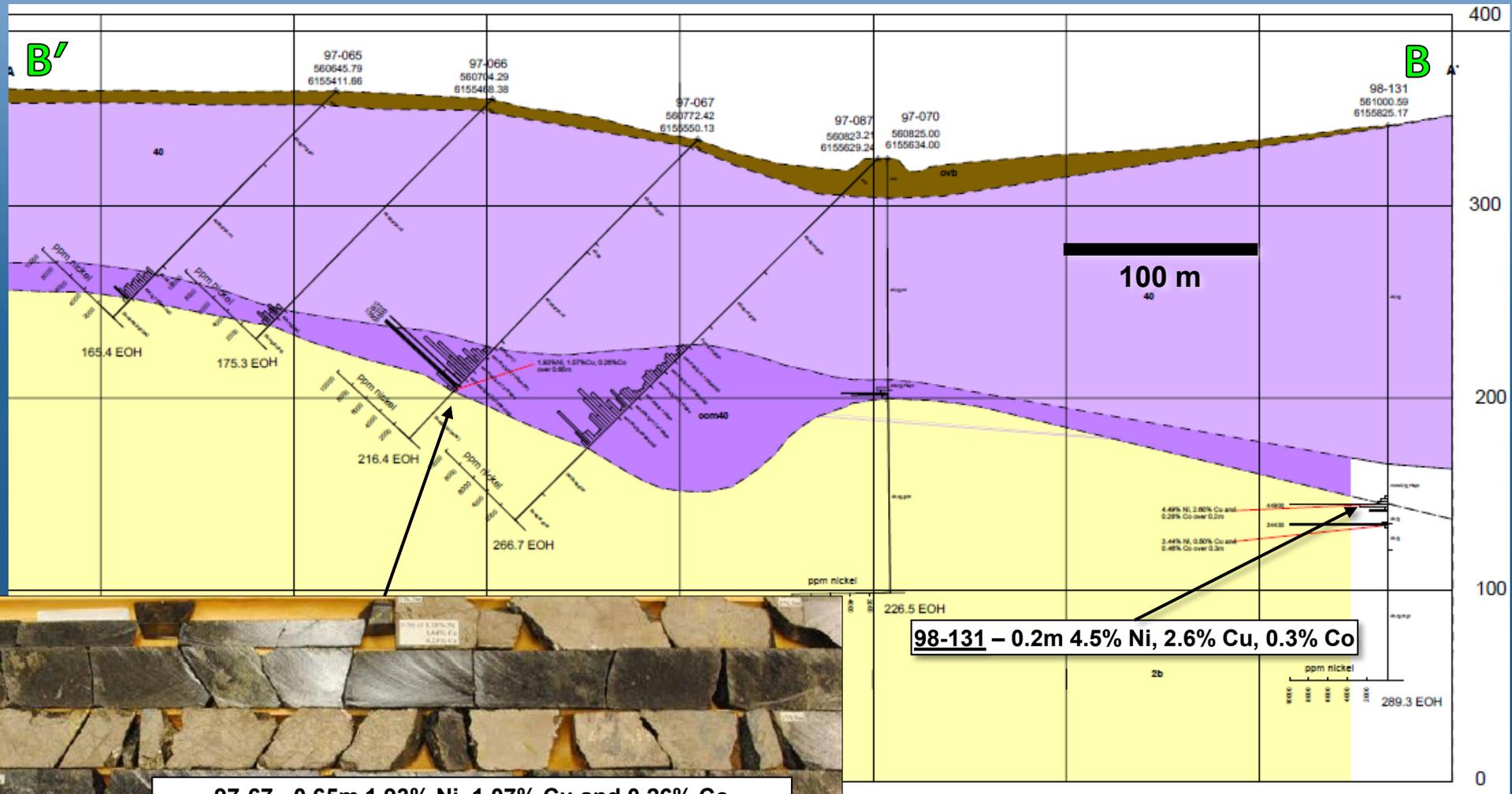


Area of previous intercepts located ~ 1 km south of deep **untested 5 Hz MT anomaly** adjacent to area hosting multiple high-grade massive sulphide intercepts

Section A-A' - Drill section looking Northwest (grid blocks are 100 m x 100 m)

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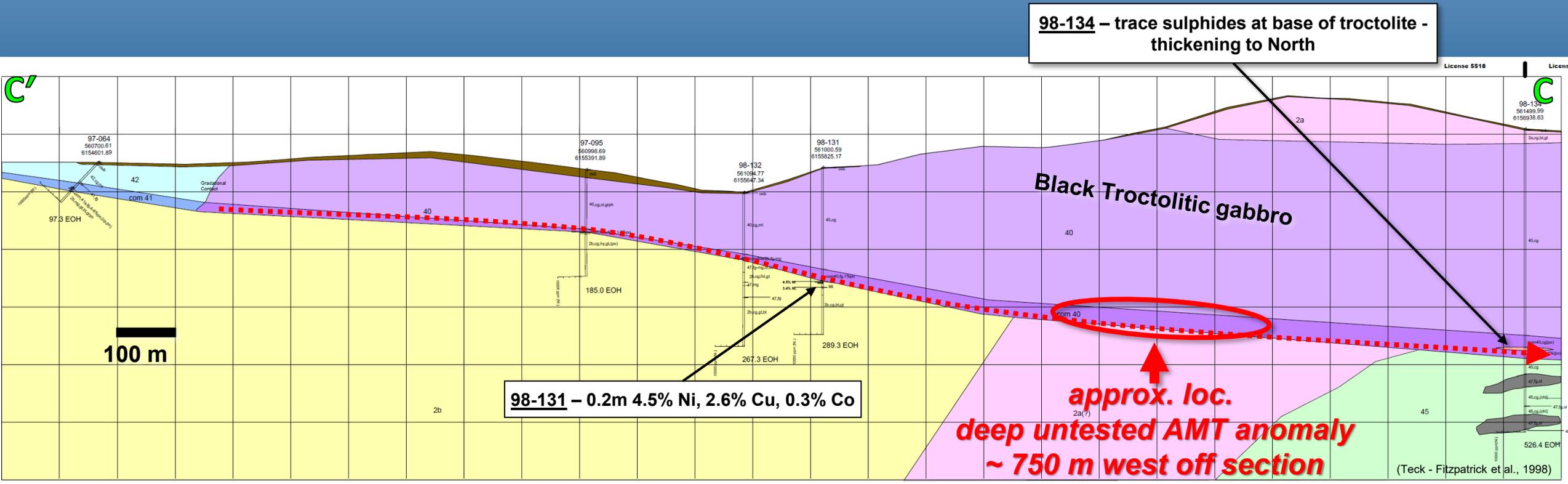
97-67 - 0.65m 1.93% Ni, 1.07% Cu and 0.26% Co

98-131 - 0.2m 4.5% Ni, 2.6% Cu, 0.3% Co

Section B-B' - Drill Section looking Northwest (grid blocks are 100 m x 100 m)

South

North



Sect C-C' - Drill section looking Northwest (grid blocks are 100 m x 100 m)

- BRL's Ni projects - *excellent exploration opportunities - discovery world-class Voisey's Bay deposits*
- previous exploration - short-lived exploration rush - *identified several overlooked opportunities*
- BRL Ni projects - Voisey's Bay & South Voisey's Bay - *priority target areas with confirmed Voisey's Bay-style mineralization*
- BRL - experienced team (former Teck/ Inco-VBNC) - *able to operate existing projects*
- LUK - *strategic location with deep exploration potential*
- South Voisey's Bay - *"drill ready" target (untested AMT anomaly)*
 - incl. drilled intercept of 1.1 m @ 11.9% Ni, 9.6% Cu, & 0.43% Co





THANK YOU

Presentation available at www.buchansresources.com/investors/

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VBE-2 Prospect 1997 Drilling

VBE-2 discovery o/c
8.51 g/t Au & 0.93 g/t Ag over 4.8 m
incl. 31.91 g/t Au over 0.85 m

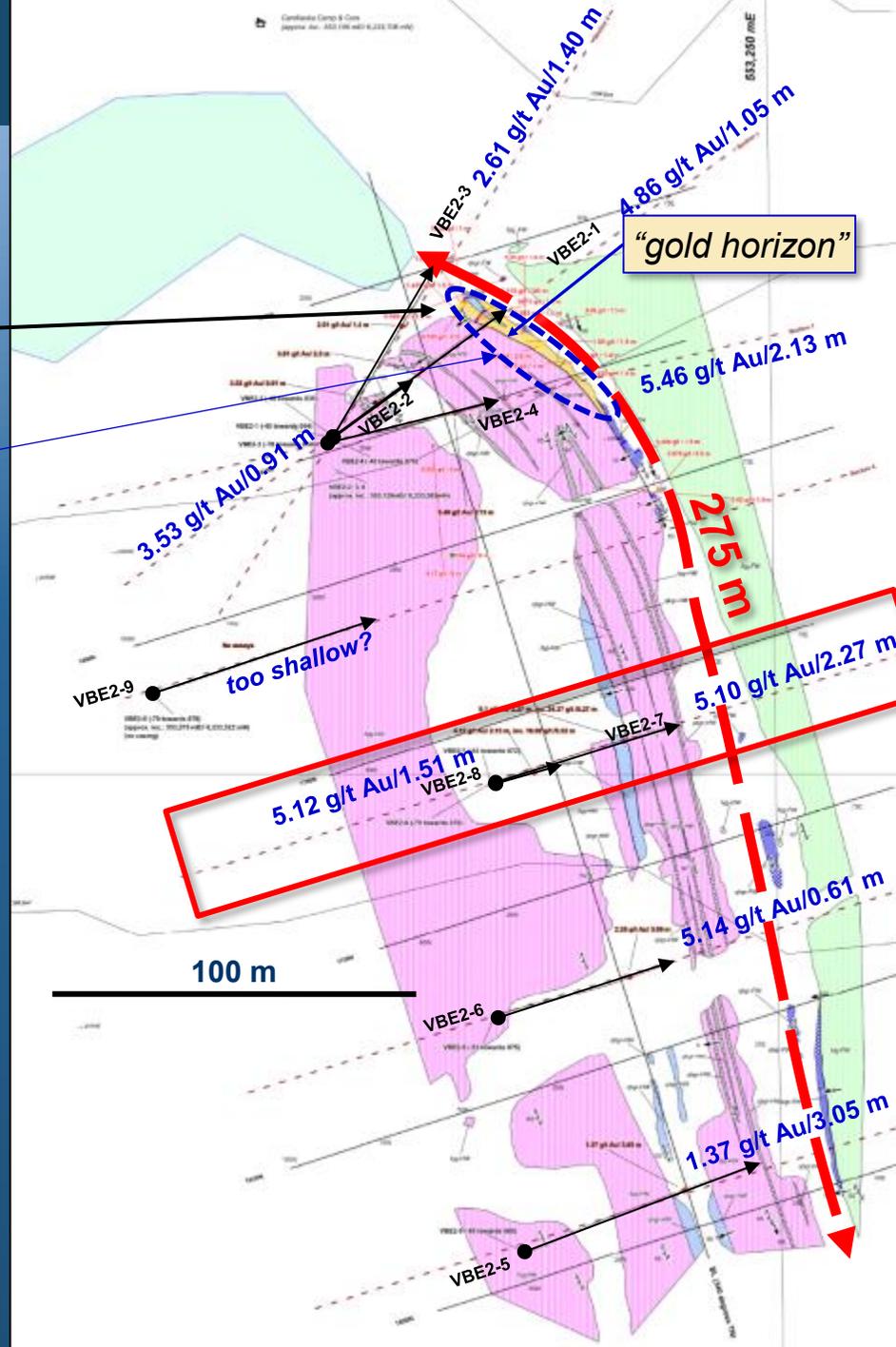
90 m outcrop exposure

drilled ~275 m strike
<65 m depth

...open in all directions...
"discovery holes" already drilled...

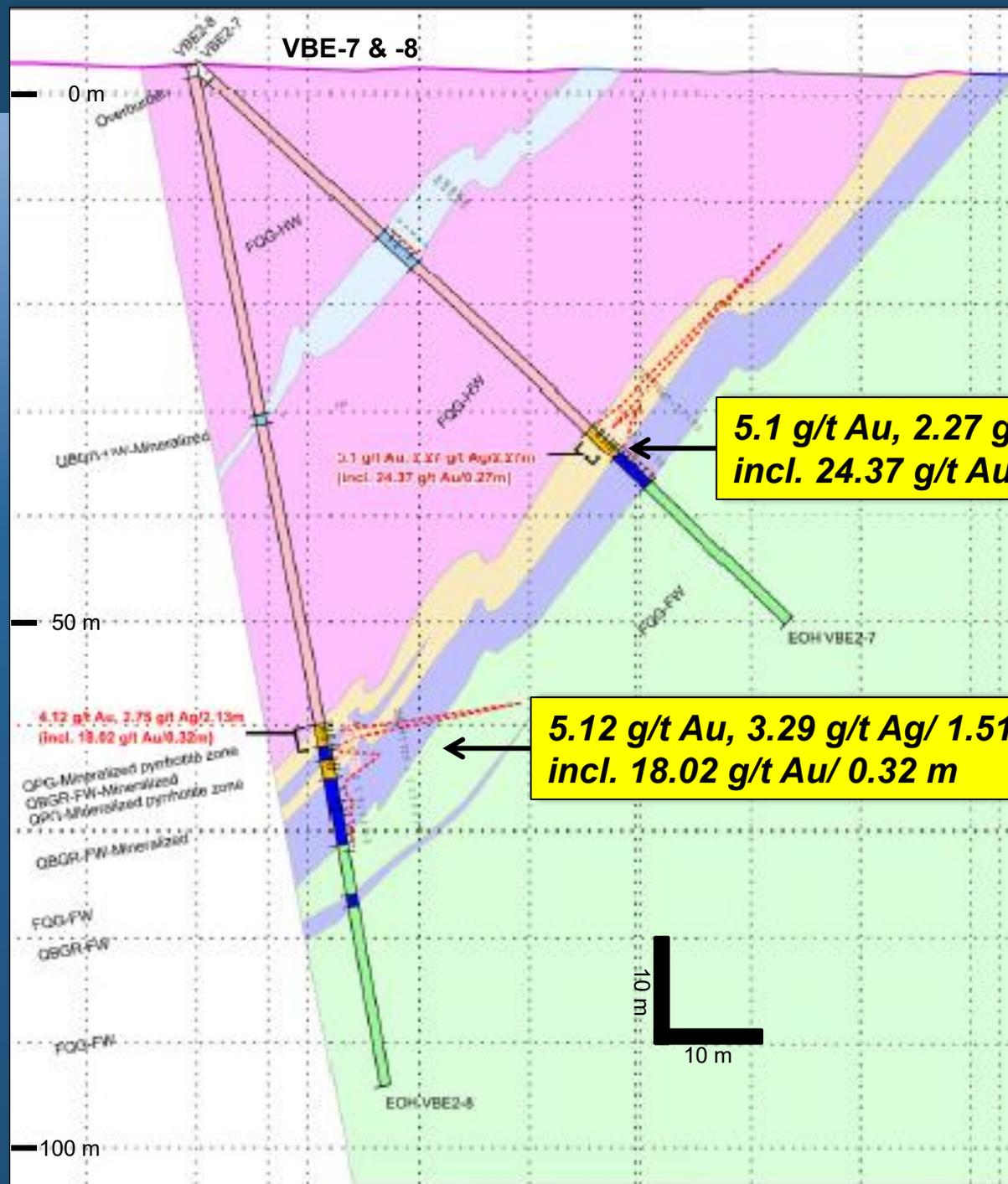
LEGEND

-  Hanging wall plagioclase-quartz-garnet paragneiss
 -  Quartz-pyroxene-garnet gneiss
 -  Quartz-biotite-graphite schist
 -  Footwall gneiss plagioclase-quartz-garnet paragneiss
- (after Cavalero and Mersereau, 1997b)



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| DDH | From (m) | To (m) | width (m) | Au (g/t) | Ag (g/t) |
|--------|----------|---|-----------|----------|----------|
| VBE2-1 | 47.85 | 51.74 | 3.89 | 2.46 | 2.93 |
| | 47.85 | 50.14 | 2.29 | 3.81 | 2.82 |
| | 47.85 | 48.91 | 1.05 | 4.86 | 1.71 |
| | 48.91 | 50.14 | 1.23 | 2.92 | 3.77 |
| | 50.14 | 51.21 | 1.07 | 0.34 | 3.43 |
| VBE2-2 | 51.21 | 51.74 | 0.53 | 0.92 | 2.4 |
| | 56.24 | 57.15 | 0.91 | 3.53 | 2.74 |
| | 49.83 | 51.24 | 1.40 | 2.61 | 3.09 |
| | 47.52 | 49.65 | 2.13 | 5.46 | 3.52 |
| | 47.52 | 48.37 | 0.85 | 1.50 | 3.09 |
| VBE2-3 | 48.37 | 49.07 | 0.70 | 10.62 | 4.11 |
| | 49.07 | 49.65 | 0.58 | 5.05 | 3.43 |
| | 64.31 | 67.36 | 3.05 | 1.37 | 2.37 |
| | 64.31 | 65.09 | 0.78 | 0.91 | 2.72 |
| | 65.09 | 66.20 | 1.11 | 0.67 | 2.06 |
| VBE2-4 | 66.20 | 67.36 | 1.16 | 2.35 | 2.42 |
| | 56.57 | 60.56 | 3.99 | 2.26 | 2.76 |
| | 56.57 | 57.01 | 0.44 | 2.08 | 3.09 |
| | 57.01 | 57.62 | 0.61 | 5.14 | 4.11 |
| | 57.62 | 58.25 | 0.62 | 2.95 | 3.43 |
| VBE2-5 | 58.25 | 58.77 | 0.52 | 0.55 | 1.71 |
| | 58.77 | 59.06 | 0.29 | 3.16 | 2.74 |
| | 59.06 | 59.88 | 0.82 | 1.43 | 2.06 |
| | 59.88 | 60.56 | 0.69 | 1.12 | 2.4 |
| | 50.75 | 54.09 | 3.34 | 3.78 | 2.30 |
| VBE2-6 | 51.15 | 53.42 | 2.27 | 5.10 | 2.27 |
| | 50.75 | 51.15 | 0.40 | 0.27 | 1.61 |
| | 51.15 | 51.65 | 0.50 | 2.84 | 2.66 |
| | 51.65 | 51.92 | 0.27 | 24.37 | 4.43 |
| | 51.92 | 52.49 | 0.56 | 0.63 | 1.44 |
| VBE2-7 | 52.49 | 53.04 | 0.55 | 4.20 | 0.91 |
| | 53.04 | 53.42 | 0.38 | 2.15 | 3.37 |
| | 53.42 | 53.75 | 0.34 | 1.74 | 2.8 |
| | 53.75 | 54.09 | 0.34 | 1.00 | 2.86 |
| | 64.04 | 69.27 | 5.23 | 2.73 | 2.42 |
| VBE2-8 | 64.04 | 65.55 | 1.51 | 5.12 | 3.29 |
| | 64.04 | 66.17 | 2.13 | 4.12 | 2.75 |
| | 67.48 | 69.27 | 1.78 | 2.86 | 2.26 |
| | 64.04 | 64.45 | 0.41 | 1.76 | 3.35 |
| | 64.45 | 64.83 | 0.38 | 2.41 | 4.43 |
| VBE2-9 | 64.83 | 65.23 | 0.40 | 0.81 | 1.56 |
| | 65.23 | 65.55 | 0.32 | 18.02 | 4.02 |
| | 65.55 | 66.17 | 0.62 | 1.70 | 2.42 |
| | 66.17 | 66.57 | 0.40 | 0.11 | 1.46 |
| | 66.57 | 67.48 | 0.91 | 0.39 | 1.69 |
| VBE2-8 | 67.48 | 68.02 | 0.53 | 3.86 | 2.58 |
| | 68.02 | 68.40 | 0.38 | 3.34 | 2.28 |
| | 68.40 | 69.27 | 0.87 | 2.04 | 2.05 |
| | VBE2-9 | - no significant assays, gold-bearing horizon not intersected | | | |



**5.1 g/t Au, 2.27 g/t Ag/ 2.27 m
incl. 24.37 g/t Au/ 0.27 m**

**5.12 g/t Au, 3.29 g/t Ag/ 1.51 m
incl. 18.02 g/t Au/ 0.32 m**

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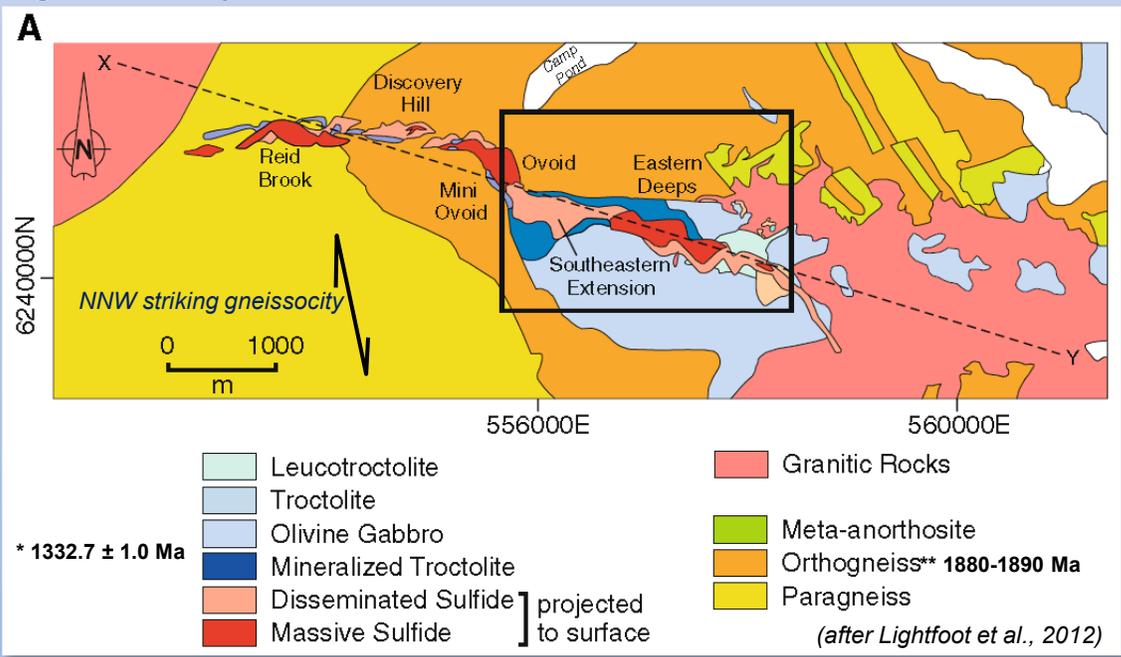
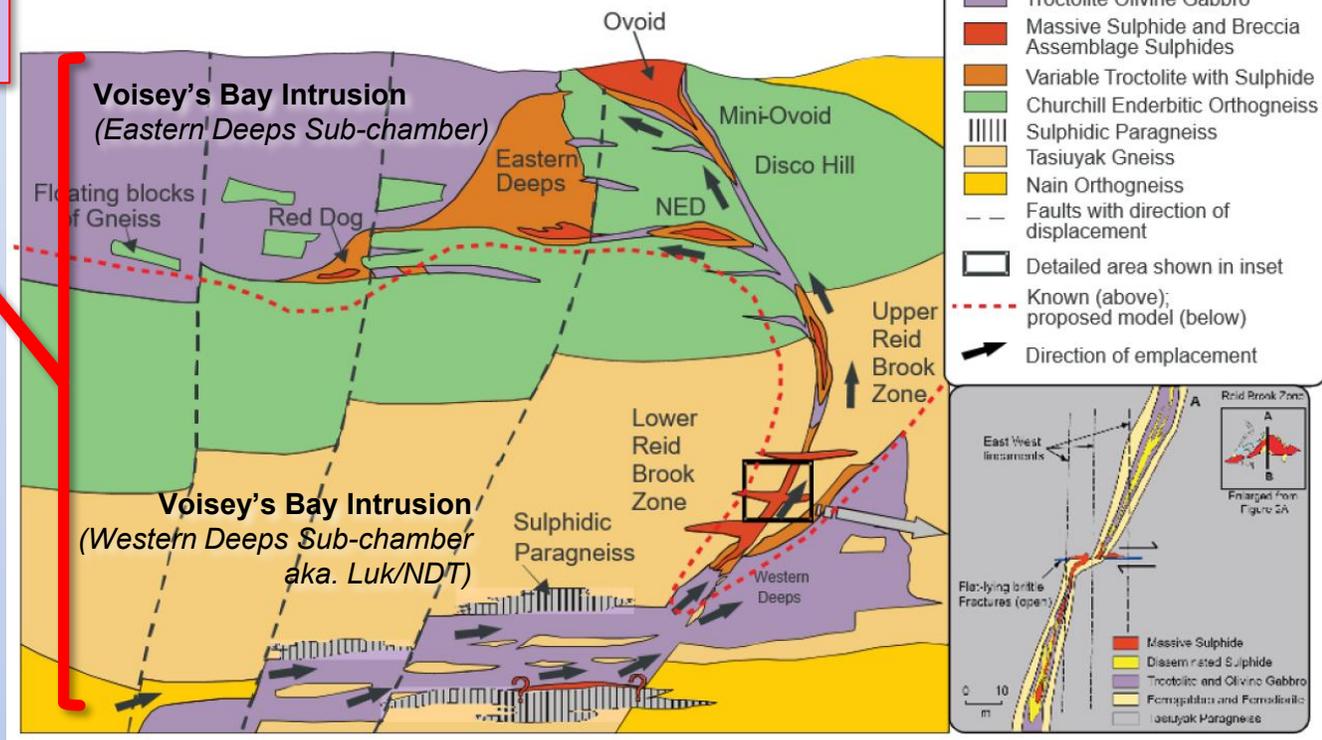
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(after Cavalero and Mersereau, 1997b)

Multiple "levels" mineralized - sulphides accumulate in feeder environment

- Recent models identify the "feeder" as the dominant mineralized environment – generally 10 to several 100 metres wide
- Instead of exploring for sub-horizontal conductive bodies at the base of large intrusions – better to explore for sub-vertical dyke-like bodies ...small footprint...
- Voisey's Bay – dyke ~perpendicular (E-W) to NNW striking gneissosity

(after Lightfoot et al., 2012)



* Voisey's Bay Intrusion age - Amelin et al., 1999
 ** Enderbitic/ortho gneiss (Churchill) age – Rawlings-Hinchey et al., 2003



Target - Voisey's Bay Feeder Dyke
~30 m wide - <100 m from ore

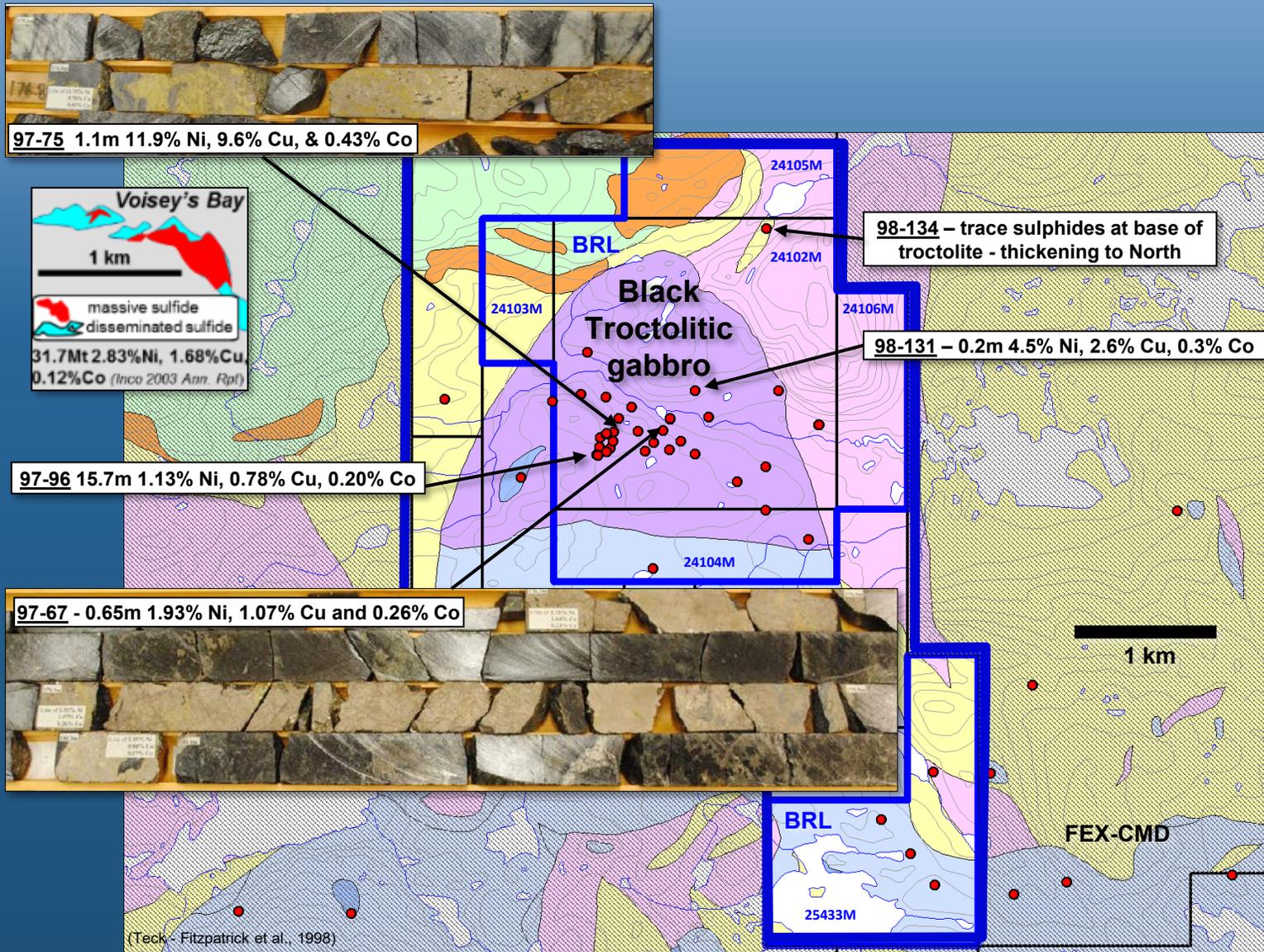
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- **Optimal Target** – troctolite feeder dykes - adjacent/ below troctolitic intrusions - preferably mineralized intrusions & dykes
- ... favourable crustal level for sulphide saturation - contact with Tasiuyak gneiss (S source - digested by mafic magma - scavenge Ni-Cu-Co before segregation-accumulation magmatic sulphides)...explore areas of Tasiuyak gneiss - not middle of NPS intrusions...
- ...expect conductive anomalies associated with feeders will have orientations - resolvable (i.e., not parallel) regional gneissosity
...could evaluate large areas by airborne EM (e.g., Ztem) & recon. geological investigation/prospecting...
...at SVB & LUK...re-apply up-to-date deeper-seeking geophysics & drill test for feeders below & adjacent to larger troctolitic bodies...

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South Voisey's Bay Property

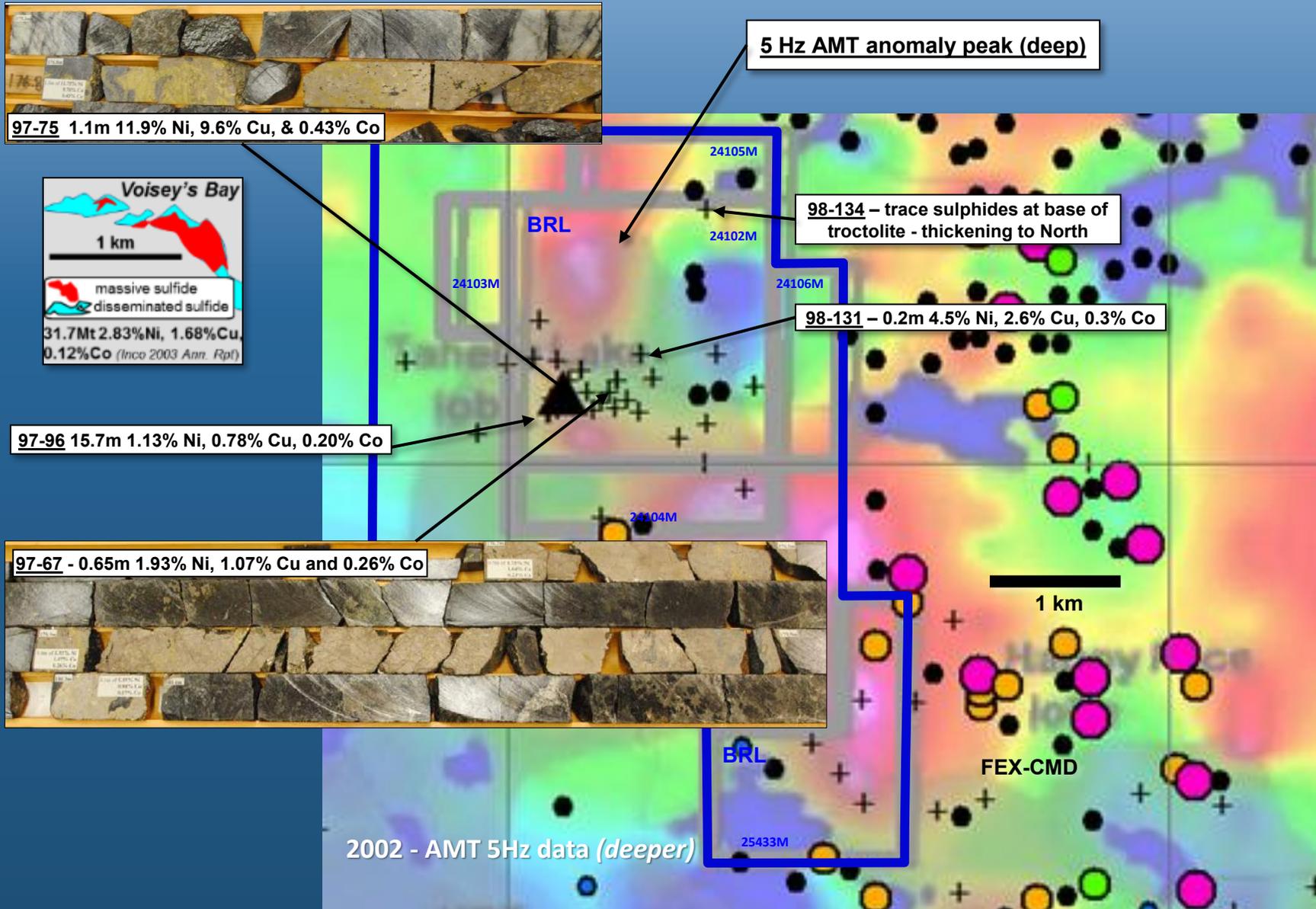
Multiple high-grade massive sulphide intercepts associated with shallow conductive anomalies (<200 m deep)



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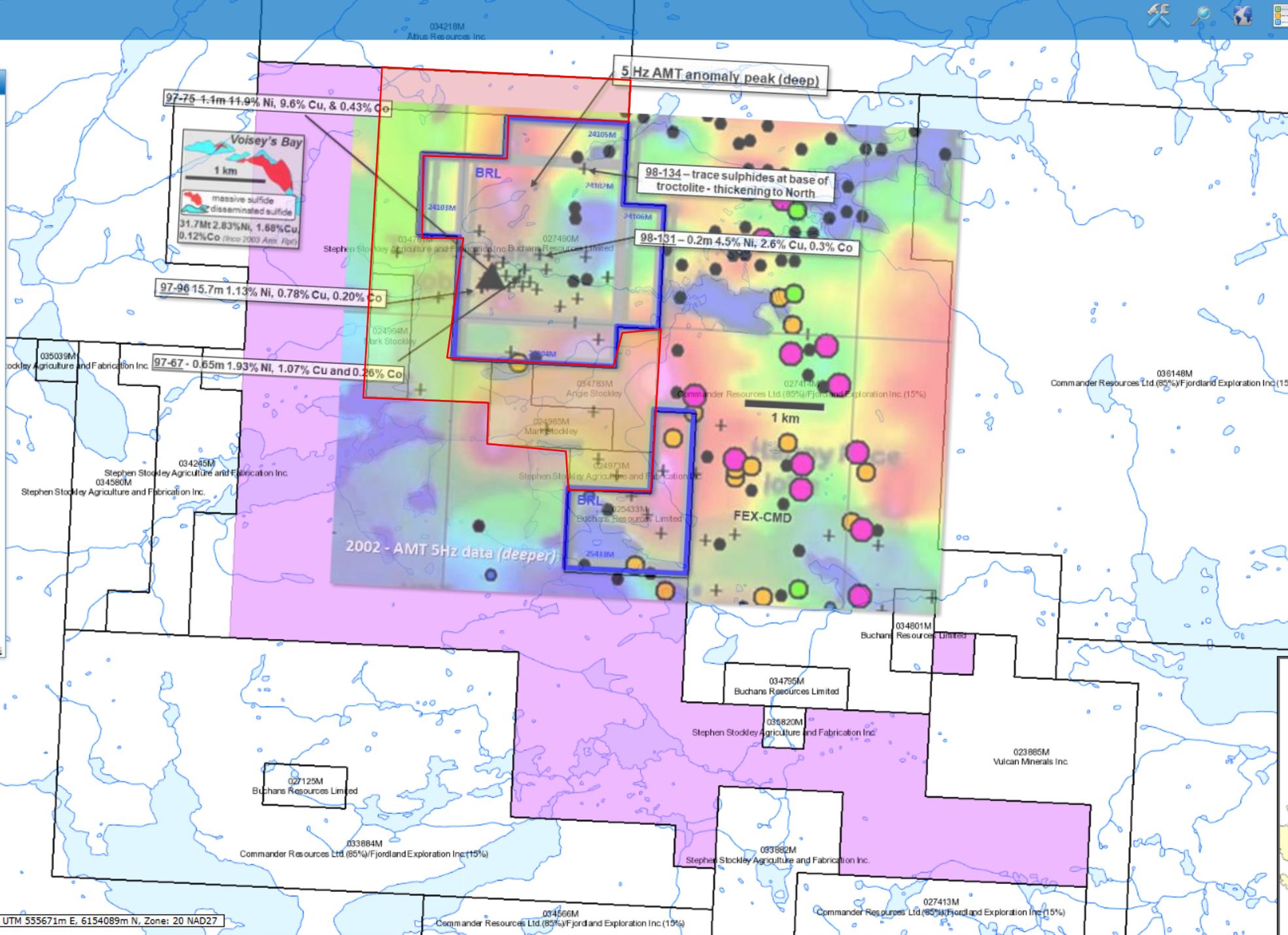
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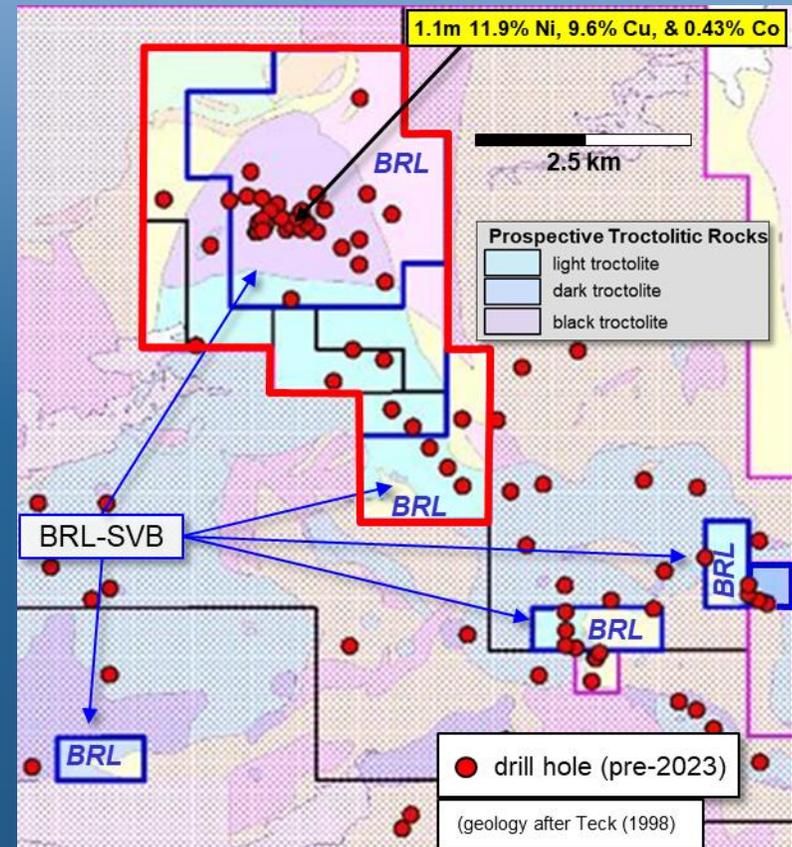
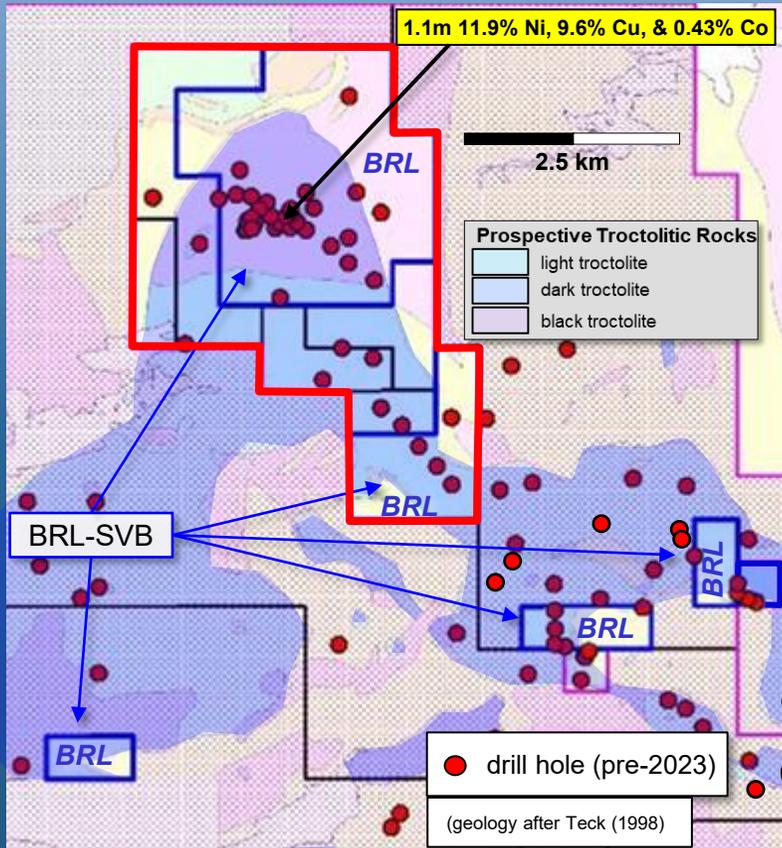


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- BRL property covers favourable **“Black Troctolite”** - highest Ni grades (tenors) within Pants Lake Intrusive Suite