

# Indigo Exploration Inc. Increases Moule Drill Program on New Sample Results

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VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA -- ([Marketwire](#) - Jan. 28, 2011) - [Indigo Exploration Inc.](#) (TSX VENTURE: IXI) has completed a systematic surface grab sampling program over the Zelingpe 2 target on its Moule Permit, Burkina Faso, West Africa. Results from the 1.1 kilometre by 700 metre grid over the target show significant multiple anomalous gold trends that range from 25 metre to 150 metres wide. Sixty-eight grab samples within the trends returned values between 1 gram/tonne (g/t) gold and 38.6 g/t gold. The 3,000 metre reverse circulation drill program on Zelingpe 2 currently underway has been expanded to 5,000 metres because of the new grab sample results.

At Zelingpe 2, there are substantial amounts of quartz fragments with limonitic fracture fillings lying on surface along its trend (quartz float). Grab samples were systematically taken at 25 metre centres over an area 1.1 kilometres long by 700 metres wide, with each sample representing a composite of quartz float material collected within a 10 metre radius of each grid point. In this manner, values are averaging grade over a larger area than from a single point sample. 17.70% of the total 1116 samples returned gold values >0.1 g/t gold to a maximum of 38.6 g/t gold. 6.1% of the samples returned values in excess of 1.0 g/t gold and 1.1% of the samples returned values >5g/t gold.

Indigo's President, Tim Henneberry, said: "We are very pleased with the high proportion of elevated gold values and the multiple wide trends developing on this target. The sampling has strengthened the drill target considerably. As we are currently drilling this target, we are able to take advantage of these encouraging results, by expanding the drill program immediately."

The following table lists the grab sample values in excess of one gram per tonne gold.

Sample No.	Description	g/t Au	Sample No.	Description
MOR-654	Quartz float	1.08	MOR-1035	Artisanal waste dump
MOR-655	Quartz float	1.26	MOR-1037	Artisanal waste dump
MOR-699	Quartz float	1.82	MOR-1040	Artisanal waste dump
MOR-700	Quartz float	19.20	MOR-1041	Quartz float
MOR-813	Quartz float	1.68	MOR-1051	Artisanal waste dump
MOR-822	Quartz float	14.45	MOR-1053	Quartz float
MOR-824	Quartz float	3.51	MOR-1056	Quartz float
MOR-825	Quartz float	4.65	MOR-1101	Quartz float
MOR-826	Quartz float	3.03	MOR-1109	Artisanal waste dump
MOR-848	Quartz float	1.51	MOR-1111	Quartz float
MOR-851	Quartz float	1.89	MOR-1119	Quartz float
MOR-861	Quartz float	1.06	MOR-1202	Quartz float
MOR-867	Quartz float	2.54	MOR-1204	Quartz float
MOR-890	Quartz float	1.28	MOR-1219	Quartz float
MOR-899	Quartz float	8.57	MOR-1226	Quartz float
MOR-919	Quartz float	1.21	MOR-1230	Quartz float
MOR-935	Quartz float	4.04	MOR-1253	Quartz float
MOR-953	Quartz float	6.36	MOR-1261	Quartz float
MOR-960	Quartz float	1.57	MOR-1270	Quartz float
MOR-961	Quartz float	4.43	MOR-1272	Quartz float
MOR-964	Quartz float	2.45	MOR-1276	Quartz float
MOR-966	Artisanal waste dump	1.49	MOR-1278	Quartz float
MOR-969	Artisanal waste dump	12.10	MOR-1344	Quartz float
MOR-970	Artisanal waste dump	1.95	MOR-1395	Quartz float
MOR-971	Artisanal waste dump	2.25	MOR-1409	Quartz float
MOR-973	Artisanal waste dump	4.30	MOR-1455	Quartz float
MOR-975	Artisanal waste dump	1.05	MOR-1500	Quartz float
MOR-978	Artisanal waste dump	5.44	MOR-1510	Quartz float
MOR-1015	Artisanal waste dump	13.95	MOR-1529	Quartz float
MOR-1019	Quartz float	2.13	MOR-1563	Quartz float
MOR-1026	Artisanal waste dump	1.33	MOR-1653	Quartz float
MOR-1027	Artisanal waste dump	1.63	MOR-1675	Quartz float
MOR-1031	Artisanal waste dump	2.26	MOR-1767	Quartz float
MOR-1034	Artisanal waste dump	1.31		

Maps of the sampling can be found on the Company website ([www.indigoexploration.com](http://www.indigoexploration.com)) under "Projects/Burkina Faso/Moule". Samples were sent to ALS Laboratory Group in Ouagadougou, Burkina Faso for fire assay.

## Moule Permit

The Moule Gold Permit covers 249 square kilometres of prospective Birimian greenstone geology. Much of West Africa is underlain by the Birimian Greenstone Belt, one of the most prolific gold producing areas in the world.

Indigo geologists have identified multiple prospective targets for bulk tonnage gold systems, based on the artisanal workings combined with previous sampling programs. To date, there has been property-wide mapping and sampling of quartz veining and quartz float. Efforts have been focused on the 7 kilometre by 6 kilometre Zelingpe area where a soil grid, detailed mapping and local induced polarization (IP) survey have identified multiple linear targets untested by drilling. Rock sampling on this grid returned 46 of 480 grab samples with gold values between 1 g/t Au and 16.5 g/t Au. The Zelingpe 1 target is a plus 1 kilometre long chargeability anomaly covered by laterite capping with associated fringe artisanal workings. The Zelingpe 2 target is a 500 metre wide northwest trending corridor, traceable for at least 1.6 kilometres, where multiple shear zones and parallel multiple quartz float trends have coincident chargeability, elevated gold soil anomalies and local artisanal workings. The Zelingpe grid has several other targets untested by drilling to date. In addition, other kilometre long quartz trends on the property with elevated gold values in soils and rocks and local artisanal workings are worthy of future attention.

Indigo is earning a 100% interest, subject to a 1.5% Net Smelter Return (NSR) royalty in the Moule Gold Permit by making cash payments totalling US\$410,000 over 3 years. Indigo retains the right to purchase the entire 1.5% NSR for US\$1,800,000.

## About Burkina Faso

The Moule property lies in the West African nation of Burkina Faso. Much of West Africa is underlain by the Birimian Greenstone Belt, one of the most prolific gold producing areas in the world. Many of the world's major gold companies are active in West Africa, several with producing mines, including: [IAMGOLD Corporation](#), [AngloGold Ashanti Limited](#), [Randgold Resources Limited](#), [Gold Fields Limited](#) and [Newmont Mining Corporation](#). Burkina Faso is politically and economically stable and relies on farming and mining as its primary sources of revenue. Burkina Faso saw gold production double from 2008 to 2010 and is currently the 5th largest gold producing country in Africa.

On Behalf of the Board of Directors,

R. Tim Henneberry, P.Geo.  
President and CEO

Paul Cowley, P.Geo., Director of Indigo Exploration Inc., is the Qualified Person as defined in National Instrument 43-101, who has reviewed and approved the technical content of this news release.

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