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DRILLING COMMENCED TO TEST 12KM LONG GOLD ANOMALY AT THE DANKASSA GOLD PROJECT IN MALI

Highlights

- **4,000 metre aircore drilling program commenced to follow up newly defined 12km long gold trend at the Dankassa Gold Project in Mali.**
- **Multiple high priority drill targets to be tested for the first time.**
- **Bedrock gold source targeted beneath shallow gold mineralisation, including 6.0g/t gold, intersected in recent wide-spaced, scout drilling.**



Drilling at the Dankassa Gold Project, Mali.

Birimian Gold Limited (ASX:BGS; "Birimian Gold", "Company") is pleased to advise that it has commenced a 4,000m aircore drilling program at the Company's Dankassa Gold Project in Mali. This program will investigate the source of high tenor gold anomalies in the northern and central portions of the Dankassa Gold Trend (Figure 1).

The Dankassa Gold Trend is located in the north of the Dankassa Project area. Recent work by Birimian Gold, including extensive programs of shallow aircore and auger drilling, has delineated a highly anomalous, coherent, 12km long gold trend; the Dankassa Gold Trend. This newly defined trend hosts a number of high priority drill targets which will be investigated during the current program (Figure 2).

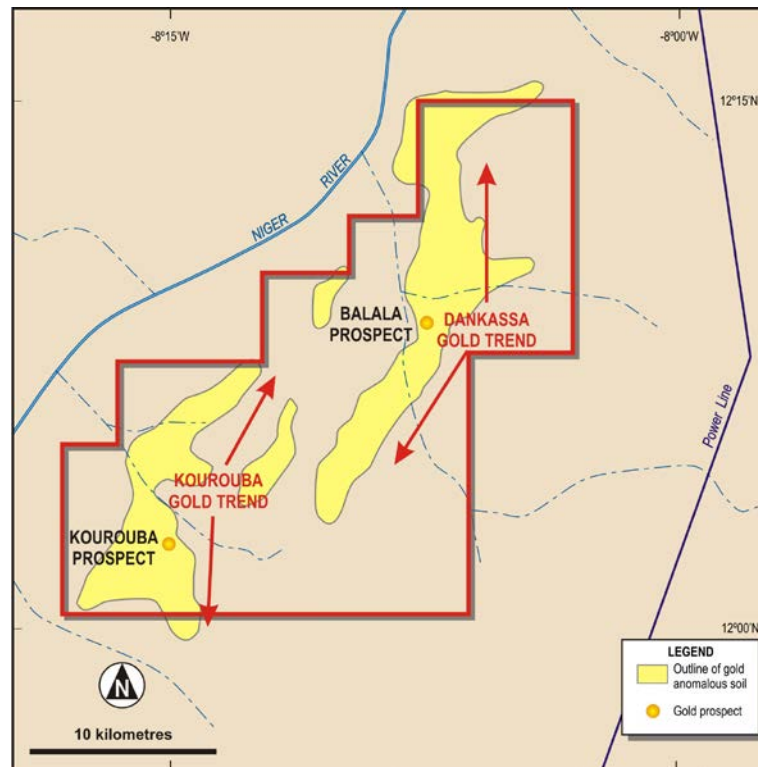


Figure 1. Birimian Gold's Dankassa Gold Project, highlighting prospects and regional gold trends.

Dankassa Gold Trend

The Dankassa Gold Trend is a newly identified gold zone delineated from auger and aircore drilling programs undertaken by Birimian Gold. The integrated drilling results now define a very coherent bedrock gold anomaly at the Dankassa Gold Trend that extends for over 12 km in a north-south direction.

Exceptional results include assays of **6.0 g/t** gold and **1.26 g/t** gold from auger drilling, and thick, shallow, drill intersections in aircore drilling;

- **8m @ 1.29 g/t gold from 16m**
- **46m @ 0.48 g/t gold from 8m, including**
12m @ 1.00 g/t gold from 36m
- **16m @ 0.56 g/t gold from 28m**

The work conducted over the past 8 months has confirmed the presence of significant bedrock gold mineralisation within the Dankassa Gold Trend and defined a number of high priority drill targets which will be evaluated as part of the current program.

It is anticipated that approximately 4,000 metres of aircore drilling will be undertaken during the current program, the Company's third drilling program at the Dankassa Gold Project in the past 8 months.

The Company believes that there is considerable potential to discover economic thicknesses and grades of primary gold mineralisation along the Dankassa Gold Trend.

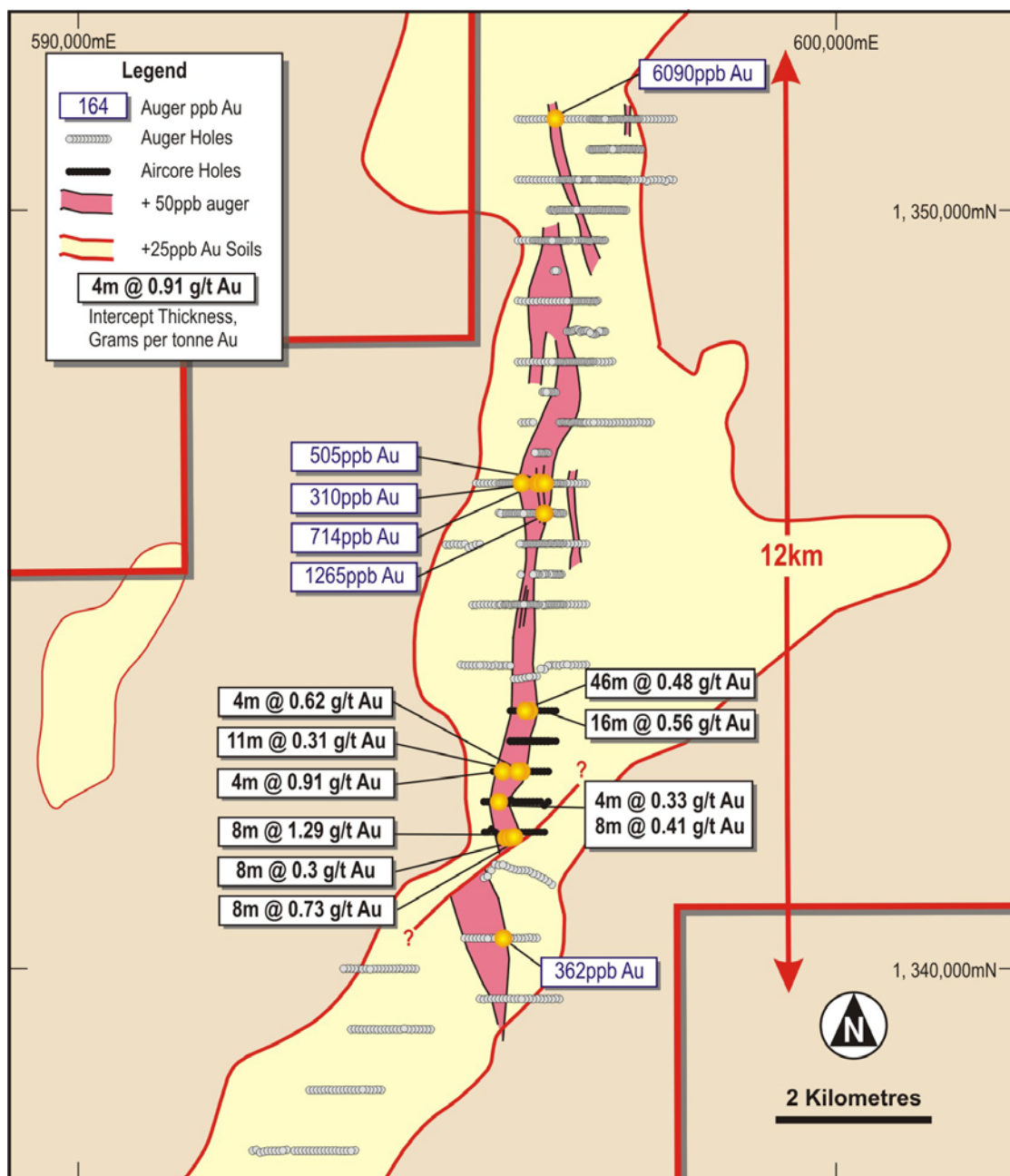


Figure 2. Dankassa Gold Trend. Showing previously reported aircore and auger results.

Background – Birimian Gold Limited

Birimian Gold Limited (previously Eagle Eye Metals Limited) holds substantial interests in several highly prospective gold projects in West Africa; a gold rich region which has produced in excess of 250 million ounces of gold from large, low cost mines. Birimian Gold is currently exploring projects in Mali and Liberia, and continues to work to secure additional gold projects in West Africa.

Birimian Gold continues to aggressively explore its other highly prospective gold projects; the Korindji Gold Project in Mali and the Basawa Gold Project in Liberia (Figure 3). Results from this work and the current drill program at Dankassa are expected to be announced over coming months.

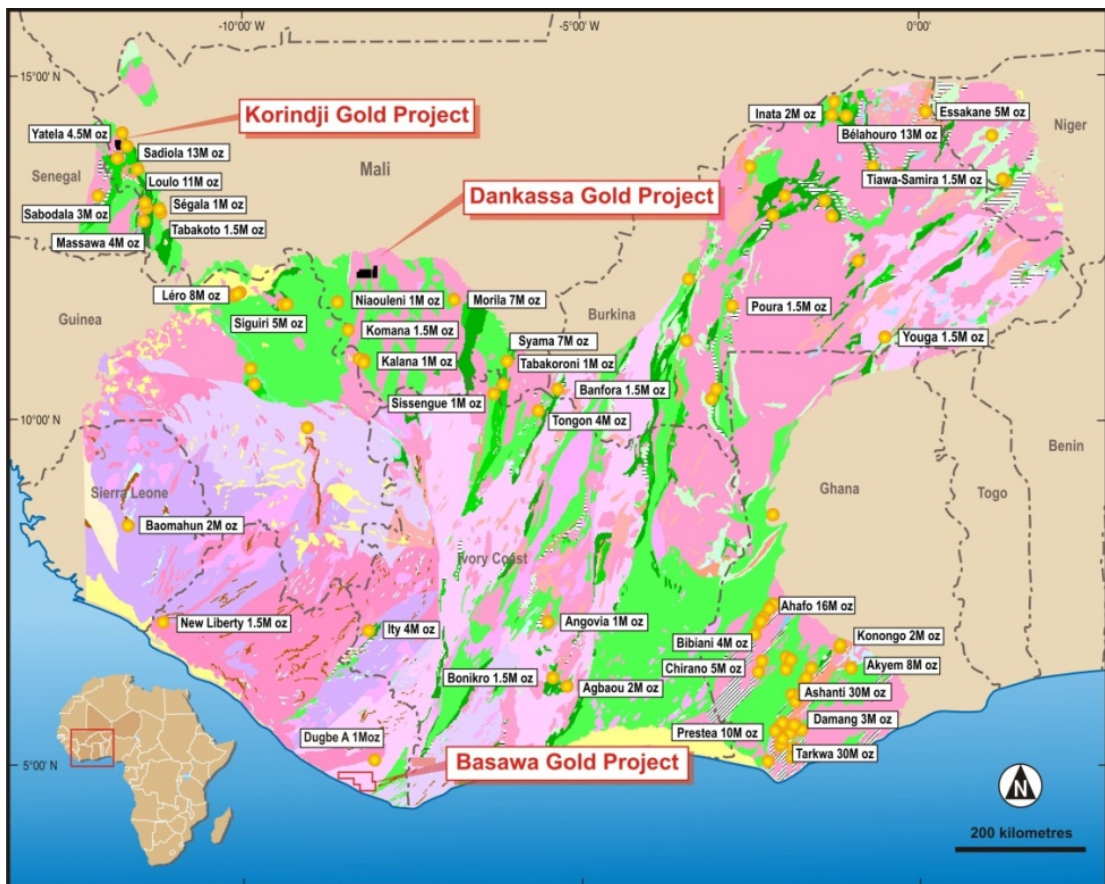


Figure 3. Location of Birimian Gold Project areas.

Yours sincerely

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