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Corporate Snapshot

Flagship Kanmantoo mine is scalable and community backed

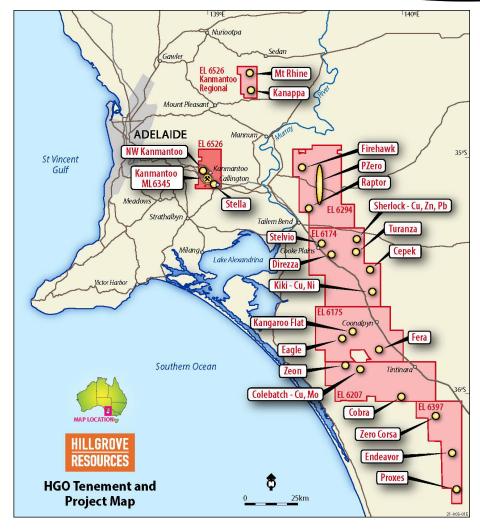
Market Statistics	Major Shareholders				
Share price ¹	\$0.04	Freepoint Metals &	& Concentrates	15.1%	
Shares on issue ¹	3,268M	Ariadne Australia		8.12%	
Market capitalisation	\$124M	Board & Manage	ement		
Debt	Nil				
Cash ²	\$11M	Derek Carter	Chairman		
Enterprise value	\$113M	Bob Fulker	CEO & MD		
•		Murray Boyte	Non-Exec. Dir	ector	
Income Tax Losses ³	\$283M	Roger Higgins	Non-Exec. Dir	ector	
Franking Credits ³	\$18M	Luke Anderson	CFO & Co. Se	C.	

- Fully permitted operating Kanmantoo underground Copper-Gold mine (100%) in South Australia
- Net mine operating cash flow positive Jun YTD 2025 (\$16m)
- 3.6Mtpa plant current run rate 1.4Mtpa, targeting 1.7-1.8Mtpa H1 2026
- Development and exploration upside Nugent, Emily Star, Critchley, Valentine and Saddle Zone
- Management and Board with strong pedigree (ex-OZL, EVN, NST, BHP, Teck)
- Recently secured \$28m placement to drive growth

Note: Currency is in Australian dollars unless otherwise stated

- I. Closing share price on 10 October 2025
- 2. Cash balance as at 30 June 2025
- 3. Refer to Results for Full Year Ended 31 December 2024 released on 28 February 2025.





Delivering and Growing the Business



Building blocks to consistent positive cash flow

CY25 Guidance¹

- 11-11.5kt Cu in concentrate
- US\$4.20-4.45/lb payable sold all-in cost

Near term production growth - Nugent

- 1.7-1.8Mtpa run rate H1 2026
- Unit cost reduction (~50% fixed)

Material Scale Up Opportunities

- Utilise 3.6Mtpa plant capacity
- Increase mine life







CURRENT STATUS

NEAR TERM DEVELOPMENT

GROWTH







- 1.4Mtpa run rate
- AISC US\$3.87/Ib (YTD 30 Jun 25)
- Achieve consistent mill feed grade
- Kavanagh Pinch Zone impacted grades and tonnage
- Optimise mine development and stope extraction

- Accelerating Nugent decline break through Q4 2025
- Updated Mineral Resource and Reserve Q4 2025

- Nugent and Kavanagh extensions
- Accelerate Emily Star
- Exploration Saddle Zone, Paringa,
 Valentine and Critchley
- Inorganic regional opportunities

Kanmantoo Mine (100%)

Operating underground mine 60km from Adelaide, SA

Copper Gold Resource and Reserve

- Mineral Resource (2024) 19.3Mt containing 150kt Cu & 82koz Au¹
- Ore Reserve (2024) 2.8Mt containing 26kt Cu & 14koz Au¹
- Upgrade expected Q4 2025

Latent capacity allows material production and cost reduction upside

- Fully permitted 3.6Mtpa processing plant and 6Mt Tailing Storage Facility
- Successful ramp up to 1.4Mtpa (Jan 2025²)
- Targeting 1.7-1.8Mtpa H1 2026
- Increased tonnes processed lower unit costs on track for delivery
- Cheap power supply average \$0.14/kwh until June 2027

Low risk mining conditions

- Nugent orebody access advancing via dual decline and incline development
- Stable ground conditions +75° orebody dip minimise dilution and maximise recovery
- Low-grade halo further mitigates dilution impact
- Conventional crush-grind-flotation plant achieving 94-95% recovery at a course 210µm grind





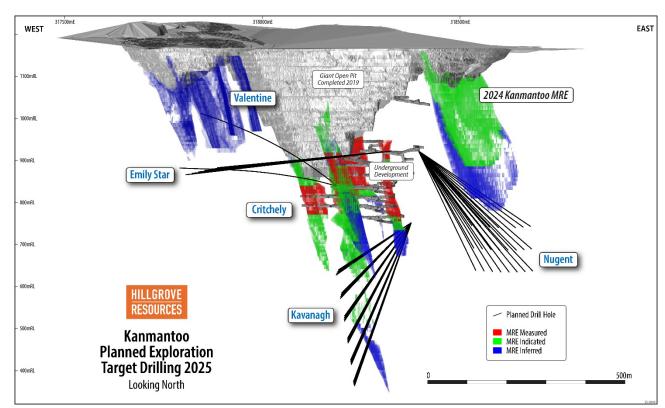
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^{2.} Refer to ASX release on 5 February 2025 titled "Kanmantoo Mine Physicals Continue to Improve".





Growth opportunities underpinned by 60,000 metres of drilling planned in 2025¹



Long section of exploration drilling in 2025

Nugent development fast tracked

- Target ~0.3-0.4Mtpa extra feed
- Stoping commenced at Nugent to boost production
- Extension drilling underway at Nugent and Emily Star
- Multiple near-mine development targets within lkm of processing plant
 - Potential to fill spare processing capacity
 - Nugent, Kavanagh, Emily Star, Saddle Zone
- Near-mine exploration targets:
 - Emily Star, Valentine, Paringa and Critchley

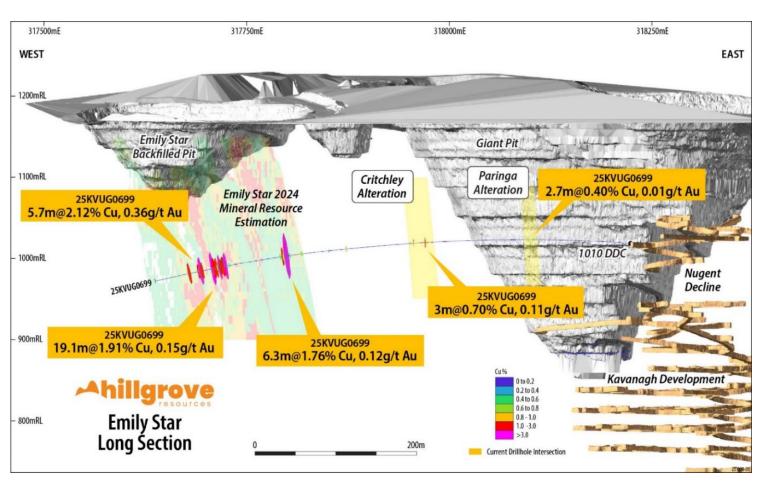
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Outstanding Results at Emily Star

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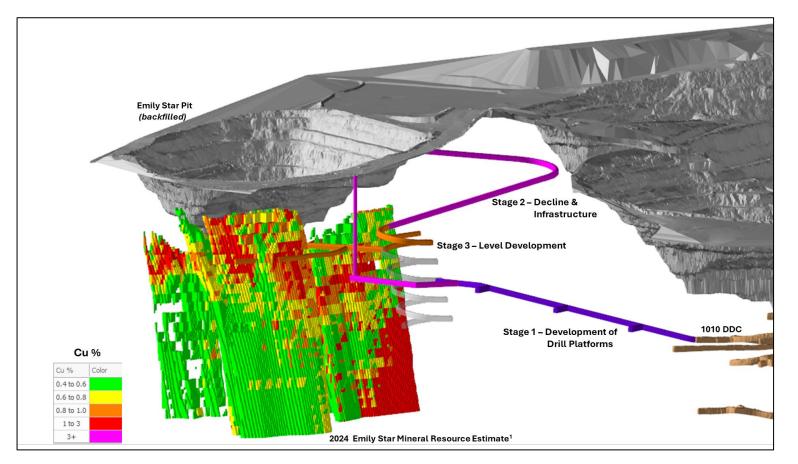
Mineralisation at Emily Star to complement Nugent and Kavanagh production



- Emily Star results confirm geological model ¹:
 - 6.3m @ 1.76% Cu + 0.12g/t Au from 425.15m (25KVUG0699)
 - 19.1m @ 1.91% Cu + 0.15g/t Au from 500m (25KVUG0699)
 - 5.7m @ 2.12% Cu + 0.36g/t Au from 531m (25KVUG0699)
- 270 metre Exploration Drive from Nugent decline under evaluation to:
 - Enable systematic drilling of Emily Star
 - Provide drill access to Critchley and Paringa targets

Emily Star Development

Third mining front providing milling optionality





Multi-staged approach to best manage development capital

- Stage 1: Establish drill platforms from the Nugent 1010 drill site for resource definition drilling
- Stage 2: Develop Emily Star decline and ventilation infrastructure
- Stage 3: Establish first level for production, including the development of ore drives, set up of egress and grade control drilling

The Hillgrove Value Proposition



Well funded to deliver near mine targets to drive production growth and lower unit operating costs



Cu Strategy

Tier 1 Jurisdiction

Robust Resources

Cash Generating Operation

Latent Capacity for Growth

Near Mine Exploration Upside Potential

Experienced Board and Management



Appendix - Kanmantoo Mineral Resource



Mine Area	JORC Classification	Tonnage (kt)	Cu (%)	Au (g/t)	Ag (g/t)	Bi (ppm)	Cu Metal (kt)	Au Metal (koz)
Kavanagh (including Spitfire)	Measured	3,200	0.94	0.04	2.9	190	30	4
	Indicated	3,400	0.77	0.10	2.4	97	26	11
	Inferred	6,300	0.70	0.11	2.4	110	44	22
	Sub-Total	13,000	0.78	0.09	2.5	130	100	37
North Kavanagh	Measured	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Indicated	230	0.78	0.17	3.0	140	2	1
	Inferred	110	0.77	0.21	3.3	130	1	1
	Sub-Total	340	0.78	0.18	3.1	140	3	2
Nugent	Measured	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Indicated	2,300	0.74	0.36	1.7	66	17	26
	Inferred	1,100	0.71	0.35	1.6	40	8	13
	Sub-Total	3,400	0.73	0.36	1.6	57	25	39
Emily Star	Measured	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Indicated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Inferred	2,600	0.77	0.08	1.6	110	20	7
	Sub-Total	2,600	0.77	0.08	1.6	110	20	7
TOTAL	TOTAL		0.77	0.14	2.2	110	150	82

Notes:

- Due to effects of rounding, total numbers may not sum.
- Tonnage and metal are rounded to the nearest 1,000 tonnes, grades are rounded to 2 significant figures.
- Mineral Resource is Reported at a 0.4% Cu Cut Off Grade for all Mine Areas.
- Mineral Resource is depleted for mining as at 30 June 2024.
- Mine depletion refers to current Kavanagh UG operation, and historical Giant Pit, Nugent and Emily Star open pits

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Mine Area	JORC Classification	Tonnes (kt)	Cu (%)	Au (ppm)	Ag (ppm)	Bi (ppm)	Cu Metal (kt)	Au Metal (koz)
Kavanagh	Proved	1,100	1.01	0.04	2.82	220	12	1
	Probable	1,000	0.88	0.15	2.7	140	9	5
	Proved + Probable Kavanagh Total	2,100	0.95	0.09	2.76	180	21	6
Nugent	Proved	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Probable	670	0.76	0.33	1.44	79	5	7
	Proved + Probable Nugent Total	670	0.76	0.33	1.44	79	5	7
Total Ore Reserve (Kavanagh + Nugent)	Proved	1,200	1.01	0.04	2.82	220	12	1
	Probable	1,700	0.83	0.22	2.21	110	14	12
	Proved + Probable	2,800	0.91	0.15	2.45	160	26	14

Notes:

- Dry metric tonnes.
- 2. 0.6% Copper (Cu) design cut-off grade.
- 3. No Probable Ore Reserve was derived from Measured Mineral Resource.
- 4. Minimum stope mining width 5.0m apparent.
- 5. Grades are rounded to two decimal places. Tonnages are rounded to two significant figures.
- Any minor apparent discrepancies for sums in the table are related to rounding.
- 7. The period for economic extraction is from Sept 2024 until April 2027.
- 8. Ore Reserve converted from Mineral Resource is based on the October 2024 Mineral Resource report by Caitlin Rowett (Hillgrove Resources Limited) and Sonia Konopa (ERM) titled "Kavanagh, Nugent & North Kavanagh Underground Mineral Resource Estimate", as at 30th September 2024.
- 9. Competent Person: Tom Bailey MAusIMM (#206304).
- Mining has commenced and observed ground conditions have been very good. Further geotechnical investigation is required to increase confidence in the stable mining spans.

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