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[GTY-V] 23,773,561 SHS.

TRENCH	METRES	FEET	*%TOTAL COPPER	% OXIDE COPPER
97-1	194	637	0.48	0.38
INCLUDING	32	105	1.65	1.42
97-2	132	433	0.91	0.70
INCLUDING	74	243	1.46	1.16
97-3	80	263	0.36	0.27
INCLUDING	28	92	.68	.56
97-4	90	295	.28	.21
INCLUDING	50	164	.47	.35
97-5	68	223	.07	.02
97-6	40	131	.19	.13
INCLUDING	18	59	.28	.17
97-7	42	138	.36	.31

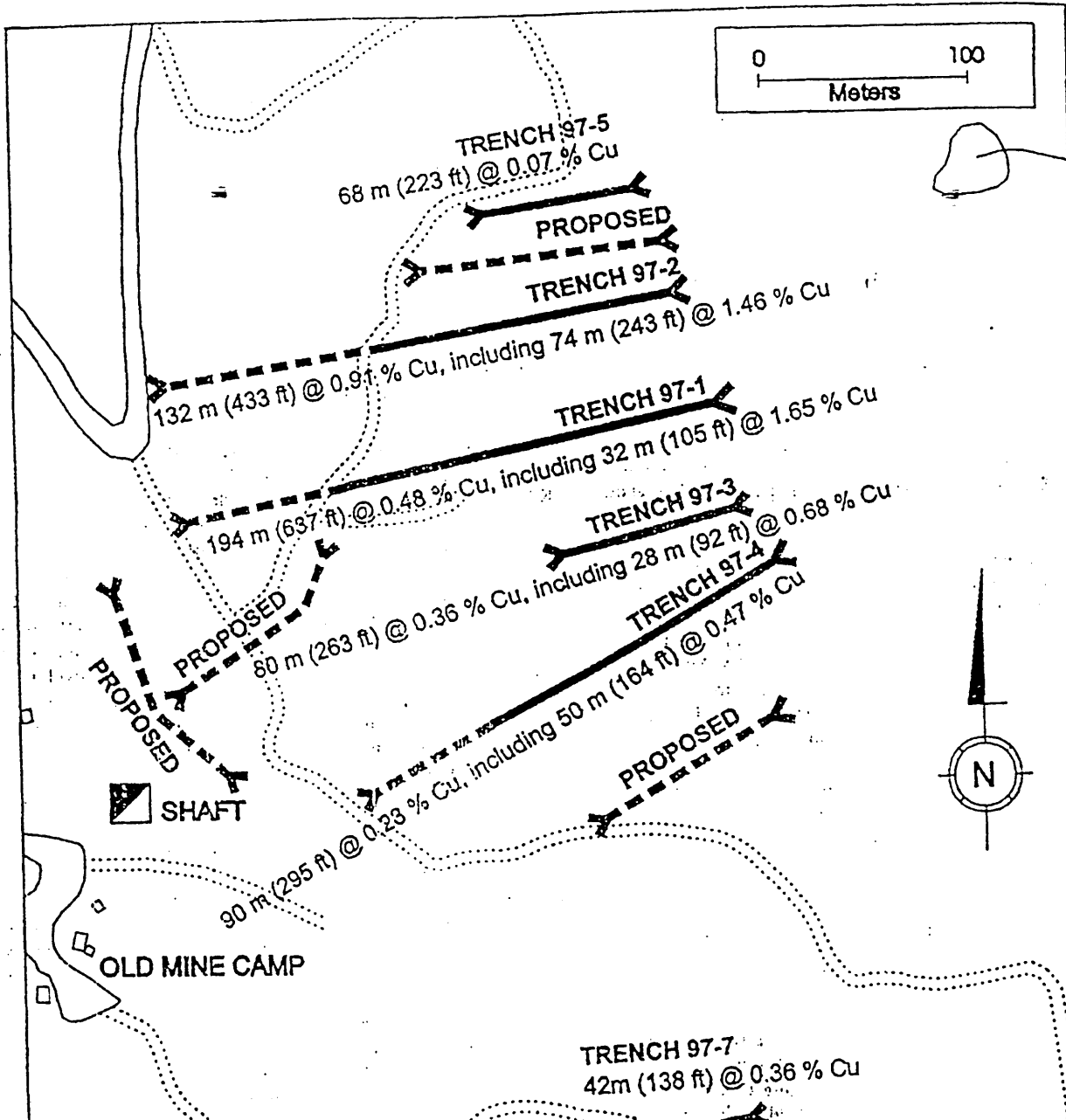
\* TOTAL COPPER INCLUDES OXIDE AND SULPHIDE COPPER.

EXTENSIVE OXIDE COPPER CONFIRMED - John Lepinski, president, Getty Copper Corp., reports results of the first phase of a program designed to establish the grade and extent of near surface oxide copper tonnage in the 100% owned Getty South deposit in the Highland Valley about 50 km south of Kamloops, BC. Refer to project map overleaf P.84, 1May97. More than 15,000 metres (49,212 feet) of diamond drilling and 1,775 metres (5,800 feet) of underground development by previous operators of the Getty South Property, have indicated an initial deposit of 36,000,000 inferred tonnes of open-pittable oxide and sulphide mineralization grading 0.47% copper, including 719,500 tonnes grading 1.41% copper. The Getty South oxide copper resource presently being defined adds to the nearby 35,000,000 tonne Getty North copper deposit grading 0.47% copper, including 7,000,000 tonnes of oxide copper grading about 0.60% copper. The company intends to mine both deposits simultaneously and process the oxide by a heap leach solvent extraction, electrowinning (SX-EW) operation to produce cathode copper on-site. Getty's intention to mine would be subject to a positive feasibility study.

The first stage of the current program was the excavation, deepening and 2 metre panel/chip sampling of the bedrock exposed in trenches 97-1 to 97-5 inclusive, totalling about 500 metres (1635 feet) in length. Assay results to date indicate concentrations of copper, mostly as oxide copper, occur over an area measuring more than 170 metres (557 feet) by 125 metres (410 feet) as exposed in trenches 97-1, 2, 3 and 4. Additional oxide results were obtained in trenches 97-6, 7, about 200 metres (655 feet) south. Currently, additional trenches and extensions to the existing trenches totalling about 600 metres (1,966 feet) are being excavated to the west and to the south of trenches 97-1 to 4, and also to the east of trenches 97-6 and 7. The deposit is now being evaluated and more large diameter drilling is being planned. (SEE GCNL NO.174, 10Sept97, P.3 FOR PREVIOUS PROJECT DATA)

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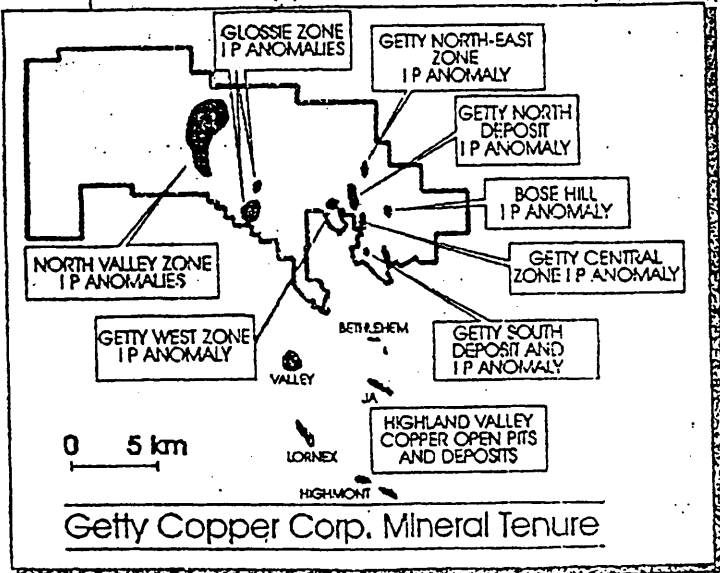


68 m (223 ft) @ 0.07 % Cu  
132 m (433 ft) @ 0.91 % Cu, including 74 m (243 ft) @ 1.46 % Cu  
194 m (637 ft) @ 0.48 % Cu, including 32 m (105 ft) @ 1.65 % Cu

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TRENCH 97-3  
TRENCH 97-4

OLD MINE CAMP



TRENCH 97-7  
42m (138 ft) @ 0.36 % Cu

TRENCH 97-6  
40 m (131 ft) @ 0.19 % Cu,  
Including 18 m (59 ft) @ 0.28 % Cu

**Getty Copper Corp.**  
**HIGHLAND VALLEY PROJECT**  
*British Columbia, CANADA*  
Getty South Deposit Trenches:  
97-1 to 97-7, and proposed  
Summer, 1997