

Golden Arrow Resources Corporation (TSXV: GRG / OTCQB: GARWF / FSE: G6A)

Delineating a Copper-Gold Resource Near a Large Miner – FINAL REPORT

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Current Price: C\$0.14
Fair Value: N/A

Risk: 5

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Sector / Industry: Junior Resource

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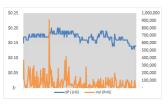
Highlights

- ➢ GRG has nine pre-resource stage exploration properties in established mining districts in Chile and Argentina.
- ➤ Earlier this year, the company acquired the San Pietro project (Chile) from Sumitomo Metal Mining (TSE: 5713) for US\$3.5M. This advanced-stage project hosts multiple Iron Oxide-Copper-Gold (IOCG) targets, with potential for cobalt. We note that IOCG projects tend to have high grades, and relatively low OPEX.
- The project is **strategically located between Capstone Copper's** (TSX: CS) Mantoverde mine and the advanced stage Santo Domingo project.
- San Pietro will be GRG's primary near-term focus. The project has had extensive historic drilling (34,000+ m). As the company has not disclosed detailed assay results, we are not in a position to calculate a speculative resource estimate. Sample results included multiple high-grade intercepts.
- An exploration program, consisting of re-logging of historic drill cores, detailed surface sampling and mapping, and geophysical surveys, is underway. One of the four identified targets has near-term resource potential.
- The company is awaiting results from a 1,700 m drill program completed at the Libanesa silver-gold project in Argentina. An exploration program is underway at the Flecha de Oro project (also in Argentina).
- We have a **positive outlook on gold prices** due to negative real rates, rising production costs, and as inflation is likely to be persistent through the year, despite rising rates. However, we expect copper prices to be under pressure amid weaker global economic growth. We believe the positive impact of stronger gold prices should more than offset the negative sentiment towards copper this year.
- > **Upcoming catalysts** include drill results from Libanesa, and exploration at Santo Pietro.

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Price Performance (1-year)



	YTD	12M
GRG	-26%	-7%
TSXV	-33%	-31%

Company Data

52 Week Range	C\$0.13 - C\$0.21	
Shares O/S	116M	
Market Cap.	C\$16M	
Yield (forward)	N/A	
P/E (forward)	N/A	
P/B	0.9x	

Key Financial Data (FYE - Dec 31)			
(C\$)	2022 (3M)		
Cash	\$3,538,920		
Working Capital	\$12,200,696		
Investment in POI + Mineral Assets (net)	\$4,804,743		
Total Assets	\$17,795,583		
Net Loss - adj.	-\$1,753,134		
FDS	-\$0.02		

^{*}See last page for important disclosures, rating and risk definitions. All figures in C\$ unless otherwise specified.



San Pietro IOCG Project in Chile

The project, covering 18,448 ha, is situated in a prolific mining district within the Atacama region of Chile.

GRG has nine precious metal projects in Argentina and Chile

The San Pietro IOCG project is situated between two IOCG projects (Santo Domingo and Mantoverde) held by Capstone Copper; Mantoverde is an operating open-pit mine, and Santo Domingo is an advanced stage development project

We believe proximity
to well-known
projects is a major
advantage as it can
open doors for
future M&A events if
GRG is able to
delineate an
attractive resource
estimate



Property Location



Source: Company

San Pietro is an advanced-stage copper-gold-cobalt exploration property with significant exploration data, including 34,276 m of historic drill cores for several targets (Rincones, Radiss Norte, Rodeo, and Colla). As the company has not disclosed detailed assay results, we are not in a position to calculate a speculative resource estimate.



The **Rincones target** was the primary focus of historic exploration. 47 holes have been drilled on the property. Key results included:

Rincones has nearterm resource potential

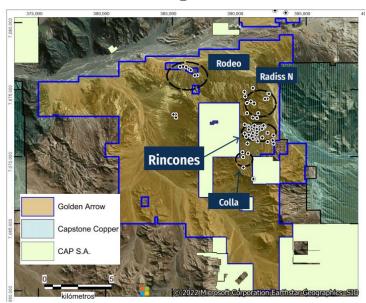
High-grade copper intercepts

Geophysical surveys at Radiss Norte suggest deep targets

Rodeo has returned high-grade copper intercepts, such as 34m @ 1.03% Cu and 334 ppm Co 1.14% Cu, 0.12g/t Au, and 335ppm Co over 28 m

- 1.20% Cu, 0.21g/t Au, and 579ppm Co over 34 m
- 1.25% Cu, 0.32g/t Au, and 70ppm Co over 36 m
- 0.76% Cu, 0.13g/t Au, and 146ppm Co over 20 m

Main Target Areas



Source: Company

Expecting a maiden resource estimate at Rincones by 2024

In June 2022, the company commenced its first exploration program, which includes detailed surface sampling and mapping, re-logging of historic drill cores, and geophysical surveys. Management is **working towards a maiden resource estimate at Rincones**, while continuing to evaluate and advance the other known targets.



Other Projects

Exploration underway at Flecha de Oro

Assay results pending for Libanesa

Summary						
Project Name	Location	Commodity	Project Status			
Rosales	Chile	Copper	No immediate plans			
Flecha de Oro	Argentina	Gold	Exploration work underway			
Libanesa	Argentina	Silver, Gold	Drilling completed; assay results pending			
Mogote	Argentina	Copper, Gold	Optioned to Syndicate Minerals Pty			
Caballos	Argentina	Copper, Gold	Optioned to Hanaq S.A			
Don Bosco	Argentina	Copper, Gold	Available for JV/Option			
Potrerillos	Argentina	Gold, Silver	Available for JV/Option			
Yanso	Argentina	Gold	Available for JV/Option			
Don Bosco Potrerillos	Argentina Argentina	Copper, Gold Gold, Silver	Available for JV/Option Available for JV/Option			

Source: Company

Financials

Strong balance sheet

(in C\$)	2022 (3M)
Cash	\$3,538,920
Working Capital	\$12,200,696
Current Ratio	30.0
Debt	-
Monthly Burn Rate (G&A)	-\$187,220
Exploration and Property Related	-\$5,408,535
Cash from Financing Activities	\$8,316,016

Source: FRC / Company

Stock Options and Warrants: 6.56M options (weighted average exercise price of \$0.38 per share), and 21.82M warrants (weighted average exercise price of \$0.37 per share) are outstanding. Nil options and warrants are in the money.

Valuation and Rating

As the company's projects are in early stages, we are **continuing to not assign a rating or valuation**. Upcoming catalysts include exploration at San Pietro, and drill results from Libanesa. As San Pietro will be GRG's primary near-term focus, we believe **results of the ongoing exploration program are crucial.** Due to its strong balance sheet, we do not believe the company will need to raise capital before 2024.

Risks

We believe the company is exposed to the following key risks (not exhaustive):

Maintaining our risk rating of 5 (Highly Speculative)

- The project is highly dependent on commodity prices.
- > None of the projects have a NI 43-101 complaint resource estimate.
- > Access to capital and share dilution
- Exploration and development risks



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