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Sweden

6 ITEMS

GRUVAKTIEBOLAGET VISCARIA · NASDAQ STOCKHOLM: VISC

Viscaria mine receives EU Strategic Project designation under CRMA

9 October 2026

Gruvaktiebolaget Viscaria (Nasdaq Stockholm: VISC) announced that the European Commission has designated the Viscaria copper mine in Kiruna as a Strategic Project under the Critical Raw Materials Act (CRMA). The designation constitutes formal recognition of the mine's importance to the EU's supply of copper and may contribute to more efficient regulatory processes and improved conditions for project development. CEO Jörgen Olsson said the mine's funding position and planned opening in 2028, together with strategic investor InfraVia, contributed to the decision.

Source: viscaria.com — read the original

ALKANE RESOURCES · ASX: ALK

Alkane Resources reports 40,740 AuEq oz for September 2026 quarter

9 October 2026

Alkane Resources (ASX: ALK) announced quarterly gold-equivalent production of 40,740 AuEq oz for the September 2026 quarter, comprising 21,506 Au oz from Tomingley, 8,752 AuEq oz from Costerfield (7,835 Au oz and 396 Sb t) and 10,482 Au oz from Björkdal in Sweden. Group sales totalled 38,348 AuEq oz. Cash and bullion at quarter-end stood at **A$440 million**, with pro forma liquidity of A$550 million including an undrawn A$110 million revolving credit facility. The company is debt free except for **A$16 million** in equipment finance. A maiden dividend of **A$24 million** was transferred in late September. FY27 guidance for Björkdal remains 41–45 koz AuEq at an AISC of **A$3,300–3,700**/oz AuEq.

Source: alkres.com — read the original

LEADING EDGE MATERIALS CORP · TSXV: LEM

Leading Edge Materials signs MoU with Trilliun for Norra Kärr co-products

8 October 2026

Leading Edge Materials Corp (TSXV: LEM) announced that its wholly owned Swedish subsidiary GREENNA Mineral AB has signed a non-binding Memorandum of Understanding with TRILLIUN Resources Pte. Ltd. covering proposed cooperation on industrial mineral co-products from the Norra Kärr Heavy Rare Earth Elements Project in Sweden. Under the framework, GMAB intends to supply nepheline syenite and aegirine to Trilliun for processing and marketing to industrial customers in glass, ceramics, fillers and related sectors. The first phase covers technical data sharing, testwork and a joint technical committee to define a mineral processing pathway, with a definitive Sale and Purchase Agreement as a possible next step.

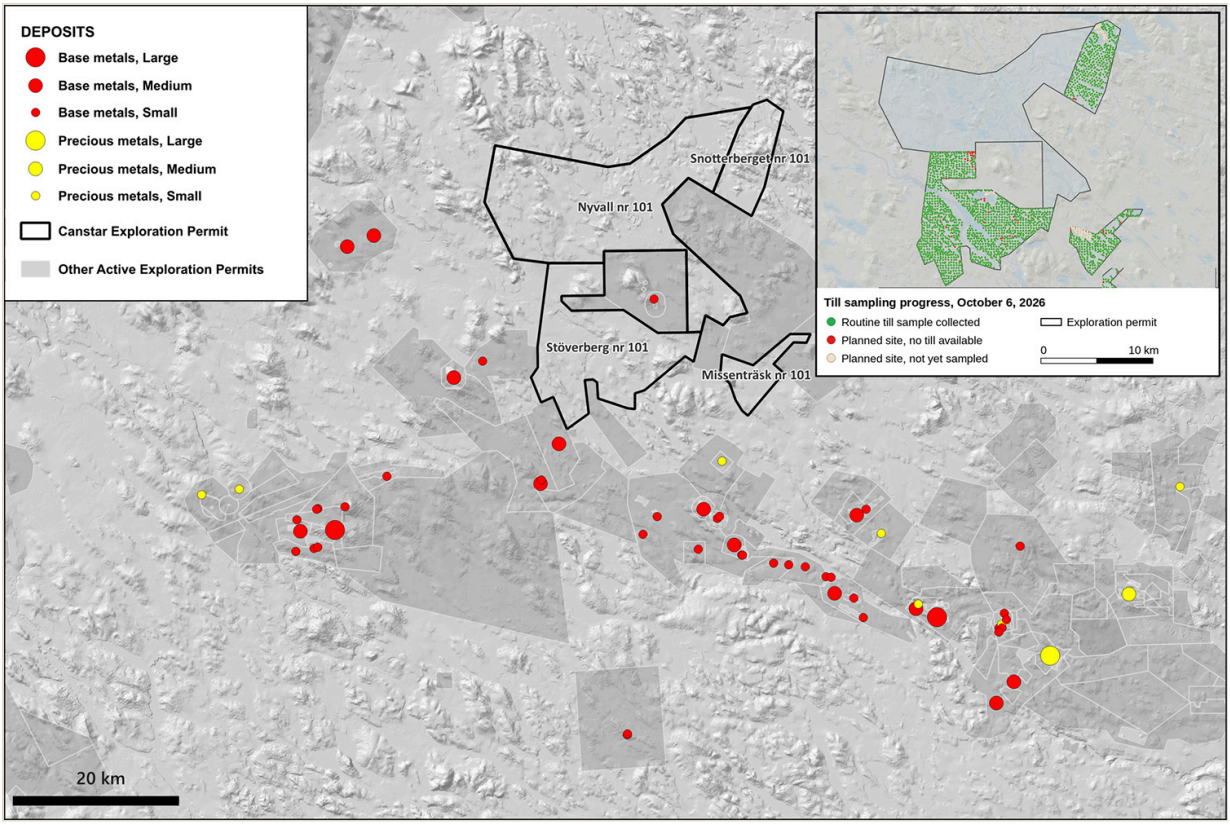
Source: mfn.se — read the original

CANSTAR RESOURCES INC · TSXV: ROX

Canstar Resources nears completion of Phase 1 till sampling in Sweden

8 October 2026

Canstar Resources (TSXV: ROX) announced that its Phase 1 till geochemistry program at the 100%-owned Skellefte VMS Project in northern Sweden is nearing completion. The systematic program comprises approximately 2,150 samples collected on a 400-metre by 400-metre grid across three exploration permits, covering approximately 31,000 hectares. Sampling commenced August 19, 2026, and as at October 6, approximately 95 percent of planned sample sites had been sampled; completion is expected in October. All samples will be submitted to Bureau Veritas in Vancouver for multi-element analysis. The company also extended 10,357,369 warrants originally expiring September 25, 2026 to December 31, 2026 at an unchanged exercise price of **C$0.07** per share.



Skellefte VMS Project: Canstar's four granted exploration permits (Missenträsk nr 101, Snotterberget nr 101, Stöverberg nr 101 and Nyvall nr 101) in the northern portion of the Skellefte belt, with kn

Source: Canstar Resources Inc

Source: canstarresources.com — read the original

DISTRICT METALS CORP · TSXV: DMX

District Metals commences diamond drilling at Viken Property in Sweden

6 October 2026

District Metals Corp. (TSXV: DMX) announced the commencement of diamond drilling at its Viken Property in Jämtland County, central Sweden. Contractor Arctic DS AB has resumed core drilling with a crew drawn primarily from Jämtland and Västerbotten Counties. The 2026 programme targets two large conductive anomalies — Target Areas A and B — identified by the company's 2025 airborne MobileMT survey, lying approximately **1.7 km** and 7.5 km north to northwest of the Viken Energy Metals Deposit, respectively, and displaying conductive responses larger and stronger than the deposit's own signature. The programme forms part of an approved 2026 exploration budget of approximately **5,000 to 7,000 metres** across the Viken and Alum Shale Properties.

Source: districtmetals.com — read the original

On a further note, **Botnia Gold AB** (Nasdaq First North: BOTX) reported that a fire broke out in an isolated storage tent at the Fäbodtjärnsgruvan mine on 10 October 2026, with emergency services attending and firefighting ongoing at the time of release; no personal injuries were reported, though material damage was caused to the storage tent and preliminarily to a number of specialist vehicles, including a concrete sprayer, a

charging vehicle and a concrete truck owned partly by **Botnia Gold** and partly by main contractor Bergteamet, and the company said the fire would likely affect production for a period, the scope and duration of which could not yet be determined.

Finland

1 ITEM

FINNISH MINERALS GROUP

Finnish Minerals Group's Sokli project gains EU strategic status

9 October 2026

Finnish Minerals Group announced that the European Commission has selected its wholly owned Sokli mining project as a strategic project under the EU Critical Raw Materials Act. Located in Savukoski, the Sokli deposit contains phosphate, rare earth elements, niobium, iron and vermiculite, and is described as one of Europe's most significant phosphate and polymetallic deposits. Strategic project status can streamline and accelerate administrative procedures and support financing opportunities, though it does not replace national permitting or environmental procedures. Sokli Oy, the project subsidiary, is currently preparing trial operations, and the environmental impact assessment for actual mining operations is due to begin in 2026.

Source: mineralsgroup.fi — read the original

Greenland

4 ITEMS

CRITICAL METALS CORP · NASDAQ (US): CRML

Critical Metals Corp receives Greenland mining approvals for Tanbreez through 2050

5 October 2026

Critical Metals Corp (Nasdaq: CRML) announced that the Government of Greenland (Naalakkersuisut) formally approved the Mining Plan and Closure Plan for its flagship Tanbreez Project in Southern Greenland, valid through September 8, 2050. The approvals were signed by Minister Múte B. Egede in Nuuk on September 29, 2026, and were granted to the company's Greenlandic subsidiary, Tanbreez Mining Greenland A/S, under Exclusive Licence No. 2020-54.

The approvals cover 19 elements for extraction at the Killavaat Alannguat site between Narsaq and Qaqortoq, including the heavy rare earths terbium, dysprosium and yttrium, the magnet metals neodymium and praseodymium, and the strategic metals zirconium, hafnium, tantalum and niobium. The remaining step before construction is the receipt of activity-specific operating permits under sections 120 and 121 of the Greenland Mineral Activities Act, covering environmental management, marine transport, health and safety, and the export and sale of minerals.

Source: criticalmetalscorp.com — read the original

GREENLAND RESOURCES INC · CBOE CANADA: MOLY

Greenland Resources ships Malmbjerg core and water for REE and magnesium testwork

6 October 2026

Greenland Resources Inc. (Cboe Canada: MOLY) announced that more than eight tonnes of drill core and fourteen tonnes of saline and fresh water collected during a summer field programme at the Malmbjerg project in Greenland are expected to arrive at SGS Lakefield in Ontario around 12 October 2026. The materials will be used in a test programme aimed at verifying metallurgical recoveries and concentration grades for potential recovery of rare earth elements and magnesium as by-products from the Malmbjerg ore body and saline water. The programme, funded in part by a **CAD 7 million** non-repayable contribution from Natural Resources Canada's Critical Minerals Research, Development and Demonstration Program, is scheduled to continue until March 2028 and includes bench-scale and potential pilot-scale testwork on molybdenum flotation, magnesium separation, and REE pre-concentration.

Source: greenlandresources.ca — read the original

80 MILE PLC · AIM: 80M

80 Mile extends PUSU Deadline to 3 November 2026

6 October 2026

80 Mile plc (AIM: 80M) announced an extension of the PUSU Deadline under Rule 2.6(c) of the City Code on Takeovers and Mergers in connection with the proposed all-share acquisition of **80 Mile** by Greenland Energy Company. The new deadline by which Greenland Energy must either announce a firm intention to make an offer or announce that it does not intend to proceed is 5.00 p.m. (London time) on 3 November 2026. Both parties are conducting confirmatory due diligence and advancing negotiations on definitive transaction documentation. There can be no certainty that a firm offer will be made.

Source: investegate.co.uk — read the original

On a further note, **Greenland Resources Inc**. (Cboe Canada: MOLY) announced the voting results from its annual and special meeting held on October 9, 2026, at which all four director nominees were elected with more than 99.4% of votes cast, McGovern Hurley LLP was reappointed as auditors with 99.98% approval, and the company's new long-term incentive plan was approved by 98.86% of votes cast.

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