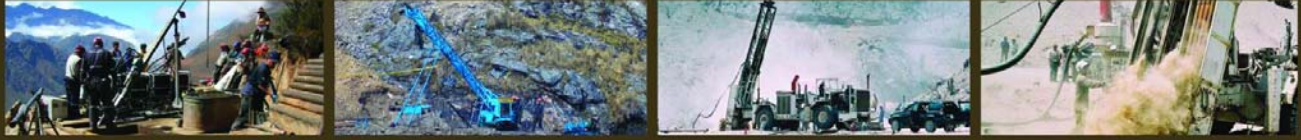




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BREAKING NEWS

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Tinka is a junior exploration company based in Vancouver, Canada, and trades under the symbols "TK" on the TSX Venture Exchange; "TLD" (WKN AOB 884) on the Frankfurt Stock Exchange; and quoted in the USA on the Pinksheets under "TKRFF".

"Tinka Identifies Additional Areas of Mineralization at Colquipucro, Peru"

Share Capital as at March 1, 2009

Authorized:	unlimited
Issued:	24,361,511
Options:	1,785,000
Warrants:	930,000
Reserved for acquisitions:	200,000
Fully Diluted:	27,276,511

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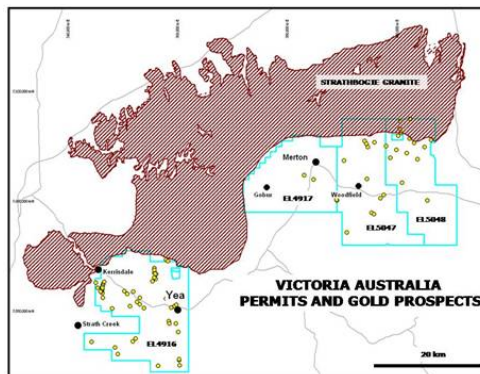
Tinka has completed a Phase 1 diamond drill program at its 100% owned Colquipucro project located in the richly mineralized silver-lead-zinc belt of central Peru.

All but one hole intercepted silver mineralization above cut-off grade and results included 60m grading 135 g/t silver, 44m grading 95 g/t silver from surface, 66m grading 83 g/t silver from surface, 10m grading 625 g/t silver, 8m grading 551 g/t silver, and 12m grading 4.4% zinc which is open at depth.

A recently completed independent NI43-101 report determined an inferred silver resource of 20.3 million ounces with an immediate potential contiguous target.

Other projects in Peru include Luminaria (gold) and Tingo Este (copper)

Research for new property acquisitions led Tinka to acquire the Strathbogie South and Golden Mountain gold projects, approximately 960 sq kms, located 150 kms to the north east of Melbourne, Victoria. Historically, the State of Victoria is the second largest producer of gold in Australia.



The Strathbogie South totals four claims and covers the southern boundary of the Strathbogie Granite where mineralization is developed within a sandstone bearing sedimentary sequence at the contact of the granite. Numerous historic small scale workings are recorded within the claims, including the extensive Merton and Yea goldfields.

The Golden Mountain project lies within the exploration licences of the Strathbogie South project and is a sediment-hosted gold project, with a hard rock and alluvial mining history of approximately 140,000 oz of gold production from operations that concluded in the 1920s. Since the cessation of mining, this project has been extensively drilled with 132 out of 177 holes drilled in the Meade's Mine area containing intersections in excess of 0.5 g/t gold.

Tinka is studying all of the historic work for these two new projects and recently completed a stream sediment geochemical survey, geological mapping and sampling at Strathbogie South. Confirmation drilling has been completed at Golden Mountain and results are being compiled and interpreted.

Exploration Projects

Colquipucro - Peru

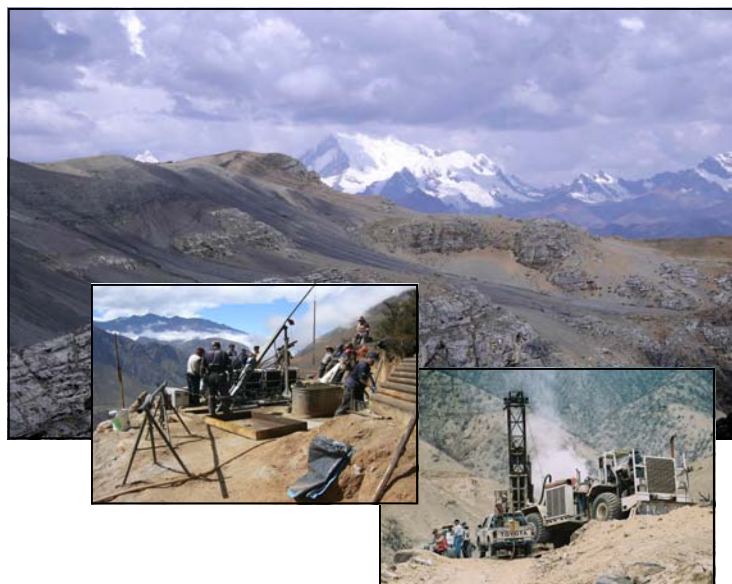


- The 6,679 hectare silver-zinc-lead property lies 25 km from Buenaventura's 150 million oz Uchucchacua silver mine.
- High-grade silver mineralization has been identified along fault zones with mineralized intervening host rock which is a banded-sandstone unit of the Chimu formation.
- Adit channel sampling over a length of 245 metres confirmed the presence of a large silver system. Results include 25 metres averaging 171 g/t silver.
- Surface channel sampling about 100 metres vertically above the adit extended the dimensions of the silver system. Results include 17 metres averaging 88 g/t silver, 10 metres averaging 130 g/t silver, and 15 metres averaging 109 g/t silver and 4% zinc.
- Geophysics identified high chargeability anomalies over an area roughly 400m east-west by 700m north-south.
- Phase 1 diamond drill program completed. All but hole intercepted Ag above cut-off grade.
- Results include 60m at 135 g/t Ag, 52m at 93 g/t Ag from surface, 10m at 625 g/t Ag including 6m at 1,003 g/t Ag, 8m at 551 g/t Ag, 44m at 95 g/t Ag, 28m at 105 g/t Ag, 62m at 1.2% Zn including 24m at 2.2% Zn, 12m at 4.4% Zn open at depth .
- Independent NI43-101 resource calculation completed for inferred resource with immediate contiguous drill target.

Category	Ag Cut-off (g/t)	Tonnes	Avg. Grade Ag (g/t)	Contained Troy Ounces
Inferred	30	5,669,853	111.4	20,311,120

- Phase 2 drill program planned and will also include a new area of similar mineralization identified approximately 2km SE of the Phase 1 drill program covering an area similar in size.

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Strathbogie South - Australia

- Four mineral exploration permits covering an area of approximately 960 sq kms in the famous Victoria goldfields of Australia.
- The State of Victoria is the second largest historic gold producer in Australia including the active mining centres of Bendigo, Ballarat and Stawell.
- Sediment hosted gold resources in the area include the Fosterville (2.5m oz) and Nagambie deposits and the recent discovery of buried mineralization at Lockwood.
- The Project covers the southern boundary of the Strathbogie Granite where mineralization is developed within a sandstone-bearing sedimentary sequence at the contact of the granite.
- Numerous historic small scale workings are recorded within the Project area including the Merton and Yea goldfields.
- At Yea, historic records include a drill intersection of 18m grading 2.75 g/t gold and historic production records estimate in excess of 500,000 oz of gold were produced from alluvial and hard rock workings within the Project area.
- The Project will be advanced to initial drill stage as soon as possible following interpretation of a stream sediment geochemical survey which was recently completed.

Golden Mountain - Australia

- Sediment hosted gold deposit within the Strathbogie South Project.
- Historical drilling includes 86.9m at 3.6 g/t Au (DDH1) from 37.9m, 37.8m at 5.6 g/t Au (DDH12) from 168.5m, 39m at 3.5 g/t Au (RC72) from 16.0m, and 45m at 3.0 g/t Au (DDH21) from 181.8m.
- Confirmation drilling has been recently completed and results are being compiled and interpreted.

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