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NICO Project Presentation **August 2019**



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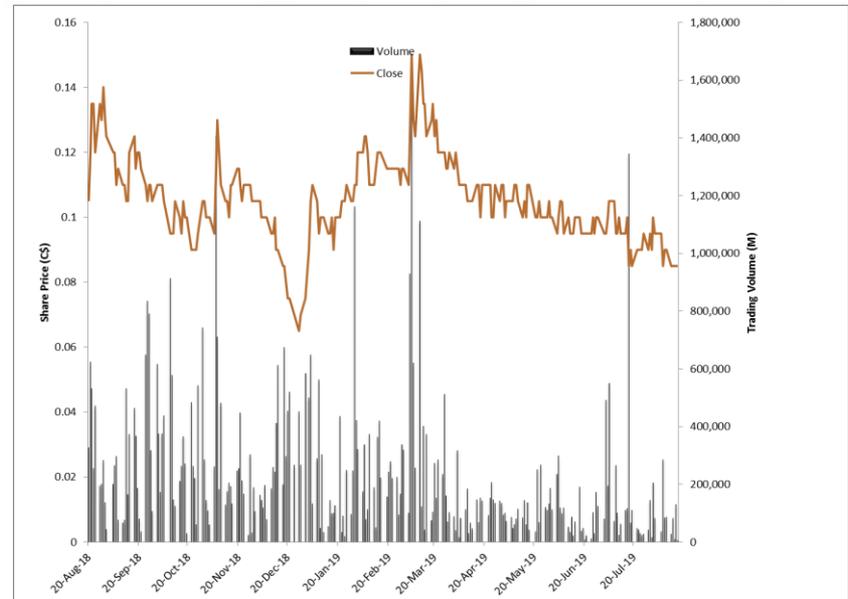
Corporate Information

Listings: TSX (Canada): FT
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Share Price	C\$0.09
Shares Out – Basic	347.3
Shares Out – Fully Diluted	432.9
Market Cap – Basic	C\$31
Cash & Equivalents (Q2 2019)	C\$2.7
Total Assets (Q2 2019)	C\$76.3

All amounts in M or CDN\$M except per share amounts

Share Performance



Analyst Coverage

Dealer	Date	Rating	Target
Siddharth Rajeev Fundamental Research Corp.	Jul 22, 2019	Buy	\$0.97
MacMurray Whale Cormark Securities Inc.	May 6, 2019	Buy (S)	\$0.40

Ownership

Directors, Officers & Insiders 15%

Corporate Overview

- 100% owned NICO cobalt-gold-bismuth-copper project
 - Satellite Sue-Dianne copper-silver-gold deposit
- > \$130 million invested to date by Fortune
- Canadian primary cobalt project in market of rising demand & supply chain concerns
- Vertically integrated development base case scenario
 - Produce cobalt & bismuth concentrates at mine for processing to cobalt sulphate, bismuth ingot & gold doré at Saskatchewan Refinery
- Sale of concentrate option
 - Sell gold doré, & cobalt & bismuth concentrates from mine site
- 33 Million Metric Tonne (t) 21-year Mineral Reserve
- Test mining & pilot plant validation of deposit & process
- Environmental Assessment (EA) approvals
- Positive 2012 FEED Engineering & 2014 Feasibility Study (FS)
- New FS Technical Report & Reserves at ~30% expanded project
- Proven management team with northern experience
- Advancing project financing with potential strategic partners

Arctos Anthracite Coal Deposit
British Columbia

NICO Cobalt-Gold-Bismuth-Copper Deposit
Northwest Territories

Sue-Diane Copper-Silver-Gold Deposit
Northwest Territories

Saskatchewan Metals Processing Plant
Saskatchewan

Head Office
London, Ontario

Energy & Eco Metals + Gold

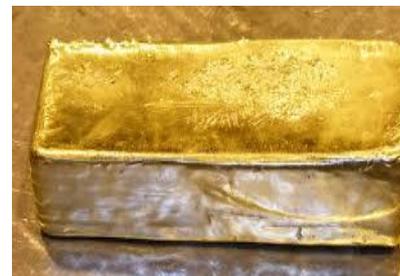
- Products for new technologies & growing green economy
- New Technical Report assessing ~30% mill throughput rate increase
 - ~2,000 t/yr of cobalt in battery grade cobalt sulphate 1st 5 years & ~1,850 t/yr average over mine life
- Lower Capital & Operating cost start-up options
 - Produce gold doré & cobalt & bismuth concentrates for sale from mine site
 - Cobalt carbonate intermediate produced at refinery instead of sulphate



Cobalt Sulphate



Cobalt Carbonate



Gold Doré



Bismuth Ingot



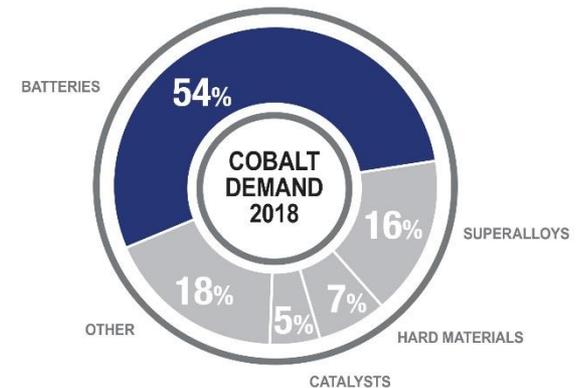
Bismuth Oxide



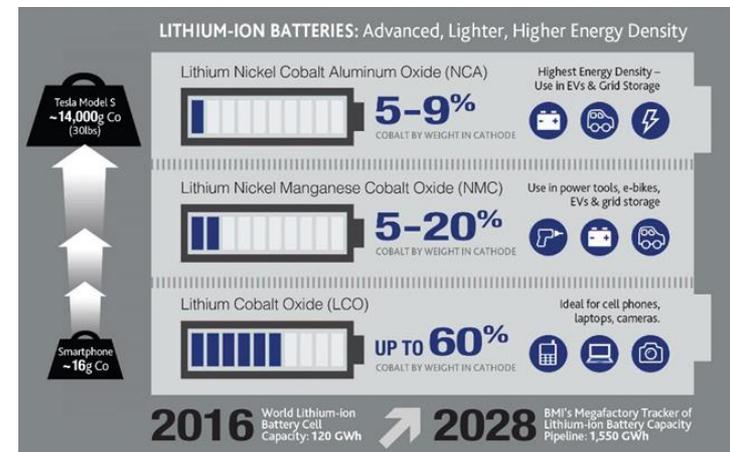
Copper Cement

Cobalt Macro: Strong Future

- Energy Metal with ~54% consumption in rechargeable batteries for portable electronic devices, electric vehicles (EV's) & energy stationary storage (ESS)
- Other uses in superalloys, magnets, hard metals, pigments, catalysts & agricultural / food additives
- 2018 mine production 136,000+ t (~125,000 t refined)
 - Excludes up to 25,000 t of DRC artisanal production
- Global EV adoption ~2.2%, China >6% & accelerating
- Benchmark Mineral Intelligence forecasts ~400,000 t cobalt demand by 2030
- Supply Chain Concerns
 - 72% of Mine Production in politically unstable Congo
 - 64% of Refinery Production in China (Policy Risk)
 - 80% of Refined cobalt chemical supply controlled by China
 - 98% of non-artisanal production is a by-product of copper & nickel mining where primary metals dictate production
- Responsible Sourcing & Supply Chain Transparency - US Dodd Frank & EU Conflict Minerals Legislation & Responsible Business Alliance (RBA)



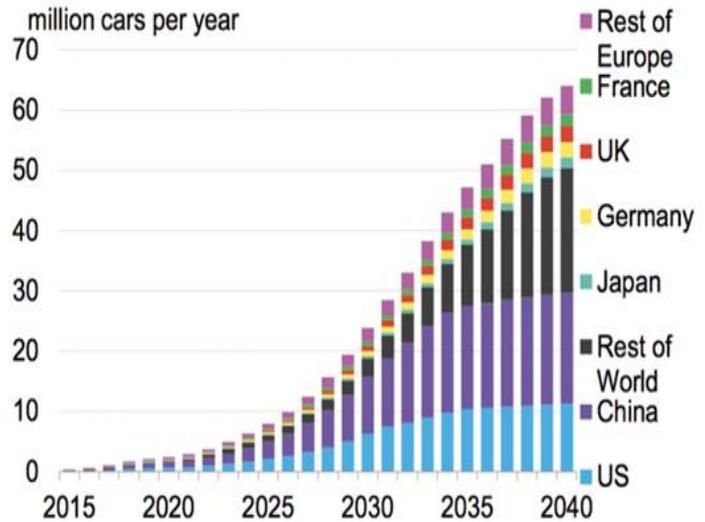
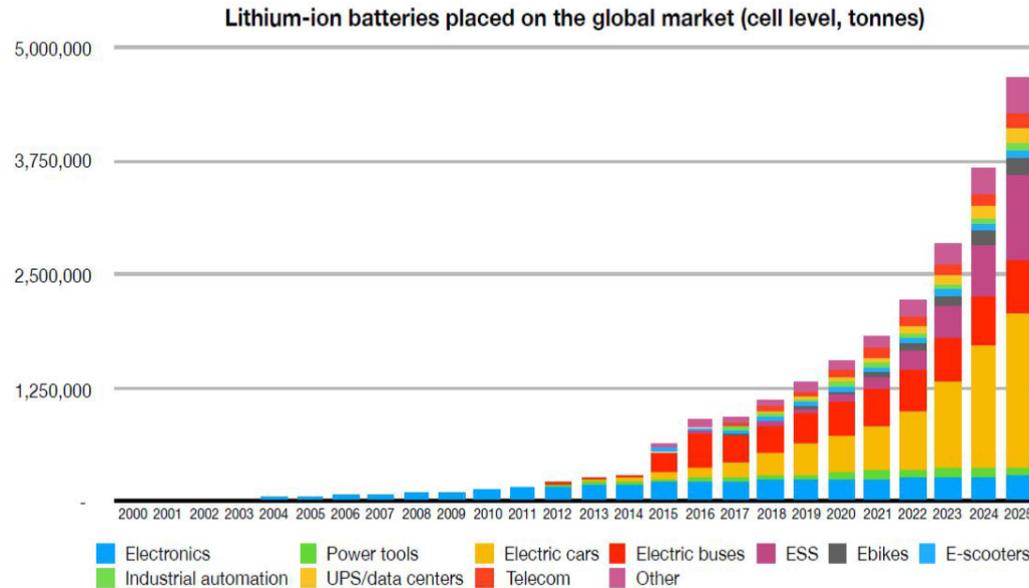
Source: Darton Commodities



Battery Demand Accelerating

The battery market is set for exponential growth

Projected Annual EV Sales

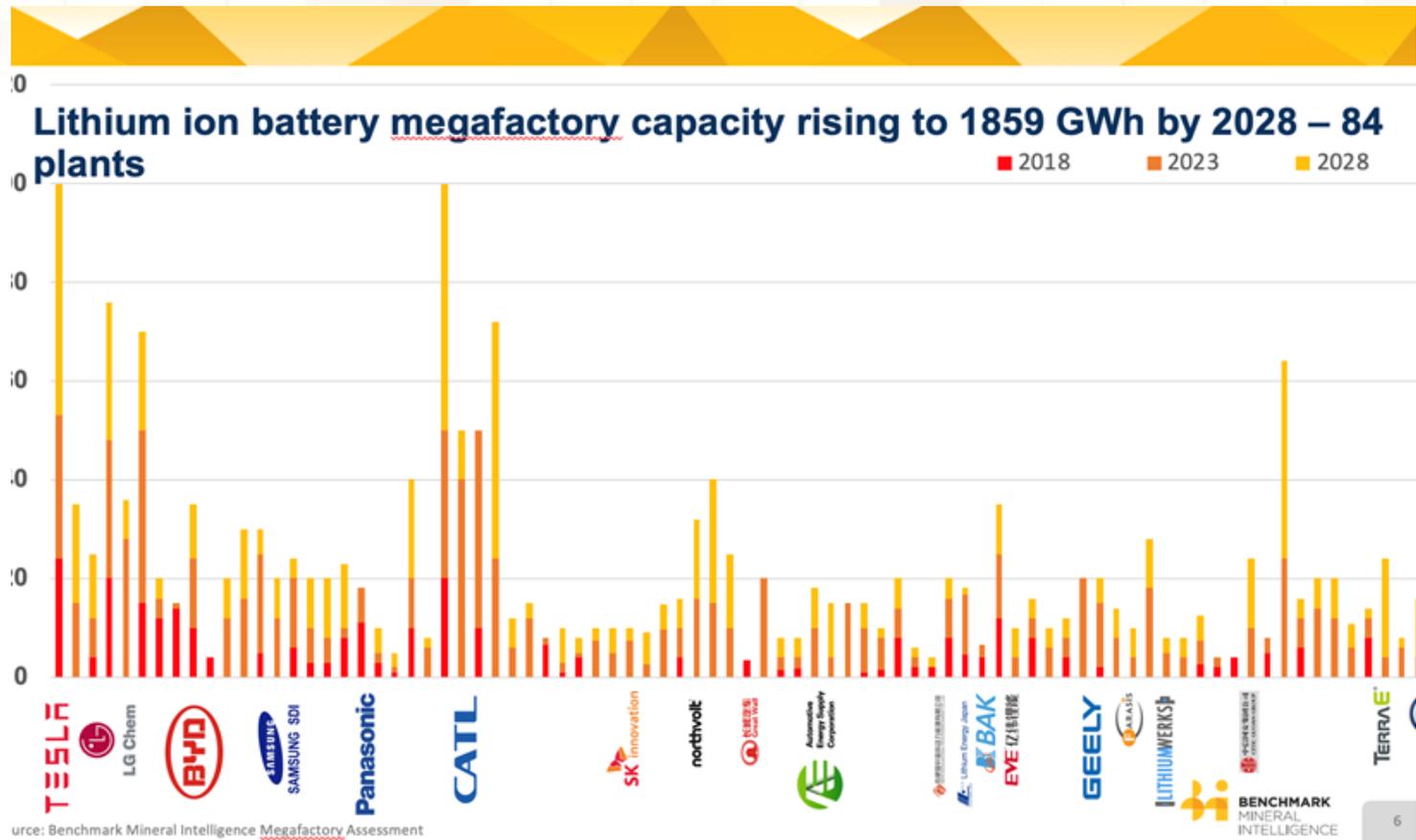


Source: Circular Energy Storage 2018

Source: Bloomberg

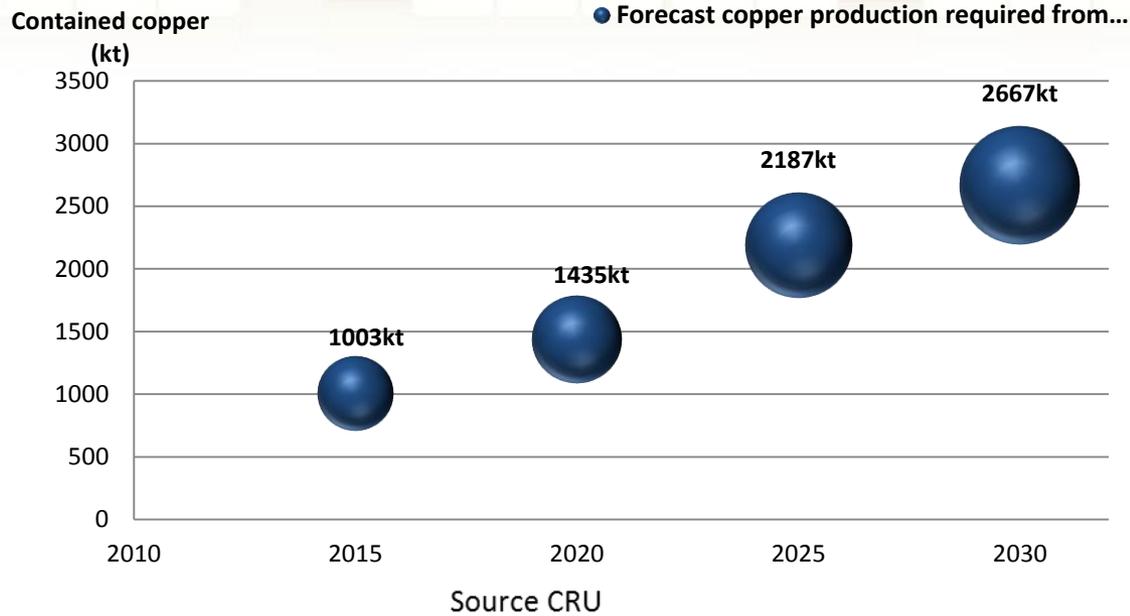
- Portable electronics have driven historical battery demand growth
- Typical smartphone contains 5-20 g of cobalt vs 4,000 to 30,000 g (9-66 lbs) per EV
- 2018 EV related cobalt demand reaches 13,600 t
- EV & Energy Stationary Storage (ESS) just starting & projected to accelerate beyond 2021

Megafactories Validate Growth



- 96 Battery Megafactories (>1 GWh annual production) announced or under construction since 2014
 - Most factories being constructed in China
- Li-Ion battery industry 120 GWh in 2016 & will rise to 2030.1 GWh by 2028
 - Tesla Gigafactory 1 requires ~7,000 t/yr of cobalt & CATL will require 15,000 - 23,000 t/yr

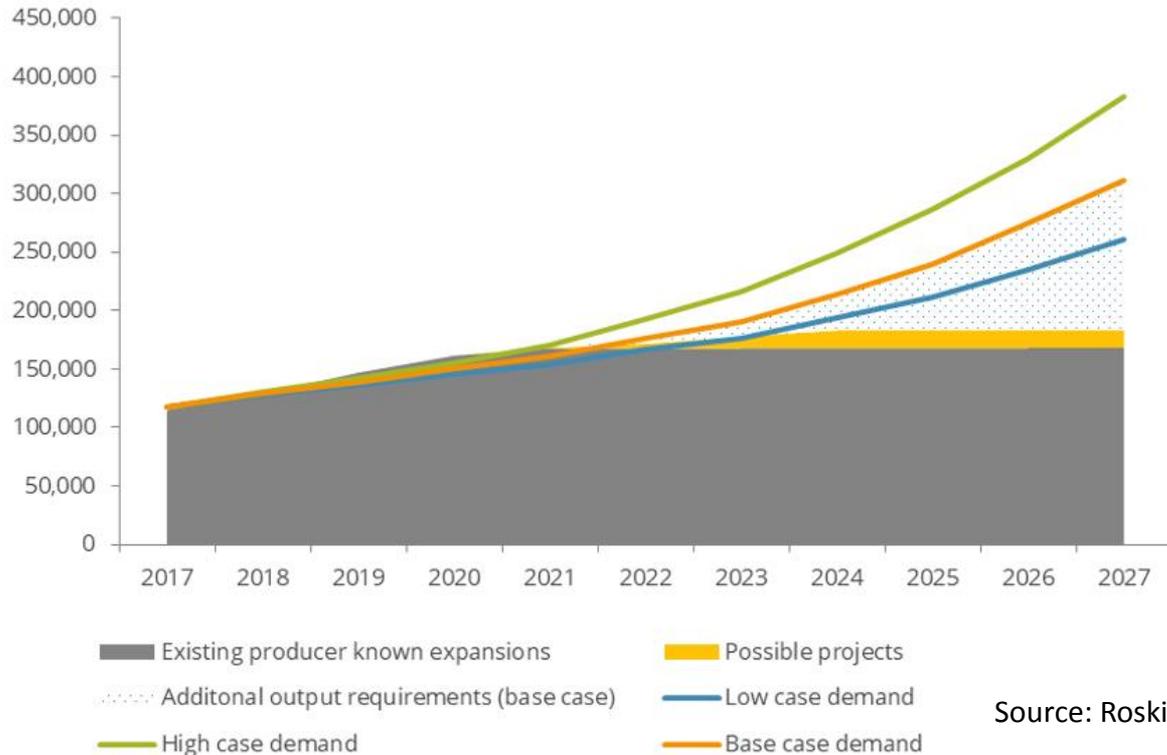
By-Product Cobalt Production Risk



- 98% of non-artisanal mine supply is a by-product of copper or nickel mining where the primary metals determine production levels
- African copper belt mines would need to double production to meet projected cobalt demand
- Nickel-cobalt sulphide & laterite mines would need to quintuple production to meet demand
- Recycling not expected to be near-term solution due to limited supply of material & secondary use of EV batteries in Energy Stationary Storage
- New primary cobalt sources needed that do not impact primary metal markets

Supply – Demand Gap

Figure 40: World: Outlook for refined supply and demand to 2027 (t Co)



- New mine & artisanal production from the Congo has met today's demand growth
- Most analysts project growing cobalt deficit beyond 2021 / 2022 without new deposits

NICO's Gold & Bismuth By-Products

- Mineral Reserves contain >1 million ounces of gold – Highly liquid & countercyclical
- One of world's largest bismuth deposits with 12% of global reserves
 - Eco Metal used in automotive anti-corrosion coatings, glass frits, metallic paints & pigments; fire retardants; pharmaceuticals eg. Pepto-Bismol; cosmetics; greases; & low temperature & dimensionally stable alloys & compounds (expands when cooled)
 - New uses focus on non-toxic & environmentally friendly replacement of lead in plumbing & electronic solders, brass, free-machining steel, ceramic glazes, solar cells / voltaics & super conductors
 - World bismuth market ~20,000 t/yr
 - China: ~60% of world reserves & ~75% of production – Closing small mines due to safety & environmental issues
 - Fanya Exchange inventory is a near-term overhang on the market & price



Health

- Pepto-Bismol® & similar stomach settling medicines
- Cosmetics
- Lead replacement in potable water sources & electronics
- Catheters & bandages

Other

- Castings, fire retardants, sprinkler systems, lubricating greases



Automotive

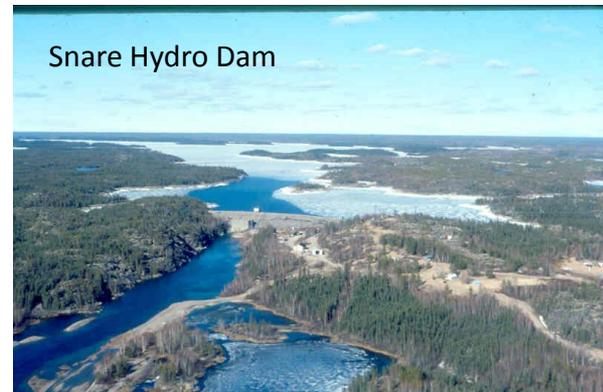
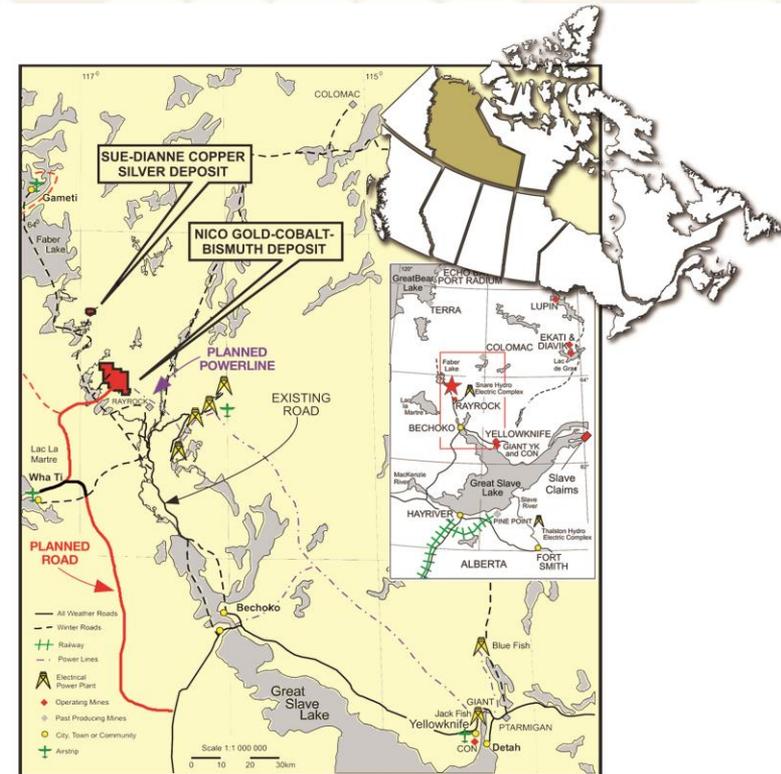
- Rust protection undercoating
- Paint pigments & pearlescent coating
- Brake linings & clutch pads

Electronics

- Electronic solders
- Free-machining steel lubricating greases

Mine Location, Roads & Power

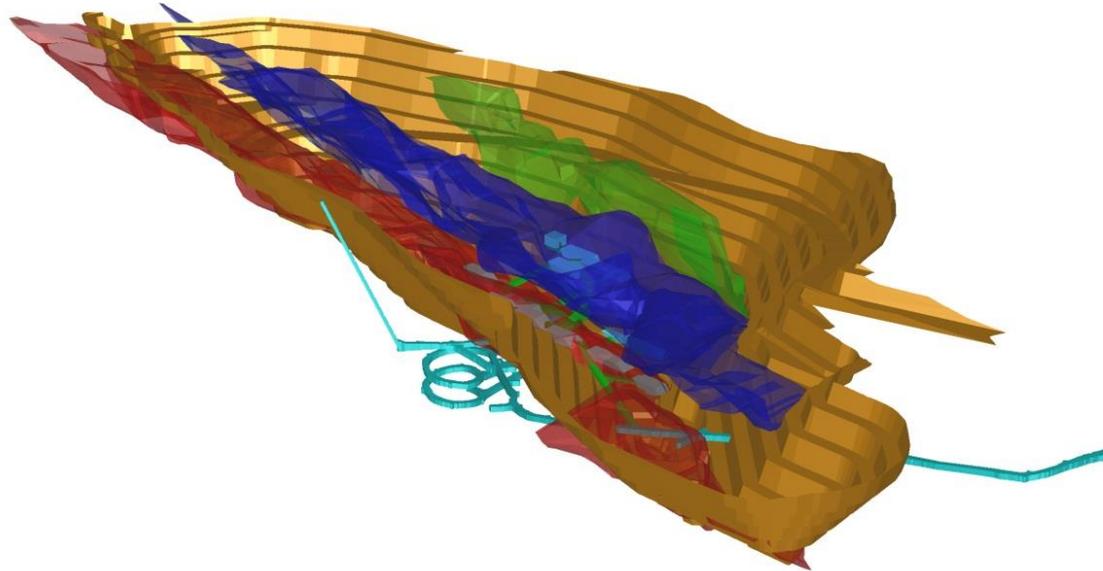
- ~5,140 Ha leases in Tliche Territory, located 160 km northwest of Yellowknife, Northwest Territories (NWT) & 50 km north of Whati
- Winter ice road access for construction
- Federal, NWT & Tliche governments building ~\$213 million, 97-km all-season road to Whati
 - Federal government funding 25%
 - P3 funding structure for GNWT 75% share
 - Construction scheduled to begin in September, 2019 for completion in Q4 2021
 - Design, build, operate & maintain contract with Kiewit, Hatch, Thurber & Tliche Investment Corp
 - 28-Year contract for ~\$412 million, including maintenance & interest
- Fortune has EA approval for 51-km spur road
- Roads enable truck haulage of concentrates to Hay River for railway delivery to refinery or port
- Mine 22 km from Snare Hydro & 50 km from 14MW run-of-river site on La Martre River
 - Mine startup using LNG fueled generators



Well-Understood Deposit

NICO Mineral Reserves based on 327 drill holes, surface trenches & underground test mining

- IOCG (Olympic Dam) - type deposit – Similar deposits commonly > 1 Bt
- 3 stratabound ore lenses up to 1.3 km long, 550 m wide, & 70 m thick for combined mining widths typically > 100 m for low-cost open pit mining
- Orebody remains open for potential expansion



Green = Upper Ore Zone, Blue = Middle Ore Zone, Red = Lower Ore Zone
Brown = Open Pit, Cyan = Underground Development and Stopes

2014 Feasibility Mineral Reserves

Underground Mineral Reserves		Tonnes (Thousands)	Au (g/t)	Co (%)	Bi (%)	Cu (%)
	Proven	282	4.93	0.14	0.27	0.03
	Probable	295	5.00	0.07	0.07	0.01
	Total	577	4.96	0.10	0.17	0.02
Open Pit Mineral Reserves		Tonnes (Thousands)	Au (g/t)	Co (%)	Bi (%)	Cu (%)
	Proven	20,453	0.92	0.11	0.15	0.04
	Probable	12,047	1.03	0.11	0.13	0.04
	Total	32,500	0.96	0.11	0.14	0.04
Combined Mineral Reserves		Tonnes (Thousands)	Au (g/t)	Co (%)	Bi (%)	Cu (%)
	Proven	20,735	0.97	0.11	0.15	0.04
	Probable	12,342	1.13	0.11	0.13	0.04
	Total	33,077	1.03	0.11	0.14	0.04
Metal Contained			1.11 Moz	82.3 Mlb	102.1 Mlb	27.2 Mlb

Sums of the combined reserves may not exactly equal sums of the underground and open pit reserves due to rounding error

Updated Mineral Reserves for new Technical Report based on current costs & updated commodity prices + 30% expanded mill throughput rate to maintain 18-year mine life

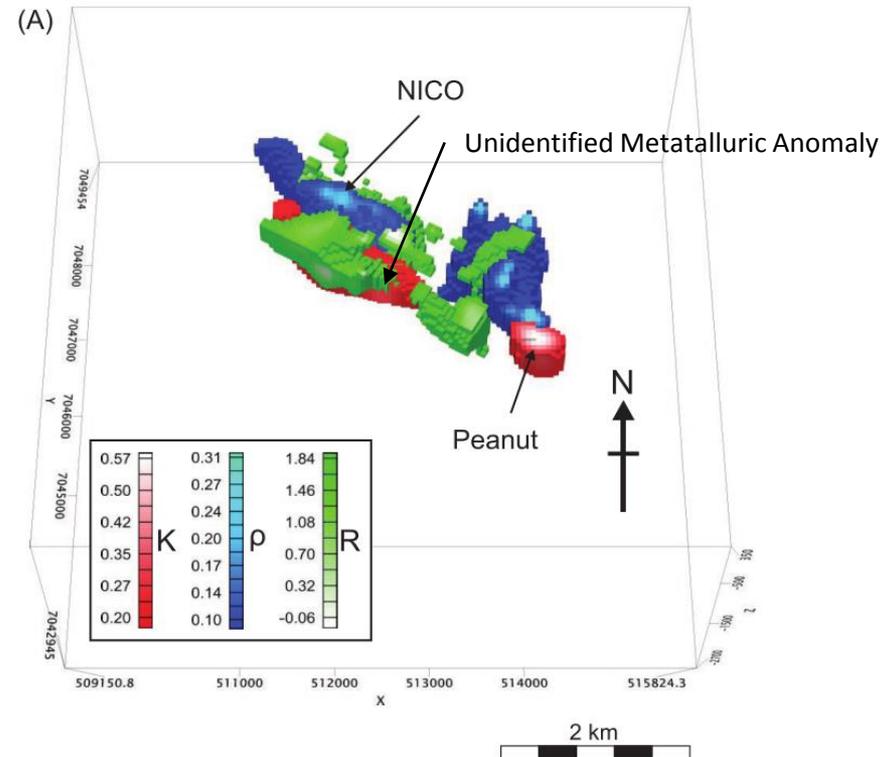
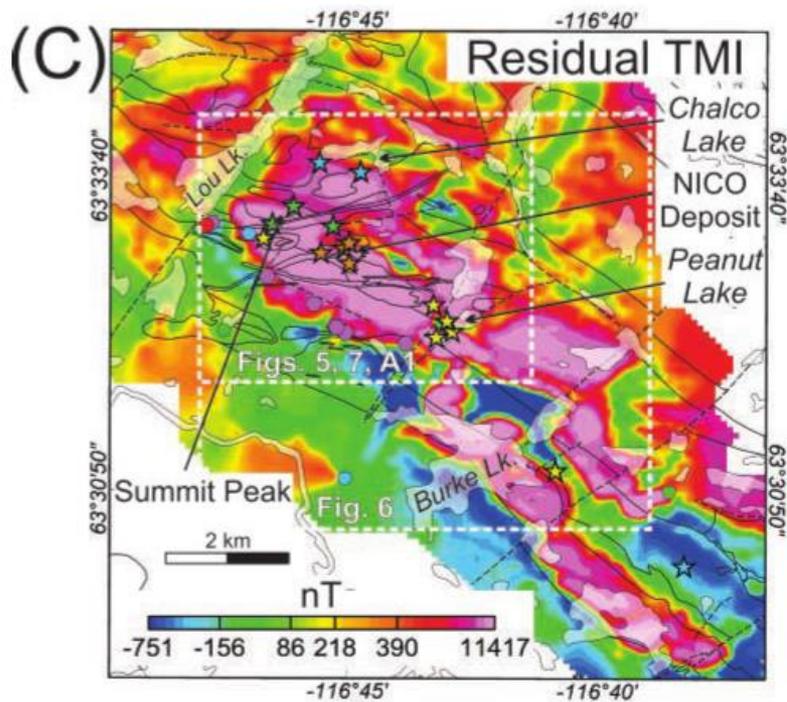
Deposit & Process Validation



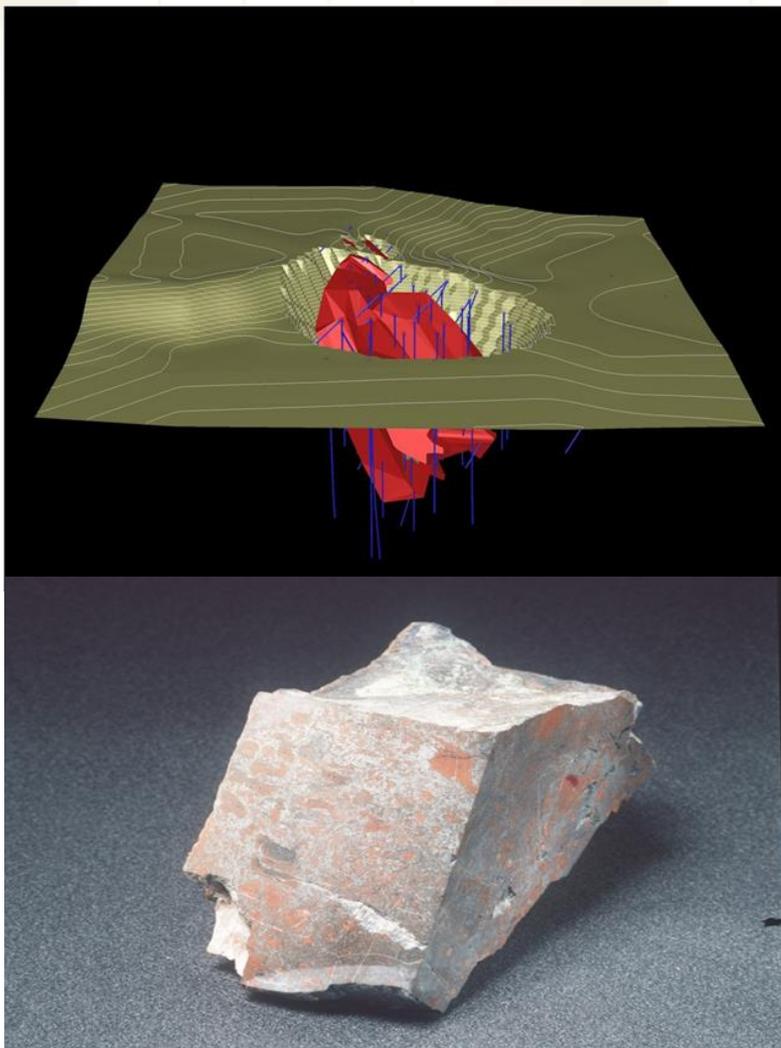
- Underground test mining completed to confirm deposit geometry, grades & mining conditions
- Development work in place for combined open pit & underground mining option
- Large bulk samples collected for pilot plant testing confirming process, recoveries & product quality
- Battery-grade cobalt sulphate, carbonate & cathode produced that meets the required specifications to support off-take negotiations

Additional Potential

- Significant potential to identify new resources drill testing surface mineralization & geophysical targets
- Geological Survey of Canada (GSC) identified large coincident magnetotelluric, gravity & magnetic anomalies an order of magnitude larger & stronger than NICO deposit anomaly beneath the known deposit & may represent down-faulted extension of NICO deposit & is mantled by copper mineralization
- Copper mineralization identified near Peanut Lake where coincident magnetic, magnetotelluric & gravity anomalies were identified along faulted east strike extension of NICO deposit & remain untested



Sue-Dianne Satellite Deposit



- IOCG deposit 25 km north of NICO
- Incremental mill feed for future
- Additional sub-economic potential resources ~14 million tonnes beneath & marginal to 0.4% Cu cut-off pit shell
- Resource defined by 61 drill holes
- Remains open for possible expansion

Micon 2008 Resource Estimate @ 0.4% Cu Cut-Off

<u>Classification</u>	<u>Tonnes</u>	<u>Cu (%)</u>	<u>Ag (g/T)</u>	<u>Au (g/T)</u>
Indicated	8,444,000	0.80	3.2	0.07
Inferred	1,620,000	0.79	2.4	0.07

Scientific & technical information with respect to the Sue-Dianne Project contained in this presentation is based on the technical report dated March, 2008 prepared by Micon International Limited, entitled "Technical Report on a Mineral Resource Estimate For The Sue-Dianne Deposit, Mazenod Lake Area, Northwest Territories, Canada" prepared by B. Terrence Hennessey, P.Geo. & Eugene Puritch, P.Eng., the qualified persons for the purposes of NI 43-101, a copy of which is available for review on SEDAR at www.sedar.com under the Company's profile.

2014 NICO Feasibility Study

- Micon study based on FEED Engineering & construction quotes & previous MOU with China CAMC Engineering & Procon for development
- Initial Capital of C\$ 589 Million
- Negative Cash Cost for Products Net of By-Product Credits
- 50% Margins ~\$100 million annual EBITDA
- Metal Recoveries Verified From Pilot Plants
 - Gold recovery ranges from 56 to 85%, with average ~73.7%
 - Cobalt Recovery ~84%
 - Bismuth Recovery ~72%
 - Copper Recovery ~41%

2014 Feasibility Study Highlights

Mine Type	Open Pit + Underground in years 1&2	
Strip Ratio	Waste to Ore 3.0 : 1	
Processing Rate (tonnes/day)	4,650 tpd Mill; 180 tpd Refinery	
Mine Life	21 years (potential for additional 3.2)	
Economics	Base case	6-Yr trailing cycle
Levered Pre-Tax NPV (7%)	C\$ 254 million	C\$ 543 million
Levered Post-Tax NPV (7%)	C\$ 224 million	C\$ 505 million
Levered Pre-Tax IRR	15.6%	23.6%
Levered Post-Tax IRR	15.1%	23.2%
Capital Costs	C\$ 589 million + Working Capital	
LOM Average Base case Revenue/yr	C\$ 196 million	
LOM Average Operating Cost/yr	C\$ 98 million	
Cobalt Operating Cost (net of credits)	Negative US\$ 5.03/lb at Base Case	



The Feasibility Study reflected in the Micon Technical Report uses Base Case Price assumptions are US\$1,350/troy ounce ("oz") for gold, US\$16/pound ("lb") for cobalt (US\$19.04/lb in sulphate), US\$10.50/lb for bismuth (US\$12.64/lb bismuth in average production of ingot, needles and oxide), and US\$2.38/lb for copper at an exchange rate of C\$1=US\$0.88; Cycle price sensitivity analysis uses US\$1200 to US\$1900/oz gold, US\$ 12-30/lb cobalt, US\$ 7-19/lb bismuth & US\$3-4.50/lb copper

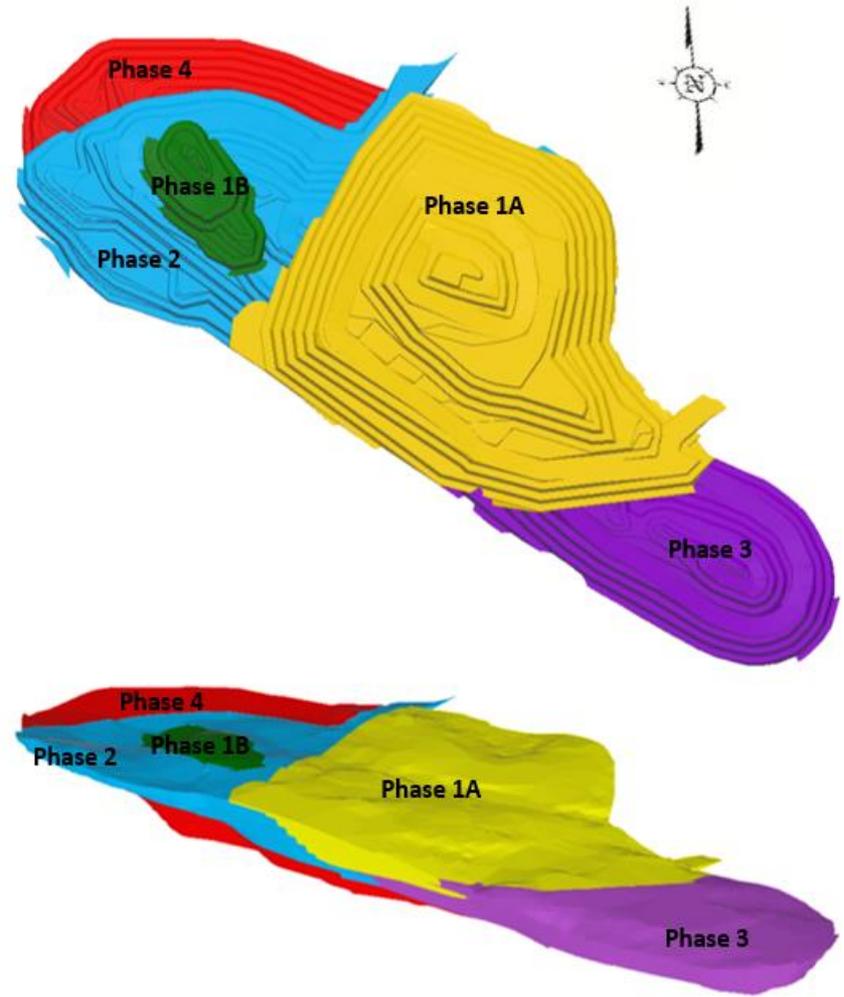
New Technical Report

- Study by Hatch, P&E & Micon with components by Golder & TetraTech
- Current capital & operating costs, updated commodity prices & currency exchange rates
- ~30% mill throughput increase to ~6,000 tpd & ~2,000+ t/yr of cobalt production
- New expanded Mineral Reserves
- Mine plan focused on maximizing cobalt production & grades in early years & stockpiling to defer processing of lower grade ores
- Economics reflecting economies of scale, higher cobalt prices, lower Canadian dollar & new mine plan to mitigate capital cost increases
- Improvements to downstream process to lower costs & mitigate commissioning & operational risks
 - Test work completed to demonstrate gold recovery at mine site & mitigate recovery losses
- Options to defer refinery &/or lower initial capital
 - Produce gold doré & cobalt & bismuth concentrates at mine site for sale
 - Lower refinery capital option of producing cobalt carbonate instead of sulphate
- Investigating best downstream process options in consultation with potential financing partners before completing updated Technical Report



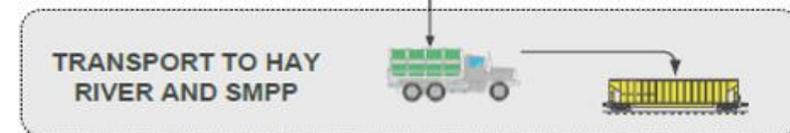
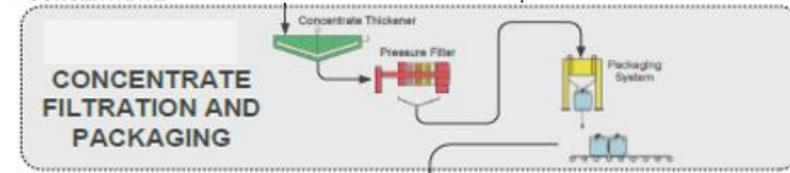
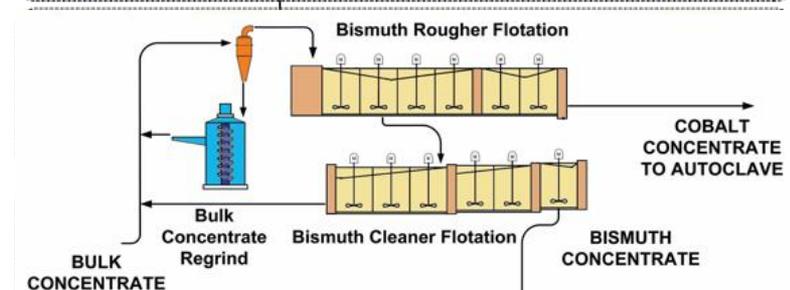
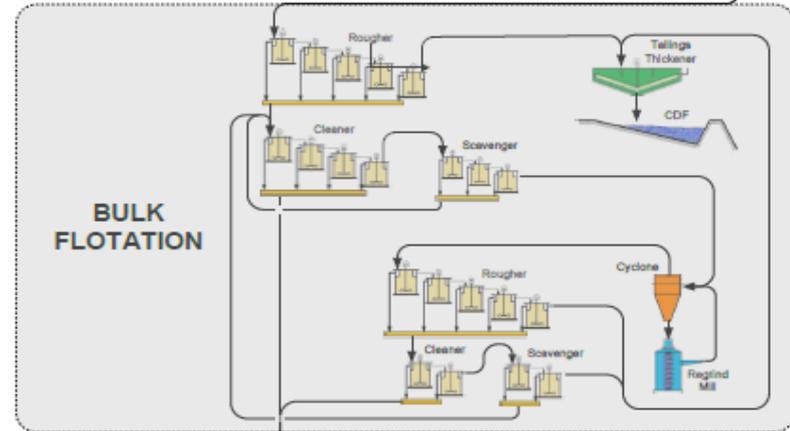
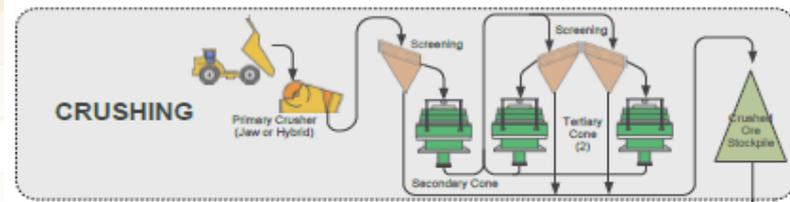
New Mine Plan & Larger Equipment

- Conventional truck & loader mining
- Pit dimensions
 - 1350 m long x 450 m wide x 220 m deep
 - 10 m high benches, 20 m with double benching
- Waste to ore strip ratio: 3.3:1
- 4 phase pit plan
- Updated open pit mine fleet
 - Up to 6 trucks – 140 t capacity
 - 2 ADT's 40 t capacity
 - 15 m³ loader
 - 2 loaders – 10 m³ capacity
 - 2 blast hole & grade control drills
 - 2 bulldozers
 - 1 grader – 14 – 16 ft
 - Various support equipment
- Optional underground mining focussed on early access to higher grade ores



Mine-Site Processing 1

1. ROM ore crushed in primary jaw crusher, followed by 1 secondary cone crusher & 2 parallel tertiary short head cone crushers to 6mm
2. Fine ore ground in single 16'-6" x 27' ball mill in closed circuit to 55um
3. Ground ore passes through bulk flotation & gravity circuits to concentrate sulphide minerals in bulk rougher concentrate & gold
4. Regrind bulk concentrate to 14µm, followed by secondary flotation to produce cobalt & bismuth concentrates & optional cyanide leach & Merrill-Crowe to recover gold as doré
5. Concentrates filtered & bagged for transport
6. Transport by truck to Hay River, NWT for transfer to CN Rail & delivery to refinery in Saskatchewan or third party processor



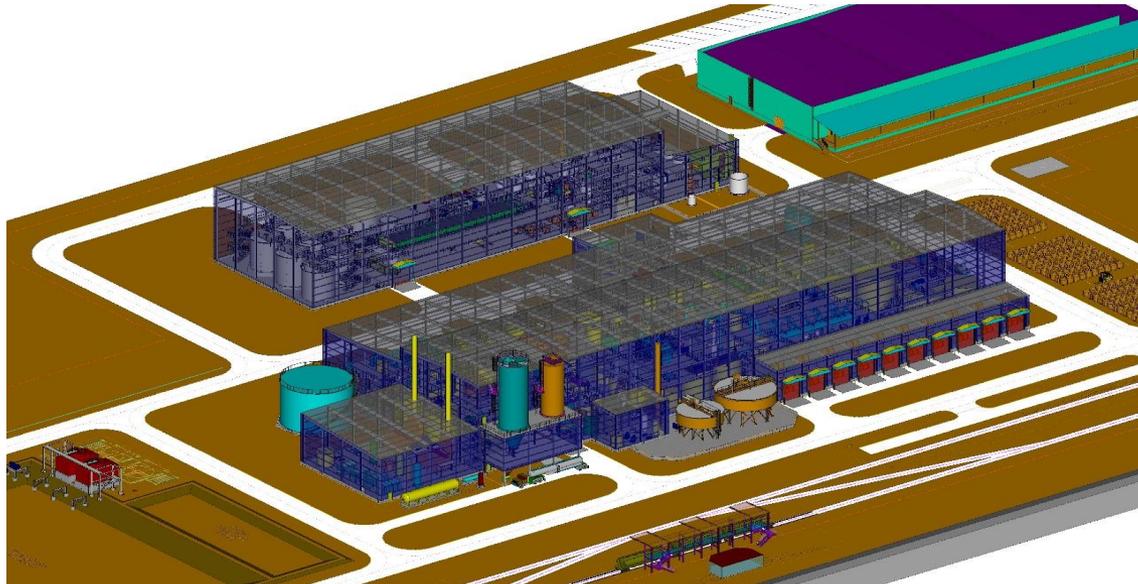
Transportation to Refinery or Port

- Flotation reduces ore to concentrates (<4% of original mass) containing recoverable metals
- Low-cost transportation by truck & rail to refinery or port of Prince Rupert
 - Cost neutral - Similar amount of reagents would otherwise be shipped north for processing
- Vertically integrated development contemplates hydrometallurgical refinery in southern Canada to process concentrates to higher value products



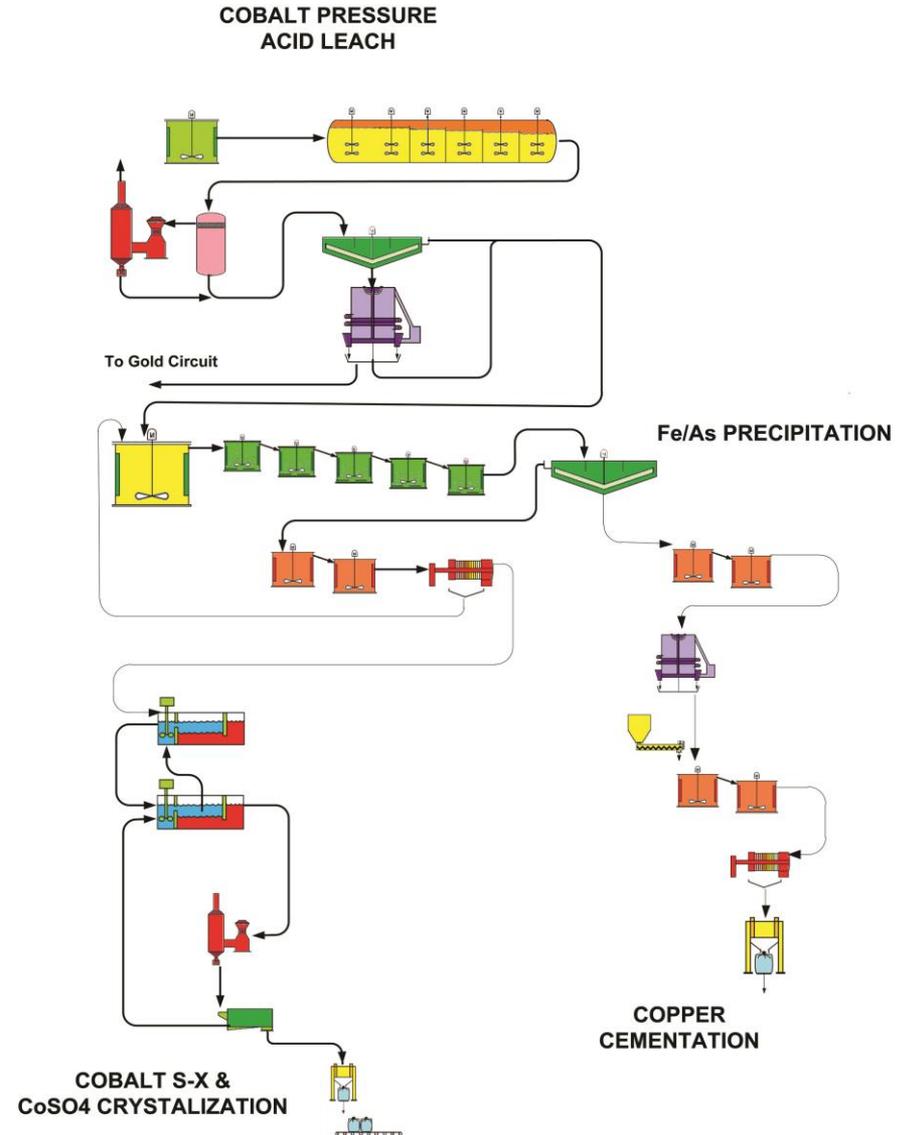
Refinery in Southern Canada

- Hydrometallurgical facility in southern Canada designed for process optionality &/or phased construction
- Lower capital & operating cost jurisdiction
 - Low-Cost Power (3 to 7.2 cents per kWh) - Depending on Province
 - Skilled commutable labour pool mitigates staff turnover risk (~100 employees)
 - Proximity to reagents & services
 - 5-Year Tax Holiday if constructed in Saskatchewan
- Only concentrates (~4% of ore) are treated in refinery – significant advantage over laterite ores
- Breakdown of sulphides generates sulphuric acid & reaction is exothermic (no added heat)
- Additional business opportunities with toll processing & diversification into metals recycling
- Refinery lands under purchase option with alternative sites being reviewed for final selection based on expedited approvals process & opportunities to leverage brownfield site &/or existing equipment

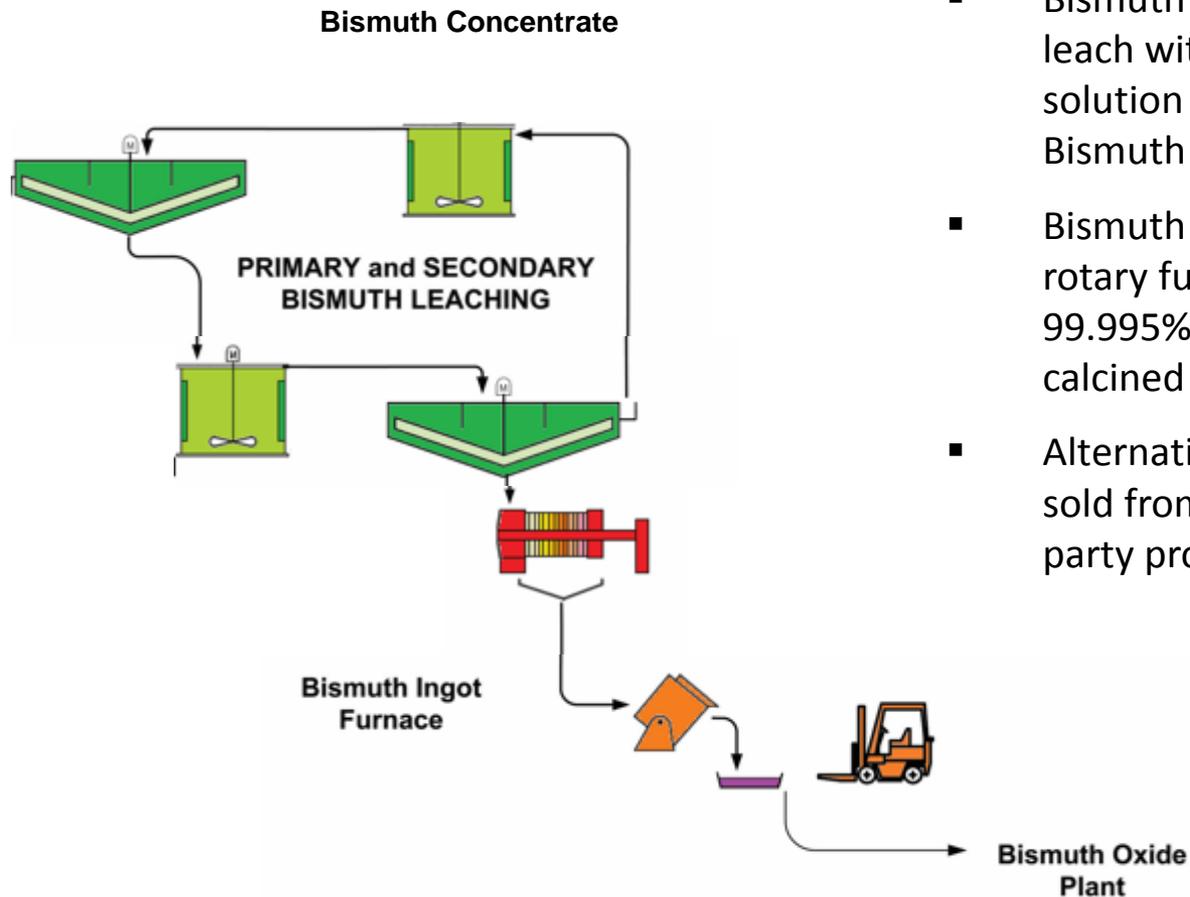


Cobalt, Gold & Copper Process

- Cobalt concentrate & bismuth residue treated under pressure & temperature (195-215° C) in autoclave with oxygen to dissolve cobalt into solution as sulphate
- Iron, arsenic & copper precipitated from cobalt solution sequentially with lime & NaCO₃
- Copper recovered from precipitate by re-leaching & Iron powder cementation
- Cobalt Sulphate Circuit uses sequential stripping, carbonate precipitation & dissolution, Ion Exchange (I-X) (replaces previous S-X) solution evaporation & crystallization to 20.9% CoSO₄·7H₂O
- Low capital cost option of producing carbonate
- Gold recovered by cyanidation of combined autoclave leach residue followed by Merrill-Crowe precipitation & smelting to doré bars



Bismuth Process



- Bismuth dissolved in ferric chloride leach with metal recovered from solution by precipitation as a Bismuth Oxychloride
- Bismuth Oxychloride smelted in rotary furnace to recover Bismuth as 99.995% ingots or needles or, calcined to oxide
- Alternatively, concentrate can be sold from the mine site to a third-party processor

Project Milestones

- **EA completed for NWT Mine & Concentrator**
 - Former Refinery lands EA completed, but new site will likely require EA & municipal approvals
- **Advanced Relationships with Governments**
 - 25-yr active community engagement with Tlicho & Settled Land Claim
 - Negotiating Participation & Access Agreements with Tlicho
 - Completed Socio-Economic Agreement with GNWT
 - Tlicho Road financed & construction begins this year
- **New Technical Report on NICO Feasibility**
 - New Mineral Reserves, engineering & updated economics
 - 30% expanded mill throughput & flexibility of producing gold & concentrates for sale from mine to defer refinery capital
 - Improved mine plan & process flow sheets
- **Project Financing Strategy**
 - Strategic project equity partner & debt
 - ~45 confidentiality agreements executed with potential financing partners & discussions ongoing
- **Project Execution**
 - Construction to start upon receipt of final permits & financing
 - 2-year construction of mine & concentrator, 18-months for refinery



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