

## Further wide gold zones obtained from deep trenching at Batoto Goldcopper-silver Porphyry Project, Philippines

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Sur American Gold Corporation (SUR-V) is pleased to advise that it has received further confirmation of potential bulk mineability at its large East Batoto gold project, Compostela Valley Province, Mindanao, Philippines with the receipt of more highly encouraging gold assays over wide intervals from its surface deep trenching program being conducted in parallel with its on going 12,000 metre, 50 hole drilling program

Individual results include:

Location	Mineralized Interval (m)	Grade (g/t)	Comments
Clark Zone (Zone)	34	1.12	North-south Trench- mineralization
	24	1.82	open ended
	18	1.72	side road cut
	16	0.68	side road cut
	56	0.67	side road cut
Tarale Zone	6	10.54	side road cut Channel taken down steep slope
TOTAL	154	1.46	

Many additional narrower (2-4 metre) well mineralized intervals were also obtained.

Sampling was mainly conducted within the approx 500 metre by 500 metre Clark Zone in the same general area where the current drilling program is taking place.

The East Batoto gold system is part of the Batoto-Tagpura copper-gold-silver porphyry system which covers an area of more than 30 square kms and which includes three known coppergold deposits and several newly discovered high potential geophysical anomalies.

The location of all these and prior sampled zones will be shown on the new Sur American Gold Corporation website due for release shortly. The new site will also provide maps, core photographs with assays and other important information to enable investors to follow the progress of the Company as it develops this large porphyry copper-gold-silver project.

According to SUR President Mr. Rennie Blair MSc. F.Aus.IMM "these results further confirm the potential bulk mineability of the Batoto East Gold Zone. They follow many earlier highly encouraging surface and underground assay and early drill results". Mr. Blair added that "these results however are merely the beginning of a large systematic exploration campaign".

"An extensive surface sampling program is essential at Batoto because and fortunately gold mineralization extends to the surface" he said.

All local geological activities including sampling and core logging are under the direct supervision of Mr. Ian Cooper, BSc (Hons), M.Aus. IMM, Exploration Manager, Philippines.

All sample preparation was undertaken at the 9002 Certified Laboratory of Intertek in Surigao, northern Mindanao. Following sample preparation pulverized 200 gram sub samples were sent to Intertek's analytical laboratories in

Jakarta, Indonesia where assaying was undertaken using the FA 50/SAAS method (fire assay with atomic absorption finish).

This news release was prepared by Mr. Blair who is the qualified person as required by National Policy 43-101 and who is the technical person responsible for this news release.

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