

# Cream Minerals Drills 22 Metres of 63.69 g/t Silver and 0.299 g/t Gold at Once Bocas North, Nuevo Milenio Silver-Gold Project

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VANCOUVER, 02/27/12 - [Cream Minerals Ltd.](#) (TSX VENTURE: CMA) (OTCBB: CRMXF) (FRANKFURT: DFL) ('Cream' or the 'Company') is pleased to announce in-fill drill results for four holes testing the Once Bocas North Zone at Nuevo Milenio. Drill holes OBN 09-11 to OBN 12-11 tested the central section of Once Bocas North returning good values over widths ranging from four metres to 22 metres.

## Once Bocas North

Once Bocas North is a broad moderate to intense hydrothermal alteration zone which hosts numerous well developed quartz veins and associated quartz stock work. The zone has an indicated width of 100 metres and an indicated strike length of 1,000 metres (mapped on surface) of which 450 metres were drill tested during the 2011 drill program. Employing a cut-off grade of 131 g/t silver equivalent and metal prices at the time of USD\$10.28 silver and USD\$816.09 gold the contained silver at Once Bocas North is 15.6 million ounces as reported in the Revised NI 43-101 Report, dated December 24, 2008 by F. Holcapek, P. Eng.

## HIGHLIGHTS OF THE DRILL RESULTS

Highlights include significant drill intersections (intersections are drill widths, true widths are 50% to 70% of drill intersected width depending on drill inclination).

### OBN 11-11

-- 63.69 g/t Ag and 0.299 g/t Au over 22 metres including, 114.40 g/t Ag and 0.547 g/t Au over 8 metres, and 259.40 g/t Ag and 1.277 g/t Au over 2 metres.

### OBN 10-11

-- 53.38 g/t Ag and 0.373 Au over 8 metres including 185.40 g/t Ag and 1.045 g/t Au over 2 metres

### OBN 12-11

-- 70.90 g/t Ag and 0.510 g/t Au over 4 metres including 109.50 g/t Ag and 0.530 g/t Au over 2 metres

## ASSAY RESULTS

OBN 09-11 was located in front of Colonial workings comprised of a shaft and sublevels. Wide spread quartz veining is evident on surface. To the north of this section an easterly trending fault that dips at 65 degrees was mapped. It appears the drill hole intersected the FW of the fault however the quartz veining and the Colonial workings are located in the HW of the fault. No mineralized zones were intersected.

OBN 10-11 and OBN 11-11 intersected the mineralized quartz vein quartz stock work zones observed in front of drill hole OBN 09-11. Core recovery from the mineralized portion of the zone was below average.

Description OBN 10-11	Sample Number	From Metres	To Metres	Width Metres	Ag g/t	Au g/t
Zone 1 Recovery 62%	E688327	16.00	18.00	2.00	24.70	0.203
Zone 2 Recovery 77%	E688338	38.00	40.00	2.00	5.20	0.114
	E688339	40.00	42.00	2.00	30.10	0.358
Zone 3 Recovery 40%	E688348	58.00	60.00	2.00	185.40	1.045
	E688349	60.00	62.00	2.00	6.70	0.051
	E688350	62.00	64.00	2.00	6.90	0.277
	E688351	64.00	66.00	2.00	14.50	0.119
Weighted average	688348 - 51	58.00	66.00	8.00	53.38	0.373
including	E688348	58.00	60.00	2.00	185.40	1.045
	E688358	78.00	80.00	2.00	52.60	1.505
Description OBN 11-11	Sample Number	From Metres	To Metres	Width Metres	Ag g/t	Au g/t
Quartz stock work	E688377	26.00	28.00	2.00	13.60	0.123
Quartz stock work	E688380	32.00	34.00	2.00	19.60	0.111
Quartz stock work	E688384	40.00	42.00	2.00	78.70	0.313
Quartz stock work	E688388	48.00	50.00	2.00	16.70	0.067
Quartz stock work	E688389	50.00	52.00	2.00	14.90	0.085
Quartz stock work	E688390	52.00	54.00	2.00	10.00	0.073
Quartz stock work	E688391	54.00	56.00	2.00	5.70	0.06
Quartz stock work	E688392	56.00	58.00	2.00	13.80	0.150
Quartz stock work	E688393	58.00	60.00	2.00	6.30	0.07
Quartz stock work	E688394	60.00	62.00	2.00	6.30	0.036
Quartz vein	E688395	62.00	64.00	2.00	259.4	1.277
Quartz stock work	E688396	64.00	66.00	2.00	39.30	0.141
Quartz stock work	E688397	66.00	68.00	2.00	39.40	0.162
Quartz vein	E688398	68.00	70.00	2.00	119.5	0.608
Quartz stock work	E688399	70.00	72.00	2.00	9.60	0.063
Quartz stock work	E688400	72.00	74.00	2.00	24.10	0.071
Quartz stock work	E688401	74.00	76.00	2.00	59.70	0.27
Quartz stock work	E688402	76.00	78.00	2.00	44.70	0.115
Quartz stock work	E688403	78.00	80.00	2.00	55.70	0.137

Quartz stock work	E688404	80.00	82.00	2.00	30.30	0.33
Quartz stock work	E688405	82.00	84.00	2.00	18.90	0.111
Weighted average	688388-405	48.00	84.00	36.00	43.02	0.110
including	688395-405	62.00	84.00	22.00	63.69	0.299
Including	688395-98	62.00	70.00	8.00	114.40	0.547
Description	Sample Number	From Metres	To Metres	Width Metres	Ag g/t	Au g/t
Stock work	E688427	46.50	48.50	2.00	109.50	0.530
Fault	E688428	48.50	50.50	2.00	32.30	0.496

### Discussion

Weighted Average 688427-28 46.50 50.50 2.00 70.80 0.510  
 In-fill and exploration drill results combined with geological mapping on the Once Bocas North zone have confirmed the known quartz zones over a strike length of 320 metres. Outcropping quartz veins to the south of the N40E fault zone suggest continuation for a total strike length of 450 metres tested. The zone continues to trend NW beyond the area drill tested. Faulting, including multiple fault structures observed during drilling conducted in 2002 and 2003 remains a challenge to drill testing Once Bocas North. Drill holes that intersected faults showed low to nominal assay values as can be seen in OBN 09-12. However, holes OBN 10-11, OBN 11-11 and OBN 12-11 intersected good grades over wider intervals.

Once Bocas North remains open on strike and at depth. Cream expects to release an updated NI 43-101 Resource Estimate prepared by ACA Howe in calendar Q1 2012 based on the 2011 Drill Program.

Revised NI 43-101 Report, dated December 24, 2008 by F. Holcapek, P. Eng.

Dos Hornos (U/G)	Width m	Tonnes	Ag g/t	Au g/t	Ag oz	Au oz
Dos Hornos Segment 1	4.70	1,173,901.56	165.34	1.500	6,552,238.85	59,400.00
Dos Hornos Segment 2	4.06	746,528.32	201.95	1.770	4,847,215.70	42,390.25
Veta Tomas	5.09	1,246,162.50	351.19	1.280	14,070,467.48	51,344.17
Once Bocas	2.42	1,921,162.50	252.59	1.920	15,602,012.74	118,347.79
Total		5,087,754.88	251.09	1.660	41,071,934.77	271,482.21

Tonnes: 5,088,000 Ag: 251.09 g/t, Au: 1.660 g/t. Ag: 41,072,000 oz, Au: 271,500 oz.

Silver Equivalent (Gold-Silver price Ratio = 50:1): 54,647,000 oz (In-Situ).  
 Metal prices employed were USD\$10.28 per ounce Ag and USD\$816.09 per ounce Au.

A cut-off grade of US\$ 45.00 per tonne or 131g/t Ag equivalent was used.

Mr. Ferdinand Holcapek, P. Eng., Director and Administrator General, Cream Minerals De Mexico, SA de CV, supervises exploration programs on the Nuevo Milenio Project. He is responsible for all technical reporting and is the Company's 'Qualified Person' for the purpose of National Instrument NI 43-101.

Samples are prepared in the Preparatory Laboratory of Inspectorate in Durango, Durango. In addition to the in-house check assaying, Cream Minerals De Mexico instructed Inspectorate to take approximately 20 % (1 sample out of 5) as marked on the sample shipping paper and take a split from the prepared samples. All samples are shipped to the Inspectorate Laboratory in Reno, Nevada. The check samples are shipped to the Steward Group's Preparation Lab in Zacatecas for shipping to their main Laboratory in Kamloops, B.C. for

assaying. All samples are assayed using Inspectorates Genx 30 31 Element Package Au&Ag/FA/AA plus 29 elements ICP-AES Scan by aqua regia digestion & Hg by CVAA. The Steward Group uses their equivalent to the Genx 30 package of Inspectorate for assaying.

Cream Minerals is a silver-gold exploration company. The Company's flag ship project is the Nuevo Milenio silver-gold project in Nayarit State Mexico. To learn more about Cream Minerals please click here [www.creamminerals.com](http://www.creamminerals.com).

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