

# The Leading Precious Metals Royalty Company

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# Why Royal Gold?

- Lower risk gold investment
- Growth potential
- Strong financial performance





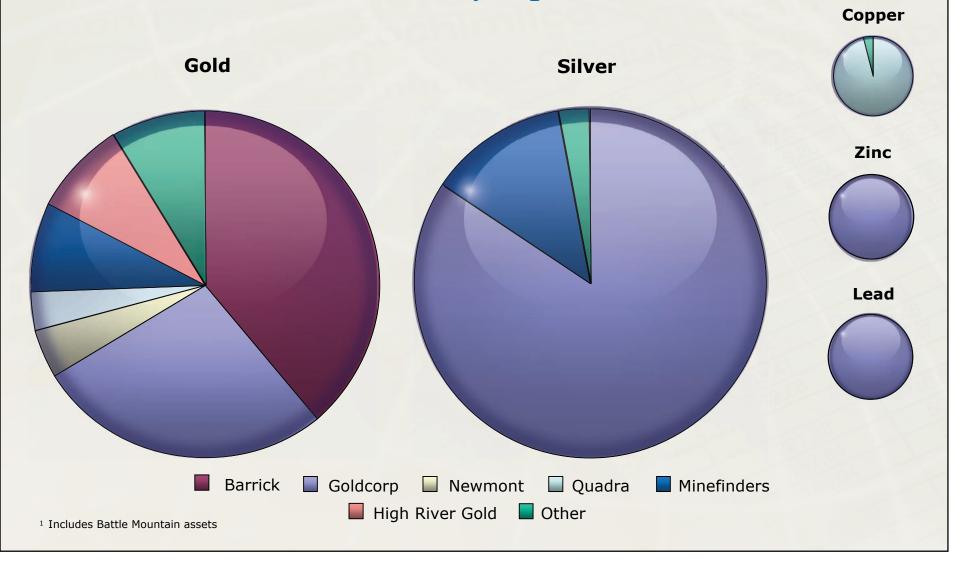
#### Diversified Portfolio<sup>1</sup>



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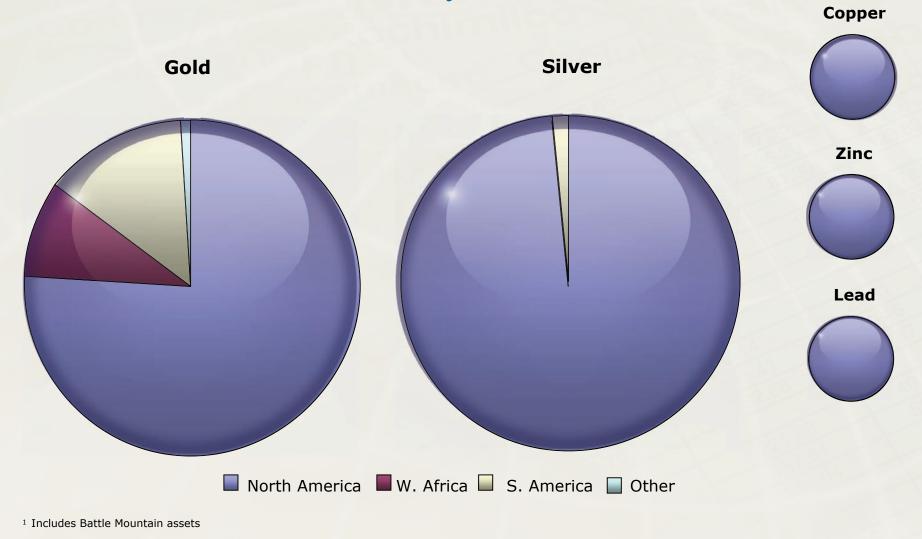


# Distribution of Reserves by Operator<sup>1</sup>





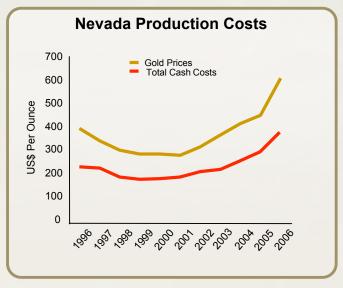
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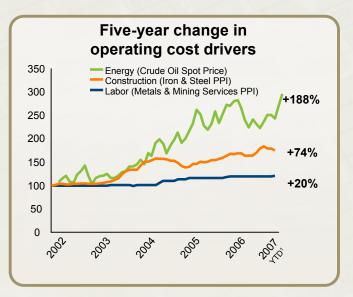


#### Cost Structure

- Insulated from increased operating costs
- No capital cost contributions required
- No environmental or closure costs incurred



Source: *Economic Overview of the Nevada Mining Industry 2006*, Dr. John L. Dobra

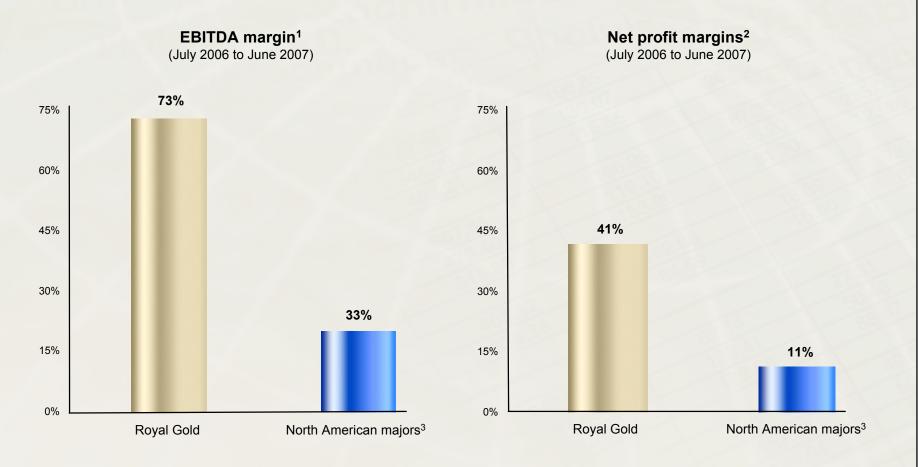


Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics, Bloomberg PPI = Producer Price Index 

¹ Through August 2007



# **High Margins**



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> EBITDA margin = EBITDA divided by revenue

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Net profit margin = net earnings from continuing operations divided by revenue

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Barrick, Newmont, Goldcorp. Calendar year data converted to fiscal year data



#### Assets in 2006





#### Assets in 2007<sup>1</sup>

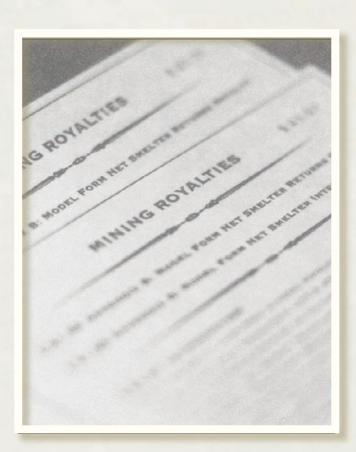


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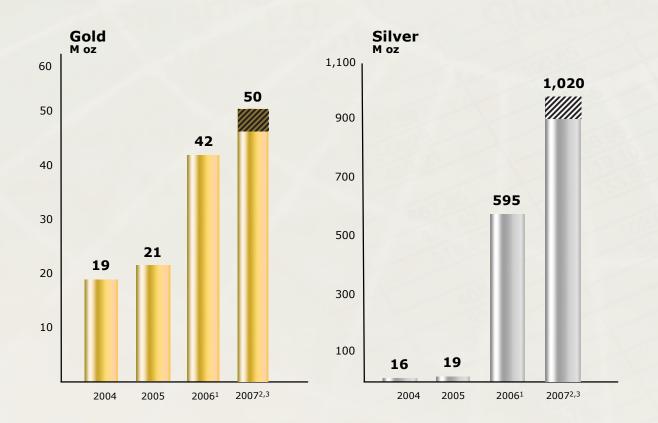
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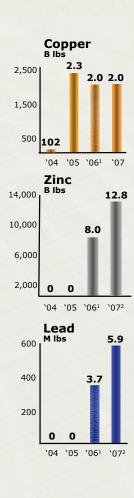
- Acquire existing royalties from individuals
  - Pascua-Lama, Cortez GSR-3, Bald Mountain
- Acquire existing royalties from companies
  - Peñasquito, Robinson, Mulatos
- Finance projects in exchange for royalty interests
  - Taparko, Troy, Martha
- Enter into exploration alliances
  - Kettukuusikko, Svetloye





#### Strong Growth In Reserves





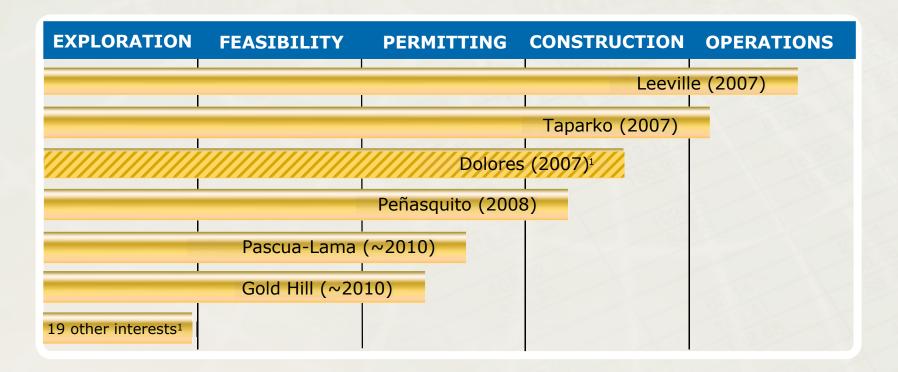
 $<sup>^{\</sup>scriptscriptstyle 1}$  Reserves subject to our royalty interests as of 12/31/06

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Reserves subject to our royalty interests as of 12/31/06, plus reserve additions at the Peñasquito project announced by the operator on 6/25/07

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Shaded areas represent reserves associated with Battle Mountain acquisition



# Strong Development Pipeline



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### Leeville (Nevada)

Operator: Newmont

► Royalty: 1.8% NSR

► Reserves¹: 2.3M oz Au

Production (Est.):

400K oz per year

337K oz CY 2007

Mining Rate:

2,100 TPD October 2006

3,200 TPD planned by November 2007

► FY07 Revenue: \$2.7M

Key Characteristics: Grade, infrastructure, exploration upside, ramping up





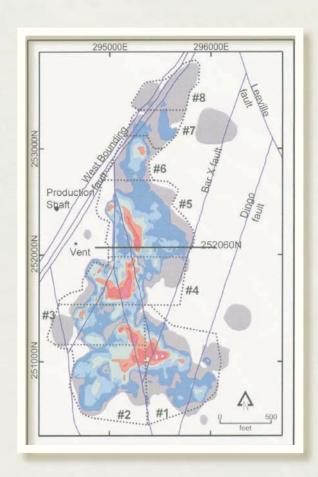
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Reserves at 12/31/06



#### Taparko (Burkina Faso)

Operator: High River Gold

Royalty:

• GSR1: 15.0% - initial royalty

■ GSR2: 0-10.0% initial royalty

(sliding-scale)

• GSR3: 2.0% - perpetual royalty

MR1: 0.75% - milling royalty

► Reserves¹: 0.8M oz Au

Production (Est.):

100-140K oz per year

• 35K oz CY 2007

► FY07 Revenue: Initial production began August 2007

 Key Characteristics: Royalty rate, ramping up, construction essentially complete





#### Dolores (Mexico)

Operator: Minefinders

Royalty: 3.25% NSR Au

2.0% NSR Ag

► Reserves¹: 2.45M oz Au

127.0M oz Ag

Production (Est.):

- Loading pad this fall
- Commercial production in 2008
- 120K oz Au per year²
- 4.43M oz Ag per year<sup>2</sup>
- Key Characteristics: Royalty rate, exploration and optimization potential, mine life



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Reserves as of operator's September 2006 reserve model

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Based on operator's February 2006 technical report



#### Peñasquito (Mexico)

Operator: Goldcorp

Royalty: 2.0% NSR

(all metals)

Reserves<sup>1</sup>: 13.1M oz Au, 864.0M Ag,

12.8B lbs Zn, 5.9B lbs Pb

Production:

Est. commencement 2008

Key Characteristics: Low cash costs, exploration upside



(Artist's rendering of mine site)



<sup>1</sup> Reserves as of 6/25/07

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Gold and gold equivalent production are calculated using data from the July 31, 2006 Glamis feasibility report and the Base Case commodity price assumptions: \$532.74/oz gold and \$8.84/oz silver



### Pascua-Lama (Chile)

Operator: Barrick

► Royalty¹: 0.16%-1.08% NSR

(sliding-scale)

► Reserves<sup>2</sup>: 13.6M oz Au

Production (Est.):

■ 750K-775K oz Au per year

Est. commencement in 2010

Key Characteristics: Mine life, exploration potential, economies of scale, low cost producer



<sup>1</sup> Royalty applies to Chilean reserves only which account for approximately 80% of total reserves

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Reserves at 12/31/2006; reserve and production numbers reported are subject to our royalty interests



## Gold Hill (Nevada)

► Operator: Kinross (50/50 joint

venture with Barrick)

► Royalty¹: 1.0%-2.0% NSR

(sliding-scale)

► Reserves<sup>2</sup>: 0.8M oz Au

Production:

■ Est. commencement ~ 2010

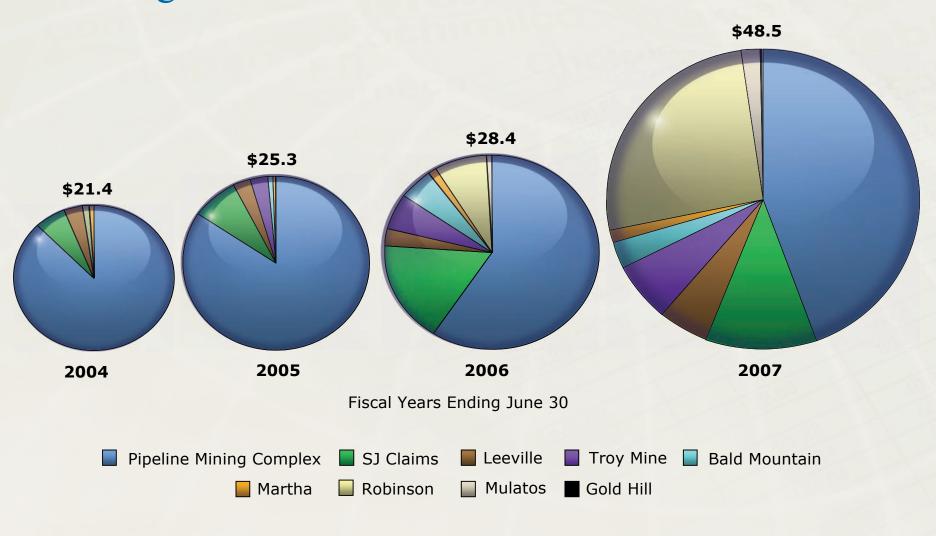


<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> RMGC has a \$10M buy-back right on the NSR royalty

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Barrick stated in a September 2006 presentation that, as of 12/31/05, there were 375,000 contained ounces in reserves attributable to its 50% interest



#### Growing Asset Base and Revenues





# Strong Track Record

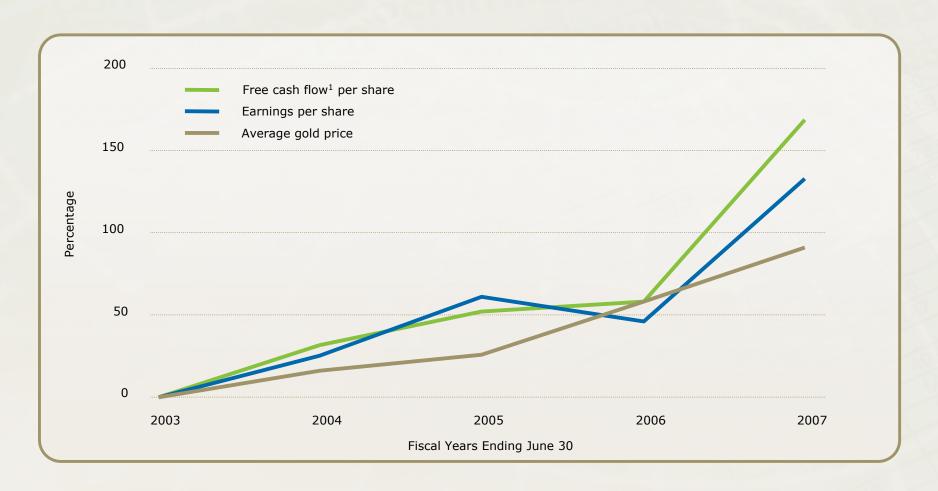


Source: Company data; fiscal years ended June 30

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## Growth in Leverage to Gold Price



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#### Dividends

Balance sheet (as of 9/20/07 as adjusted)

Cash on hand: \$91.5M

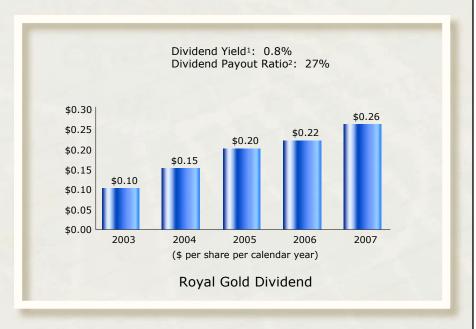
• Debt: \$0

Line of credit: \$71.4M

Shares outstanding: 28.9M

Insider Ownership: 14%

Stock symbol: NASDAQ:RGLD TSX:RGL



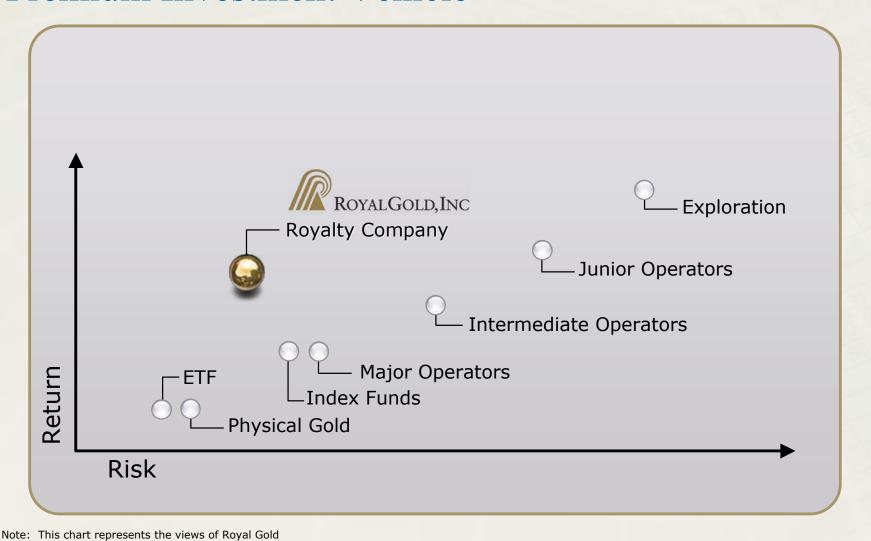
Source: Company data

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> CY2007 dividend divided by closing stock price of \$32.15 per share on 09/18/07

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Calculated as dividend per share divided by trailing twelve month cash flow from operations per share as of 06/30/07



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