

Almaden Minerals Ltd.

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**Invest in our ideas.
Profit from their potential.**

Almaden Minerals is an exploration company specializing in the generation of new mineral prospects with world class potential. Our business model is to option these projects to other companies, which then carry the cost of further exploration in order to earn a share in the project.

Our joint venture business strategy allows us to keep substantial interests in a large number of prospects, which increases our shareholders' opportunity to be part of a significant mineral discovery. Plus, optioning our properties leaves us the time and money to do what we do best: identifying new and exciting mineral prospects.

Almaden's management has a proven track record of success in implementing our business model: Almaden has over **40** properties in our portfolio **12** of which are currently dealt in various capacities, and a royalty on properties vended to Tarsis Capital Corp.



Morgan Poliquin
President
Exploring in Mexico

REASONS TO INVEST

WELL FINANCED

Approximately Cdn\$16 million in working capital in cash and equivalent holdings, shares in partner firms, gold in storage.

GOLD RESOURCES

100% ownership of the high-grade Elk gold resource totaling 70,000 ounces in the Measured category, 215,000 ounces in the Indicated category, and a further 188,400 ounces in the Inferred category.

EXPERIENCED MANAGEMENT

- Duane Poliquin, P.Eng: Chairman and founder of Almaden; professional geological engineer, member of the Explorers' League with over 40 years of world-wide experience, discovery of several mines.
- Morgan Poliquin, P. Eng: President; professional geological engineer with M.Sc. (Studied Emperor epithermal gold deposit in Fiji).
- Board of Directors: all professionals with extensive experience in resource ventures.

MEXICAN EXPLORATION

Almaden regards Mexico as being one of the least developed and most prospective areas for geological exploration in the world.

Excellent geology coupled with a welcoming political, economic, and social environment makes Mexico a premier country in which to explore and invest.

LA BUFA

Chihuahua State. gold & silver.
optioned to: Lincoln Gold: US\$3M in spending & 450,000 shares for 60% interest.

highlights: Further drilling planned to follow up encouraging results.

CABALLO BLANCO

Veracruz State. gold & copper.
optioned to: Canadian Gold Hunter: US\$12M in spending + complete feasibility study & 1M shares + US\$0.5M in cash on signing for 70% interest.

highlights: Surface program completed. Drilling underway

TROPICO

Sinaloa State. copper & platinum.
joint ventured with: Santoy Resources.
optioned to: Skeena Resources Ltd
highlights: Airborne survey planned.

YAGO

Nayarit State. Gold & silver.
optioned to: Consolidated Spire Ventures Ltd: \$3.5M in spending & 800,000 for 60% interest.

highlights: Drilling planned for the fall 2008.

EL PULPO

Sinaloa State: Gold & silver,
sold to: Ross River Minerals for shares and a 2% NSR

MATEHUAPIL

Zacatecas State; Silver-lead-zinc
optioned to: Apex Silver
highlights: Surface work underway.

CALDERA:

Puebla State. **New 100% held property acquired in 2008. High sulphidation gold system located near Caballo Blanco. Preliminary work program underway**
VIKY

Coahuila State. silver, lead, & zinc. Almaden has identified an area of limestone-hosted alteration and mineralisation in Western Coahuila State which has potential for silver, lead, and zinc mineral deposits

CANADIAN EXPLORATION

ELK GOLD DEPOSIT.

Almaden has a 100% interest in a high-grade gold resource in southern British Columbia, the **ELK GOLD DEPOSIT**. The Elk property is known for its very high gold grades and in the 1990s produced 51,753 oz of gold from 18,414, tons, and a significant resource remains.

A 2007 drill program consisting of 2469 meters intersected 3.16 m of 45.2 g/t gold, samples collected during 2007 have undergone further testing to determine metallurgical performance and achieved average gold recoveries of 95% using a gravity cyanidation flowsheet over a range of head grades.

MUNRO LAKE

Almaden conducted a stream sediment sampling program on this 100% owned porphyry molybdenum-copper-silver project, with encouraging results. This property was acquired in 1996 and 1997 and is 20 miles kilometers south of the Brenda mine.

MERIT

B.C. gold & silver.
optioned to: Williams Creek Explorations
highlights: average gold analyses of 965 ppb (0.97 g/t) from 115 rock samples. Values up to 7.9 g/t gold over 1.5m.

PROSPECT VALLEY

B.C. gold & silver.
Sold to Consolidated Spire Ventures for stock and a 2% NSR

RAM

Yukon. gold & silver.
Sold to: Ross River Minerals for stock and a 2% NSR

SKOONKA CREEK

B.C. gold & silver.
joint ventured : Strongbow Explorations.

LOGAN Yukon. silver, lead & zinc.

Joint ventured with Yukon Zinc

NICOAMEN

optioned to: Zenith Industries Corp.

Dealt CANADIAN PROPERTIES

U.S. EXPLORATION

In 2007 Almaden initiated a regional exploration program in Nevada, which resulted in the acquisition of 8 new projects. Five of the properties are high sulphidation epithermal gold-silver projects, and the work to date includes grid soil sampling, IP geophysics, rock sampling and alteration mapping. Work has been ongoing on these properties and further work is planned for the Spring.

Several exploration groups have already expressed interest in these projects.

Tarsis Capital Corp Agreement

- Mor:** Yukon, silver, lead, zinc
- Cabin Lake:** Yukon, silver, lead, zinc
- Caribou Creek:** Yukon, silver, lead, zinc
- Meister River:** Yukon, silver, lead, zinc
- Goz Creek:** Yukon, silver, lead, zinc
- Tim:** B.C. Gold and silver
- Erika:** Guerrero State, Gold, silver
- Prospector Mountain:** Yukon, gold, silver, copper

2 % NSR Interest.

NEWS UPDATES: available online

October 16th 2008

Update Mexican exploration

October 15th 2008

Copper gold zone discovered at San Carlos

September 23rd 2008

Assay results from Caballo Blanco

September 8th 2008

U.S. Exploration updated

July 31st 2008

Assay results from Caballo Blanco

July 10th 2008

Encouraging results from ATW diamond property



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