# Hillgrove Antimony-Gold Project



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**July 2025** 



Establishing concurrent Antimony and Gold development in NSW

**ASX:LRV** 

# Antimony – Strategic & Critical

### Use of Antimony

- Solar panels
- Defence applications
- High-tech sector, semiconductors
- High-tech sector, semiconductors
- Lithium-ion batteries
- Fire-retardant

#### Critical Minerals List:

### Australia, US, UK, EU, Japan

- China dominates the global production & supply of antimony
- China placed an export control on antimony from September 15, 2024, due to national security concerns
- US has not mined antimony since 2001



Hillgrove Project is a near-term development with strong margins providing long-term strategic value

# Hillgrove Antimony & Gold Project

#### 2023

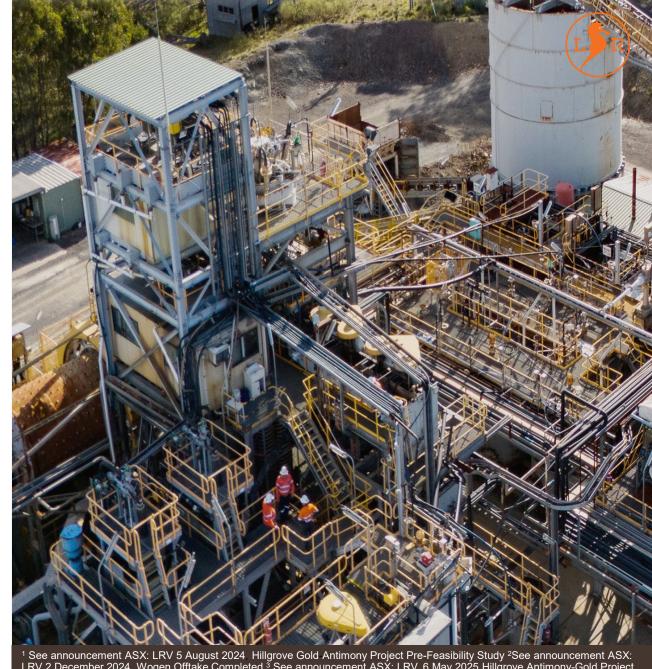
- Acquisition of Hillgrove Project
  - Cost \$8M (\$5M bond)
  - Antimony price <\$10,000/t, Gold ~US\$2,000/oz</li>

#### 2024

- Exploration to increase Resource commenced
- PFS released<sup>1</sup>
  - Maiden Ore Reserve of 606oz AuEq @ 6.0g/t AuEq
  - Resource 1.7Moz AuEq @ 7.4g/t AuEq
- Antimony offtake completed<sup>2</sup>

#### 2025:

- DFS released<sup>3</sup>
  - Ore Reserve of 636,000oz AuEq @ 6.6g/t AuEq
- Mod-6 Approval from DPHI<sup>4</sup>
- US\$105M Senior Secured Bond<sup>5</sup>



<sup>1</sup> See announcement ASX: LRV 5 August 2024. Hillgrove Gold Antimony Project Pre-Feasibility Study <sup>2</sup>See announcement ASX: LRV 2 December 2024, Wogen Offtake Completed <sup>3</sup> See announcement ASX: LRV 6 May 2025 Hillgrove Antimony-Gold Project Delivers Compelling DFS <sup>4</sup> See announcement ASX: LRV June 27 2025 Hillgrove Mod 6 Development Application Approved by DPH <sup>5</sup> See announcement ASX: LRV 21 July 2025, Successful Completion of US\$ 106M Senior Secured Bond

# **Debt Financing Secured**





**US\$105M Senior Secured** Bond



Supported by Australian and international funds



Funds applied to expansion and restart of Hillgrove





# Hillgrove Site Map







## Hillgrove Key Attributes

Australia's largest antimony deposit, Top 10 globally

- Maiden Ore Reserve of 606oz AuEq @ 6.0g/t AuEq<sup>6</sup>
- Resource 1.7Moz AuEq @ 7.4g/t AuEq<sup>6</sup>
- >\$200M spent on underground infrastructure and equipment in place
- Operational processing plant on care and maintenance
- Acquisition of Echidna Gully accommodation
- Hillgrove Hub opened for community interaction

Larvotto is positioned to be a Western leader in critical mineral supply, offering exposure to record gold prices and a secure, strategic antimony source

<sup>6</sup> See announcement ASX: LRV 6 May 2025 Hillgrove Antimony-Gold Project Delivers Compelling Definitive Feasibility Study



# Definitive Feasibility Study



### DFS confirms Hillgrove as a technically robust, high-margin critical minerals project<sup>7</sup>

- LOM of 8 years with production from underground and open-pit
- Average 80.4koz AuEq pa
- Using Gold US\$2,850 and Antimony US\$41,000/t (midprice)
- NPV 8% (post-tax) of \$694M and IRR 102%

- Project Payback 11 months
- Exploration potential to increase mine life
- Targeting first ore by Q2 2026
- Only antimony mine to come on in next 4 years

Using mid-pricing scenario

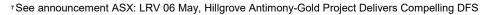
Gold – US\$2,850/oz, Antimony US\$41,000/t

\$251M pa Avg LOM **F.BITDA** 

\$1.0B Net free cashflow (post-tax)

\$694M (post-tax 8%)

Payback ll months





# Compelling DFS delivered



# DFS delivers robust financials with significant upside at spot price of antimony and gold<sup>8</sup>

- Hillgrove Mines expected to supply 7% of global antimony requirements
- DFS outcomes support near-term production and funding approval
- Strong demand outlook from defence, solar and battery sectors
- Seven-year antimony offtake agreement with Wogen Resources secured
- Long-term growth opportunities
  - substantial exploration upside, ongoing drilling
  - strong potential to convert existing Resources into Reserves

Hillgrove Project is a near-term development with strong margins providing long-term strategic value

Key Project Economics \$AUD					
Item	Base	Mid	Spot		
NPV (post-tax 8%)	\$280M	\$694M	1,269M		
IRR%	48	102	153		
All-In Sustaining Costs (AISC) (\$/oz)	\$477	-\$1,367	-\$3,269		
Annual Production, Au	40.6koz	40.6koz	40.6koz		
Annual Production, Sb	4.9 kt	4.9 kt	4.9kt		
LOM Pre-tax Cash Flow	\$691M	\$1,502M	\$2,327M		
LOM EBITDA per annum (\$M)	149	251	354		
Payback	2.2 years	11 months	8 months		
Commodity price – Gold, Antimony (US\$)	2,400oz, 25,000t	2,850oz, 41,000t	3,300oz, 57,000t		
AUD / US Exchange Rate	0.65	0.645	0.64		
Capital Cost (net of pre-production revenue)	\$139M	\$133M	\$127M		



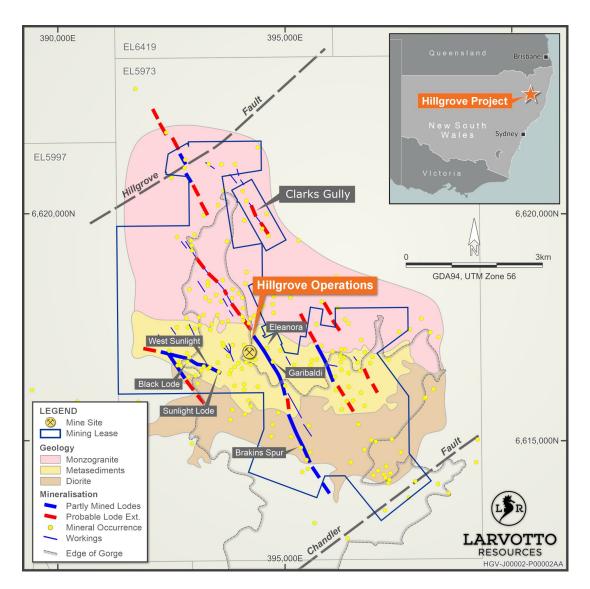
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> See announcement ASX: LRV 06 May 2025, Hillgrove Antimony-Gold Project Delivers Compelling DFS

## Hillgrove Exploration Upside

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### Significant untested antimony mineralisation

- Extensive antimony-rich zones identified from surface
- Over 20km of strike in multiple zones
- Limited historical surface drilling (high antimony)
- Gold focus
- Mining targeted areas accessible from the gorge
- Exploration potential from current zones along strike and at depth
- Latest Eleanora-Garibaldi results include9:
  - 4.1m @ 28.08 g/t AuEq from 119m including
  - **0.95m @ 111.27 g/t AuEq** from 119.5m
  - 23.4m @ 8.97 g/t AuEq from 135m including
  - **5.1m @ 35.42 g/t AuEq** from 139.9m





<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> See announcement ASX: LRV 12 June 2025, High-grade Results from Eleanora-Garibaldi Drilling

# Offtake and Financing



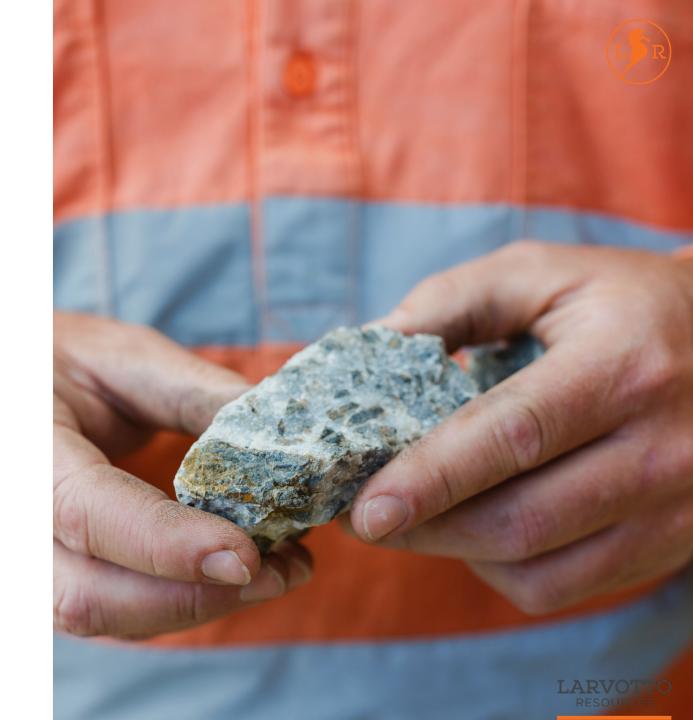
Wogen offtake for Antimony concentrate



Advanced financing discussions



Strong financial position - A\$34M



### **Board and Management**

#### **Board of Directors**



Mark Tomlinson

B.Eng.(Mining), FAusIMM

#### **Non-Executive Chair**

Mark is an Investment Banker and Mining Engineer with over 40 years of experience in the Australian mining sector. He recently served as Corporate Finance Director at Patersons Securities for 13 years, handling capital raisings, M&A transactions, and advising ASX companies. Previously, he consulted for BHP Billiton and Credit Suisse and was a senior mining analyst with Bankers Trust and JP Morgan. He began his career as a mining engineer with BHP Billiton and Rio Tinto. Mark is a Fellow of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy.



Ron Heeks

B.App.Sc, MAusIMM

#### **Managing Director**

Ron has been the Managing Director of Larvotto Resources since December 2021. With over 35 years in the mining industry, he has held senior roles at Geopacific Resources, Coolgardie Gold NL, and Smarttrans Ltd. Ron co-founded Exploration and Mining Consultants and has worked with major companies like Western Mining Corporation, Newcrest, and Newmont. His international experience includes significant work in South-East Asia, particularly Indonesia



#### Rachelle Domansky

B.A, B.App.Sc (Hons), M.Ed, DipESG, MAPS, MASH, MAICD

#### **Non-Executive Director**

Rachelle is an ESG specialist and consultant psychologist to business and government in the Asia Pacific region. She is experienced in ESG, mining and sustainability law, media and marketing, human resources development and management, corporate culture, and education and training. Rachelle currently holds non-executive board positions at Metals Australia Limited and Quebec Lithium Limited.



### Management



Sonja Neame **Chief Operating Officer** 



Nick Longmire **Chief Financial Officer** 



Phil Fox **Group Exploration Manager** 



Matt Varvari Mining Engineer Manager

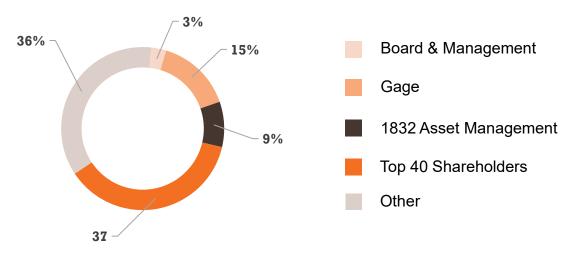


# **Corporate Overview**

### Corporate Structure

Shares on Issue	411,229,133
Unlisted Options exercisable @ 0.30	1,965,444
Performance Rights	18,041,950
Share price (22 July 2025)	\$0.725
Market Cap (22 July 2025)	\$299M
Cash (31 March 2025)	\$34.4M
Enterprise Value	\$321.3M
12-month daily liquidity	5,841,212

### Corporate Structure



### 12-month share price





## Hillgrove – Development Path





# **Definitive Feasibility Study**

Bringing Australia's largest antimony project into production in Q2 2026

- DFS details Hillgrove Antimony and Gold Project to be:
  - Strong margins and rapid payback
  - Significant uplift using spot prices
- Upside to DFS from processing, exploration and increasing Resource
- Formal mining and processing approval received
- Project Finance secured
- Targeting Q2 2026 operations restart

Larvotto is set to supply circa 7% of annual global antimony requirements



### JORC Ore Reserve Estimate



Technically and economically viable high-grade project demonstrating low opex and significant high-margin production target profile.

### JORC 2012 Ore Reserve Estimate<sup>10</sup>

	Classification	Tonnes (mt)	Au Grade (g/t)	Sb Grade %	AuEq Grade (g/t)	Cont. Au (koz)	Cont. Sb (kt Sb)	Cont. AuEq (AuEq koz)
Open Pit	Probable	0.36	2.0	1.6	6.6	23	5.6	75
Underground	Proved	0.40	2.6	2.3	9.1	34	9.2	119
Underground	Probable	2.48	3.4	0.9	6.1	248	21.1	442
TOTAL ORE RESERVES		3.01	3.1	1.2	6.6	304	35.8	636

#### Notes:

- Tonnages and grades are rounded. Discrepancies in totals may exist due to rounding.
- The total LOM Production Target includes 5% Inferred Resources, 3% Indicated Resources outside of Ore Reserves, and 92% Ore Reserves
- (percentages are for contained Au Eq. ounces).
- Cut-off grades applied after modifying for dilution.
- Gold equivalent (Au Eq.) has been calculated using the metal selling prices, recoveries and other assumptions as outlined in the Mineral
- Resources chapter on p36.
- Cut-off grades are 1.90 Au.Eq g/t for open pit and 3.30 Au.Eq g/t for underground stoping and 1.30 Au.Eq g/t for underground development

#### Gold Equivalent Calculation

All The gold equivalent is calculated using:

 $AuEq(g/t) = Au^g + Sb^g \times E$  where  $E = (Sb^p \times Sb^r) / ((Au^p / T^{oz}) \times Au^r)$ 

E = Equivalency Factor

Au<sup>p</sup> = Gold price (US dollars per ounce)

Aug = Gold grade (g/t)

Au<sup>r</sup> = Gold recovery (%)

Sb<sup>p</sup> = Antimony price (ÚS dollars per tonne)

Sbg = Antimony grade (%)

Sb<sup>r</sup> = Antimony recovery (%)

 $T^{Oz} = Troy Ounce (31.1035)$ 

A gold price of \$US2,500 per ounce, an antimony price of \$US22,500 per tonne and total gravity/float recoveries of 83.1 % for gold and 86 % for antimony were used to calculate the Equivalency Factor (E) at 2.897.

It is the company's opinion that all the elements included in the metal equivalents calculation have a reasonable potential to be recovered and sold.



<sup>10</sup> See announcement ASX: LRV 6 May 2025, Hillgrove Gold-Antimony Project Definitive Feasibility Study

## Hillgrove Mineral Resource Estimate



The additional exploration upside potential of the Hillgrove mineralisation was highlighted in the recent release of the Exploration Target of between 0.67 Moz and 1.08 Moz AuEq

### JORC 2012 Mineral Resource<sup>11</sup>

Classification	Tonnes (kt)	Au Grade (g/t)	Sb Grade %	AuEq Grade (g/t)	Cont. Gold (koz Au)	Cont. Sb (kt Sb)
Measured	672	3.2	2.8	11.3	70	19
Indicated	4,242	4.5	1.1	7.7	608	47
Measured & Indicated	4,914	4.3	1.3	8.2	678	66
Inferred	3,852	3.7	0.8	6.0	457	31
Total	8,766	4.0	1.1	7.2	1,135	96

#### Notes

- 2025 Mineral Resource Combined Global (mixed cut offs, mixed underground, open pit, stockpile extraction methods, mixed sulphide, oxide,
- transitional material types)
- Tonnages and grades are rounded. Discrepancies in totals may exist due to rounding.
- Au equivalent (Au Eq.) grade reported using metal selling prices, recoveries and other assumptions (6 May 2025)

#### Mineral Resource cut off and Source:

- The underground extractable sulphide mineral resources are reported to a cut off 2.3g/t AuEq with additional reasonable prospects of economic
- extraction constraints (6 May 2025)
- The open pit extractable sulphide mineral resources are reported to a cut off 0.65g/t AuEq with additional reasonable prospects of economic
- extraction constraints. Includes minor surface stockpiles (6 May 2025)
- The open pit extractable oxide/transitional mineral resources are reported to a cut off 0.65g/t AuEq with additional reasonable prospects of
- economic extraction constraints (6 May 2025)



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> See announcement ASX: LRV 6 May 2025, Hillgrove Antimony-Gold Project Delivers Compelling DFS



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Based on technical and economic studies, the Definitive Feasibility Study referred to in the DFS Summary Report examines the potential of developing the Hillgrove Antimony-Gold Mine by constructing open cut and underground mines and expanding a processing facility to produce gold-antimony concentrate for export and gold doré for domestic refining and sale. The Definitive Feasibility Study outcomes, production targets and forecast financial information referred to in this document are based on low accuracy level technical and economic assessments. The Definitive Feasibility Study has been completed to a level of accuracy of +/- 15% in line with typical Definitive Feasibility level study accuracy.

Larvotto has reasonable grounds for disclosing production targets, since approximately 80.9% of the Life-of-Mine (LOM) Production Target is in the Indicated Mineral Resource category, and 19.1% is in the Inferred Mineral Resource category. There is a lower level of geological confidence associated with Inferred Mineral Resources. Inferred Mineral Resources are scheduled later in the LOM as they are at the outer edges and deeper in the Resource Model. While Larvotto considers all the material assumptions in the Definitive Feasibility Study to be based on reasonable grounds, there is no certainty that they will prove to be correct or that the range of outcomes indicated will be achieved.

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#### **Mineral Resource Estimate**

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Mr Carolan has sufficient experience which is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration, and to the activity which he is undertaking, to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 Edition of the 'Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves'.

Mr Carolan consents to the inclusion in the report of the matters based on the information in the form and context in which it appears. The information in this report that relates to database compilation, geological interpretation and mineralisation wireframing, project parameters and costs and overall supervision and direction of the Eleanora and Garibaldi estimation is based on and fairly represents, information and supporting documentation compiled under the overall supervision and direction of Mr Carolan.

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#### **Hillgrove Ore Reserves**

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#### Metallurgy

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