



News Release

WESTMIN MINES LIMITED/NEXUS RESOURCE CORPORATION DEBBIE / YELLOW PROJECTS: MINERAL INVENTORY AND NEW ASSAYS

VANCOUVER (November 29, 1989) - Westmin Mines Limited and Nexus Resource Corporation report progress on their Debbie and Yellow gold exploration project near Port Alberni, Vancouver Island. The Debbie joint venture is operated by Westmin with an approximate interest of 61%. The Yellow joint venture is currently operated by Nexus with a 75.5% interest.

MINERAL INVENTORY

Geological mineral inventory estimates have been calculated for both properties by Westmin. The inventory does not include assays from the current program reported under New Results.

<u>Property Zone</u>	<u>Probable Short Tons</u>	<u>Au Grade oz/t</u>	<u>Possible Short Tons</u> (No Grade Calculated)
Debbie 900	31,178	0.340	19,270
Debbie Linda	45,375	0.267	54,433
Debbie Mineral Creek	109,615	0.088	282,521
Yellow Mineral Creek	81,526	0.107	214,720
Total	268,000	0.15	571,000

The mineral inventory was done by the traditional method based on sections. An arbitrary, minimum cut-off grade of 0.05 oz. Au/st has been applied and narrow intersections have been diluted to a two meter minimum thickness. Grades have been averaged arithmetically with no cutting of high assays. The Mineral Creek zone inventory is not influenced by high assays and does not incorporate the results of underground samples from the exploration tunnel. Preliminary chip sampling of the Yellow claim cross-cut indicates an average grade (both walls) of 0.18 oz. Au/t across 31 ft. which is significantly higher than inventory projections. Preliminary samples from the Debbie cross-cut are consistent with inventory projections. Channel sampling of the Debbie cross-cut is in progress while the Yellow project is currently inactive.

NEW RESULTS ON DEBBIE

A 16,900 ft. drill program on the Debbie project is in progress to add new data beyond those considered in the above mineral inventory. One surface drill is testing the Linda and 900 zones while one drill, operating in the exploration tunnel, is exploring for new zones along the Mineral Creek fault.

New results from the Linda zone include surface samples obtained from an overburden trenching program as well as assays from the first three holes of the 12 hole Linda zone program. Hole collars and trenches are indexed on the attached map.

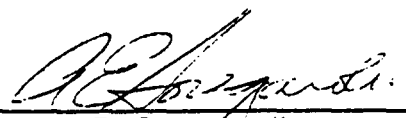
A. Linda Trench 1:

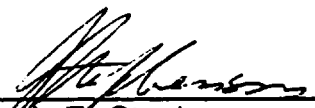
The lower Linda vein structure was exposed in trench one where continuous chip samples on 6 sections across the veined shear zone indicate an average over a 49.5 foot length of 1.230 oz Au/st across an average true thickness of 6.1 feet. This sampled profile is inclined 40° to the SSW and can be extended through previously reported intersections in nearby holes D149 and D171 to produce a profile inclined along the vein which extends over a length of 120 ft. averaging 1.718 oz Au/st across a true thickness of 4.1 ft. These averages are preliminary and may be revised by resampling and additional survey control.

B. Linda Zone Drill Holes:

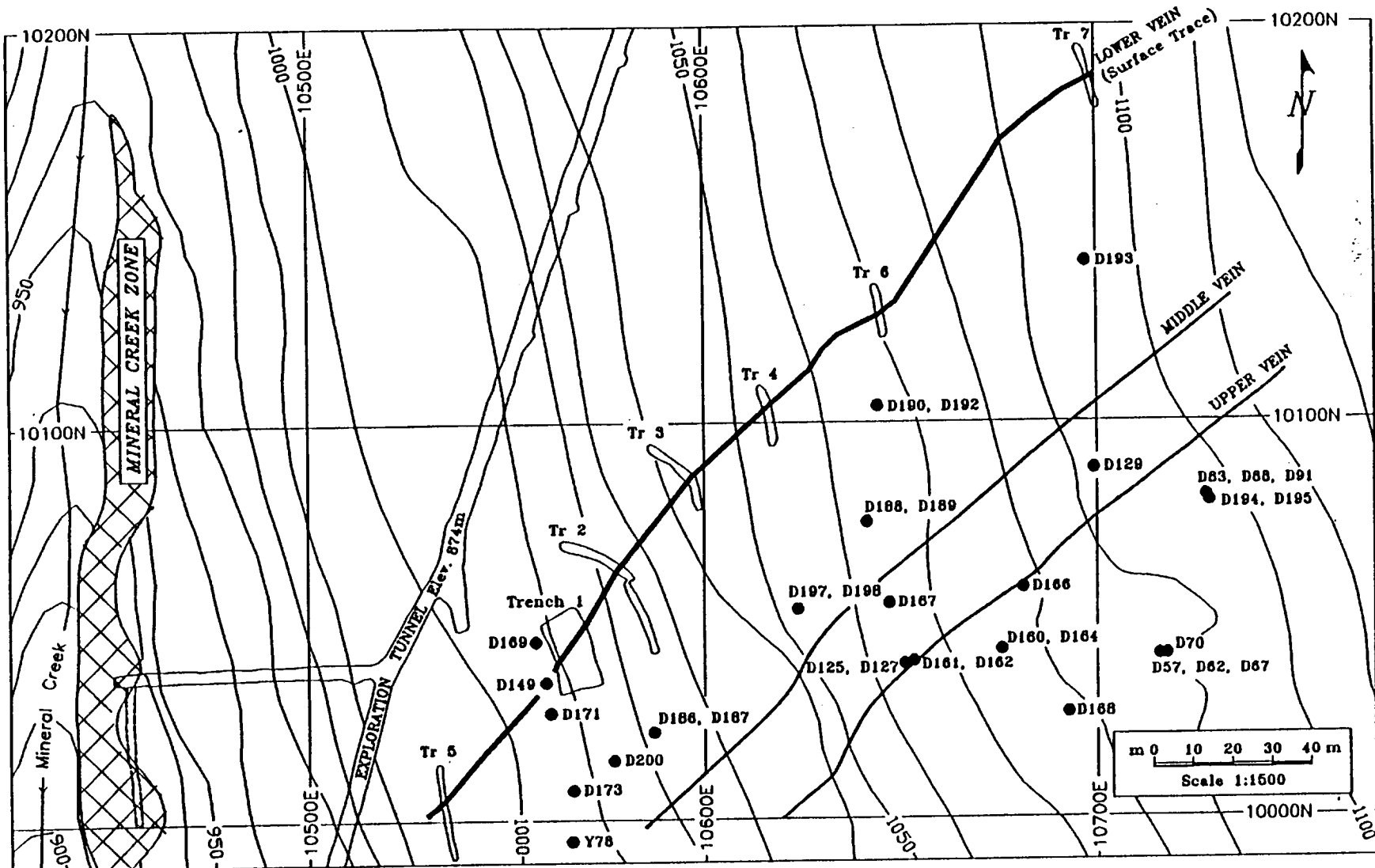
<u>Hole</u>	<u>Bearing</u>	<u>Dip</u>	<u>From</u> (ft.)	<u>To</u> (ft.)	<u>Length</u> (ft.)	<u>Au</u> (oz/st)
DM186	325°	-55°	113.8	115.8	2.0	0.737
DM187	325°	-75°	155.1	157.4	2.3	2.691
DM188	325°	-55°	196.88	200.4	3.6	0.140

The attached index map shows only collars for holes which passed through Linda zone vein projections on the Debbie Property. Holes which tested only the Mineral Creek zone are not shown.


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