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STEPPE GOLD ATO PHASE 2 PROJECT

FEASIBILITY STUDY RESULTS

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FS HIGHLIGHTS AND BASIS OF PREPARATION

- ✓ The Feasibility Study covers the ATO Gold Mine with a 12.5 year remaining mine life, with an assumed start date of January 1, 2022.
- ✓ It is based on the revised reserve calculations incorporating 26.4mt at Au Eq grade of 1.86g/t, effective as of June 30, 2021 . Mungu remains a promising deposit and the Company plans to more exploration work in 2022.
- ✓ Incorporates 2 full years of oxide production totaling around 100,000 oz, with demonstrable upside from recent grade sampling and drilling.
- ✓ Fresh rock phase of 10.5 years with 23.5mt at Au Eq grade of 1.93g/t, showing very robust economics based on conservative payability. Management expects to improve on payability % given competitive environment from traders and smelters.
- ✓ High net gold recovery from flotation (79%) before penalties and TC/RCs, means that the Company can still recover further gold from tails via CIP in later years. Total Gross Revenue of \$1.72 Bn and EBITDA of \$584m.
- ✓ Rapid payback of capital (3 years) after tax basis, conservative price deck, Site AISC of \$853/oz (including TC/RC) and annual Au eq of 106,080 oz (gross) in first 5 years, with multiple options available for optimizing and reserve expansion.
- ✓ Robust economics from project derives from proven low-cost track record on capex and operations - ATO is already a producing gold mine with much of the infrastructure.

NEAR TERM CATALYSTS AND OPTIMIZATION



Planned resumption of oxide production in Q1 2022 and expected production of 60k oz in 2022 at AISC of \$639/oz.



Fixed crusher for fresh rock phase will be operational by Q1 2022, supporting both the fresh rock expansion and accelerated stacking through 2023.



Advanced discussions with lenders and construction schedule provide comfort around first anticipated fresh rock production in Q4 2023.



Continued drilling and interpretation of the March 2021 resource estimate support material expansion of the mine life and production schedule.



NON-IFRS MEASURES

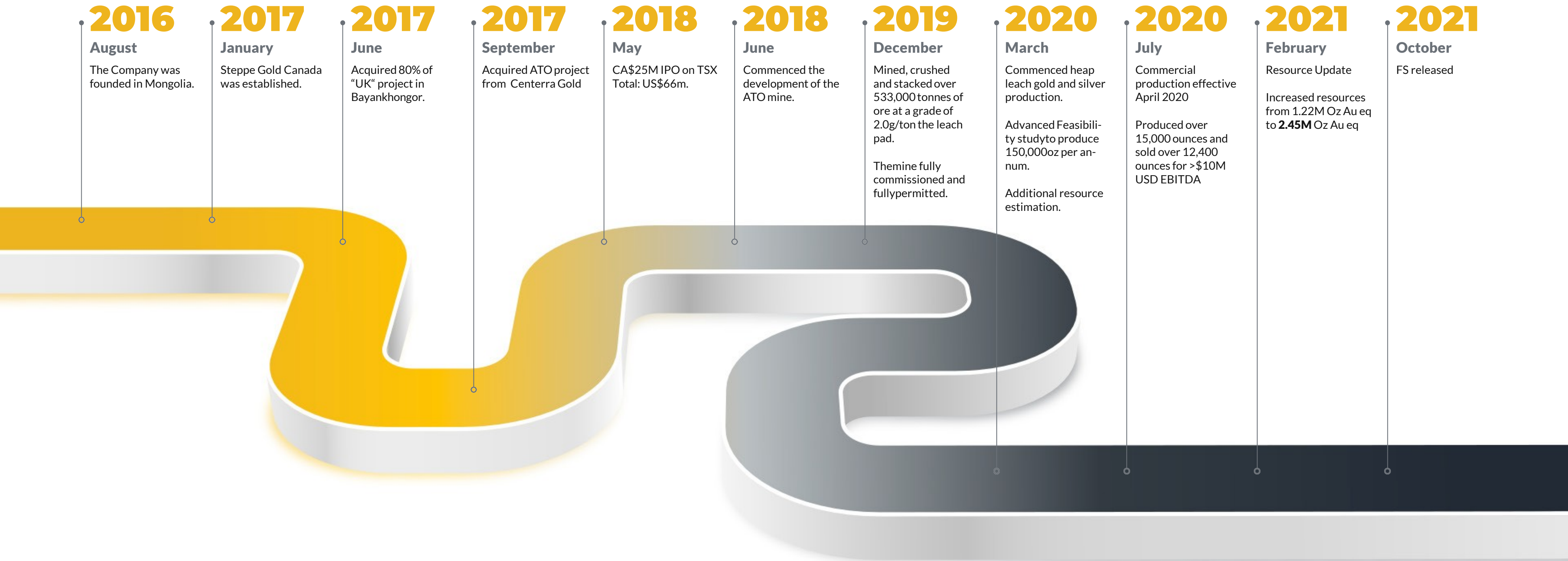
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Non-IFRS Performance Measurement: Earnings before interest, taxation, depreciation and amortization (“EBITDA”) and all-in sustaining cost (AISC) are non-IFRS performance measurements. C1 cash costs and AISC are included because these statistics are widely accepted as the standard of reporting cash costs of production in North America. These performance measurements do not have a meaning within IFRS and, therefore, amounts presented may not be comparable to similar data presented by other mining companies. These performance measurements should not be considered in isolation as a substitute for measures of performance in accordance with IFRS.

NOTES

1. Mineral Reserves estimate was based on Measured and Indicated Resource Estimate by R. Rankin, QP and effective March 30, 2021ATO and Mungu Mineral Reserves are effective as of June 30, 2021
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3. Mineral Reserves are included in Mineral Resources
4. Mineral Reserves are reported in accordance with CIM and NI 43-101 guidelines
5. Ore dilution is 3% and ore loss is 2%
6. Contained metal estimates have not been adjusted for metallurgical recoveries
7. The open pit mineral reserves are estimated using a cut-off grade of 0.42 g/t AuEq for oxide material and 0.45 g/t AuEq for transition and fresh material
8. Mineral Reserves are contained within an optimised pit shell based on a gold price of \$1,610 USD per ounce
9. A conversion factor of 31.103477 grams per troy ounce and a conversion factor of 453.59237 grams per pound are used in the resource and reserves estimates
10. AuEq has been calculated using the following metal prices: \$1,610/oz gold, \$21/oz silver, \$1,970/t lead, \$2,515/t zinc
11. Oxide AuEq calculation: $AUEQ_{(g/t)} = Au_{(g/t)} + \frac{Ag_{(g/t)} \times 21 \times 0.4}{1,610 \times 0.7}$
12. Transition and fresh AuEq calculation: $AuEq_{(g/t)} = Au_{(g/t)} + \frac{Ag_{(g/t)} \times 21 \times 0.858}{1,610 \times 0.8} + \frac{Pb_{(g/t)} \times 1,970 \times 0.88}{1,610 \times 0.8} + \frac{Zn_{(g/t)} \times 2,515 \times 0.88}{1,610 \times 0.8}$
13. Totals may not match due to rounding
14. The Mineral Reserves are stated as dry tonnes processed at the crusher
15. The QP is not aware of any environmental, permitting, legal, title, taxation, socio-economic, marketing, political, or other relevant factors that could materially impact the Mineral Reserves Estimate

COMPANY MILESTONES



KEY FINANCIAL METRICS

NPV
After-Tax

\$232M

IRR
After-Tax

67%

Site AISC

\$853/oz

EBITDA

\$584M

LoM Phase 1 & 2 = 12.5 years

After-Tax

**3 years
Payback**

Capital Expenditure
Phase 2

\$128M

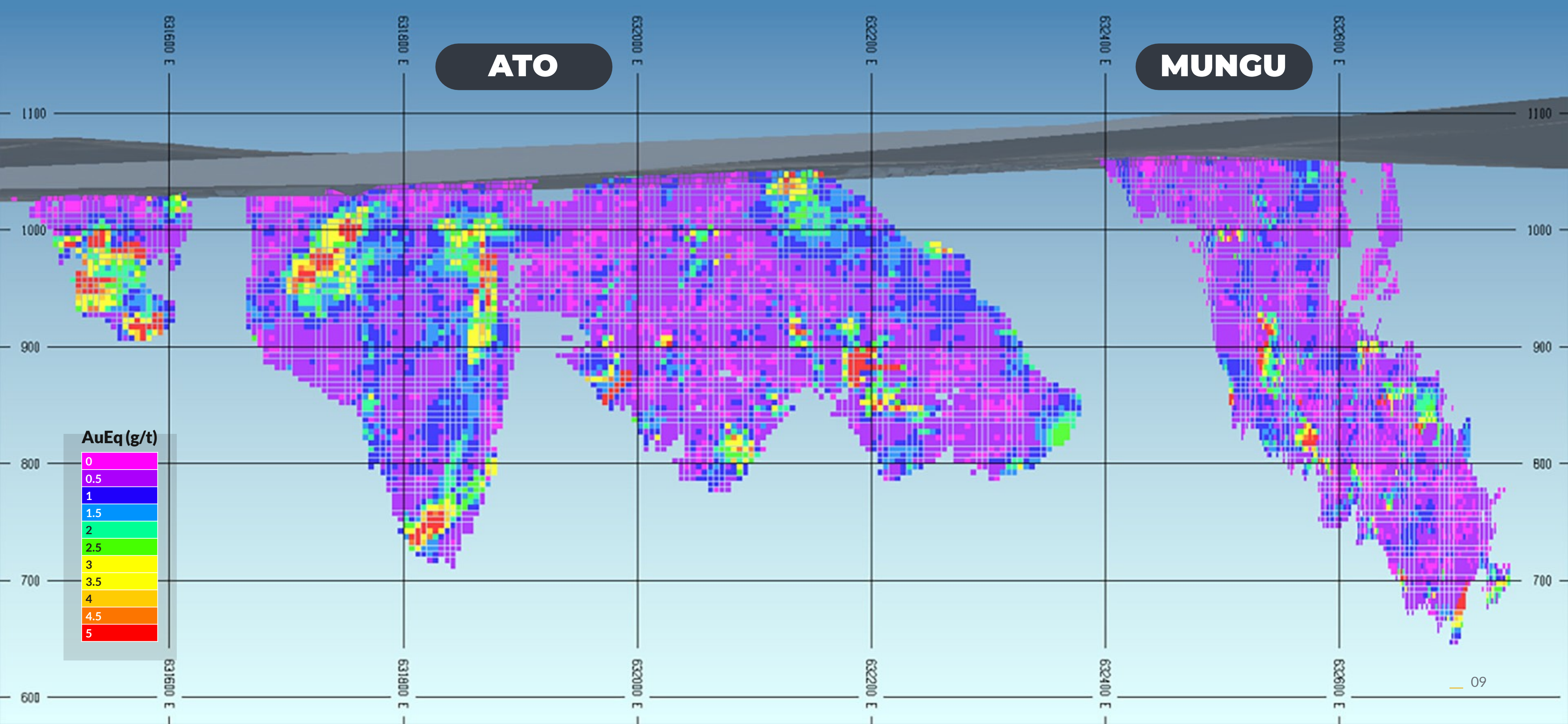
LoM Grades

Lead, 0.46%
Zinc, 0.78%
Gold, 1.14 g/t
Silver, 11.18 g/t

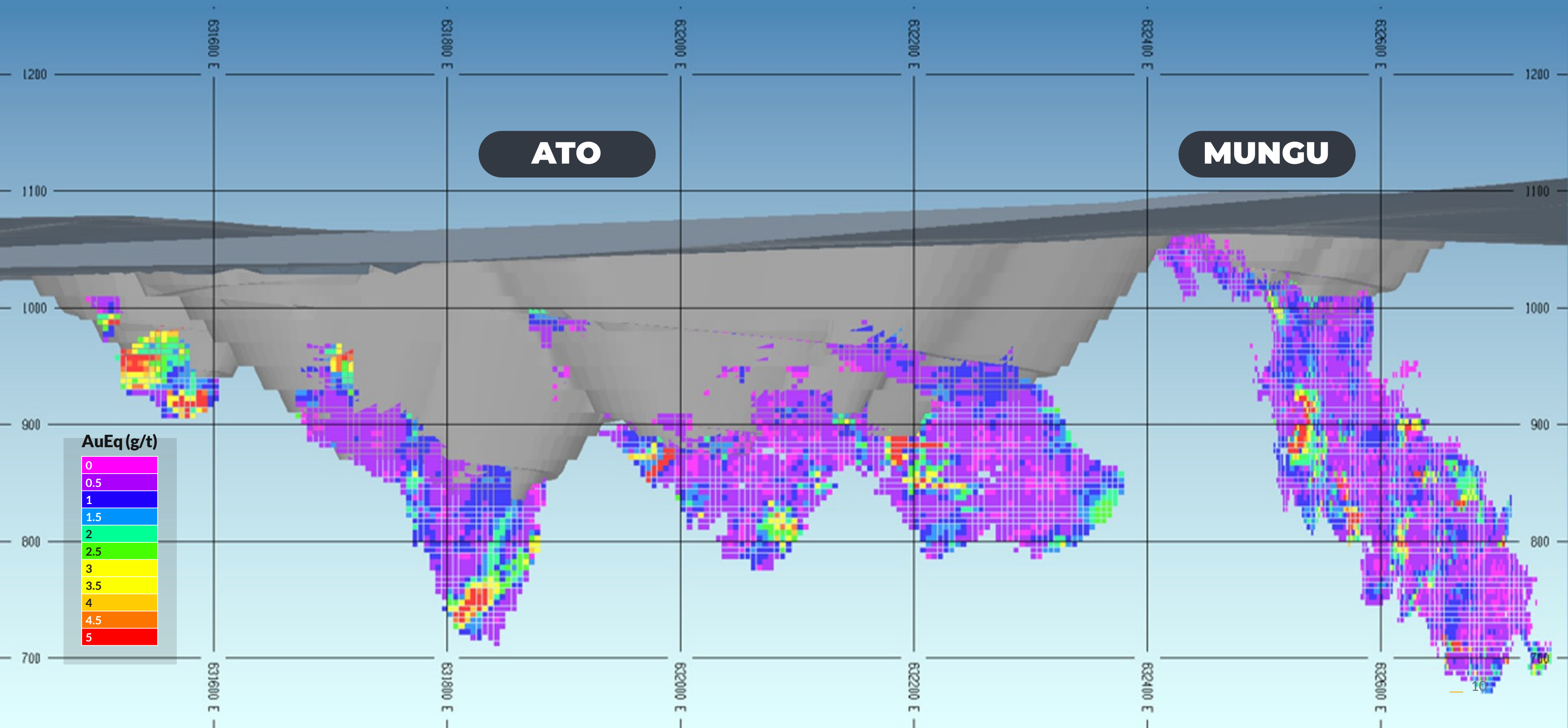
Total Gross
Revenue

\$1.72 Bn

ATO AND MUNGU DEPOSITS



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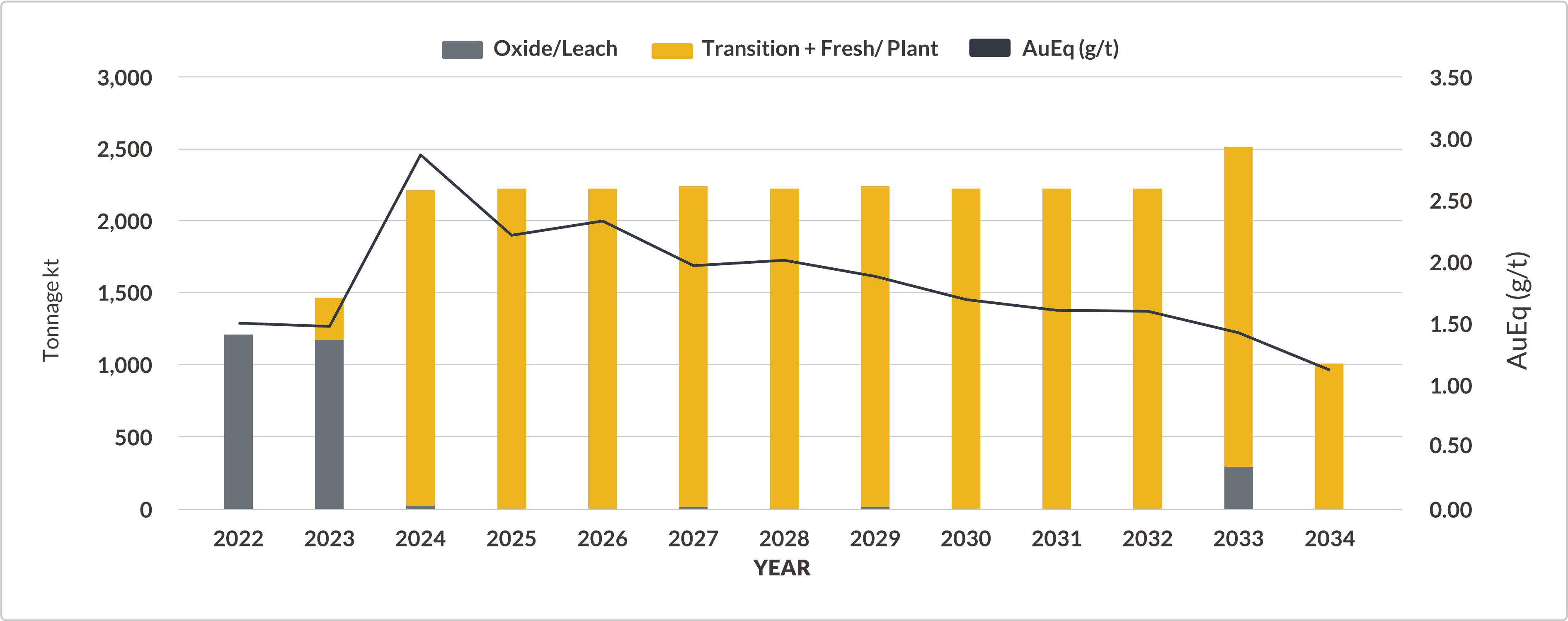
ATO AND MUNGU DEPOSITS RESERVES

Category	Material	Ore	GRADES					CONTAINED METAL		
			AuEq	Au	Ag	Pb	Zn	Au	Ag	AuEq
		(kt)	(g/t)	(g/t)	(g/t)	(%)	(%)	(koz)	(koz)	(k oz)
Combined (ATO & Mungu)										
Proven	Oxide	1,618	1.54	1.45	12.81	0.54	0.4	75	666	80
	Transition & Fresh	13,277	2.10	1.26	8.58	0.53	0.94	536	3,657	897
Probable	Oxide	1,324	1.16	1.01	19.45	0.26	0.2	43	828	49
	Transition & Fresh	10,186	1.69	0.98	13.79	0.37	0.69	316	4,344	550
Proven & Probable	Oxide	2,942	1.37	1.25	15.8	0.41	0.31	118	1,494	130
	Transition & Fresh	23,462	1.93	1.14	10.78	0.46	0.84	849	8,002	1,448
Total		26,404						968	9,491	1,579
Average			1.86	1.14	11.18	0.46	0.78			

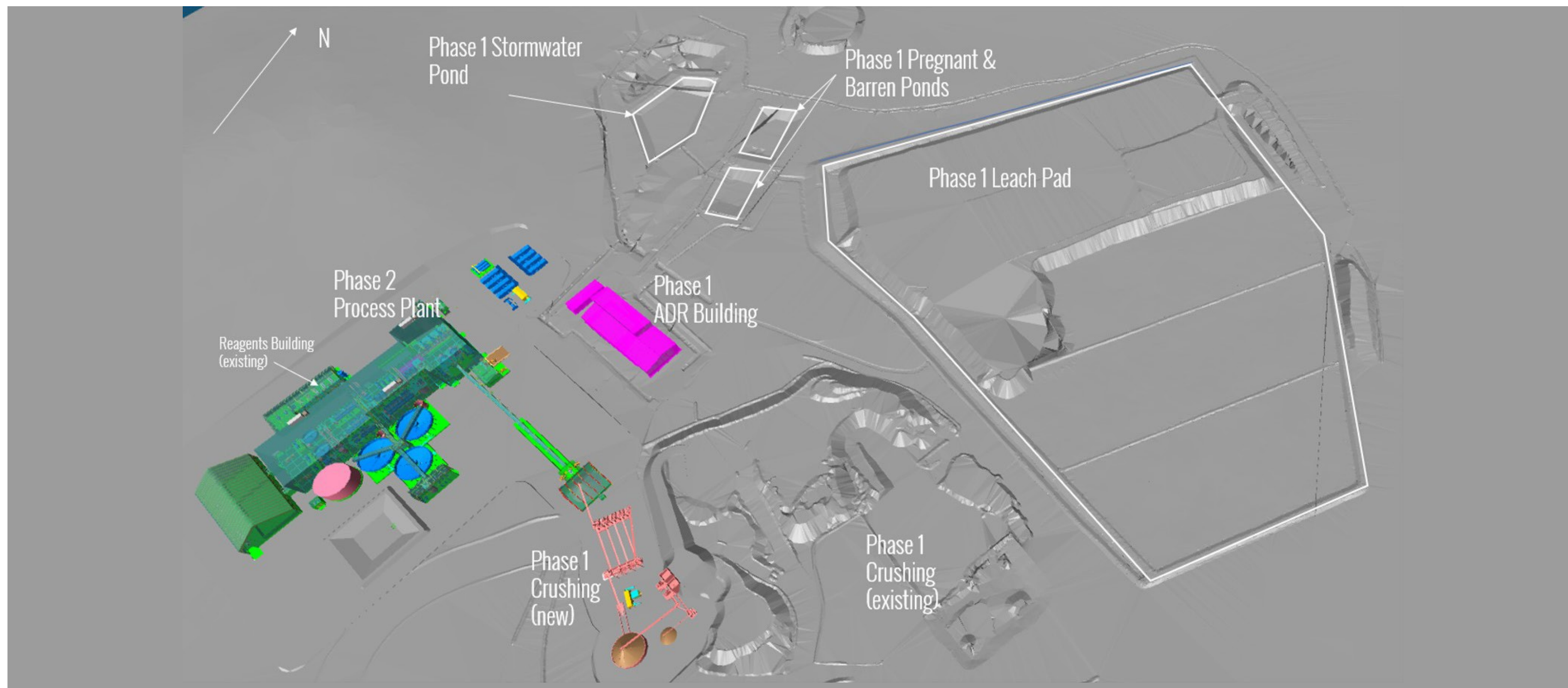
Refer to the Mineral Reserve notes in the Non-IFRS Measures disclaimer
See Appendix for Reconciliation between Resources & Reserves

EXPECTED PRODUCTION SCHEDULE

Material at Plant/Leach Pad

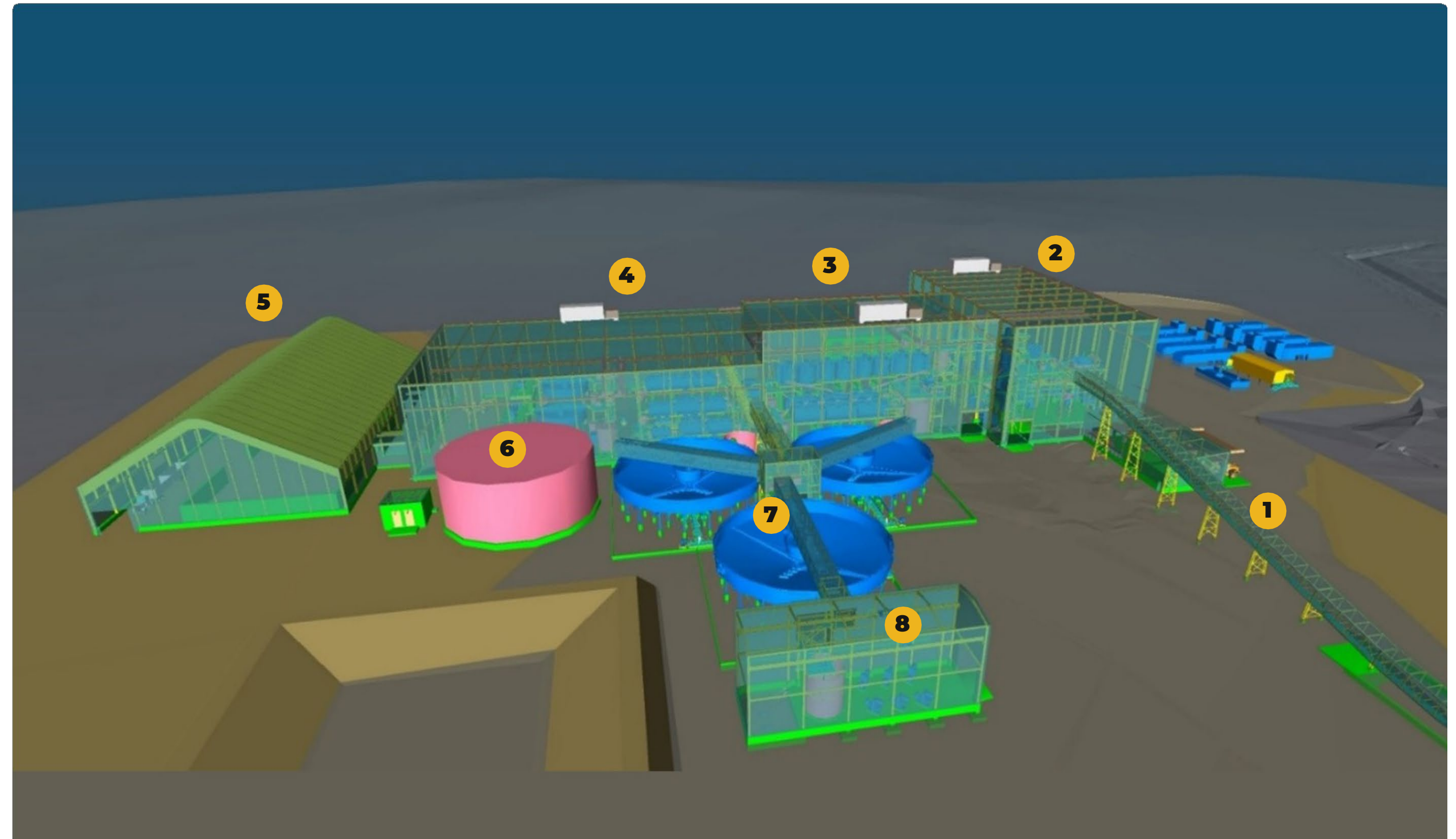


SITE PLAN



PROCESS PLANT - MAJOR BUILDINGS

- 1 Mill feed conveyor
- 2 Milling and regrind area
- 3 Rougher flotation area
- 4 Cleaner flotation, concentrate thickening and filtration area
- 5 Concentrate loadout area
- 6 Combined water tank
- 7 Tailings thickening area
- 8 Final Tailings pumping area



ANTICIPATED CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE - PHASE 2

	2022				2023			
Project Milestone	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Plant Terrace Construction Start	X							
Fixed Crusher Operational	X							
Building Drawings Complete	X							
Process Building Complete				X				
Primary Mill SMPP Installation Complete							X	
Commissioned & Closed Out								X
1st Concentrate Produced								X

CAPEX PHASE 2

MAJOR AREA	TOTAL INSTALLED COST (TIC)
Mining - Open Pit	\$ 1,871,000
Processing Plant	\$ 75,185,000
Tailings/ Reclaim & Water Treatment Facilities	\$ 13,485,000
Power Plant & Distribution	\$ 1,702,000
Indirect Costs	\$ 23,130,000
Owner's Costs	\$ 1,150,000
Project Contingency	\$ 11,477,000
Grand Total (\$USD)	\$ 128,000,000

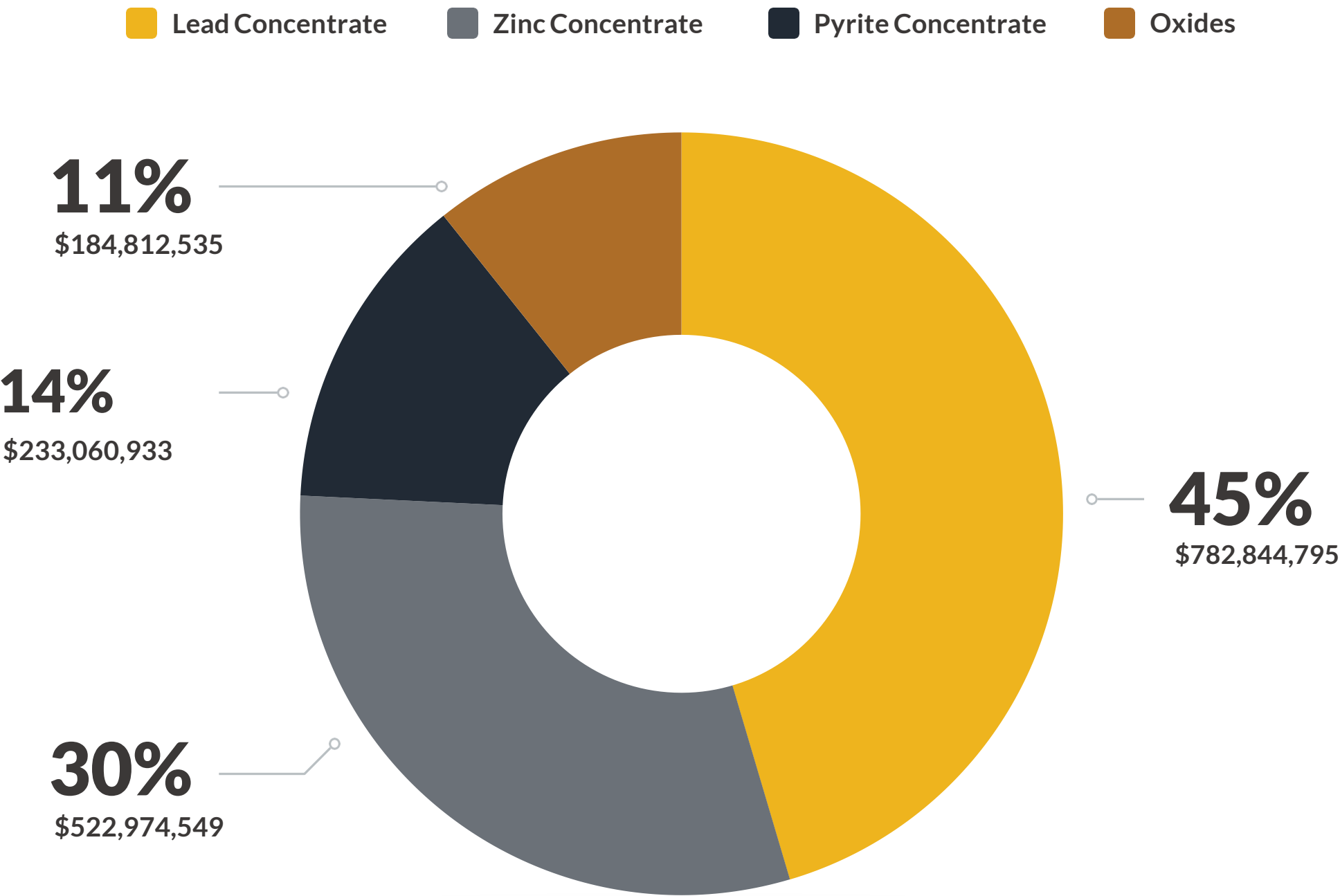
Category totals rounded
Refer to Basis of Estimate for assumptions/sources

OPEX PHASE 1 & 2

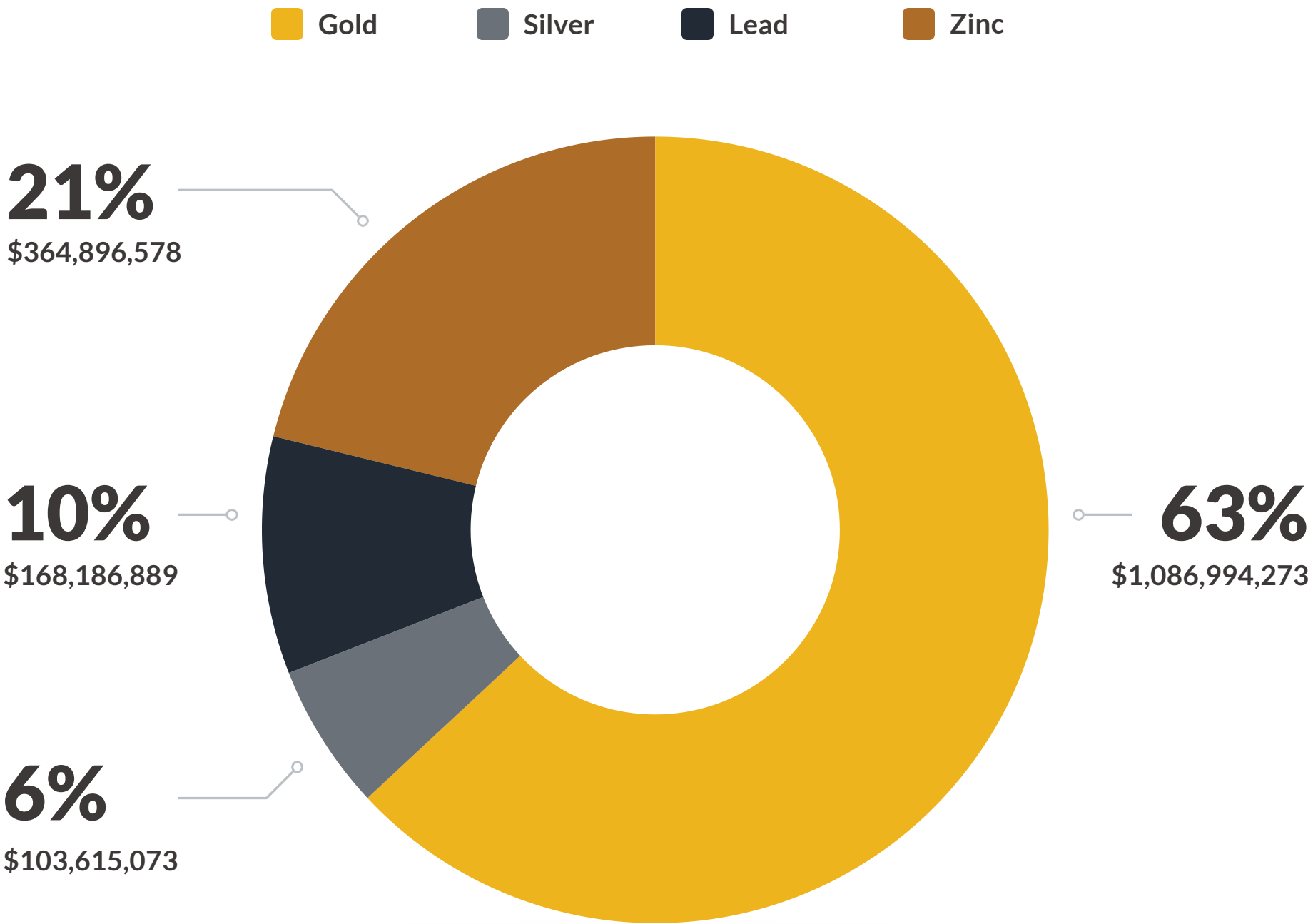
DESCRIPTION	COST /\$ TONNE OF ORE
Mining	\$ 6.97
Process	\$ 13.17
General & Administration	\$ 5.51
Total ¹	\$ 25.64
1. Figures may not add due to rounding	
2. Accuracy of +30%/-15%	
3. Exclusions include, but are not limited to VAT, project financing & interest charges	

GROSS REVENUE COMPONENTS

Gross Revenue Concentrates & Oxides LOM



Gross Revenue Metals LOM



GROSS AND NET REVENUE

Gross Revenue = Net Revenue + Transport Cost + Treatment Charges

