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CEI Round 5: Deep Learning Basement Interpretation for the Isa Region Results and Outcomes

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Why?

- Exploration under-cover is hard with limited decision making tools
- ML adds one extra layer to use for decisions
- ML has natural synergies for data heavy geophysical exploration

Target Name	Geophysical Modelling	Machine Learning Predictions	Priority	
A	Possible Hydrothermal Magnetite	20% Hydrothermal magnetite	3	
в	Possible Hydrothermal Magnetite	80% Hydrothermal magnetite	1	
с	Possible Hydrothermal Magnetite	50% Hydrothermal magnetite	2	

CEI Project Details How to validate?





3	Future drilling results
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More important

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Prediction (0-1) - Felsic Intrusive

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Prediction (0-1) - Felsic Intrusiv - 0.2

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Predictions Future Drilling @Isa North











Isa North Ranking IOCG Targets



Name	Easting	Northing	Hydro Mag Prob	Hydro Mag Uncertainty	MetaM. Mag Risk	Mafic Intrusive Risk	Project Priority
INMD0002	363050	7893450	0.56	LOW	LOW	LOW	2
INML_1	380250	7929650	0.56	MODERATE	HIGH	LOW	1
INML_2	373650	7924650	0.52	MODERATE	HIGH	LOW	3
INML_3	371250	7921650	0.44	MODERATE	MODERATE	LOW	4



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Summary



• A powerful *complementary* decision making tool for exploration in difficult areas

• Model has highlighted some compelling and untested magnetite IOCG targets for SER's Isa projects

• Thanks to SER for trying new methods & Queensland government/GSQ for providing the pathways for new innovation to be tried



Interested in applying these models to your own IOCG targets? Doing geophysical heavy exploration for other deposit types?

Reach out at

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Thanks!

Questions?

Predictions Isa North Metamorphic Magnetite



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