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Excellent oxide grades and high grade at depth 21m at 5.43g/t Au from surface including 14m at 7.21g/t Au 12m at 4.82g/t Au from 129m including 1m at 51.31g/t Au

West African Resources Limited (ASX, TSXV: WAF) is pleased to announce results from continuing oxide resource definition drilling at the Mankarga 5 deposit, Burkina Faso. An additional contract reverse circulation (RC) rig has commenced work at the project, in addition to three WAF rigs which have been working following the resource update for Mankarga 5 in April 2014. The contract rig will focus on completing 50m spaced sections to improve resource category to enable detailed feasibility studies later this year. WAF rigs have focussed on filling in gaps in the existing resource model on 100m sections in the oxide zone, as well as testing mineralisation at depth and twinning historic RC drill holes to confirm the integrity of historic drilling.

"We are focussed on initial production from oxide material at Mankarga 5 via a low-cost heap leach starter project. Scoping study results based on the existing resource will be reported by the end of June. New drilling results will be incorporated into a resource update later this year. We have set a goal of being a +50,000oz per annum gold producer within two years, subject to study outcomes."

Oxide resource definition drilling on 100m sections has returned significant results which will improve grade and category of the resource model in future resource updates. Significant results from the ongoing drilling program include:

- TAC0153: 30m at 2.48g/t Au from surface including 2m at 6.83g/t Au and 2m at 18.55g/t Au
- TAC0158: 20m at 2.75g/t Au from 12m including 8m at 3.45g/t Au
- TAC0160: 21m at 5.43g/t Au from surface including 14m at 7.21g/t Au
- TAC0166: 22m at 1.60g/t Au from 9m including 4m at 3.68g/t Au

Ongoing diamond drilling on 100m sections has also returned significant results which include:

- TAN14-DD003: 7m at 4.09g/t Au from 333m including 3m at 7.83g/t Au
- TAN14-DD004: 12m at 4.82g/t Au from 129m including 1m at 51.31g/t Au
- TAN14-DD005: 34m at 4.00g/t Au from 11m including 22m at 5.52g/t Au*
- TAN14-DD008: 29m at 1.31g/t Au from 9m including 5m at 3.53g/t Au
- TAN14-DD008: 20m at 1.03g/t Au from 43m

*Reported previously 19/3/14

Contract shallow RC (aircore) drilling has commenced on 50m spaced sections which will improve the grade, geological continuity and resource category in future resource estimates. The contract rig will complete 8,000m of drilling for a budget program of \$250,000.

An updated cross-section of SW100 and summary plan showing results from recent drilling as well as is shown below in Figures 1 and 2, with results presented in Tables 2 and 3.

Further metallurgical test work for the Mankarga 5 deposit is underway following the excellent recoveries announced earlier this month (ASX, TSXV: 9/5/14). Scoping studies into a low-cost heap leach starter project at Mankarga 5 are well advanced, and we look forward to reporting the results of these studies by the end of June 2014.

The Company is focussed on near-term production with the immediate focus on the Mankarga 5 deposit and existing nearby gold prospects. The Company aims to be a +50,000oz per annum gold producer within two years, subject to study outcomes, via a low-cost heap leach starter project. In February, West African secured a second-hand 1.6Mtpa heap leach plant as part of its plan to fast-track development of Mankarga 5. The proposed project development schedule for Mankarga 5 and surrounding prospects is shown below in Table 1.

Table 1: Timeline of Key Deliverables for the Mankarga 5 Project								
		20)14		2015			
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Drilling								
Resource upgrade	•			•				
Scoping Study		•						
Metallurgical Tests				•				
Feasibility Study				•				
Permitting					•			
Construction			·	·				•
Production	Production							•

• = expected completion

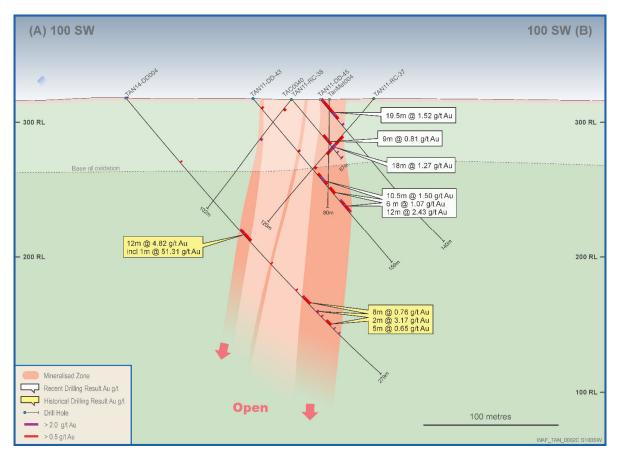


Figure 1: Mankarga Cross-Section SW100

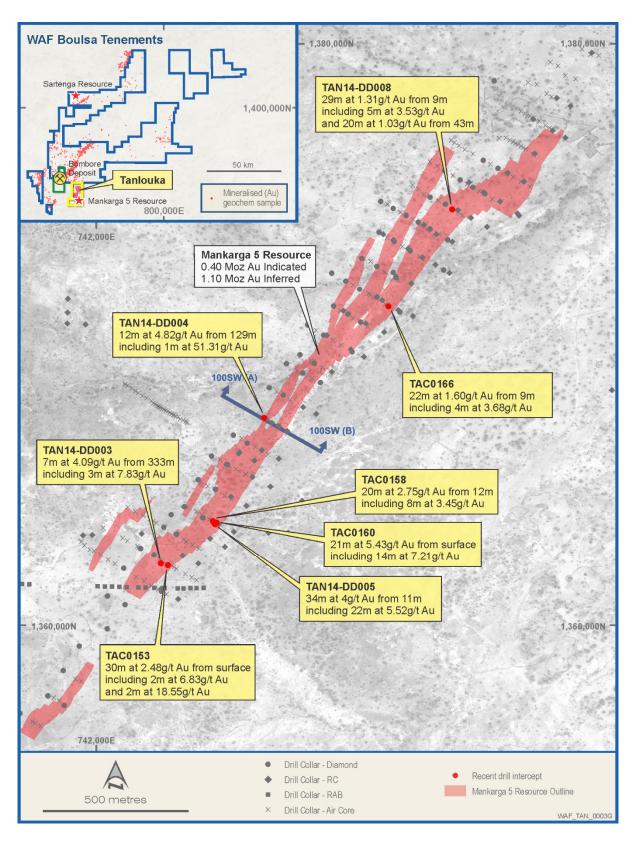


Figure 2: Mankarga Summary Plan

			Mankar	ga 5 Signific	Table 2		5 g/t Cut O	ff			
Hole ID	From	То	Interval	Au g/t	Dip	Azi	EOH	Easting	Northing	RL	Section
TAC0145	19	21	2	2.28	-50	120	21	741779	1335669	320	SW1400
TAC0146	39	41	2	2.39	-50	120	42	741789	1335664	320	SW1400
TAC0148	8	10	2	1.09	-50	120	43	741853	1335751	320	SW1300
TAC0150	12	15	3	2.42	-50	120	43	741928	1335815	319	SW1200
TAC0152	21	30	9	0.84	-50	120	30	742225	1336222	319	SW0700
TAC0153	0	30	30	2.48	-50	120	31	742238	1336210	319	SW0700
TAC0154	0	5	5	1.80	-50	120	36	742255	1336207	319	SW0700
TAC0154	14	18	4	0.60							
TAC0155	8	14	6	1.35	-50	120	42	742309	1336288	319	SW0600
TAC0155	18	35	17	1.15							
TAC0156	22	23	1	2.89	-50	120	45	742329	1336276	319	SW0600
TAC0158	12	32	20	2.75	-50	120	32	742388	1336365	319	SW0500
TAC0159	0	11	11	1.17	-50	120	11	742403	1336356	319	SW0500
TAC0160	0	21	21	5.43	-50	120	40	742407	1336356	319	SW0500
TAC0161	1	3	2	2.39	-50	120	38	742358	1336492	319	SW0400
TAC0162	9	11	2	1.14	-50	120	42	742512	1336519	319	SW0300
TAC0162	14	20	6	2.39							
TAC0162	23	27	4	0.89							
TAC0162	30	32	2	6.28							
TAC0163	9	17	8	1.32	-50	120	43	742568	1336599	317	SW0200
TAC0164	0	4	4	0.87	-50	120	15	742935	1337140	314	NE0450
TAC0164	11	15	4	0.80							
TAC0165	34	36	2	2.41	-50	120	40	742942	1337136	314	NE0450
TAC0166	3	4	1	2.56	-50	120	33	742992	1337103	312	NE0450
TAC0166	9	31	22	1.60							
TAC0167	0	5	5	0.99	-50	120	38	742991	1337217	313	NE0550
TAC0169	2	4	2	1.10	-50	120	40	743178	1337346	310	NE0750
TAC0169	7	15	8	0.57							
TAC0169	18	22	4	0.51							
TAN14-DD003	23	24	1	2.99	-50	120	410.2	742028	1336328	321	SW0700
TAN14-DD003	39	40	1	6.91							
TAN14-DD003	333	340	7	4.09							
TAN14-DD003	383	387	4	1.30							
TAN14-DD004	129	141	12	4.82	-50	120	278.5	742500	1336756	318	SW0100
TAN14-DD004	197	205	8	0.76							
TAN14-DD004	212	214	2	3.17							
TAN14-DD004	222	227	5	0.65							
TAN14-DD004	230	231	1	2.05							
TAN14-DD004	235	236	1	3.29							
TAN14-DD005	1	3	2	1.22	-50	300	136	742423	1336339	319	SW0500
TAN14-DD005	11	45	34	4.00							
TAN14-DD005	77	80	3	1.77							
TAN14-DD005	83	88	5	1.42							
TAN14-DD006	13	20	7	0.86	-50	300	137	742540	1336501	319	SW0300
TAN14-DD006	23	29	6	2.06						ļ	
TAN14-DD006	135	136.6	1.6	2.48							
TAN14-DD007	56	70	14	0.54	-50	300	135.8	743123	1337261	311	NE650
TAN14-DD007	80	81	1	2.14							
TAN14-DD007	112	116	4	1.55							
TAN14-DD007	125	133	8	1.36		265	4500	7405:-	400=	212	NECTO
TAN14-DD008	9	38	29	1.31	-50	300	150.9	743245	1337419	310	NE850
TAN14-DD008	43	63	20	1.03						ļ	
TAN14-DD008	68	69	1	2.33							
TAN14-DD008	73	81	8	1.16							
TAN14-DD008	96	97	1	8.63	l					<u> </u>	

	Table 3										
	Mankarga 5 Significant Intercepts 2 g/t Cut Off										
Hole ID	From	То	Interval	Au g/t	Dip	Azi	EOH	Easting	Northing	RL	Section
TAC0145	19	20	1	2.81	-50	120	21	741779	1335669	320	SW1400
TAC0146	40	41	1	4.12	-50	120	42	741789	1335664	320	SW1400
TAC0150	12	14	2	2.69	-50	120	43	741928	1335815	319	SW1200
TAC0152	25	26	1	2.10	-50	120	30	742225	1336222	319	SW0700
TAC0153	6	9	3	2.57	-50	120	31	742238	1336210	319	SW0700
TAC0153	19	21	2	6.83							
TAC0153	28	30	2	18.55							
TAC0154	1	2	1	4.68	-50	120	36	742255	1336207	319	SW0700
TAC0155	8	10	2	2.67	-50	120	42	742309	1336288	319	SW0600

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Hole ID	From	То	Interval	Au g/t	Dip	Azi	EOH	Easting	Northing	RL	Section
TAC0155	18	19	1	7.02							
TAC0156	22	23	1	2.89	-50	120	45	742329	1336276	319	SW0600
TAC0158	14	17	3	3.77	-50	120	32	742388	1336365	319	SW0500
TAC0158	20	21	1	9.95							
TAC0158	24	32	8	3.45							
TAC0159	9	10	1	3.42	-50	120	11	742403	1336356	319	SW0500
TAC0160	0	1	1	8.51	-50	120	40	742407	1336356	319	SW0500
TAC0160	4	18	14	7.21							
TAC0161	2	3	1	3.08	-50	120	38	742358	1336492	319	SW0400
TAC0162	14	19	5	2.67	-50	120	42	742512	1336519	319	SW0300
TAC0162	30	31	1	10.91							
TAC0163	14	17	3	2.32	-50	120	43	742568	1336599	317	SW0200
TAC0165	35	36	1	3.62	-50	120	40	742942	1337136	314	NE0450
TAC0166	3	4	1	2.56	-50	120	33	742992	1337103	312	NE0450
TAC0166	12	16	4	3.68							
TAC0166	25	26	1	2.00							
TAC0166	30	31	1	2.35							
TAC0167	1	2	1	2.11	-50	120	38	742991	1337217	313	NE0550
TAN14-DD003	23	24	1	2.99	-50	120	410	742028	1336328	321	SW0700
TAN14-DD003	39	40	1	6.91							
TAN14-DD003	333	334	1	3.34							
TAN14-DD003	337	340	3	7.83							
TAN14-DD003	386	387	1	4.29							
TAN14-DD004	129	130	1	2.42	-50	120	279	742500	1336756	318	SW0100
TAN14-DD004	133	134	1	51.31							
TAN14-DD004	198	199	1	2.22							
TAN14-DD004	213	214	1	5.27							
TAN14-DD004	230	231	1	2.05							
TAN14-DD004	235	236	1	3.29							
TAN14-DD005	14	36	22	5.52	-50	300	136	742423	1336339	319	SW0500
TAN14-DD005	42	44	2	2.22							
TAN14-DD005	79	80	1	3.83							
TAN14-DD005	84	85	1	3.27							
TAN14-DD006	26	29	3	3.60	-50	300	137	742540	1336501	319	SW0300
TAN14-DD006	135	136.6	1.6	2.48							
TAN14-DD007	80	81	1	2.14	-50	300	136	743123	1337261	311	NE650
TAN14-DD007	114	115	1	3.58							
TAN14-DD007	127	128	1	4.61							
TAN14-DD008	11	12	1	2.10	-50	300	151	743245	1337419	310	NE850
TAN14-DD008	15	16	1	2.38							
TAN14-DD008	23	28	5	3.53							
TAN14-DD008	45	47	2	3.38							
TAN14-DD008	68	69	1	2.33							
TAN14-DD008	80	81	1	4.18							
TAN14-DD008	96	97	1	8.63							

- Full results for historical drilling and recent WAF drilling are presented in new releases dated 7/2/14, 13/2/14, 10/3/14, 18/3/14 and 21/3/14.
- All holes are either Reverse Circulation (RC) or Diamond Core Drill Holes.
- All reported intersections from the current 2014 program are assayed at 1m intervals.
- Mineralised intervals reported with a maximum of 2 metre of internal dilution of less than 0.50g/t gold. No top cut.
- Sample preparation and Fire Assay conducted by BIGS Ouagadougou. Assayed by 50g fire assay with AAS finish.
- QA/QC protocol: For diamond core one blank and one standard inserted for every 18 core samples (2 QA/QC samples within every 20 samples dispatched, or 1 QA/QC sample per 10 samples despatched) and no duplicates.
- QA/QC protocol: For RC samples we insert one blank, one standard and one duplicate for every 17 samples (3 QA/QC within every 20 samples or 1 every 8.5 samples).

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•	ling Techniques and Data	
Criteria	JORC Code Explanation	Commentary
Sampling	Nature and quality of sampling (e.g. cut channels,	The Mankarga Resource is being drilled using Diamond Core
Technique	random chips, or specific specialised industry	Drilling (DD) and Reverse Circulation (RC) drilling. The drill
	standard measurement tools appropriate to the	spacing is being in-filled to a nominal 100m x 20m grid
	minerals under investigation, such as downhole	spacing. A total program of 7500m is proposed. Holes were
	gamma sondes, or handheld XRF instruments, etc.).	angled towards 120° magnetic where possible at declinations
	These examples should not be taken as limiting the	of -50°, to optimally intersect mineralised zones. All notantially
	broad meaning of sampling	samples were weighed to determine recoveries. All potentially
	Include reference to measures taken to ensure	mineralised zones were then split and sampled at 1m intervals
	sample representivity and the appropriate calibration	using three-tier riffle splitters.QA/QC procedures were
	of any measurement tools or systems used. Aspects of the determination of mineralisation that are	completed as per industry best practice standards (certified blanks and standards and duplicate sampling).
	Material to the Public Report.	Samples were despatched to BIGS in Ouagadougou for sample
	In cases where 'industry standard' work has been	preparation, where they were crushed, dried and pulverised
	done this would be relatively simple (e.g. 'reverse	to produce a sub sample for analysis. BIGS has a fire assay
	circulation drilling was used to obtain 1 m samples	facility in Ouagadougou where 50g fire assays, AAS finishes
	from which 3 kg was pulverised to produce a 30 g	and screen fire assays have been conducted. Historic
	charge for fire assay'). In other cases more	sampling preparation and assaying was completed at Abilabs
	explanation may be required, such as where there is	and SGS laboratories located in Ouagadougou. Historic
	coarse gold that has inherent sampling problems.	samples we analysed by Fire Assay method with AAS finish.
	Unusual commodities or mineralisation types (e.g.	samples we analysed by the Assay method with AAS mish.
	submarine nodules) may warrant disclosure of	
	detailed information.	
Drilling	Drill type (e.g. core, reverse circulation, open-hole	Reverse Circulation "RC" drilling within the resource area
-···········	hammer, rotary air blast, auger, Bangka, sonic, etc.)	comprises 4.5 inch diameter face sampling hammer and
	and details (e.g. core diameter, triple or standard	aircore blade drilling and hole depths range from 13m to 60m.
	tube, depth of diamond tails, face- sampling bit or	Diamond drilling in progress comprises both NQ and HQ
	other type, whether core is oriented and if so, by	diameter core, at holes between 75m and 350m depth.
	what method, etc.).	,
Drill Sample	Method of recording and assessing core and chip	RC recoveries are logged and recorded in the database.
Recovery	sample recoveries and results assessed.	Overall recoveries are >75% for the RC; there are no
	Measures taken to maximise sample recovery and	significant sample recovery problems. A technician is always
	ensure representative nature of the samples.	present at the rig to monitor and record recovery.
	Whether a relationship exists between sample	RC samples were visually checked for recovery, moisture and
	recovery and grade and whether sample bias may	contamination.
	have occurred due to preferential loss/gain of	The bulk of the Resource is defined by DD and RC drilling,
	fine/coarse material.	which have high sample recoveries. The style of
		mineralisation, with common higher-grades, require large
		diameter core and good recoveries to evaluate the deposit
		adequately. The consistency of the mineralised intervals and
		density of drilling is considered to prevent any sample bias
		issues due to material loss or gain.
Logging	Whether core and chip samples have been	Geotechnical logging was carried out on all diamond drill holes
	geologically and geotechnical logged to a level of	for recovery, RQD and number of defects (per interval).
	detail to support appropriate Mineral Resource	Information on structure type, dip, dip direction, alpha angle,
	estimation, mining studies and metallurgical studies.	beta angle, texture, shape, roughness and fill material is
	Whether logging is qualitative or quantitative in	stored in the structure/Geotech table of the database.
	nature. Core (or costean/Trench, channel, etc.)	Logging of diamond core and RC samples recorded lithology,
	photography.	mineralogy, mineralisation, structural (DDH only), weathering,
	The total length and percentage of the relevant	alteration, colour and other features of the samples. Core was
	intersections logged.	photographed in both dry and wet form.
		All drilling has been logged to standard that is appropriate for
		the category of Resource which is being reported.
Sub-Sampling	If core, whether cut or sawn and whether quarter,	RC samples were collected on the rig using a three tier riffle
Technique and	half or all core taken. If non-core, whether riffled,	splitter. All samples were dry.
Sample	tube sampled, rotary split, etc. and whether sampled	The sample preparation for all samples follows industry best
Preparation	wet or dry.	practice. BIGS in Ouagadougou for sample preparation, where
	For all sample types, the nature, quality and	they were crushed, dried and pulverised to produce a sub
	appropriateness of the sample preparation	sample for analysis. Sample preparation involving oven drying,
	technique.	coarse crushing, followed by total pulverisation LM2 grinding
	I Quality control procedures adopted for all sub	mills to a grind size of 90% passing 75 microns.
	Quality control procedures adopted for all sub-	
	sampling stages to maximise representivity of	Field QC procedures involve the use of certified reference
	sampling stages to maximise representivity of samples.	material as assay standards, blanks, and duplicates for the RC
	sampling stages to maximise representivity of samples. Measures taken to ensure that the sampling is	material as assay standards, blanks, and duplicates for the RC samples only. The insertion rate of these averaged 3:20 for
	sampling stages to maximise representivity of samples. Measures taken to ensure that the sampling is representative of the in situ material collected,	material as assay standards, blanks, and duplicates for the RC samples only. The insertion rate of these averaged 3:20 for RC.
	sampling stages to maximise representivity of samples. Measures taken to ensure that the sampling is representative of the in situ material collected, including for instance results for field	material as assay standards, blanks, and duplicates for the RC samples only. The insertion rate of these averaged 3:20 for RC. Field duplicates were taken on for both 1m RC splits using a
	sampling stages to maximise representivity of samples. Measures taken to ensure that the sampling is representative of the in situ material collected, including for instance results for field duplicate/second-half sampling.	material as assay standards, blanks, and duplicates for the RC samples only. The insertion rate of these averaged 3:20 for RC. Field duplicates were taken on for both 1m RC splits using a riffle splitter. The sample sizes are considered to be
	sampling stages to maximise representivity of samples. Measures taken to ensure that the sampling is representative of the in situ material collected, including for instance results for field	material as assay standards, blanks, and duplicates for the RC samples only. The insertion rate of these averaged 3:20 for RC. Field duplicates were taken on for both 1m RC splits using a

Quality of Assay Data and Laboratory Tests	The nature, quality and appropriateness of the assaying and laboratory procedures used and whether the technique is considered partial or total. For geophysical tools, spectrometers, handheld XRF instruments, etc., the parameters used in determining the analysis including instrument make and model, reading times, calibrations factors applied and their derivation, etc. Nature of quality control procedures adopted (e.g. standards, blanks, duplicates, external laboratory checks) and whether acceptable levels of accuracy (i.e. lack of bias) and precision have been established.	The laboratory used an aqua regia digest followed by fire assay for with an AAS finish for gold analysis. No geophysical tools were used to determine any element concentrations used in this Resource Estimate. Sample preparation checks for fineness were carried out by the laboratory as part of their internal procedures to ensure the grind size of 90% passing 75 micron was being attained. Laboratory QA/QC involves the use of internal lab standards using certified reference material, blanks, splits and duplicates as part of the in house procedures. Certified reference materials, having a good range of values, were inserted blindly and randomly. Results highlight that sample assay values are accurate and that contamination has been contained. Repeat or duplicate analysis for samples shows that the precision of samples is within acceptable limits. Sample preparation conducted and fire assay performed by BIGS SARL -Assayed by 50g fire assay with AAS finish. QA/QC protocol: For diamond core one blank and one standard inserted for every 18 core samples (2 QA/QC samples within every 20 samples dispatched, or 1 QA/QC sample per 10 samples despatched) and no duplicates. QA/QC protocol: For RC samples we insert one blank, one standard and one duplicate for every 17 samples (3 QA/QC within every 20 samples or 1 every 8.5 samples).
Verification of Sampling and Assaying	The verification of significant intersections by either independent or alternative company personnel. The use of twinned holes The verification of significant intersections by either independent or alternative company personnel. Discuss any adjustment to assay data	WAF's QP R. Hyde has verified significant intersections in diamond core and RC drilling. Primary data was collected using a set of company standard ExcelTM templates on ToughbookTM laptop computers using lookup codes. The information was validated on-site by the Company's database technicians and then merged and validated into a final Access TM database by the company's database manager.
Location of Data points	Accuracy and quality of surveys used to locate drill holes (collar and down- hole surveys), trenches, mine workings and other locations used in Mineral Resource estimation. Specification of the grid system used Quality and	All drill holes have been located by DGPS in UTM grid WGS84 Z30N. Downhole surveys were completed at the end of every hole where possible using a Reflex downhole survey tool, taking measurements every.
Data Spacing and Distribution	adequacy of topographic control Data spacing for reporting of Exploration Results Whether the data spacing and distribution is sufficient to establish the degree of geological and grade continuity appropriate for the Mineral Resource and Ore Reserve estimation procedure(s) and classifications applied. Whether sample compositing has been applied	DGPS was used for topographic control. The nominal drill hole spacing is 20m (northwest) by 100m (northeast). The mineralised domains have demonstrated sufficient continuity in both geological and grade to support the definition of Mineral Resource and Reserves, and the classifications applied under the 2012 JORC Code. Historic samples have been composited to three metre lengths, and adjusted where necessary to ensure that no residual sample lengths have been excluded (best fit). WAF intends to update the Mankarga 5 Resource following the current work programs, in the first quarter of 2014.
Orientation of Data in Relation to Geological Structure	Whether the orientation of sampling achieves unbiased sampling of possible structures and the extent to which this is known, considering the deposit type. If the relationship between the drilling orientation and the orientation of key mineralised structures is considered to have introduced a sampling bias, this should be assessed and reported if material.	The majority of the data is drilled to either magnetic 120° or 300° orientations, which is orthogonal/perpendicular to the orientation of the mineralised trend. The bulk of the drilling is almost perpendicular to the mineralised domains. Structural logging based on oriented core indicates that the main mineralisation controls are largely perpendicular to drill direction. No orientation based sampling bias has been identified in the data at this point.
Sample Security	The measures taken to ensure sample security	Chain of custody is managed by WAF Samples are stored on site and delivered by WAF personnel to BIGS Ouagadougou for sample preparation. Whilst in storage, they are kept under guard in a locked yard. Tracking sheets are used track the progress of batches of samples
Audits or reviews	The results of any audits or reviews of sampling techniques and data.	WAF personnel completed site visits and data review during the due diligence period prior to acquiring Channel Resources Ltd. No material issues were highlighted. During 2012 AMEC completed a site visit and data review as part of the NI43-101 report dated 29 July 2012. No material issues were noted. A copy of the technical report is located on WAF's website.

Section 2 Reporting	of Exploration Results	
Criteria	JORC Code Explanation	Commentary
Mineral Tenement	Type, reference name/number, location and	The Boulsa Project tenements covers over 6,000km2,
and Land Tenure	ownership including agreements or material issues	granting the holders the right to explore for gold.
Status	with third parties such as joint ventures,	The tenements have been acquired by either direct grant to
	partnerships, overriding royalties, native title	WAF or its subsidiaries or by contractual agreements with
	interests, historical sites, wilderness or national park	tenement holders. Apart from the Tanlouka Agreement
	and environmental settings.	where Tanlouka SARL holds a 90% interest, all other vendor
	The security of the tenure held at the time of	agreements provide WAF with the right to obtain an
	reporting along with any known impediments to	ultimate interest of 100%.
	obtaining a licence to operate in the area.	All licences, permits and claims are granted for gold. All fees have been paid, and the permits are valid and up to
		date with the Burkinabe authorities.
		The payment of gross production royalties are provided for
		by the Mining Code and the amount of royalty to be paid
		for ranges from 3% (<us\$1300), (\$1300-1500)="" 4%="" 5%<="" and="" th=""></us\$1300),>
		(>\$1500).
Exploration Done	Acknowledgment and appraisal of exploration by	Very little exploration has been carried out over greater
by Other Parties	other parties.	project the tenement prior to WAF's involvement which
.,		commenced in 2008, with the exception of the Tanlouka
		Permit. The area comprising the Tanlouka Permit has been
		held by Channel Resources Ltd since the early 1990's. Work
		recommenced in earnest on the Tanlouka Permit in 2010.
		WAF acquired Channel Resources Ltd on January 17th 2014.
		Available historic records and data were reviewed by both
		WAF during Due Diligence prior to the acquisition.
Geology	Deposit type, geological setting and style of	The Boulsa Project straddles some 70km strike length of the
	mineralisation.	Manga-Sebba greenstone belt, which bifurcates and trends
		northeast and east-northeast respectively from southern-
		central Burkina Faso into Niger over some 450km. The
		south-eastern portion of the project area covers the
		southern extension of the Fada N'Gourma Belt.
		Lithologies comprise volcano-plutonic bodies including
		amphibolised basalts with amphiboloschists, andesites and
		basalts, rhyolites and rhyodacites, brecciated tuffs, and
		gabbroic bodies including pyroxenite and serpentinite. Gold
		mineralisation in the project area is mesothermal orogenic
		in origin and structurally controlled. The project also
		contains shear hosted porphyry related copper-gold- molybdenum mineralisation on the Sartenga Permit which
		is believed to be unique in West Africa."
Drill hole	A summary of all information material to the	Intercepts that form the basis of this announcement are
Information	understanding of the exploration results including a	tabulated in Table 2 and 3 in the body of the
	tabulation of the following information for all	announcement and incorporate Hole ID, Easting, Northing,
	Material drill holes:	Dip, Azimuth, Depth and Assay data for mineralised
		intervals. Appropriate maps and plans also accompany this
	o easting and northing of the drill hole collar	announcement.
	elevation or RL (Reduced Level – elevation	
	above sea level in metres) of the drill hole collar	
	o dip and azimuth of the hole	
	o down hole length and interception depth	
	o hole length.	
	If the exclusion of this information is justified on the	
	basis that the information is not Material and this	
	exclusion does not detract from the understanding	
	of the report, the Competent Person should clearly	
Data and the	explain why this is the case.	Alltonormal
Data aggregation	In reporting Exploration Results, weighting	All intersections are assayed on one meter intervals No top
methods	averaging techniques, maximum and/or minimum	cuts have been applied to exploration results. Mineralised
	grade truncations (e.g. cutting of high grades) and	intervals are reported with a maximum of 2m of internal
	cut-off grades are usually Material and should be stated.	dilution of less than 0.5g/t Au. Higher grade zones are
		reported with a maximum of internal dilution of less than 2g/t Au of internal dilution. Mineralised intervals are
	Where aggregate intercepts incorporate short lengths of high grade results and longer lengths of	reported on a weighted average basis.
	low grade results, the procedure used for such	reported on a weighted average basis.
	aggregation should be stated and some typical	
	examples of such aggregations should be shown in	
	I detail	
	detail. The assumptions used for any reporting of metal	
	detail. The assumptions used for any reporting of metal equivalent values should be clearly stated.	

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Relationship between mineralisation widths and intercept lengths	These relationships are particularly important in the reporting of Exploration Results. If the geometry of the mineralisation with respect to the drill hole angle is known, its nature should be reported. If it is not known and only the down hole lengths are reported, there should be a clear statement to this effect (e.g. 'down hole length, true width not known').	The orientation of the mineralised zone has been established and the majority of the drilling was planned in such a way as to intersect mineralisation in a perpendicular manner. However, due to topographic limitations some holes were drilled from less than ideal orientations.
Diagrams	Appropriate maps and sections (with scales) and tabulations of intercepts should be included for any significant discovery being reported These should include, but not be limited to a plan view of drill hole collar locations and appropriate sectional views.	The appropriate plans and sections have been included in the body of this document.
Balanced reporting	Where comprehensive reporting of all Exploration Results is not practicable, representative reporting of both low and high grades and/or widths should be practiced to avoid misleading reporting of Exploration Results.	All grades, high and low, are reported accurately with "from" and "to" depths and "hole identification" shown.
Other substantive exploration data	Other exploration data, if meaningful and material, should be reported including (but not limited to): geological observations; geophysical survey results; geochemical survey results; bulk samples – size and method of treatment; metallurgical test results; bulk density, groundwater, geotechnical and rock characteristics; potential deleterious or contaminating substances.	Preliminary metallurgical test work has been completed, with excellent results. Gold recoveries exceed 95% from oxide bottle roll tests, exceed 92% for sulphide bottle roll tests and a significant proportion of the gold is recoverable by gravity concentration. Additional metallurgical test work is planned.
Further work	The nature and scale of planned further work (e.g. tests for lateral extensions or depth extensions or large-scale step-out drilling). Diagrams clearly highlighting the areas of possible extensions, including the main geological interpretations and future drilling areas, provided this information is not commercially sensitive.	Further infill drilling is planned and is ongoing, aimed at increasing the amount of resource categorized as Indicated, as well as upgrading some of the Indicated Resource to Measured status. Drilling aimed at increasing the Resource below the current depth extent is also planned. A figure showing proposed work programs is included in the body of this report.