

NexGen Announces New Significant High Grade Assay Results at Patterson Corridor East

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Vancouver, November 12, 2025 - [NexGen Energy Ltd.](#) (TSX: NXE) (NYSE: NXE) (ASX: NXG) ("NexGen" or the "Company") is excited to announce significant geochemical assay results from NexGen's 100%-owned Patterson Corridor East ("PCE") discovery.

- Drillhole RK-25-254 returned 10.5 meters ("m") at 11.3% U_3O_8 including 4.0m at 29.4% U_3O_8 and 0.5m at 56.2% U_3O_8 (Figures 1 and 2, Table 1). Notably, mineralization in RK-25-254 is 55m up dip from hole RK-25-232 which intersected 15.0m at 15.9% U_3O_8 including 3.0m at 47.8% U_3O_8 , 1.5m at 29.4% U_3O_8 and an intercept of 0.5m at 68.8% U_3O_8 (see May 27, 2025 news release).
- Drillhole RK-25-244, 19m down dip of RK-25-232, returned equally strong results, 17.0m at 7.6% U_3O_8 including 6.0m at 21.1% U_3O_8 and 0.5m at 58.1% U_3O_8 (Figures 1 and 3, Table 1).

Additional assay results contained in this release, confirm strong continuity of the high-grade subdomain (Figure 1, Table 1) over 330m in vertical extent from RK-25-246 to RK-25-231. Further, RK-25-231 (8.0m at 1.4% U_3O_8) and -241 (8.5m at 1.3% U_3O_8) demonstrate the continuity of the subdomain and add breadth while indicating extended high-grade potential. A secondary high-grade subdomain is currently interpreted from results in RK-25-234, with 0.5m at 8.3% U_3O_8 that lies along a potential new high-grade shoot.

Note, additional assay results from drillhole RK-25-256, which intersected intense high-grade mineralization 128m down dip of RK-25-232 and 179m from RK-25-254, are pending and will be released with further assays as they are received back from the independent lab.

PCE drilling has delivered significant advancements of a discovery that is characteristic of the southwest Athabasca Basin district, of which NexGen holds a 190,000 hectare land package. This setting has an identical technical advantage as the nearby Arrow deposit, 3.5 kilometers ("km") west of PCE, as mineralization is fully hosted in competent basement rock with dimensions that are expanding rapidly since initial discovery in February 2024. The overall mineralized footprint is currently defined as 600m along strike and 600m of vertical extent, with a high-grade subdomain of 210m in strike and 335m in vertical extent.

Leigh Curyer, Chief Executive Officer, commented: "Today's assay results from PCE represent further validation of this new discovery. The PCE discovery and drilling program is the same bold, wide spaced, safe and cost effective approach that defined the world class Arrow deposit and is delivering results of the same calibre. It's so exciting to be in the midst of another significant discovery."

From our world-class Arrow deposit in its final stages of Federal approvals, to PCE growing into an additional project on its own merits 3.5km east of Arrow, the NexGen team continues to deliver unparalleled and increasing leverage to the world uranium market for the coming decades. NexGen is ideally positioned for North America's critical mineral and energy security strategy, while exemplifying elite standards in environmental performance and social engagement."

Jason Craven, Vice President, Exploration, commented: "NexGen has executed with a systematic and impactful approach to advance PCE since discovery in February 2024. Importantly, not only are we seeing world-class uranium grades over significant widths, but also the continuity of that mineralization is incredibly strong. The repeatability of consistent high-grade results at PCE, with so much untested area remaining highlights the significant potential for continued expansion."

After more than 20 years exploring for uranium in the Basin, I never imagined I'd get the chance to work on a project like Arrow - something that was thought to be impossible prior to NexGen. To now find ourselves at the early stages of another discovery with similar characteristics and growing potential is both remarkable

and deeply humbling."

Figure 1: Interpreted PCE long section (as of last release on August 28, 2025) with notable assays collected since discovery and new results outlined in red; view is a long section that looks perpendicular to the primary mineralized plane; total mineralized footprint in orange and the high-grade subdomains in red

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Figure 2: Core photo with assays from RK-25-254, grades are shown as % U₃O₈

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Figure 3: Core photo with assays from RK-25-244, grades are shown as % U₃O₈

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Table 1: Assays received since July 29, 2025 news release

Drillhole	Azimuth	Dip	Total Depth (m)	SRC Geoanalytical Results			
				Unconformity Depth (m) (Cutoff 0.01%)		From (m)	To (m)
Hole ID						Assays Pending*	Width (m) U ₃ O ₈ (wt%)
RK-25-229	350	-70	681.4	113.2		Assays Pending*	
RK-25-230	330	-70	598	112.5		Assays Pending*	
RK-25-231	329	-69.5	885	102.7		677	677.5 0.5 0.03
						683	685.5 2.5 0.07
						686	687 1 0.12
						687.5	688.5 1 1.16
						689	690.5 1.5 0.16
						692.5	700.5 8 1.42
				incl.		694	699 5 2.12
						701	702 1 0.02
						706.5	710.5 4 0.57
				incl.		706.5	707 0.5 1.24
						708	709 1 1.53
						712	712.5 0.5 0.02
						713	714 1 0.03
						716	717 1 0.20
						725.5	726 0.5 0.26
						729.5	730.5 1 0.05
						731.5	732.5 1 0.08
						734	734.5 0.5 0.19
						768.5	769 0.5 0.01
						769.5	770 0.5 0.02
						772	772.5 0.5 0.15
						775	776.5 1.5 0.02
						780.5	781.5 1 0.62
				incl.		780.5	781 0.5 1.07
						791	792 1 0.04
						792.5	794.5 2 0.42
RK-25-233	330	-70	694	109.7		Assays Pending*	
RK-25-234	330	-70	747	113		672	673.5 1.5 0.04

					675	675.5	0.5	0.01
					677	678.5	1.5	0.02
					687	688.5	1.5	3.02
				incl.	687.5	688	0.5	8.33
RK-25-235	270	-70	858	105.5		Assays Pending		
RK-25-236	267	-65	541	129		Assays Pending*		
RK-25-237	340	-70	816	104.6		No Significant Intersections		
RK-25-238a	279	-67	165	123.4		No Significant Intersections		
RK-25-239	278	-68	594	123.4		Assays Pending*		
RK-25-240	270	-70	893	106.1		Assays Pending*		
RK-25-241	320	-71	534	117.2		396	396.5	0.5
				incl.	413.5	419.5	6	0.31
					418	418.5	0.5	1.12
					424	424.5	0.5	0.13
					425	426	1	0.06
					427.5	428	0.5	0.01
					428.5	429.5	1	0.02
					430.5	431	0.5	0.01
					432	432.5	0.5	0.02
					434	439.5	5.5	0.04
					440	440.5	0.5	0.06
					444	444.5	0.5	0.09
					448.5	457	8.5	1.27
				incl.	449	450.5	1.5	5.79
				incl.	449.0	449.5	0.5	10.2
					462.5	465.5	3	0.07
					466	466.5	0.5	0.02
					467	467.5	0.5	0.04
					468	468.5	0.5	0.01
					469.5	470	0.5	0.01
					495	495.5	0.5	0.01
					496	496.5	0.5	0.02
					497.5	498.5	1	0.05
					501	501.5	0.5	0.10
					503	503.5	0.5	0.07
RK-25-242	270	-70	555	124.5		No Significant Intersections		
RK-25-243	276	-66	579	126.8		Assays Pending*		
RK-25-244	330	-70	586.6	112.4		410	411	1
				incl.	412	413.5	1.5	0.31
					414	415.5	1.5	0.02
					421	425	4	0.06
					428	429	1	0.18
					430	430.5	0.5	0.03
					434	434.5	0.5	0.01
					445.5	446	0.5	0.01
					453.5	456	2.5	0.03
					456.5	460	3.5	0.04
					462	479	17	7.63
				incl.	472	478	6	21.1
				incl.	475.5	476	0.5	58.1
					480	483.5	3.5	0.76
				incl.	481.5	482	0.5	4.22
					489.5	491	1.5	0.05
					492	492.5	0.5	0.01
					497	498	1	0.03
					499	499.5	0.5	0.02
					510	511	1	0.12
					528	531.5	3.5	0.64

RK-25-245	330	-70	744.0	incl.	529	530	1	1.38
				111.5	693	694	1	0.01
					695	696.5	1.5	0.04
					707	707.5	0.5	0.09
					724	724.5	0.5	0.25
					725	725.5	0.5	0.03
RK-25-246	270	-70	525.0	124.5	332	332.5	0.5	0.02
					333	334	1	0.02
					337	344	7	0.08
					367	370	3	0.01
				incl.	375.5	397.5	22	0.38
					379.5	385	5.5	1.06
					398	401	3	0.09
					402	405.5	3.5	0.20
					423	426	3	0.03
					444.5	447	2.5	0.02
					447.5	448.5	1	0.02
					450.5	451	0.5	0.02
					451.5	452	0.5	0.01
					453	453.5	0.5	0.02
					456.5	457	0.5	0.01
					458	458.5	0.5	0.03
					460.5	462	1.5	0.13
					479	480	1	0.14
					488.5	489.5	1	0.04
RK-25-247	330	-70	738.0	114.4	Assays Pending*			
RK-25-248	283	-69	501.0	123.3	Assays Pending			
RK-25-249	340	-70	681.0	106.1	Assays Pending*			
RK-25-250	308	-70	726.0	114.8	Assays Pending*			
RK-25-251	302	-69	576.3	119.6	Assays Pending*			
RK-25-252	275	-68	663.0	120.8	Assays Pending*			
RK-25-253	340	-70	657.0	116.8	No Significant Intersections			
RK-25-254	275	-65	582.0	128.0	404.5	405.5	1	0.02
					406	406.5	0.5	0.02
					407	407.5	0.5	0.01
					408.5	409	0.5	0.02
					409.5	410	0.5	0.02
					410.5	411	0.5	0.02
					418.5	419.5	1	0.03
					430	430.5	0.5	0.02
					433	433.5	0.5	0.01
					434.5	435	0.5	0.02
					435.5	436	0.5	0.01
					437	437.5	0.5	0.02
					438	440	2	0.02
					440.5	441	0.5	0.01
					442	443.5	1.5	0.01
					444	444.5	0.5	0.02
					445.5	446	0.5	0.02
					447	447.5	0.5	0.01
					449	459.5	10.5	11.3
				incl.	454	458	4	29.4
				incl.	456.5	457	0.5	56.2
					462	463	1	0.04
					463.5	464	0.5	0.01
					475.5	477	1.5	0.01
					478.5	479	0.5	0.02
					480	481.5	1.5	0.03

			483	485	2	0.13
			485.5	487	1.5	0.05
			488	488.5	0.5	0.09
			489	491.5	2.5	0.04
			505	507.5	2.5	0.14
			509	509.5	0.5	0.01
			522	522.5	0.5	0.14
			536.5	538.5	2	0.25
			541.5	542	0.5	0.33
RK-25-254c1	275	-65	564.0	N/A	Assays Pending*	
RK-25-254c2	275	-65	553.5	-	Assays Pending*	
RK-25-255	4	-70	950.4	112.7	Assays Pending*	
RK-25-256	292	-65.5	696.0	116.9	Assays Pending*	

- All depths and intervals are meters downhole, true thicknesses are yet to be determined.
- Unconformity of 'N/A' denotes a lack of visible contact between Athabasca sandstone and basement rock.
- Maximum internal dilution 2.0 m downhole.
- Minimum thickness of 0.5 m downhole.
- Cutoff grade 0.01% U₃O₈.
- All depths and intervals are metres downhole, true thicknesses are yet to be determined. Resource modelling in conjunction with an updated mineral resource estimate is required before true thicknesses can be determined.
- * Denotes results that correlate to high-grade levels of radioactivity (>10,000 cps)

About NexGen

NexGen Energy is a Canadian company focused on delivering clean energy fuel for the future. The Company's flagship Rook I Project is being optimally developed into the largest low-cost producing uranium mine globally, incorporating the most elite environmental and social governance standards. The Rook I Project is supported by an N.I. 43-101 compliant Feasibility Study, which outlines the elite environmental performance and industry-leading economics. NexGen is led by a team of experienced uranium and mining industry professionals with expertise across the entire mining life cycle, including exploration, financing, project engineering and construction, operations and closure. NexGen is leveraging its proven experience to deliver a Project that leads the entire mining industry socially, technically and environmentally. The Project and prospective portfolio in northern Saskatchewan will provide generational, long-term economic, environmental, and social benefits for Saskatchewan, Canada, and the world.

NexGen is listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange, the New York Stock Exchange under the ticker symbol "NXE," and on the Australian Securities Exchange under the ticker symbol "NXG," providing access to global investors to participate in NexGen's mission of solving three major global challenges in decarbonization, energy security and access to power. The Company is headquartered in Vancouver, British Columbia, with its primary operations office in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan.

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All technical information in this news release has been reviewed and approved by Jason Craven, NexGen's Vice President, Exploration, a qualified person under National Instrument 43-101.

Natural gamma radiation in drill core reported in this news release was measured in counts per second (cps) using a Radiation Solutions Inc. RS-125 gamma spectrometer. The reader is cautioned that total count gamma readings may not be directly or uniformly related to uranium grades of the rock sample measured; they should be used only as a preliminary indication of the presence of radioactive minerals.

A technical report in respect of the FS is filed on SEDAR (www.sedar.com) and EDGAR (www.sec.gov/edgar.shtml) and is available for review on NexGen Energy's website (www.nexgenenergy.ca).

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