

## ASX RELEASE

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### TOP CAMP GOLD PROJECT DRILLING COMMENCES

The Board of Orion Metals Limited (ASX-ORM) is pleased to announce that drilling has commenced at Top Camp, located 40 kilometres south of Cloncurry.

Top Camp is situated 45 kilometres to the south from the Rocklands copper discovery owned by CuDeco Limited (ASX-CDU) and its geological sequence is similar to other copper discoveries in the region. Known mineralisation at Top Camp is typically of the iron oxide-copper-cobalt-gold type.

Alluvial gold and copper-gold prospects have previously been mined within Top Camp's four square kilometres of mining leases. These occurrences seem to be related to significant magnetic anomalies which are the targets of this drilling campaign.

Eight RC drill holes are planned, each to a depth of approximately 200 metres however the rig is capable of drilling to 350 metres if encouraging mineralisation is intersected.

The drilling is expected to be completed in approximately 10 days.

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Further information on Orion Metals Ltd. and the "Top Camp" project can be found at;  
<http://www.orionmetals.com.au/projects.htm>