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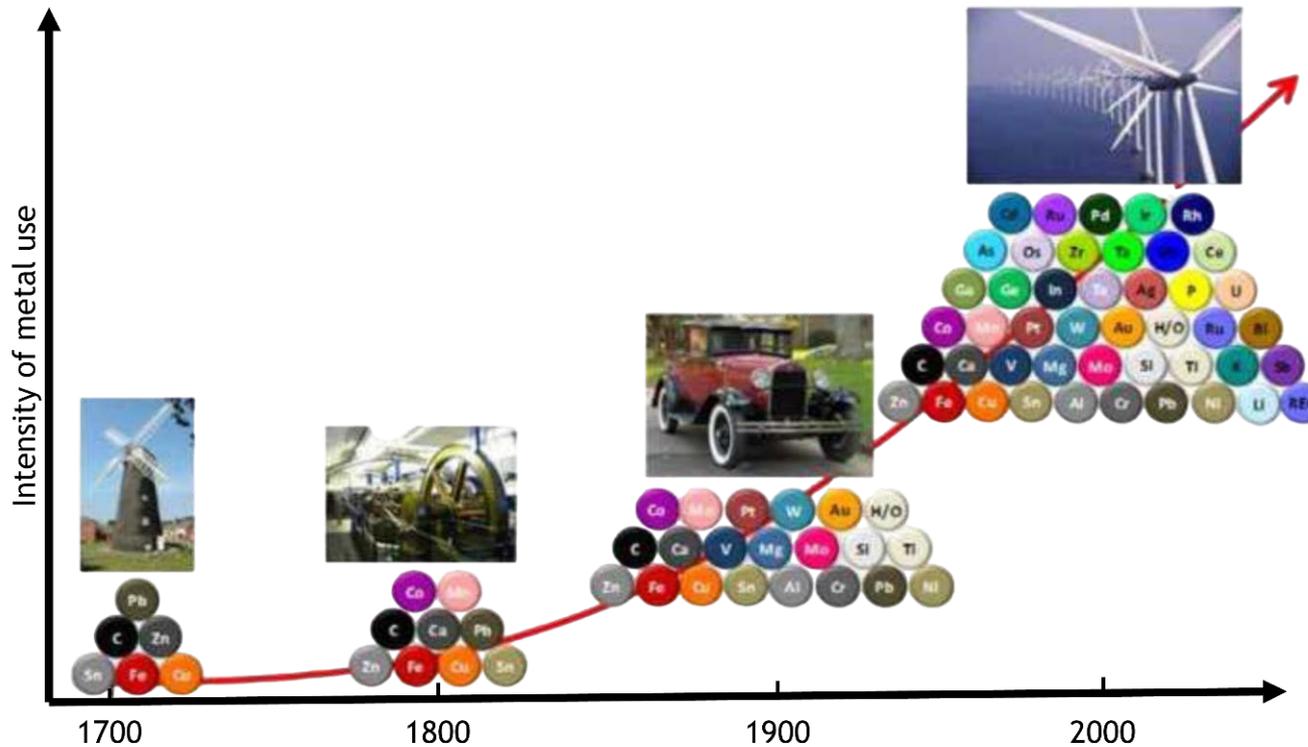
Aurania is focused on low capex high return scenarios in Critical Minerals and Gold in Europe and abroad, which can more easily be put in production than typical mining projects.

France - Aurania is well positioned to explore for strategic metals and high-grade gold in France.

Italy - MOU recently signed to evaluate waste tailings in Italy for the recovery of valuable nickel and cobalt, two “Critical Metals” for electric battery production

Europe & abroad - other opportunities are being investigated/pursued.



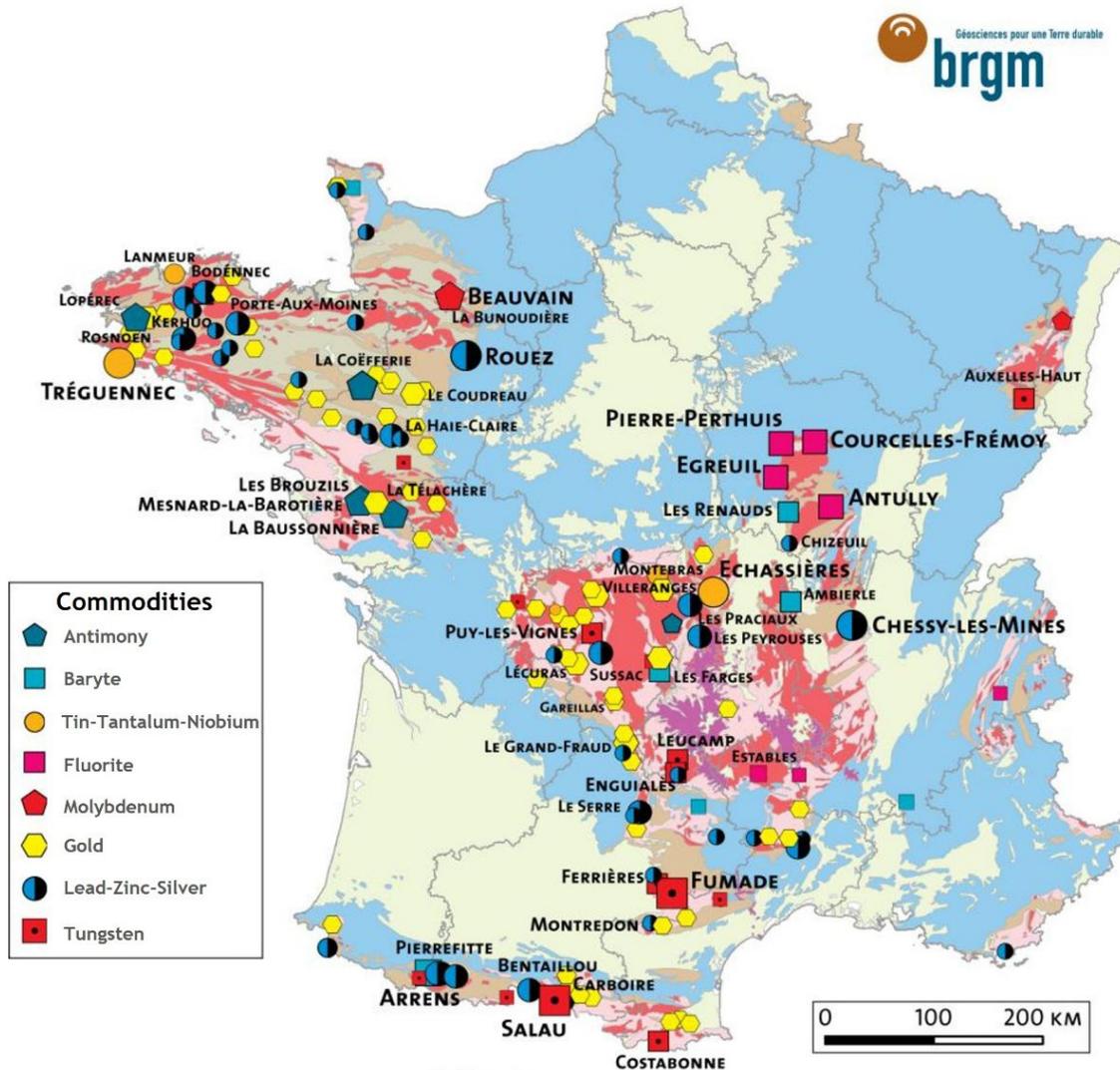


Towards an increase in the use and consumption of metals

As the battle for critical metals increases, Europe finds itself vulnerable—consuming 20% of global metals but producing only 3%.

A clean energy future depends on secure access to metals.

- **European Critical Raw Materials Act :**
by 2030, 10% of the EU's annual needs for extraction



France is seeking to relocate its production of critical metals.

New exploration needed!

French government's response: to rekindle exploration and task BRGM with a new national inventory.

Long mining history

- Gallo-Roman period :
Gold and Tin



- Middle age :
Lead and Silver

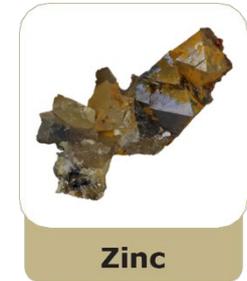
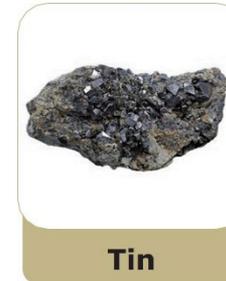
- 19th and 20th centuries :
Gold, Silver, Lead, Tin,
Antimony and Uranium



- 21st centuries :
No activity and no exploration
since the 1980s

Same geology as Newfoundland, Iberian Peninsula or Bohemian Massif

In Brittany, orogenic deposits contain



associated with



and other metals of interest for the
French government



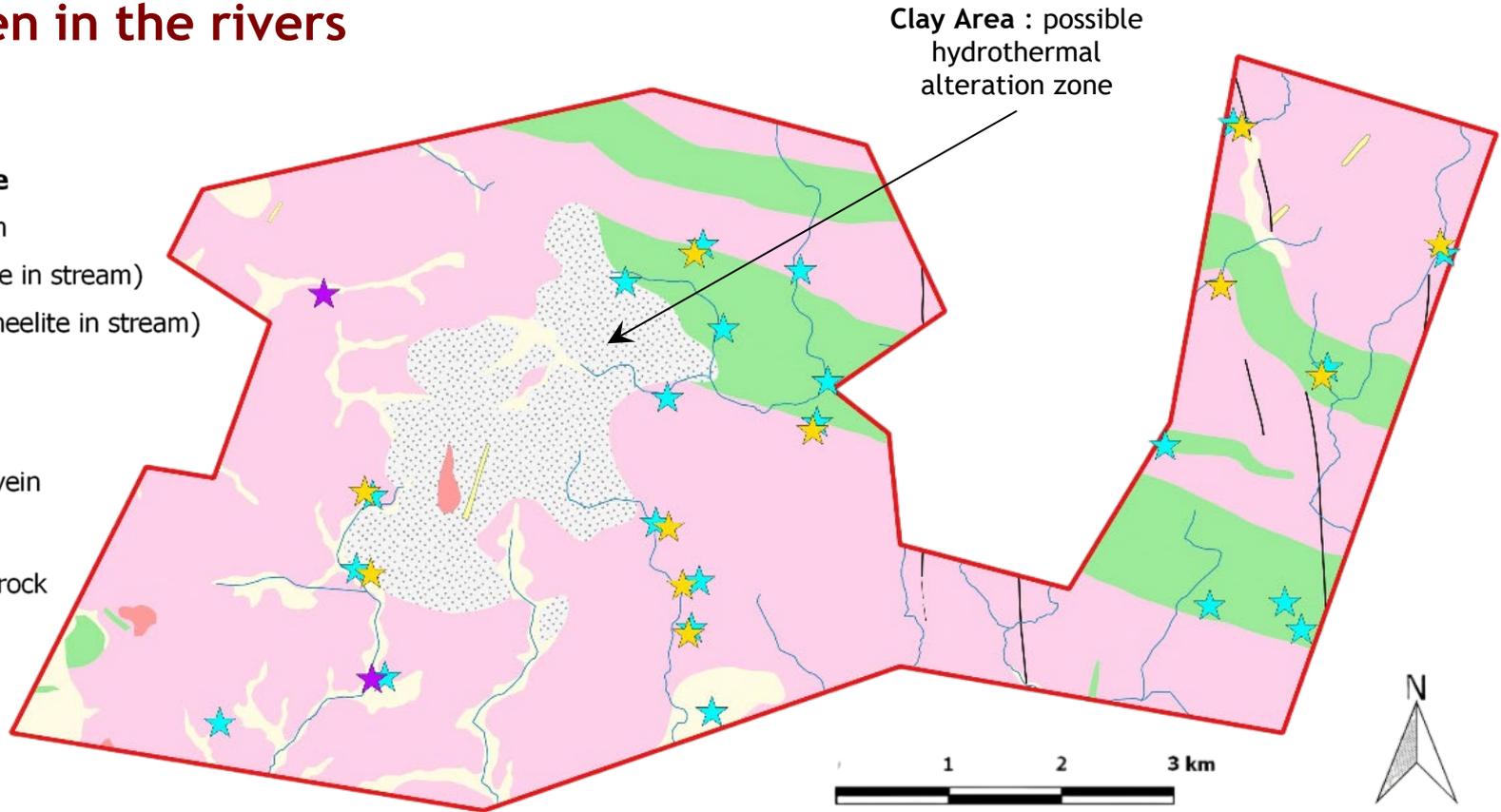
Presence of gold, tin and tungsten in the rivers

Stream occurrence

- ★ Gold in stream
- ★ Tin (Cassiterite in stream)
- ★ Tungsten (Scheelite in stream)

Geology

- Quaternary
- Clay
- Major quartz vein
- Pegmatite
- Granite
- Metamorphic rock



Several examples of gold nuggets from the Epona area sold online

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Precious gold samples stolen in raid on French natural history museum

Museum says specimens taken are worth €600,000 based on price of gold but have 'immeasurable heritage value'

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Three exploration concession applications in Brittany have been pending.

We have been notified that they will be granted imminently.

Nickel Cobalt Opportunities

Aurania has identified two outstanding opportunities in Europe to potentially cheaply and efficiently extract nickel, cobalt, copper and other valuable metals from already mined waste materials.

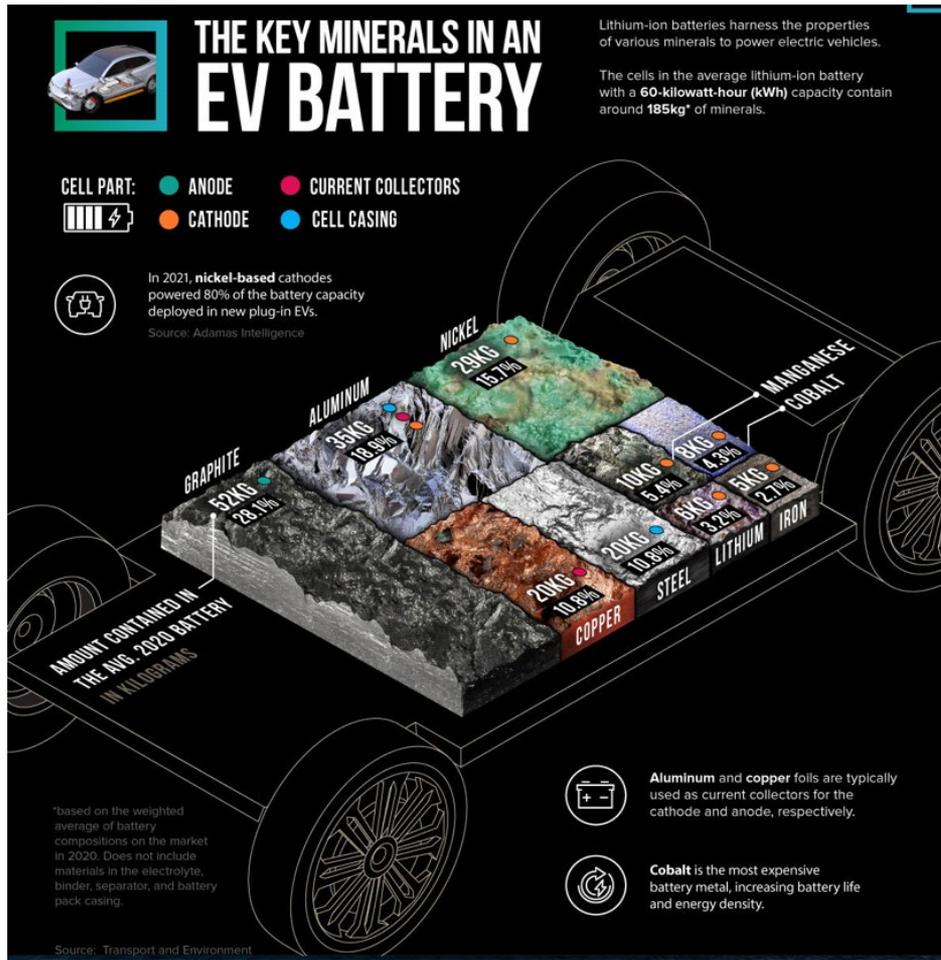
The projects have the goal of deriving valuable critical metals for Europe from discarded waste materials, and the further goal of performing environmental cleanups.

The key to this is a rather rare mineral called **AWARUITE!**

Awaruite is a naturally occurring alloy of nickel and iron, which is remarkable for its nickel content (75-77%) and its natural properties. It is of high density and is highly magnetic; both of which lend themselves to easy extractive recovery. Compositionally it is Ni₃Fe. It occurs in maybe 30 sites worldwide but is only abundant in a handful. It also occurs in meteorites.

Most nickel in the world is recovered from sulphide deposits (Sudbury, Kambalda, Voisey's Bay) or from nickel laterite deposits in Indonesia and the Philippines.

Traditionally, sulphide nickel deposits have been processed by pyrometallurgy (roasting) to drive off the sulphur content as sulphur dioxide or sulphur trioxide. These are major contributors to acid rain. 45% of the EU's nickel comes from Russia. The city of Norilsk, next to the nickel mine, is in the top ten polluted cities in the world.



This metal is used as a cathode in lithium batteries in electric vehicles.

For each car battery, an average of 30 kg of nickel is needed, and only 6 kg of lithium...



Excavators gather soil containing nickel ore at a mining site operated by PT Hengjaya Mineralindo | CREDIT: Garry Lotulung



Aurania staff were researching awaruite when we came across two compelling situations which we believe **could offer a short path to production, to provide industry within the European Union** with a realistic timeline to address the current need for Critical Metals.

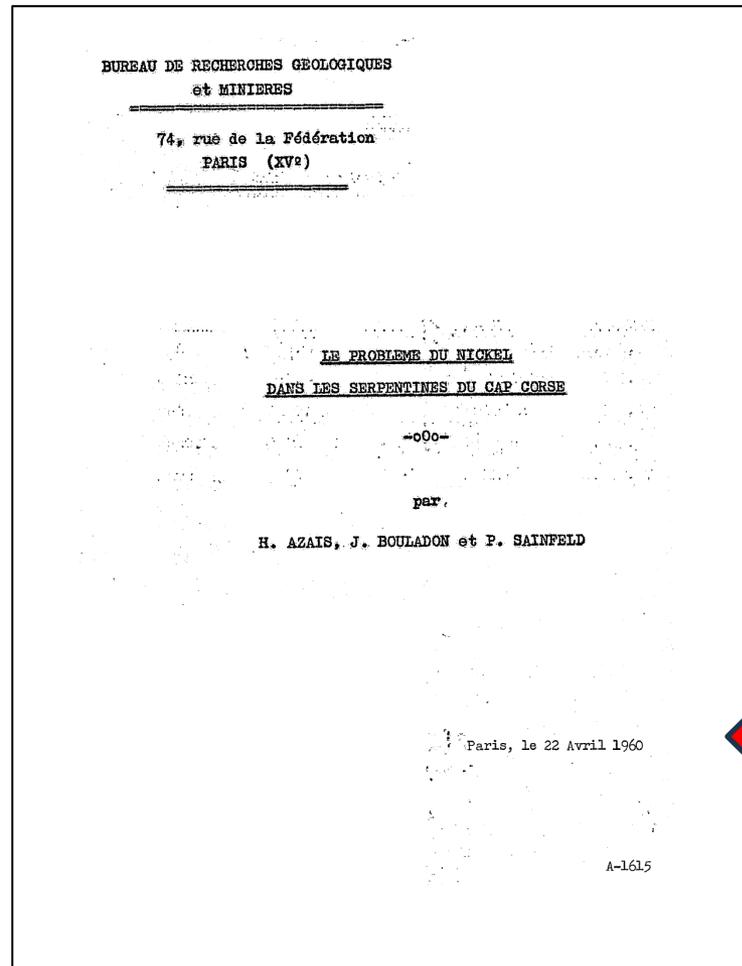
The word “critical” implies that they are essential and necessary now. Both nickel and cobalt are vital in the manufacture of electric vehicle batteries, which are central and fundamental to combatting carbon dioxide emissions and climate change.

Due to the unique physical properties of awaruite it can be recovered from mine waste by simple gravity and magnetic means, without the use of chemicals. In both cases awaruite occurs with the iron mineral magnetite, and essentially a concentrate can be produced in the plant and used as direct furnace feed for the production of stainless steel. No need to denude tropical rainforest.
Dry it.....bag it.....ship it.

Alternatively, awaruite can be separated from magnetite by simple flotation technology and then upscaled into feed for refineries that produce battery-grade nickel sulphate. Aurania has already demonstrated this successfully in the laboratory with Corsican awaruite to produce a 99.994% pure nickel sulphate compound.

North Corsica Beaches Project

A rather arcane and obscure geological report that started it all off:



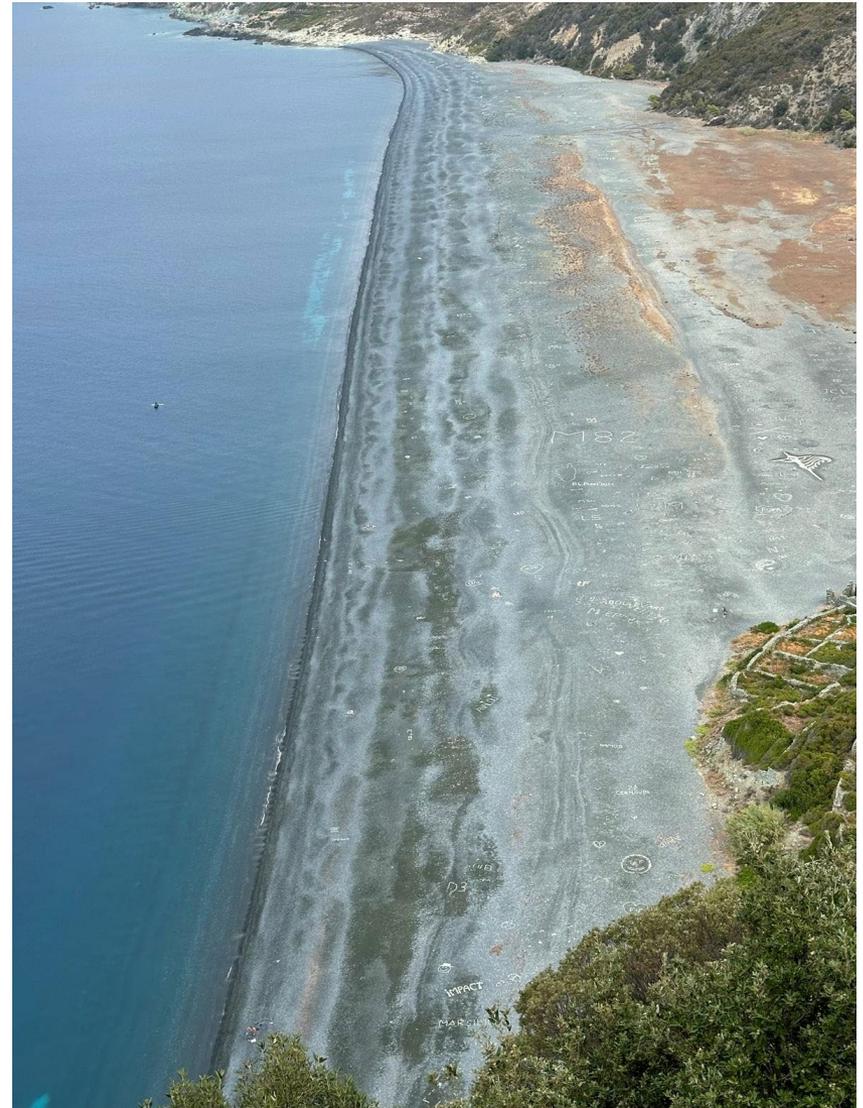
**Note date:
22 April 1960**

This French Government report examined the possibilities of by-product nickel from the Canari Mine.

The abandoned Canari asbestos mine can be seen in the background on the ridge, top of image.

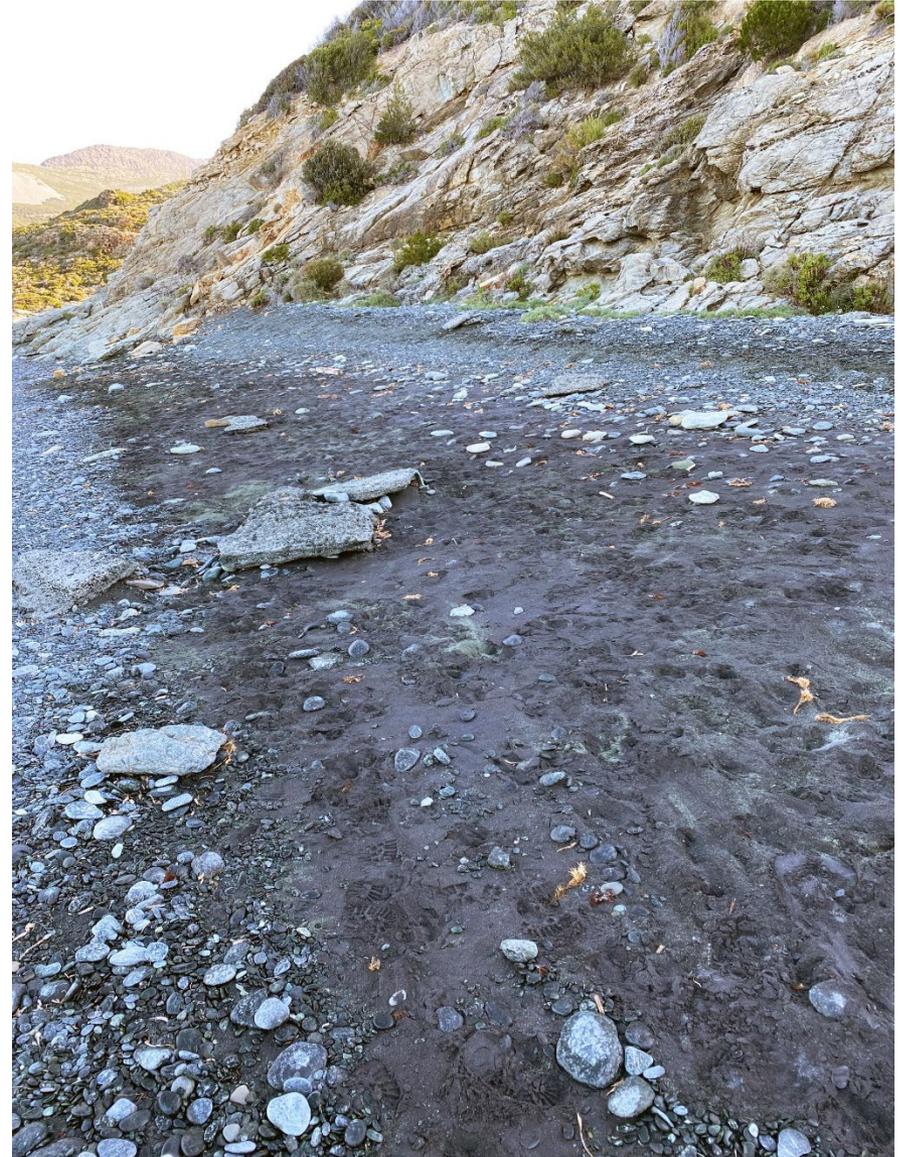


Note the numerous black beach placers at Nonza after a major storm.



The black lines are “beach placers” where heavy metals in the beach sands have accumulated along the strand line.

These placers are repeated in numerous areas on the beach surface and also in the third dimension below the surface.



Concentration with a simple gold pan produced a concentrate of the silvery coloured awaruite NiFe mineral.

This assayed 50.4% Ni.

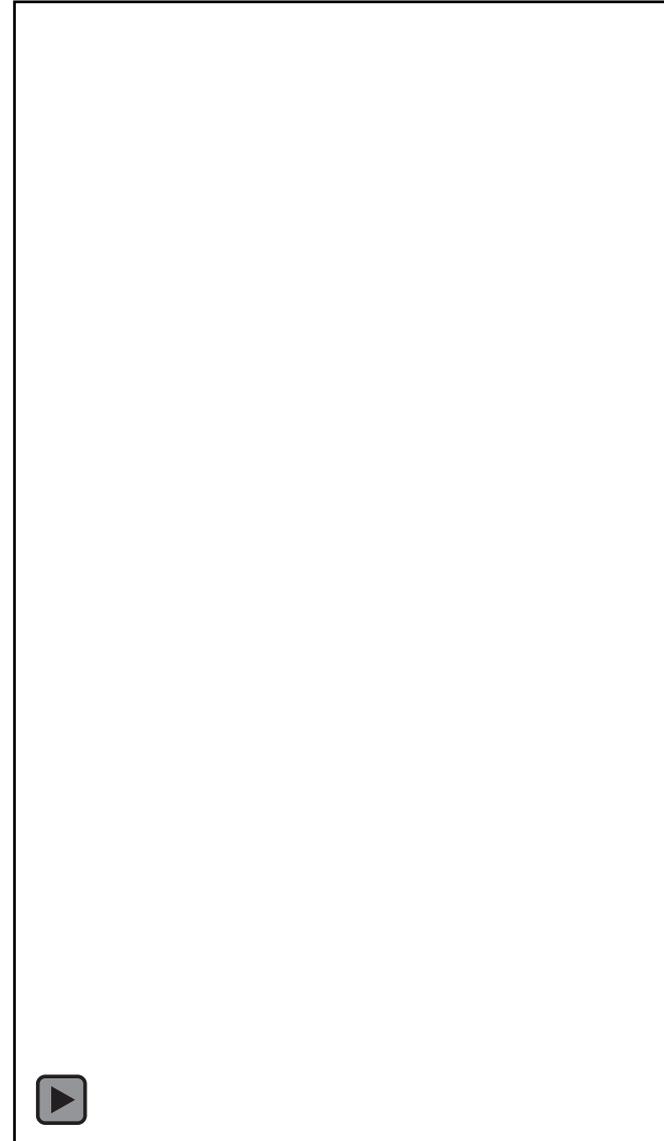
The lab said this was the highest result in a natural material they had ever seen. It is approximately 10X a high-grade nickel mine sample.



Note also 229 ppb gold, 263 ppb palladium, 42 ppb platinum, 0.701% Cobalt, 0.476% Copper

The magnetic fraction of the sand of Albo and Nonza is a high-grade nickel ore.

The sand contains mainly magnetite and on average 2% nickel in the form of natural alloy: Awaruite.



Canari Mill Complex: Before Demolition 2025



Mine waste was simply dumped from the mine over the cliff into the Mediterranean!!!

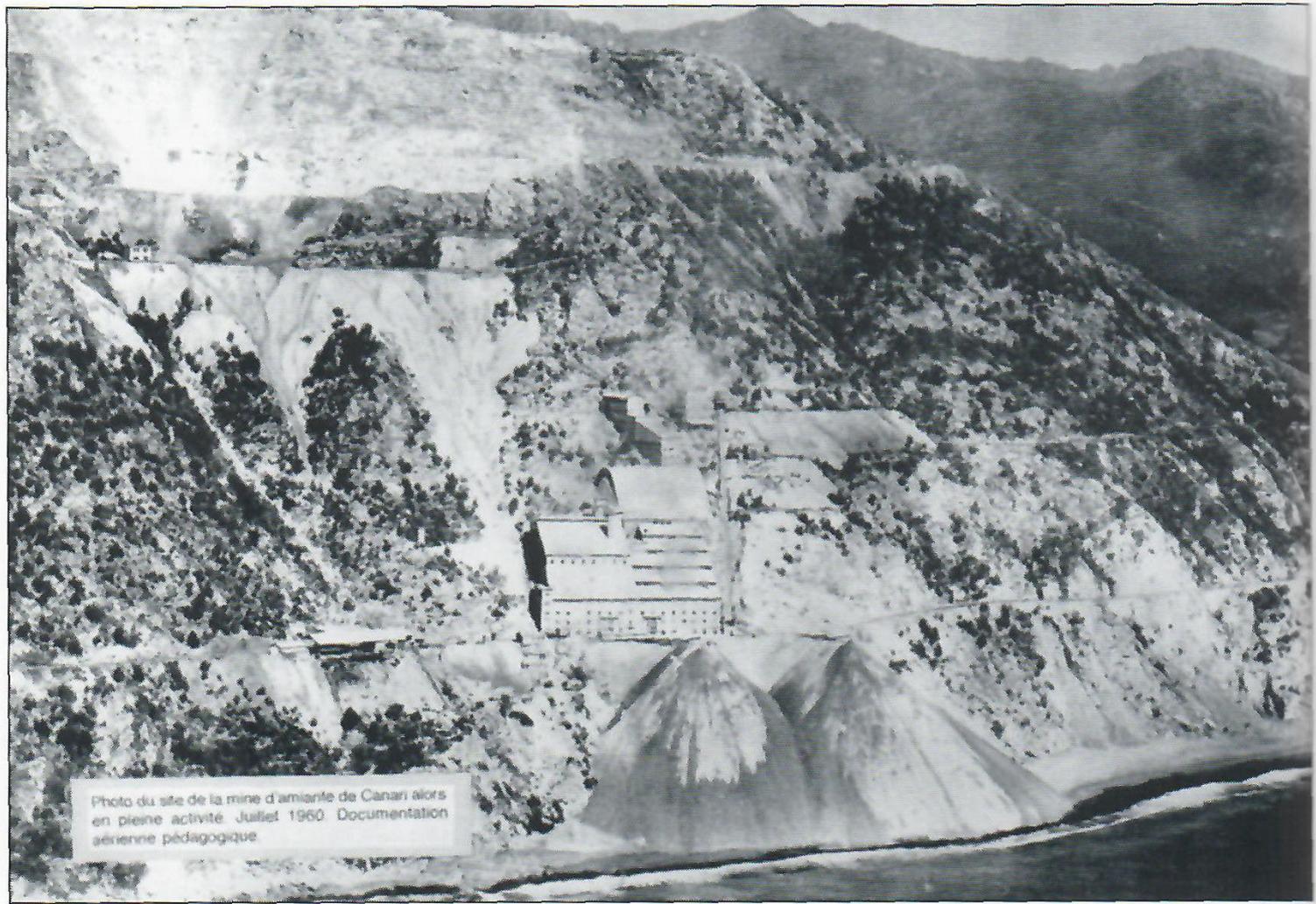
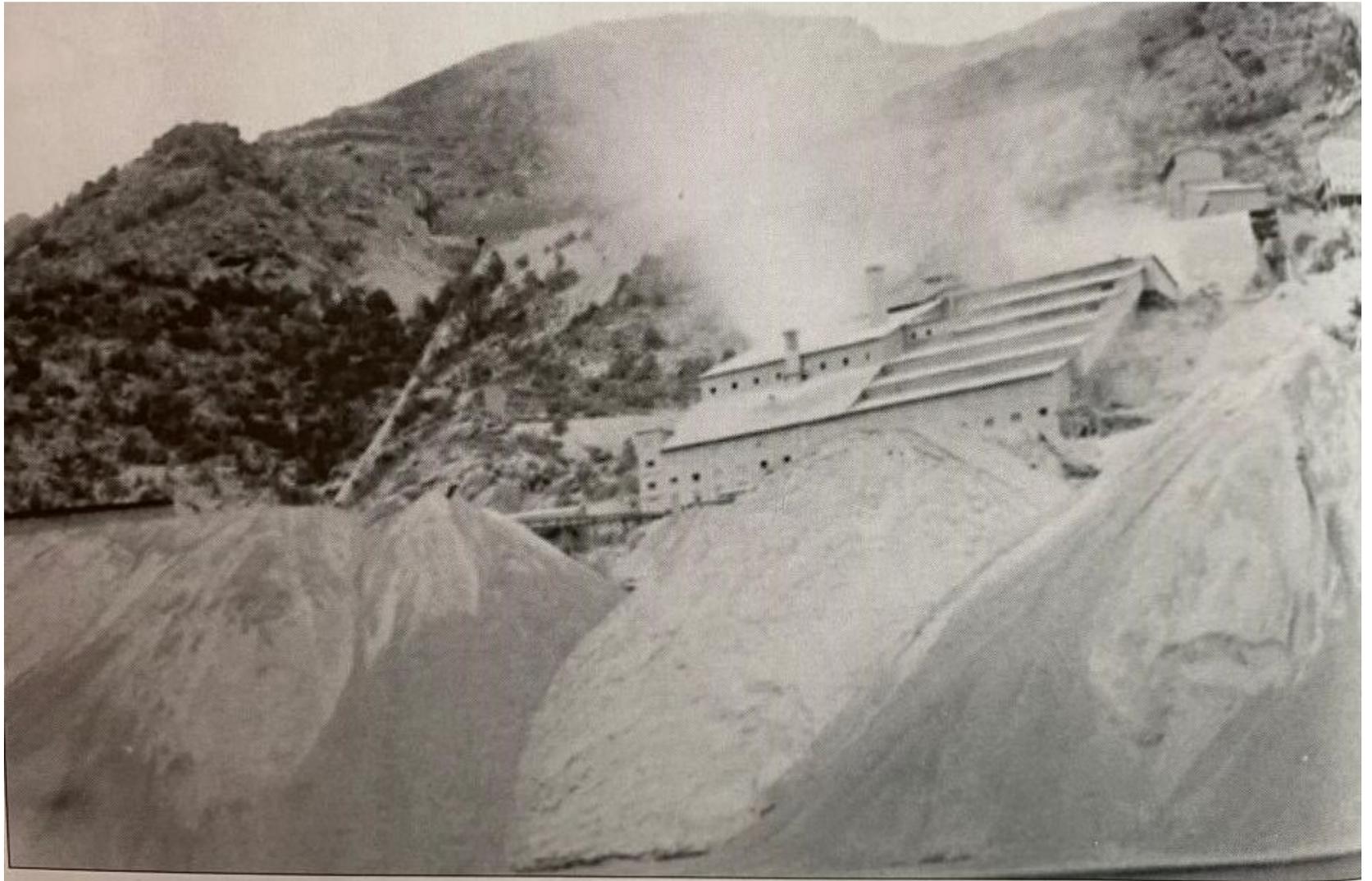


Photo du site de la mine d'amiante de Canari alors en pleine activité. Juillet 1960. Documentation sérieuse pédagogique.



Photographies du site de la mine d'amiante de Canari alors en pleine activité. Juillet 1960.

The action of the tides and surf has comminuted the material as if it were in an autogenous grind ball mill.

All the sharp edges have been knocked off and reduced to pebbles and sand.

There is no free asbestos in the beach material, and it is safe to walk your dog here.

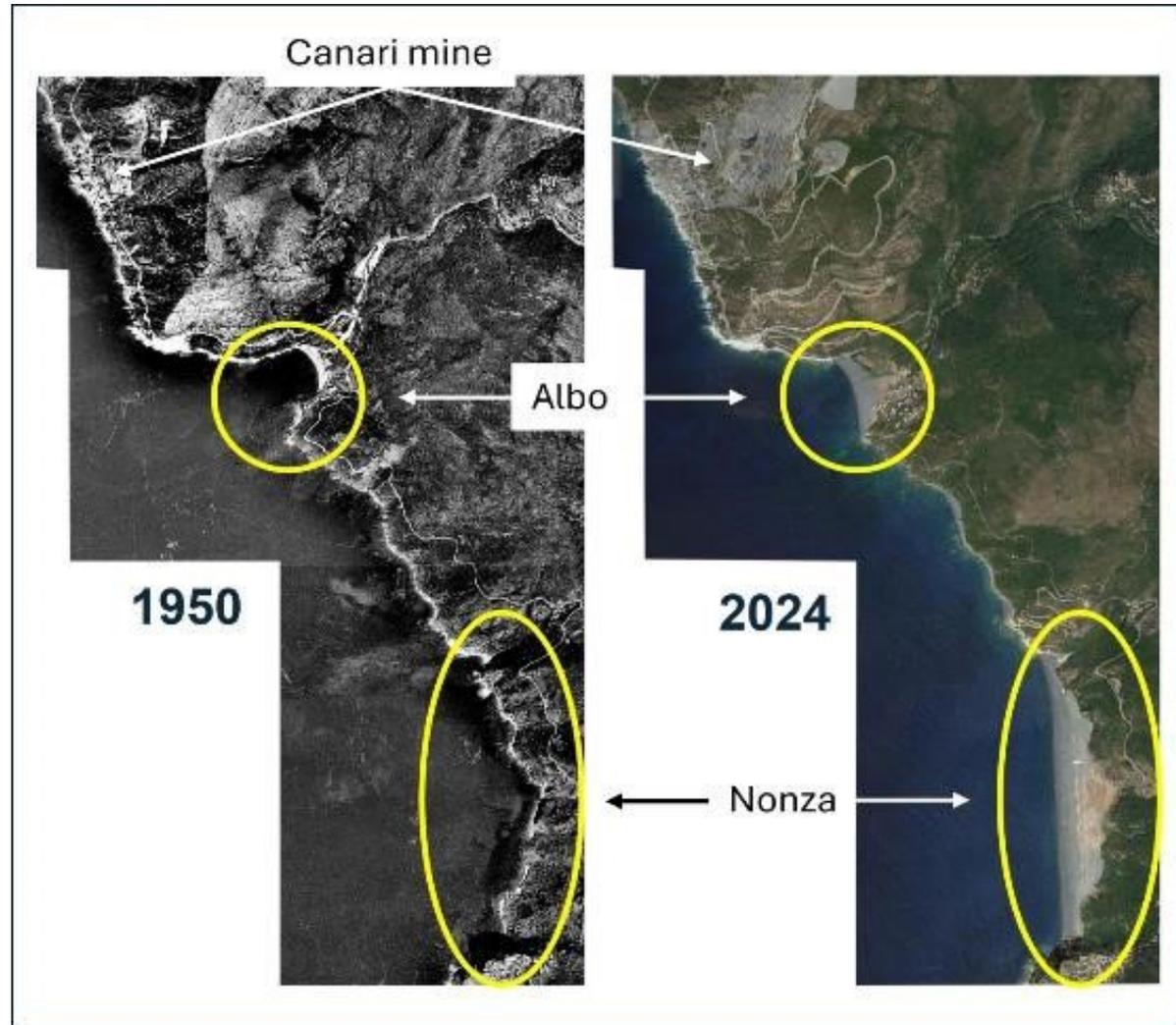


This serpentinite pebble has been sliced with a diamond saw.

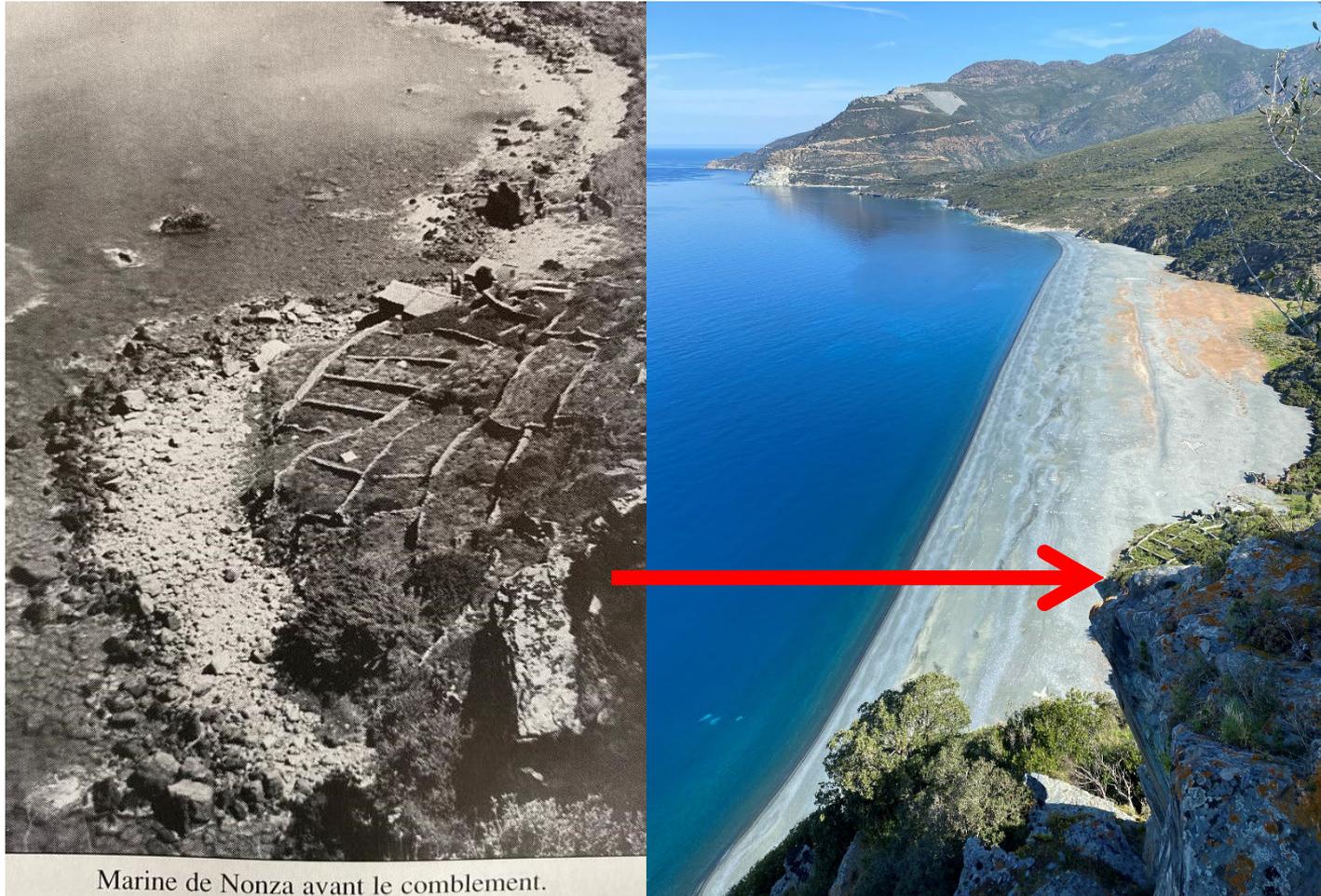


The tiny silvery pinpoints are the awaruite.

Through a process known as “**Longshore Drift**” the Canari mine waste that was dumped into the sea has migrated down the coast 5-6 km, and filled in two historic fishing ports: **Albo** and **Nonza**



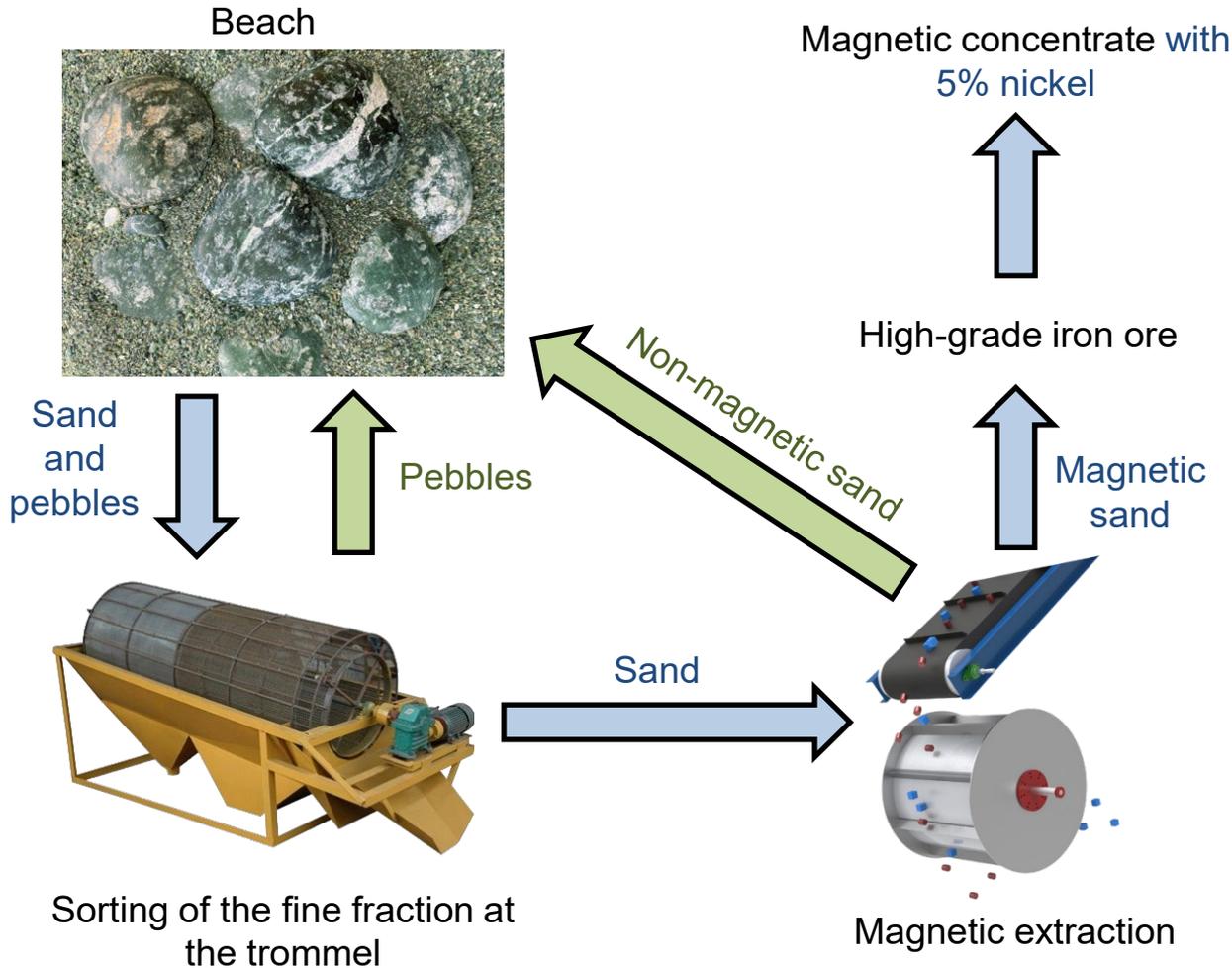
Remains of the historic fishing village at Nonza, today well inland of the shoreline.



Typical cutter head suction dredge, as used to clean canals and shipping channels.

Here it is being used to extract sand and gravel from a water-filled pit.





The sand material is highly magnetic, and therefore the awaruite can be easily extracted using a magnet.

In this form, nickel is the only base metal in the world that can be **mined without chemical pollution!**

There will be
NO removal of the beaches at Albo and Nonza.

Only the heavy minerals in the minus 1 mm fraction will be taken away.

The rest will be redeposited back onto the beach and recontoured so that it looks like no activity has taken place.



This Material Assayed up to 6% Nickel

The bottom is loaded with awaruite.



99.994% purity.

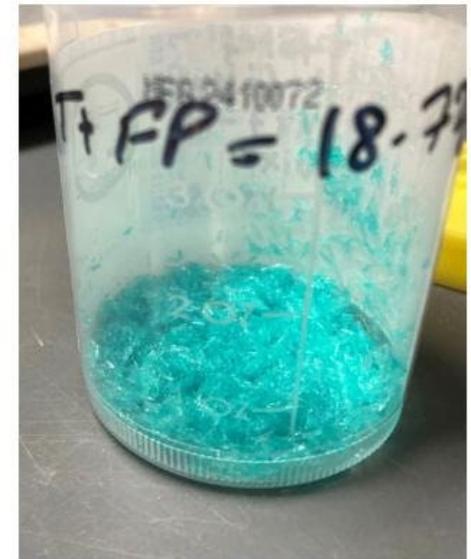
**This is exactly what is needed for electric vehicle
manufacture!**



Primary Filtration



Crystals filtered from filtrate next day (Jan 3)



The awaruite and chromite on the beaches and in the nearshore are leaching the contaminant heavy metals Cr, Ni, and Co, which are considered heavy metal poisons.

There are documented:

6 marine species with high levels of contamination.

11 with medium contamination levels.

The beaches themselves are devoid of life. No crabs, no seashells, no barnacles, no limpets, no life at all except for a few curious tourists.



Balangero Mine Northern Italy

Operated 1916-1990



There is a very significant accumulation of dry-stacked tailings which is easily accessed. The main tailings pile was open to the elements and shedding asbestos into the environment but has been in reclamation since 1992 to eliminate asbestos windblown dust.

The mitigation has consisted of recontouring the 250 metre high hill, covering it in organic mulch and vegetating it and has been successful. However, the hill represents a potential major resource of nickel, cobalt and chromium; **all Critical Metals for the European Union**. In 1966, an entire study was done to potentially recover awaruite from the production stream. This was never implemented, and the nickel now resides in already excavated and crushed tailings.

Aurania has signed an MOU with the surface-rights holder, RSA - a consortium of local government entities - to carry out sampling and other investigations on the site. A total of 450 kg of samples taken from 36 sites across the tailings, is in progress to find the best way to extract the nickel and other metals.

During WWII, the Axis countries experienced a serious lack of access to nickel metal. This had been used in armour plating, artillery shells and other war applications, but the shortages most significantly affected valve covers in rotary aircraft engines for which there was no viable replacement metal.

Balangero was investigated as a source of nickel from 1940 onwards but for various reasons the awaruite mineral was never recognized. Instead, and for a few months only before the Allied invasion, “magnetic sand” from the tailings was used as direct furnace-feed to make steel.

This information, found in the Turin Historical Archives, is very important because it demonstrates that awaruite and magnetite can be easily recovered from tailings to produce a direct furnace-feed product that can be used to make stainless steel or hardened steel alloys.

Again, dry it..... bag it.....ship it! Nothing easier.

Or, send the awaruite up the value chain to make battery grade nickel sulphate as was demonstrated in the Corsican Project.

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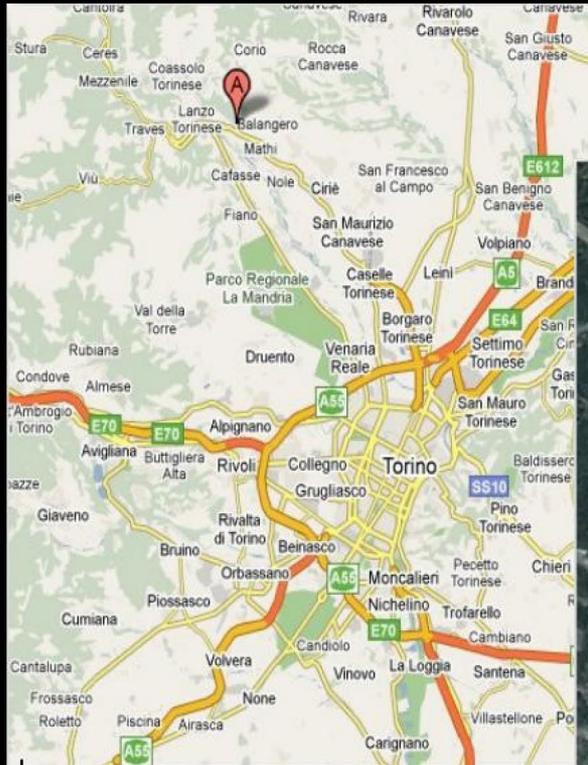
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**RICERCHE SULLA POSSIBILITÀ DI RICUPERO DEL NICHEL
DALLA SERPENTINA ASBESTIFERA DI BALANGERO**

Nota I - Identificazione di un minerale nichelifero ferromagnetico

Enea Occella Stefano Zucchetti - Ermanno Martini





Width 800 m

Height 200 – 250 m

Estimated Volume 50-60 Mm³

Slope 35 – 45 degrees





Main waste pile
as it appeared in
1994.

Foto 3_8

Vista aerea della discarica
della miniera di Balangero
sul versante di Corio del
Monte San Vittore.

(foto da *La Gibuti – l'amianto
non si lavora*, Editori il Risveglio,
Ciriè, 1994)

Waste pile as it appears today after recontouring and vegetating.

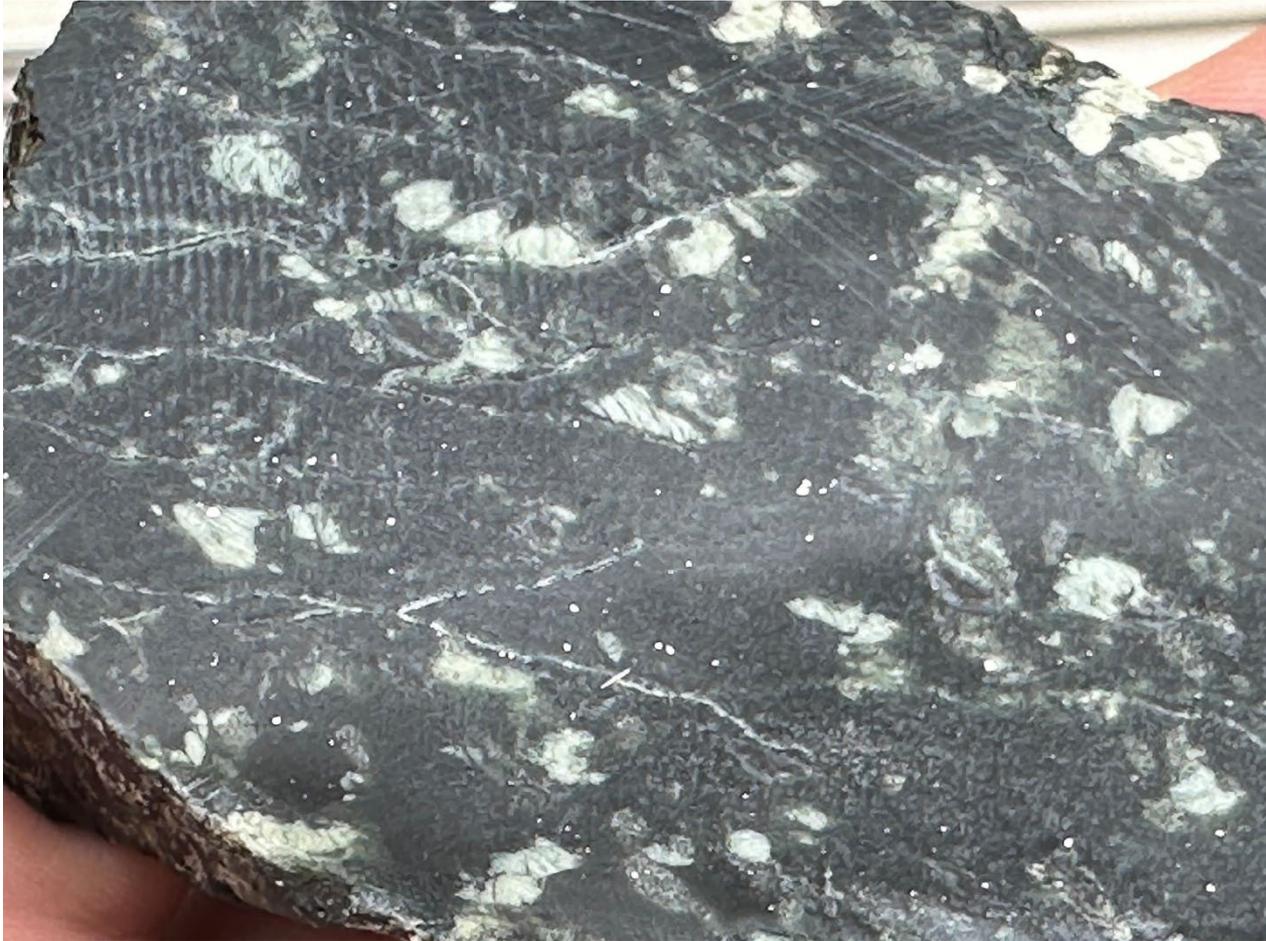
Even though the pile is no longer an airborne asbestos threat, it is not stabilized.







Serpentinite sample is identical to the sample from the beach at Nonza!



The silver pinpoints are awaruite.

Serpentinite Carbonation for CO₂ Sequestration

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Serpentinites offer a highly reactive feedstock for carbonation reactions and the capacity to sequester carbon dioxide (CO₂) on a global scale. CO₂ can be sequestered in mined serpentinite using high-temperature carbonation reactors, by carbonating alkaline mine wastes, or by subsurface reaction through CO₂ injection into serpentinite-hosted aquifers and serpentinized peridotites. Natural analogues to serpentinite carbonation, such as exhumed hydrothermal systems, alkaline travertines, and hydromagnesite-magnesite playas, provide insights into geochemical controls on carbonation rates that can guide industrial CO₂ sequestration. The upscaling of existing technologies that accelerate serpentinite carbonation may prove sufficient for offsetting local industrial emissions, but global-scale implementation will require considerable incentives and further research and development.

KEYWORDS: carbon sequestration, climate change, mineral carbonation, geoengineering, serpentinite

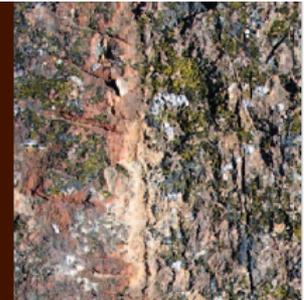
INTRODUCTION

Carbon sequestration research and technology is motivated by concerns that increasing atmospheric carbon dioxide

sequestration. Carbonate minerals are produced during serpentinization (Evans et al. 2013 this issue) and during hydrothermal alteration and weathering of serpentinite

carbonation of alkaline industrial waste, such as serpentinite mine tailings, and (2) in situ mineral carbonation processes initiated by the injection of CO₂ into serpentinite-hosted aquifers or the injection of CO₂ and seawater into peridotite and serpentinite at higher temperatures (>150°C) (Fig. 1). The challenge is to develop carbonation technologies that operate at a scale and rate that are relevant to anthropogenic GHG emissions locally and globally.

Serpentinite carbonation occurs naturally under geochemical conditions that are similar to those currently being investigated for the development of industrial and geoengineering strategies for CO₂



And it is a win-win for the planet!



Critical metals for EV batteries



Carbon sequestration



Elimination of asbestos

Capitalization Table (TSX.V:ARU, OTCQB:AUIAF, Frankfurt:20Q)

Share Price	(C\$)	0.155
Basic Shares Outstanding	(M)	126
Warrants	(M)	60.8
Options	(M)	10
Fully Diluted Shares Outstanding	(M)	197
Market Cap (Basic)	(C\$M)	19.5

Note: share price/market cap is as of market close Nov 12, 2025

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