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Executive Summary

This report presents the results of the pre-feasibility assessment of the proposed block caving mine for the Seabridge Gold Inc. Iron Cap deposit, part of the KSM property located in the Coast Mountains of northwestern British Columbia. The property is situated in challenging topography with potential for the development of three open pit and two underground mines. The deposit extends approximately 1,200 m SW-NE (along strike), 700 m NW-SE, and 700 m vertically. It is understood that the deposit remains open at depth. Open pit mining methods were used to evaluate the mining potential of this deposit as part of an update to a PFS published in 2011. However, due to various environmental concerns such as pre-stripping the overlying ice cap and creating additional potentially acid generating waste, Seabridge decided to assess other mining options. Golder was engaged to evaluate the potential to mine the Iron Cap deposit using block caving methods to the pre-feasibility level of engineering study. The location, dimensions, and dip of the mineralized material at Iron Cap indicated that it was a suitable candidate for block caving.

The mineral resource block model used for the study contained Gold (Au), Silver (Ag), Copper (Cu), and Molybdenum (Mo) grades as well as a Net Smelter Return (NSR) value based on the NSR formula in the pre-feasibility update (PFU) that was published on June 15, 2011. The model also contained measured, indicated, and inferred grades but the inferred grades were set to zero and are not included in this pre-feasibility study. The geological resource contains 362M tonnes of mineralized material grading 5.4 g/t Ag, 0.44 g/t Au, 0.21% Cu, and 37 ppm Mo. This resource was evaluated using Gemcom's Footprint Finder software to evaluate the economic potential for a block cave mine. A footprint at elevation 1210 m produced the most value and resulted in approximately 193M tonnes of block cave resources, including 5% unplanned waste dilution at zero grade as shown in Table A.

Table A: Summary of the Geological and Block Cave Resources

| Category | Tonnes (millions) | Ag (g/t) | Au (g/t) | Cu (%) | Mo (ppm) |
|---|-------------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|
| Geological Resources ¹ | 362 | 5.4 | 0.44 | 0.21 | 37 |
| Mineral Inventory | 321 | 6.3 | 0.52 | 0.23 | 23 |
| Block Cave Resources^{2,3} | 193 | 5.3 | 0.45 | 0.20 | 21 |
| Dilution | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Recovery | 60% | | | | |
| Total Dilution | 5% | | | | |

¹ Geological Resources presented in Table 1.1 of the Pre-feasibility Update report (Seabridge 2011).

² PCBC includes column mixing with dilution and shutting of columns (drawpoints) when NSR < \$15.41 so a portion of the diluted mineral inventory is not recovered.

³ Block Cave Resources can be considered as Probable Mineral Reserves within the complete pre-feasibility study report.



The Iron Cap deposit appears to be composed of strong, moderately fractured rock. Rock quality variations are most commonly attributed to variations in fracture frequency as the strength of the rock mass does not vary significantly within the deposit. The fracture frequency is higher for Iron Cap than the nearby Mitchell deposit, resulting in a corresponding lower predicted median in situ block size of 2.5 m³ compared to approximately 6 m³ for the Mitchell deposit. No major structural features have been identified that might influence the caving mechanism and the progression of the cave in any significant manner. There are several gaps in data that have been identified in the geotechnical and hydrogeological studies. These gaps will need to be addressed as part of future studies if the project is advanced to the next level of study. The cavability assessments made using Laubscher's and Mathews' methods indicate that the size (diameter) of the footprint required to initiate and propagate caving is between approximately 100 m and 220 m. This footprint size is significantly smaller than the size of the footprint of the deposit that can potentially be mined economically by caving. This fact, together with the general large-sized, continuous nature of the deposit, suggests that the Iron Cap deposit is amenable to cave mining. There have been no fracture propagation assessments applicable to preconditioning designs or in situ stress interpretations developed at the Iron Cap deposit. Measurements carried out in the Mitchell deposit may not accurately reflect the fracture propagation and stress environment at Iron Cap because of the effects of surface topography. Future drilling programs should include hydraulic fracturing tests.

A significant proportion of the rock at Iron Cap is predicted to have block sizes greater than 2 m³. Without some remediation measure being adopted, such large sized blocks will require significant secondary blasting, and there will likely be a significant adverse impact on production and significant damage to the drawpoints that will require ongoing rehabilitation. As a result of this, it is proposed to precondition the rock by hydrofracturing. The cost and schedule to do this have been incorporated into this study. There are a number of uncertainties associated with preconditioning due to the limited number of caving mines where it has been applied and tested. It is also difficult to obtain definitive field data that demonstrates the degree of improvement obtained. The results from these mines are encouraging, however, and there is sufficient experience to indicate that such fragmentation concerns do not represent a fatal flaw at Iron Cap. It is recognized that uncertainty in fragmentation and the effectiveness of preconditioning to enhance fragmentation needs to be addressed via production and cost risks. It is also very difficult to quantify the effect of attrition as the rock is brought down within the cave except that experience has indicated that in caving mines operating under similar rock conditions to those at Iron Cap, fragmentation of rock, drawn down more than approximately 100 m is generally good. For this study, it was assumed that fragmentation of the initial 100 m of draw height is approximately equal to the estimated in situ block size and, above this, only limited secondary blasting would be required.

The expected coarse fragmentation at Iron Cap will result in relatively large isolated drawcone diameters of 13 m or more for a loading width of 5 m. The present experience in other operating mines is that a 15 m by 15 m drawpoint spacing performs well under these coarse fragmentation conditions. Some caving mines operating in good quality rock have successfully expanded the layout to approximately 17 m by 17 m, but it was considered prudent for this study to adopt the slightly more conservative 15 m by 15 m spacing.

The Iron Cap block cave design was based on modelling from FF and PCBC software. FF modelling indicated that the optimum footprint for the Iron Cap deposit is at an elevation of 1,210 m. It is approximately 545 m wide in the north-south direction, 570 m wide in the east-west direction, and has an average depth of 400 m. PCBC modelling indicated that the block cave could produce 15 million tonnes per year, requiring development of 120 new drawpoints per year. The mine design requires approximately 64 km of drifts and raises, including a 5% contingency to account for the excavations of detailed design items such as service bays, sumps and



electrical substations. Four main levels are required to cave the Iron Cap deposit and include the preconditioning level, undercut level, extraction level, and conveying level. The design also includes a return air drift located below the conveying level. The floors of the extraction drifts and drawpoints are designed to be concreted, which will increase the speed and productivity of the Load-Haul-Dump (LHD) vehicles as well as reduce equipment maintenance. Personnel, material, and supplies will access the Iron Cap mine through a drift driven from the Mitchell Tiegen Tunnel (MTT). A conveyor drift will be driven parallel to the access ramp, and the two will be connected every 300 m to provide emergency egress and a ventilation loop during construction. The total length of the access ramp is 3.4 km. Two fresh air portals and one exhaust portal are planned on the north slope of the Mitchell valley. These tunnels may act as an alternative access to the underground from the surface in case of emergency. The fresh air tunnels will connect to surface and a perimeter drift will be constructed around the entire mine footprint to provide fresh air to the mine workings.

Production material will be hauled directly from the drawpoints to one of four gyratory crushers installed on the extraction level perimeter drift. The crushed material will be transported by one of two conveyor belts which both feed a conveyor that will transport the production material to a 2,000 tonne surge bin located above the MTT conveyor.

The proposed mobile equipment is typical of that used in underground mines and is comprised of those pieces directly related to moving ore to the crushers (8.6 m³ LHDs and secondary rockbreakers), the development equipment (4.6 m³ LHDs and 18 m³ trucks) as well as the AnFo loaders and ground support machines. In addition, service equipment is included for construction and mine maintenance activities. At peak operation, Iron Cap will require a fleet of approximately 67 pieces of mobile underground equipment. The Iron Cap mine workforce includes both staff and labour positions and the size varies according to the stage of the mine life with a peak quantity of 548 personnel in Year 7.

The required airflow for the Iron Cap mine is 526 m³/s based upon the total diesel equipment used on each mining level including a minimum 20% contingency. The Iron Cap ventilation model is designed to operate as a positive pressure or forced air system to facilitate mine air heating during the winter months and to prevent any air being drawn into the mine through the caved material. Heating of mine air in the winter months is included in the design and cost estimates for Iron Cap. It is estimated that the Iron Cap mine will require approximately 9,200 kWh of electricity at peak operation. The main contributors to this total are the crushers, conveyor belts, and ventilation fans.

The underground water management system at Iron Cap is currently designed to handle 7,640 m³/d. This caters for the groundwater inflow and the ice melt. At the time of completing this pre-feasibility assessment, estimates by others of the surface inflows into the crater at Iron Cap were not available. These surface inflows will report to the drawpoints and will be managed in a similar manner to the groundwater inflows. In future studies, the water management system will need to be enhanced to cater for this additional inflow. To provide for good drainage, the underground drifts have been graded so that water will run towards the MTT or towards the Mitchell Valley. Water exiting the mine will be collected and processed in existing “dirty water” facilities.

The mine development schedule was separated into three phases; an initial pre-production phase which involves developing the primary access ramp and conveyor drifts; a second, ore production phase, that involves creating enough openings to start and ramp-up production from the cave; and, the final phase, once the mine has reached steady-state production and the development fleet is only required to create enough openings to maintain production. The average annual development quantity during the peak development period is about 10,000 m per year.



The mine production schedule was developed using Gemcom's PCBC software. It was assumed that sloughing of peripheral waste rock would occur into the crater and cover the upper surface of the material being drawn down. This was modeled in PCBC by adding an infinite supply of waste material on top of the mineralized material. As material is drawn from the drawpoints, the waste mixes with mineralized material as dilution with zero grade (unplanned dilution) and the combined material reports to the drawpoint. The PCBC analyses account for this unplanned dilution. Due to the large fragmentation that is estimated to report to the drawpoints at Iron Cap, particularly during the early stages of mining, a draw rate of 200 mm/day was chosen as a maximum cap in the PCBC analysis but an average draw rate of 108 mm/day is required to reach production targets (the maximum draw rate modeled never exceeds 165 mm/day, and averages about 110 mm/d, so there are roughly twice as many drawpoints available as are required to meet production targets). Initially, it is assumed that a drawpoint can produce at 60 mm/day and that this will steadily increase until 50% of a column is mined. Then, the drawpoint will produce up to the set maximum of 200 mm/day. Iron Cap is estimated to have a production ramp-up period of 4 years, steady state production at 15 million tonnes per year for 9 years, and then ramp-down production for another 6 years.

The average mine operating cost is estimated at \$6.15/tonne and consists of the equipment and labour that is required to move material from the drawpoint to the MTT conveyor tunnel and the fixed costs to run the mine (Table B). This includes the use of the LHDs, crushers, conveyors, mine services and the labour required to plan and execute the mining plan. Mine labour comprises approximately 56% of the total Iron Cap underground mining cost while crushing and conveying is 17%, production mucking is 13%, 9% accounts for fixed costs and secondary breaking is 5%.

Table B: Underground Mine Operating Cost Breakdown

| Activity | OPEX (\$/tonne mined) | (%) |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|-----|
| Labour | \$ 3.45 | 56% |
| Crushing and Conveying | \$ 1.04 | 17% |
| Production Mucking (LHD) | \$ 0.82 | 13% |
| Fixed | \$ 0.53 | 9% |
| Mobile Rockbreaking | \$ 0.28 | 5% |
| Rehabilitation | \$ 0.04 | 0% |
| Total | \$ 6.15 | |

The mine capital cost estimate includes the purchase and installation of all equipment and the excavation of all the underground workings. The pre-production capital expenses, over the first 5 years of the mine life, are estimated at \$509 million with an average sustaining capital cost of \$46 million over the remaining 21 years. The life-of-mine capital costs are estimated to be \$1.5 billion.



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Table 1: Units Used in the Text

| Unit | Definition |
|---------------------------------|---|
| m | Meter |
| km | Kilometres |
| mm | Millimetres |
| g/t | Grams per tonne |
| % Grade | Grade item in % (such as Copper) |
| US\$/t | US dollars per tonne |
| \$ | Dollars - assumed Canadian unless specified |
| M | Million |
| % | Percent |
| ppm | Parts per million |
| m ² | Square meters |
| m ³ | Cubic meters |
| m/s | Meters per second |
| MPa | Mega Pascal's |
| FF/m | Fracture frequency per meter |
| ° | Degrees in an angle |
| Q' | Modified Q (Barton's rock mass classification system) |
| N | Stability Number |
| " | Inch |
| m ³ /s | Cubic meters per second |
| kW | Kilo Watt |
| kWh | Kilowatt hour |
| HP | Horsepower |
| Pa | Pascal |
| BTU | British thermal unit |
| MMBTUH | Million British thermal units per hour |
| °C | Temperature - Degrees Celsius |
| cfm | Cubic foot per minute |
| cfm/bhp | Cubic foot per minute per boiler horsepower |
| Ns ² /m ⁸ | Gaul - Resistance of an airway when one cubic meter per second air causes a pressure drop of one Pascal |
| m ³ /d | Cubic meters per day |
| m ³ /hr | Cubic meters per hour |
| mm/day | Millimetres per day |
| \$/m | Dollars per meter |



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| Unit | Definition |
|----------|-------------------|
| \$M | Million Dollars |
| \$/tonne | Dollars per tonne |
| Mtonnes | Million tonnes |
| tpd | tonnes per day |



1.0 INTRODUCTION

Seabridge Gold Inc.'s (Seabridge) KSM project is a major gold-copper deposit located in northwest British Columbia (BC), approximately 40 km southwest of the Bell II lodge on Highway 37, and 21 km south-southeast of the Eskay Creek Mine (Figure 1). An aerial view looking to the east is shown in Figure 2. The site characteristics are described in detail in the KSM pre-feasibility study (PFS) report (Seabridge 2011).

The KSM property contains the Kerr, Sulphurets, Mitchell, and Iron Cap deposits. Golder Associates Ltd. (Golder) completed the pre-feasibility level assessment of block cave mining for the Mitchell and Iron Cap deposits. This report presents the results of the pre-feasibility assessment of the proposed block caving mine for the Iron Cap deposit. A similar evaluation for the Mitchell deposit will be presented under separate cover.



Figure 1: Location of the KSM property

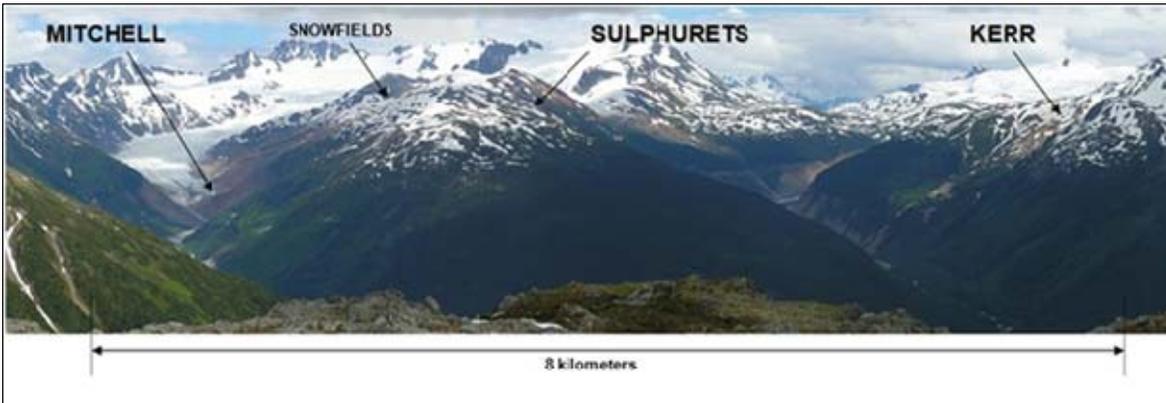


Figure 2: Aerial view of the general area of the KSM project with the Iron Cap deposit located to the north (left) of Mitchell in this photo (looking East)

1.1 Mining Concept

The Iron Cap deposit is a porphyry type intrusion that has been deformed by subsequent tectonic processes. The deposit outcrops in the north slope of the Mitchell valley, east of the Mitchell deposit and above the current Mitchell glacier. A small portion to the north-east is covered with an ice cap. Figure 3 shows a section through the Iron Cap deposit with a 0.25 g/t gold (Au) grade shell and the proposed block cave design. The site terrain is shown in Figure 4.

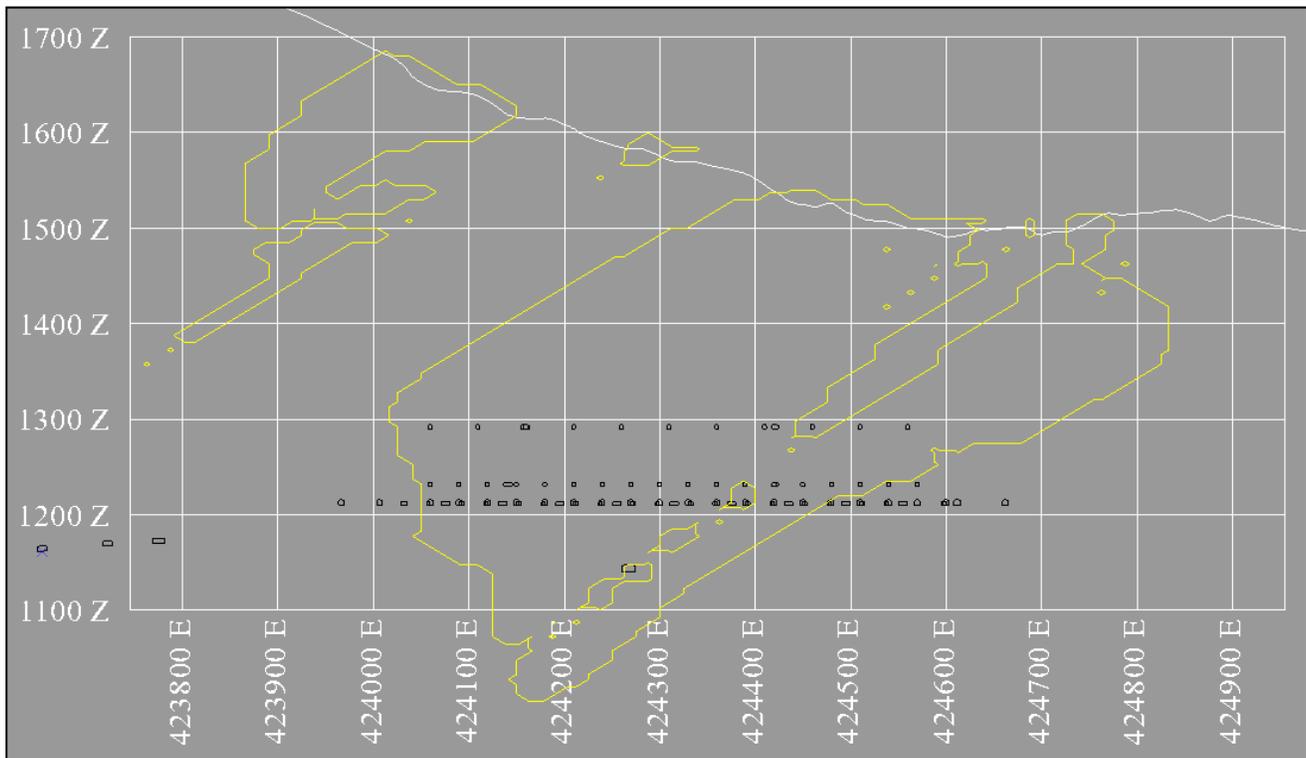


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Figure 4: Site Terrain

1.2 Scope of Work

Iron Cap is part of the KSM property located in the Coast Mountains in northwestern British Columbia amid challenging topography with the potential for the development of three open pit and two underground mines. Several engineering consultants were engaged by Seabridge to evaluate the technical issues and economic potential of the property as part of an update to a PFS published in 2011. Golder was engaged to evaluate the potential to mine the Iron Cap deposit using block caving methods to the pre-feasibility level of engineering study and to include the following scope:

- underground mine access;
- fragmentation of the caved rock as it reports to the drawpoints;
- drawpoint spacing to maximize recovery and minimize dilution;



- stability assessments and support requirements for all underground excavations;
- drawpoint layout and extraction level design;
- mine ventilation and services (de-watering, shops, etc);
- mine development and production schedules;
- mine equipment selection; and
- capital and operating cost estimates of the block caving operations.

The design and cost estimation of the material handling system (e.g., all conveyors and crusher installations) to deliver material from the underground drawpoints to the Mitchell Teagan Tunnel (MTT) was completed by Boche Ventures and Wardrop. Also, the design and cost estimation for the underground electrical system required for underground mining was completed by WN Brazier Associates Inc. Golder was not involved in the design of the surface infrastructure, except where it relates directly to the underground operations (e.g., ventilation raises).



2.0 GEOLOGICAL SETTING

The Iron Cap deposit is a porphyry-type intrusion. A general view of the outcrop of the Iron Cap deposit and the surface expressions of relevant geological features are shown in Figure 5. The country rock is comprised mostly of deformed sediments (e.g., sandstones, siltstones), volcanoclastics (e.g., tuffs, pyroclastic breccias), and volcanics (e.g., basalts, andesite flows). The ore zone is located in the Hazelton Group rocks in the footwall of the Sulphurets Thrust Fault (STF).



Figure 5: Overview of the Iron Cap project area looking north from the south side of the Mitchell Valley (BGC 2011)

The geological information for the Iron Cap deposit provided by Seabridge includes the following:

- lithology;
- alteration;
- major faulting; and
- Au and Cu grade shells of 0.25 g/t Au and 0.1% Cu.



Less is understood about the Iron Cap deposit than the Mitchell deposit, other than that quartz-sericite-pyrite alteration is more intense at Iron Cap than at Mitchell and that there appears to be more base metal mineralization, particularly in narrow veins.

Major geological structures and fabrics of the study area include the following:

- north-south striking steeply dipping faults;
- gently dipping thrust faults, and striking east-west; and
- moderately to steeply dipping foliation/schistosity.

The geometrical shapes of the 0.25 g/t Au and 0.1% Cu grade shells are very similar and superimpose one another, as shown in Figure 6. The deposit extends approximately 1,200 m SW-NE (along strike), 700 m NW-SE (in plan in the down dip direction), and 700 m vertically. The deposit is massive and reasonably continuous and in general geometrically suitable to mine by block caving. It is understood that the deposit remains open at depth.

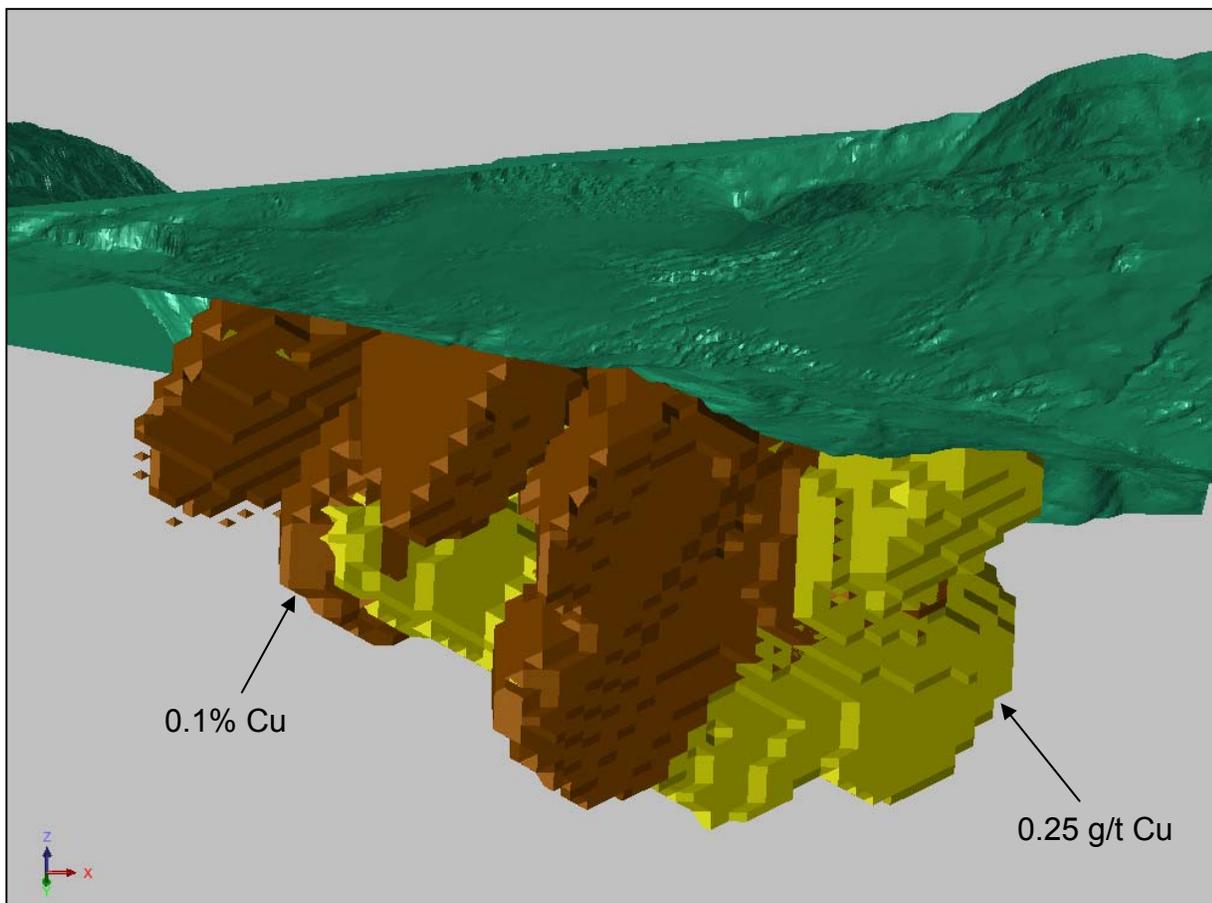


Figure 6: Isometric view showing 0.25 g/t Au and 0.1% Cu grade shells of the Iron Cap deposit (looking north)



A vertical cross-section toward the center of the deposit showing lithology, alteration, structures and grade shells is presented in Figure 7. The lithological units within the area of potential block cave mining (above the underground extraction level) are primarily altered volcanics that lie beneath the STF.

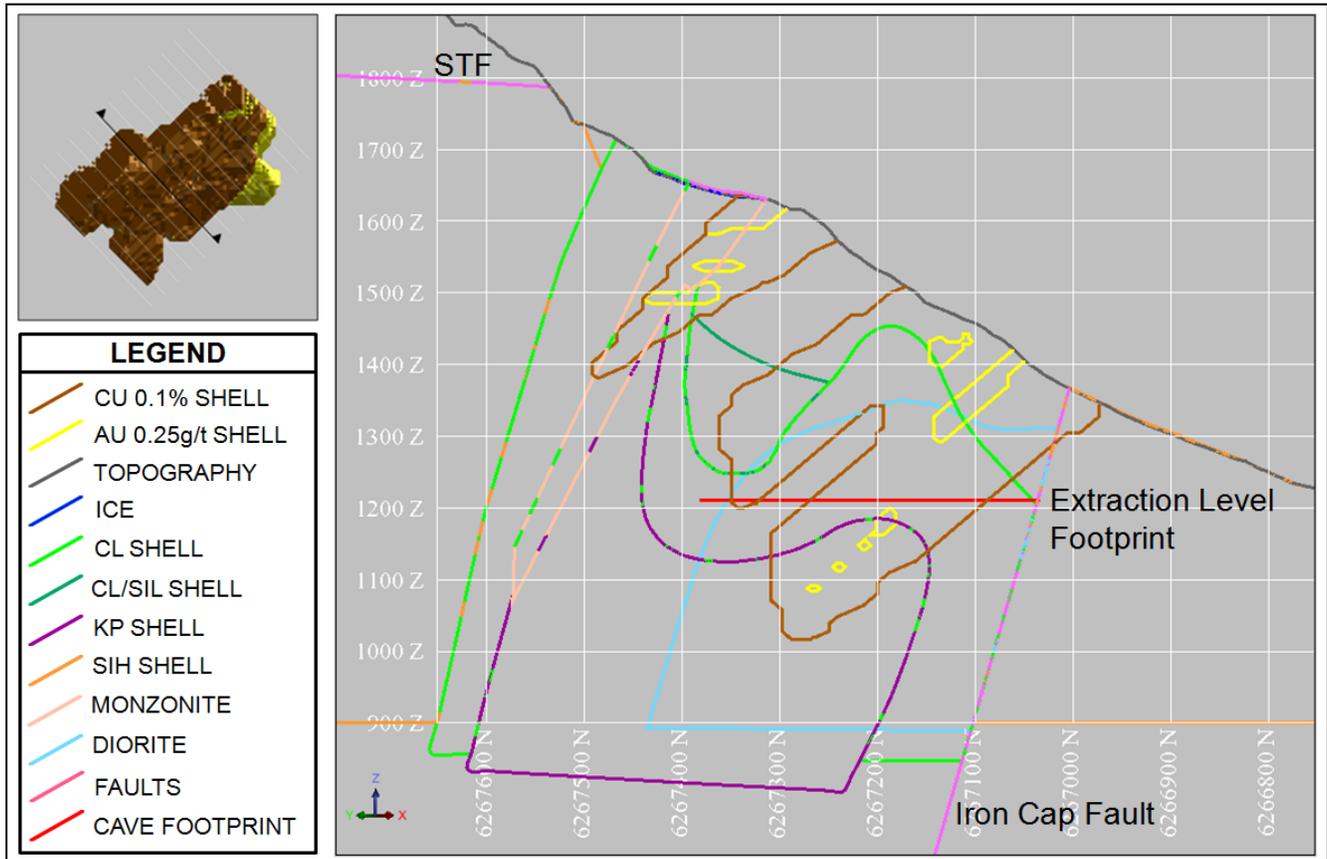


Figure 7: Vertical cross-section of the Iron Cap deposit showing lithology, alteration, faults, and 0.25 g/t Au and 0.1% Cu grade shells

Primary alteration types in the Iron Cap zone are phyllic or quartz-sericite-pyrite (QSP) and chloritic, with overprinting from silica flooding and hydrothermal brecciation. These alteration types are generally associated with the mineralized zone and immediately surrounding rock.

Outside of the mineralized and QSP altered area of the Iron Cap zone, the alteration types are dominantly potassic, siliceous, and hornfels. Geotechnical studies carried out by Bruce Geotechnical Consultants (BGC 2011) for preliminary pit designs did not identify any correlations between these alteration types and rock mass quality.

A summary of the lithological units and primary alteration types in the Iron Cap zone is contained in Table 2.



Table 2: Iron Cap Lithological Units and Primary Alteration Types

| Geologic Unit | Lithology | Alteration Types | Comments |
|----------------------------------|---|--|---|
| "Mitchell Intrusives" (Jurassic) | Feldspar Porphyry, Monzonite, Andesite, Diorite | Potassic, Hornfels | Above the core of the Iron Cap zone, there is a relatively large intrusive body located within the Hazelton Group volcanic. The upper slope of the Mitchell Valley has a large percentage of volcanic rocks. There are also intrusives located within the mineralized zone of the Iron Cap deposit. |
| Hazelton Group (Jurassic) | Volcaniclastic, Tuff, Volcanics, Sedimentary | Phyllic (QSP), Hydrothermal Brecciation, Intermediate Argillic, Chloritic, Silicic | The mineralized zone of the Iron Cap deposit is a mixture of highly altered and mineralized volcanics and intrusives belonging stratigraphically to the Hazelton Group. |
| | | Chloritic, Propylitic, Hornfels, Potassic, Silicic | The Hazelton Group rocks are located in the footwall of the STF. Alteration in this unit can be intense, as the core of the deposit is located in it. |
| Stuhini Group (Triassic) | Volcaniclastic, Tuff, Volcanics, | Phyllic (QSP), , Intermediate Argillic, Chloritic, Propylitic, Silicic | The Stuhini Group is located in the STF hanging wall. It represents a back-arc basin package and is the host rock of the intrusives. Alteration in this unit can be intense close to the STF, where the core of the Sulphurets zone begins. |

Taken from BGC (2011).

There are a number of regionally significant structures identified in the Iron Cap zone. These include the STF and the Iron Cap normal fault, as well as bedding, and foliation. An isometric view of the deposit showing the surface topography, mineralization, STF, and Iron Cap fault is shown in Figure 8.

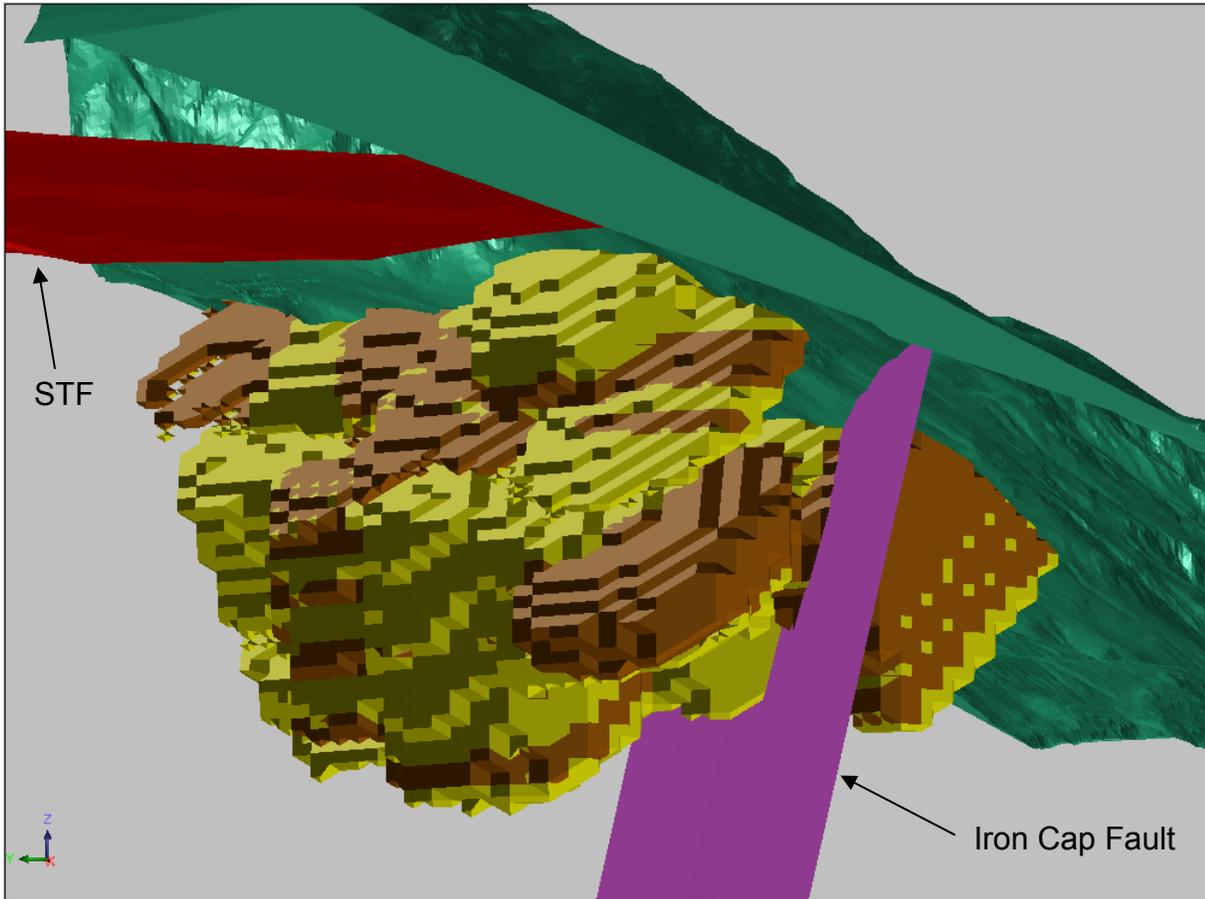


Figure 8: Isometric view showing 0.25 g/t Au and 0.1% Cu grade shells, Sulphurets Thrust Fault and Iron Cap Fault (looking east)

The Iron Cap fault dips steeply to the north and is located at the south end of the proposed block cave footprint. Based on rock quality data from exploration borehole IC-10-034, which intersects the fault at an elevation of approximately 1,210 m, this structure is not anticipated to be geotechnically significant and does not require additional design considerations.

Bedding is not very evident in the Hazelton Group rocks that contain the mineralization. The orientation of the foliation is variable and typically dips to the south at moderate to steep angles.



3.0 MINERAL RESOURCES

The mineral resources were provided by Seabridge as a text file to Golder. These were then forwarded to Gemcom for used in the Footprint Finder (FF) and PCBC modelling. The block model contained Gold (Au), Silver (Ag), Copper (Cu) and Molybdenum (Mo) grades as well as a Net Smelter Return (NSR) value based on the NSR formula in the pre-feasibility update (PFU) (Seabridge 2011). The model also contained measured, indicated and inferred grades. The inferred grades were set to zero and are not included in this pre-feasibility study.

3.1 NSR Cut-Off

The underground block cave mining cost was determined from first principals and is discussed further in Section 11.3. The PFU report provided the general and administration (G&A) and milling costs as shown in Table 3.

Table 3: Components of the NSR Cut-Off

| Item | US\$/t Milled |
|--------------------------------|---------------|
| Block Cave Mining ¹ | 6.00 |
| Milling, G&A and Site Service | 9.57 |
| Total | 15.57 |

¹ The mining cost used to determine the resources discussed in this section was a preliminary one. More details on the mining cost can be found in Section 11.3.

3.2 Block Cave Resources

The following definitions are applicable to this report.

- *Geological resources* are as presented in the PFU (Seabridge 2011) and include all of the measured and indicated mineral resources.
- *Mineral inventory* is the portion of the geological resources above the NSR cut-off.
- *Dilution* is defined as material with zero grade within the footprint that is mined including the inferred material.
- *Block cave resources* are the quantity of measured and indicated material within the footprint that have an NSR > \$15.57, as determined by PCBC and includes dilution.
- *Recovery* is the ratio of block cave resources to the mineral inventory, and represents the proportion of potentially economic material recovered in the mine plan.



In block caving, the recovery is affected by the quantity of planned and unplanned dilution that reaches the drawpoint, which is governed in part by draw control (the mines ability to maintain a constant cave back and reduce fines/dilution migration to the drawpoint). Good draw control can be hindered by lost drawpoints due to very large muck, drawpoint collapse due to ground and/or mining conditions, or poor mine planning (over-mucking from certain drawpoints and not enough from others creating an uneven cave back).

The Iron Cap deposit contains 362 M tonnes of geological resources grading 5.4 g/t Ag, 0.44 g/t Au, 0.21% Cu and 37 ppm Mo. This resource was evaluated using Gemcom’s FF software (the FF results will be discussed in Section 4.0) to evaluate the economic potential for a block cave mine, and Gemcom’s PCBC software (discussed in Section 10.0) to produce a schedule of mined tonnes and grade (the block cave resources). The block cave resources are estimated to be 193 M tonnes including 5% waste dilution (zero grade). A summary of the Iron Cap mineral resources can be found in Table 4 and Table 5.

Table 4: Summary of the Geological and Block Cave Resources

| Category | Tonnes (millions) | Ag (g/t) | Au (g/t) | Cu (%) | Mo (ppm) |
|---|-------------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|
| Geological Resources ¹ | 362 | 5.4 | 0.44 | 0.21 | 37 |
| Mineral Inventory | 321 | 6.3 | 0.52 | 0.23 | 23 |
| Block Cave Resources^{2,3} | 193 | 5.3 | 0.45 | 0.20 | 21 |
| Dilution | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Recovery | 60% | | | | |
| Total Dilution | 5% | | | | |

¹ Geological Resources presented in Table 1.1 of the PFU (Seabridge 2011).

² PCBC includes column mixing with dilution and shutting of columns (drawpoints) when NSR < \$15.41 so a portion of the diluted mineral inventory is not recovered.

³ Block Cave Resources can be considered as Probable Mineral Reserves within the complete pre-feasibility study report.

Table 5: Mineral Resources Recovered at Drawpoints.

| Category | Tonnes (millions) | Ag (g/t) | Au (g/t) | Cu (%) | Mo (ppm) |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|
| Measured | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Indicated | 177 | 5.8 | 0.49 | 0.21 | 23 |
| Measured and Indicated | 177 | 5.8 | 0.49 | 0.21 | 23 |
| Inferred | 6 | 4.6 | 0.33 | 0.19 | 43 |
| Waste | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total | 193 | 5.3 | 0.45 | 0.20 | 21 |



4.0 PRELIMINARY MINING ASSESSMENT

Open pit mining methods were used in the PFU to evaluate the mining potential of this deposit. However, due to various environmental concerns such as pre-stripping the ice cap and creating additional potentially acid generating waste, Seabridge decided to assess other options.

The location, dimensions, and dip of the mineralized material at Iron Cap indicated that it was a candidate for block caving. Block caving is a low cost underground mining method and has the potential to achieve very high production rates. However, it requires a significant investment of time and money prior to the start of production mining. Because of the potential for low operating costs and high production rates with block caving, other underground mining methods were not investigated.

Gemcom’s Footprint Finder (FF) was used initially to investigate the possibility of mining Iron Cap as a block cave. FF provides estimates of the value of columns of the block model at different elevations. The goal is to determine at which elevation a caving footprint would be the most successful (i.e., the widest) and the most profitable. FF is a coarse tool used to evaluate the potential for a deposit to be mined by block caving. Additional information concerning the FF module is presented in the Golder report “Block Cave Mine Study” (Golder 2011a).

4.1 Footprint Finder Inputs

Footprint Finder requires a block model of the mineralized material includes a value attribute, such as grade or NSR, and cost inputs to evaluate the potential profitability of caving a mineral deposit. FF used the NSR block model discussed in Section 3.0. Table 6 shows the key input values that were used. The mining costs used estimated prior to the more detailed cost estimate being undertaken and at this stage, were mostly based on experience. The exception was “Other operating costs” which were based on the PFU (Seabridge 2011). Additional details concerning the inputs and their definitions are presented in the Golder report “Block Panel Caving Conceptual Study for the KSM project” Golder (2011b).

Table 6: Key Input Values Used in Footprint Finder to Evaluate the Block Caving Potential of Iron Cap

| Footprint Finder Input | Value |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Incremental Horizontal Capital Cost | \$ 1,075 per m ² |
| Incremental Vertical Capital Cost | \$ 112,000 per m |
| Fixed Capital Costs | \$ 100M |
| Mining Operating Cost | \$ 5.40 per tonne |
| Other Operating Costs (milling, G&A) | \$ 8.41 per tonne |
| Maximum Column Height | 500 m |



4.2 Footprint Finder Results

A summary of the FF results is shown in Figure 9. A footprint at elevation 1,150 m has the most tonnage (\$1,292M and 215M tonnes), while a footprint at 1,210 m has the most value (\$1,385M and 207M tonnes). The Iron Cap block cave design was based on the 1,210 m elevation footprint, with tonnage and grade summary presented in Table 7 and the footprint geometry shown in Figure 10.

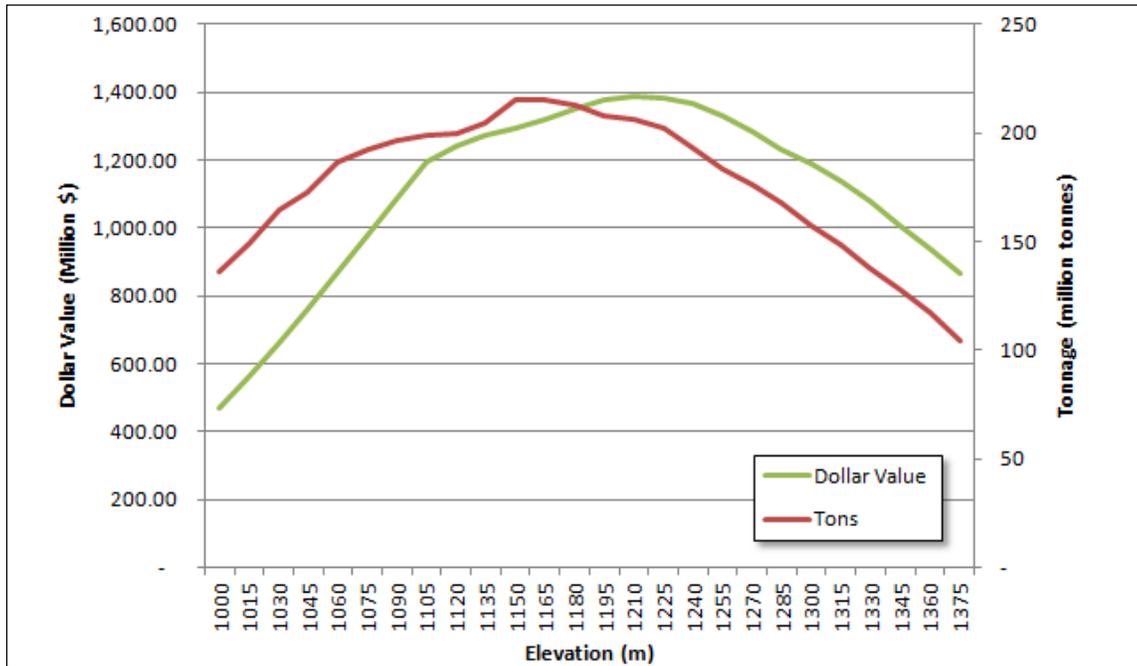


Figure 9: Summary graph of the footprint finder results for the Iron Cap deposit

Table 7: Summary of the Footprint Finder Results for the Footprint Chosen (1210 M Elevation)

| Elevation (m) | Tonnage (Mtonnes) | Au (g/t) | Cu (%) | Ag (g/t) | Mo (ppm) |
|---------------|-------------------|----------|--------|----------|----------|
| 1,210 | 207 | 0.47 | 0.2 | 5.63 | 21.85 |



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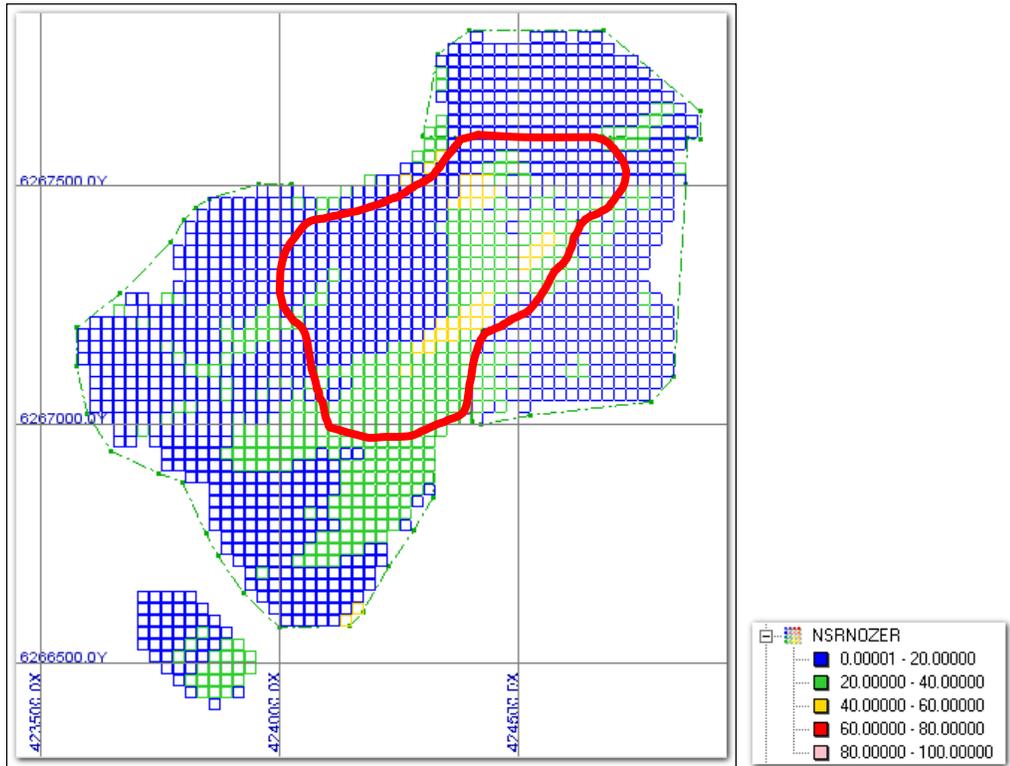


Figure 10: Iron Cap footprint (in red) with the dollar value of columns of the geological resource block model at 1210 m elevation



5.0 GEOTECHNICAL CHARACTERIZATION

The characterization of the rock mass has focused on the rock in and around the extraction and undercut levels of the proposed block cave mine and on the mineralized rock above this that will be caved. Rock within 50 m of the ground surface is expected to be of poorer quality due to weathering. This rock will not have a significant impact on the caving response of the mineralized rock, and geotechnical information from this rock has not been included in the characterization of the rock mass that will be block caved.

Characterization of the rock was based on core photographs and data collected for exploration drillholes, detailed geotechnical data collected for drilling programs carried out by BGC in 2010 (BGC 2011), and an interpreted geological model provided to Golder by Seabridge.

There are a total of 41 exploration holes and three geotechnical holes in the Iron Cap deposit. The borehole locations are shown in Figure 11. Only those holes that are near or that intersect the mineralized rock above the proposed block cave extraction level (El. 1,210 m) are considered here. Geotechnical boreholes are shown in red.

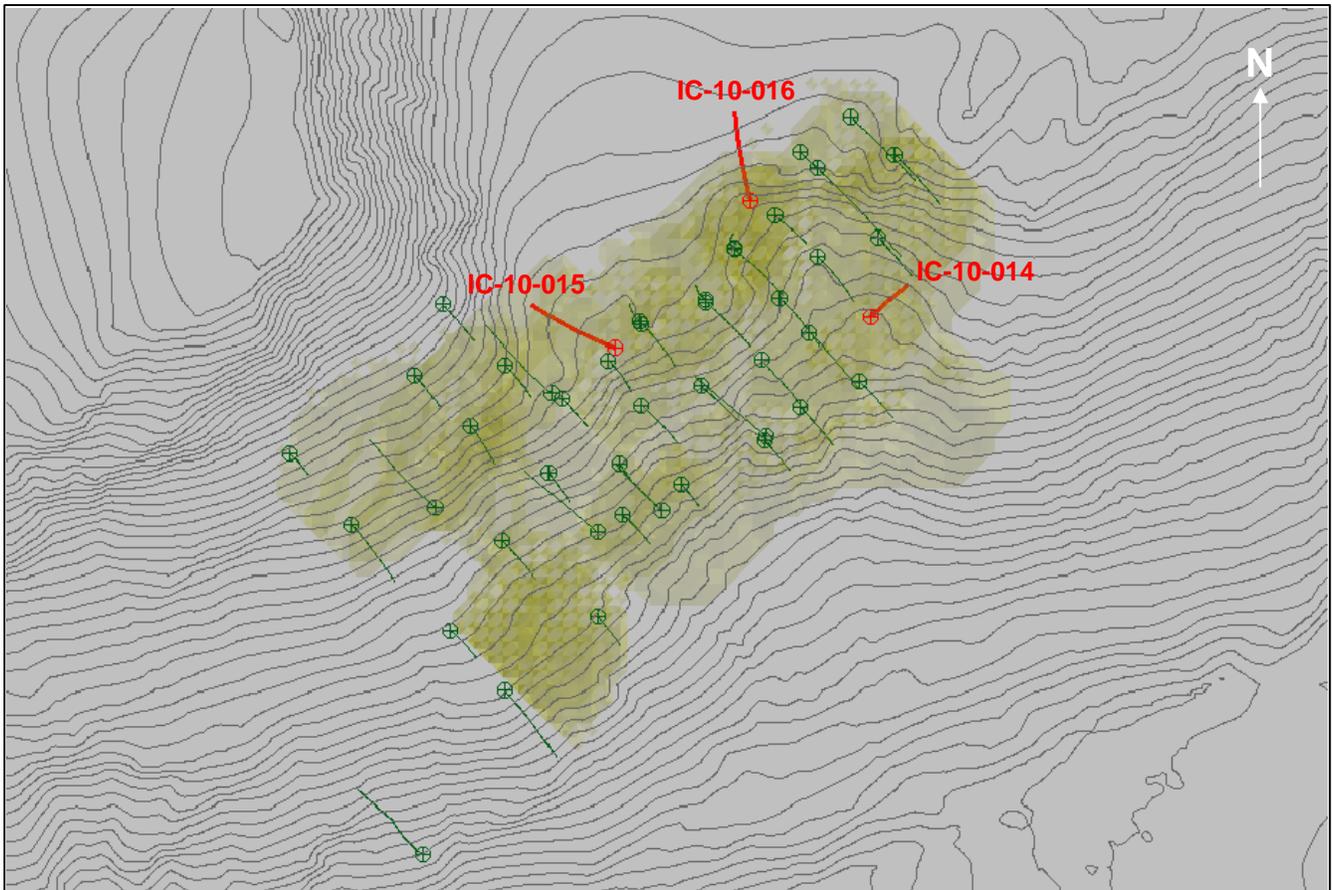


Figure 11: Iron Cap exploration and geotechnical boreholes and 0.25 g/t Au grade shell



Some of the block cave mine infrastructure (i.e., ramps, raises, conveyor drifts, etc.) will be located outside of the immediate area of mineralization. This infrastructure, including the access ramp, main conveyor, and ventilation drifts, is shown in Figure 12. For the purpose of this report, the rock outside the immediate area of mineralization where some of the infrastructure is located is referred to as “host” rock. The host rock that the mine infrastructure will be excavated in has been assessed based on data collected from nearby drillholes, where available.

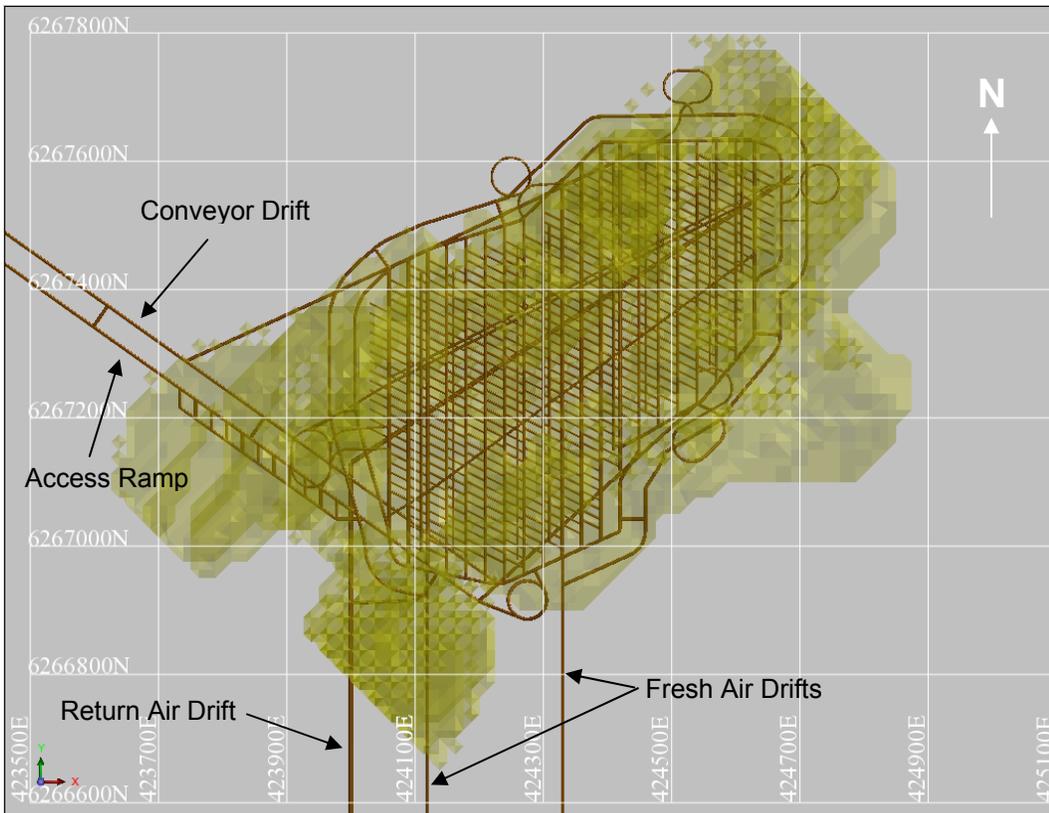


Figure 12: Plan showing mine infrastructure and 0.25 g/t Au grade shell

Figure 12 is included here for illustration purposes only to indicate where the mine infrastructure is planned relative to the mineralized material. Details of the mine design will be discussed in later sections of this report.

The key components of the rock mass characterization are summarized below. A more detailed description of the rock mass characterization, and the data on which it is based, is contained in the Golder geotechnical characterization report (Golder 2012a). Further site characterizations and geotechnical conditions are presented in BGC’s report (BGC 2011).



5.1 Rock Mass Rating

The geotechnical boreholes were logged for rock quality according to the Rock Mass Rating (RMR₇₆) system (Bieniawski 1976). Detailed criteria for the rating system are presented in Table 8 below. Core photographs representative of the range of rock quality indicated by the drilling are presented in the Golder geotechnical characterization report (Golder 2012a).

Table 8: Rock Mass Rating System (Bieniawski 1976)

| Rating | Description |
|----------|----------------|
| 0 – 20 | Very poor rock |
| 20 – 40 | Poor rock |
| 40 – 60 | Fair rock |
| 60 – 80 | Good rock |
| 80 – 100 | Very good rock |

The exploration boreholes were only logged for rock quality designation (RQD) data, while the geotechnical boreholes were logged for both RQD and RMR. Comparison between RQD and RMR data for the geotechnical boreholes indicated a good correlation between RQD and RMR. Since the rock is generally strong and fractures are unaltered, RMR is most strongly influenced by the degree of fracturing (i.e., RQD). Data from the 2010 geotechnical boreholes (IC-10-014, IC-10-015 and IC-10-016) were used to develop a correlation between RQD and RMR. This is discussed in more detail in the Golder geotechnical characterization report (Golder 2012a). This was then applied to the exploration boreholes to estimate RMR values from RQD.

Figure 13 shows a typical cross-section with both correlated and logged RMR data. A complete set of cross-sections is contained in the Golder geotechnical characterization report.



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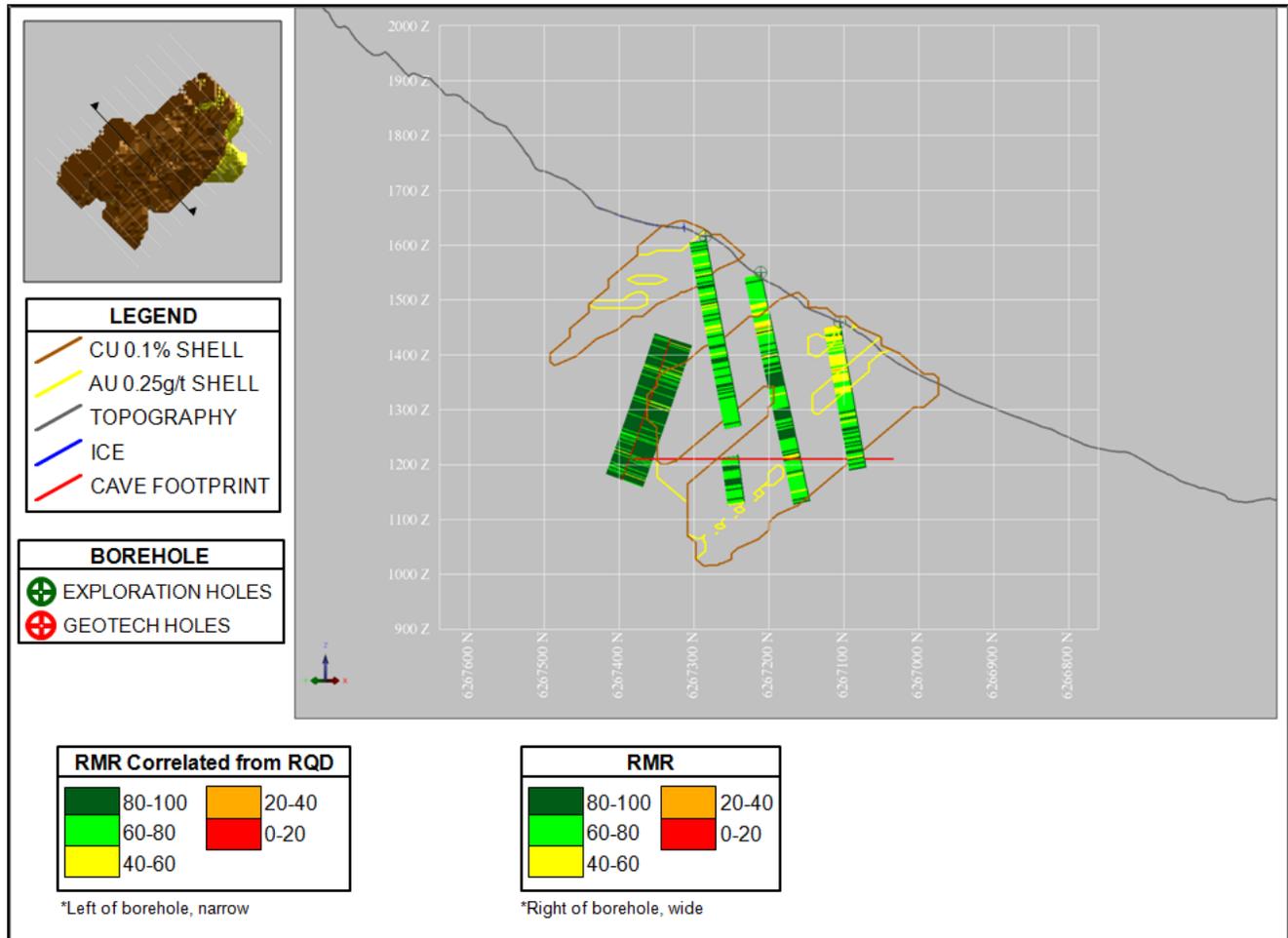


Figure 13: Vertical cross-section showing correlated RMR and logged RMR

The average RMR for the mineralized rock above the extraction level (El. 1,210 m) was determined to be approximately 70. This is in general agreement with the average RMR values reported for the STF footwall rock in BGC’s report (BGC 2011). The rock conditions are classified as “good,” according to the ratings shown in Table 8. RMR values are higher for geotechnical holes IC-10-015 and IC-10-016 (average RMR value of approximately 82), than for IC-10-014 (average RMR value of 64). This is discussed in more detail in the Golder geotechnical characterization report (Golder 2012a).

The host rock adjacent to the ventilation drifts to the south of the proposed block cave footprint appears to be of good quality, based on correlated RMR data from exploration borehole IC-10-044 and core photographs from exploration borehole IC-05-05. There are no geotechnical data available to assess the quality of the rock mass that the access ramp and conveyor drift will be excavated in to the northwest that connect to the Mitchell-Tiegan tunnel. However, geological interpretations suggest that the rock is good quality volcanic and sediments that are unaltered.



5.2 Intact Strength

A total of eight Unconfined Compressive Strength (UCS) tests were conducted as part of the Open Pit Slope Design PFS (BGC 2011). All eight samples were collected from the Iron Cap mineralized zone. UCS values ranged from 63 to 155 MPa (equivalent to ISRM field strength ratings of R4 to R5), with an average UCS of 102 MPa. Detailed test results are available in BGC's report (BGC 2011). These UCS values are in good agreement with UCS values obtained from laboratory testing performed on samples from the Mitchell project area, as described in the Golder report titled "2011 Geotechnical and Hydrogeological Field Investigations, Mitchell Project" (Golder 2012b).

Field intact rock strength estimates were logged by BGC for the 2010 geotechnical boreholes using the International Society for Rock Mechanics standard field identification methods (ISRM 1981). Logged ISRM strength estimates are generally consistent with laboratory test results (BGC 2011).

5.3 Fracture Orientations

Acoustic and optical televiewer survey data were reconciled with discontinuities logged in the geotechnical boreholes to develop stereographic projections. Detailed descriptions and stereographic projections of fracture orientations are available in BGC's report (BGC 2011).

Figure 14 shows a stereographic projection of combined structural orientation data from IC-10-014, IC-10-015 and IC-10-016. Data are referenced to true north. The plot indicates a prominent joint set steeply dipping to the south-southeast, and a less prominent joint set dipping at intermediate angles to the west. Note that these plots may displace some data bias due to the orientation of the boreholes. The bias may have resulted in fewer northeast dipping structures being identified.

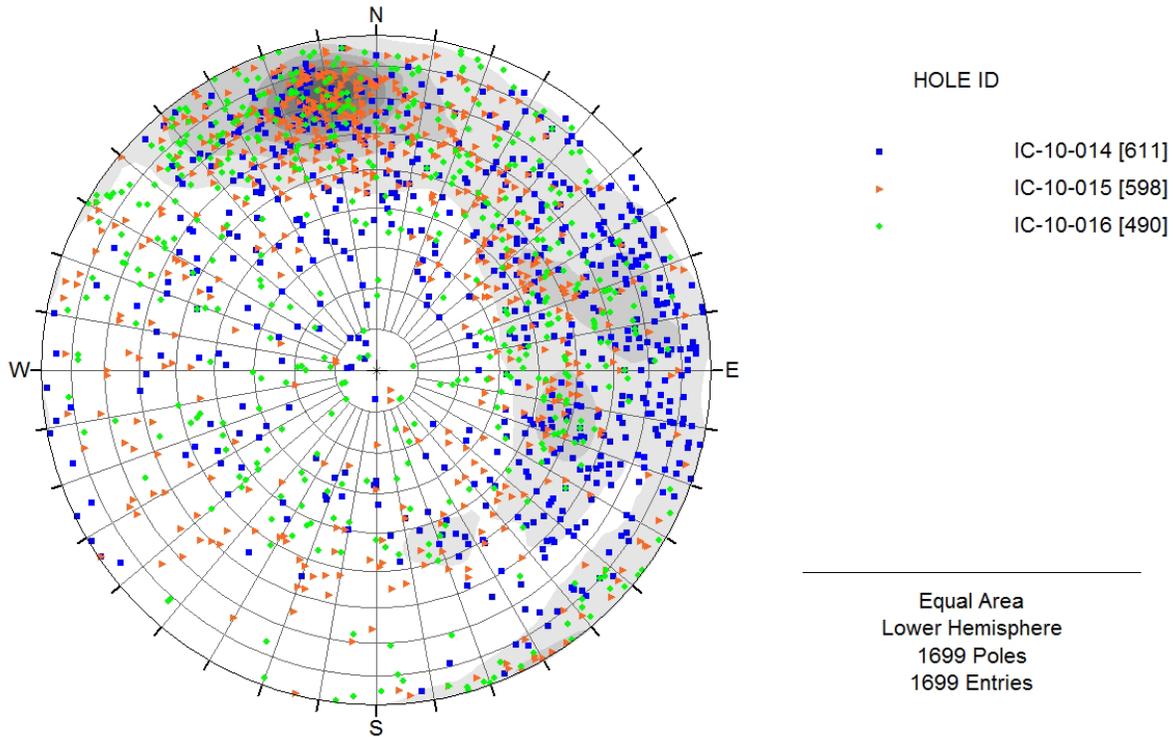


Figure 14: Stereographic projection plot showing open features classified by borehole.

5.4 Fracture Intensity

Fracture intensity is characterized by the fracture frequency logged per interval, defined as:

$$\text{Fracture Frequency } (/m) = \frac{\text{Number of Fractures in Interval}}{\text{Length of Interval}}$$

Only data from the geotechnical boreholes (IC-10-014, IC-10-015 and IC-10-016) were included in the fracture intensity characterization. Two of the holes (IC-10-015 and IC-10-016) have a relatively low fracture frequency, while the other geotechnical hole (IC-10-014) has a higher fracture frequency. Down-hole plots showing fracture frequency for the geotechnical boreholes are shown in Figure 15.

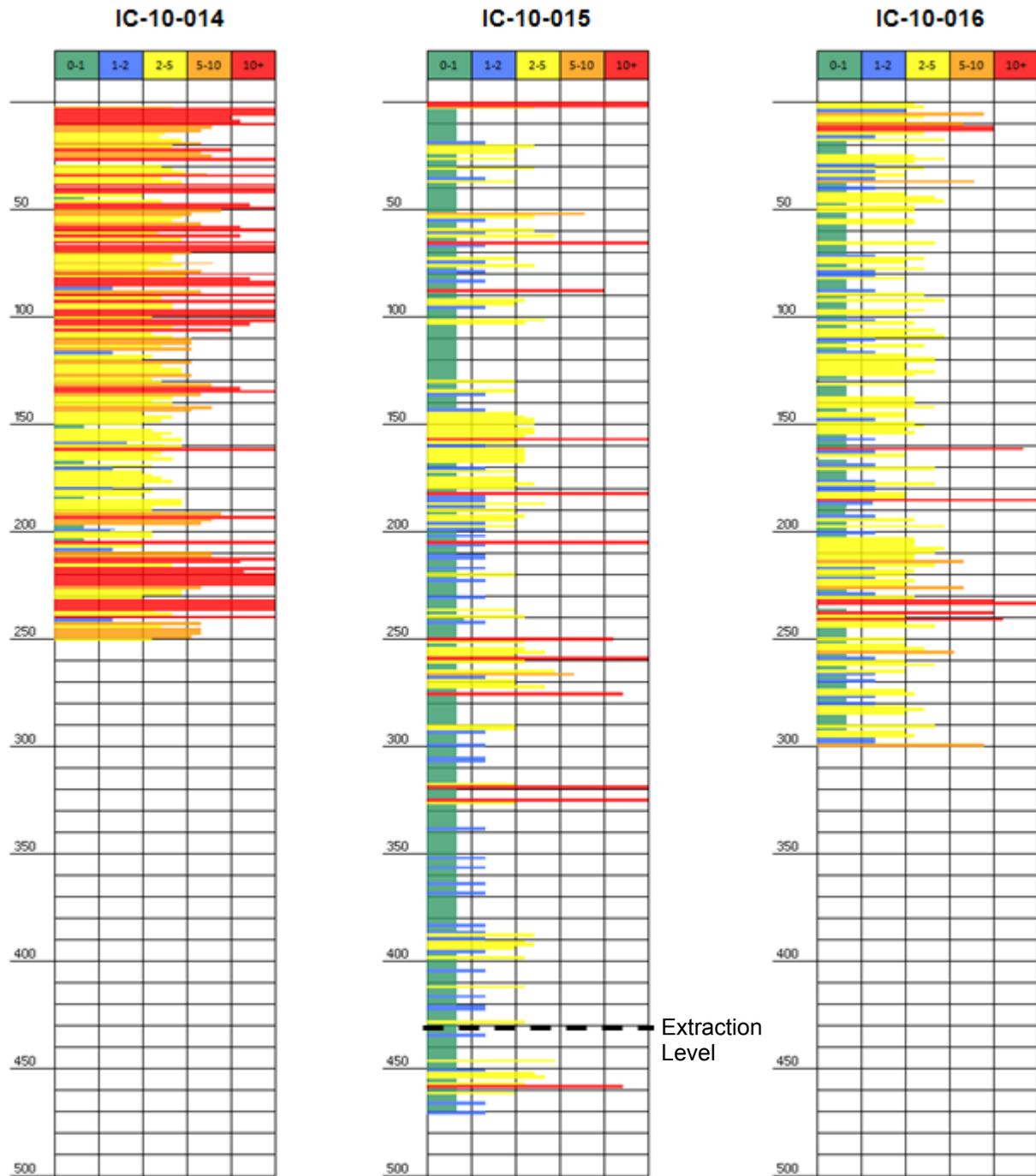


Figure 15: Down-hole plots showing fracture frequency data from geotechnical boreholes



In general, the exploration boreholes exhibit high fracture frequencies similar to IC-10-014. However, there is a low level of confidence in the fracture frequency data collected from these holes. Of particular significance is the fact that logging data from exploration holes at the Mitchell deposit suggested a much higher fracture frequency than the geotechnical holes indicated. The reason for this is uncertain, but the fracture frequency recorded for exploration holes may have been affected by drilling procedures, core handling, and logging methods. It is uncertain whether this is also the case at Iron Cap, but for the present the fracture frequencies from the exploration holes are not being relied on.

Correlations of fracture frequency with other geotechnical/geological parameters were evaluated in great detail. This included an assessment of the possible effect of alteration type on fracture frequency. Rock with pervasive silicification was found to be more fractured than other alteration types, but the difference in fracture frequency between the alteration types is less pronounced when data from IC-10-14 is excluded. At this stage, there is insufficient data available to assess whether the high fracture frequency in IC-10-014 is anomalous or representative of the rock mass above the proposed block cave mine footprint. Additional data will need to be collected as part of future studies to confirm the quality of the rock mass in the Iron Cap deposit.

The median fracture frequency for the mineralized rock above the extraction level (El. 1,210 m) in IC-10-015 and IC-10-16 is approximately 1.3 fractures per metre. The median fracture frequency for IC-10-014 alone is 4.7 fractures per metre.

5.5 Fracture Persistence

No fracture persistence data have been collected at Iron Cap. However, Golder conducted geotechnical mapping along four traverses on rock outcrops near the Mitchell deposit in June 2011. Detailed methodology, analyses and results are provided in the Mitchell field investigation report (Golder 2012b).

Two of the traverses had dominant phyllic (QSP) alteration, and two had dominant phyllic alteration with stockwork quartz veining (QSPSTW). Mapped features were characterized by the number of termination ends visible in the outcrop (i.e., 0, 1 or 2). Most features had a persistence of 3 m or less, as shown in Figure 16. However, the data are limited and strongly influenced by the size of the outcrops that were mapped (approximately 12 m by 2 m). It is recognized that there may be more continuous structures in the rock mass than indicated by the data, particularly intermediate or steeply dipping structures that would have been truncated by the mapping window. An allowance was made for this in developing the fracture model of the rock mass discussed in Section 5.6.1. The distribution of features for which either no terminations were visible (termination = 0), one end of the structure was visible (termination = 1), or both ends of the structure were visible in the mapping window (termination = 2) is summarized in Table 9.

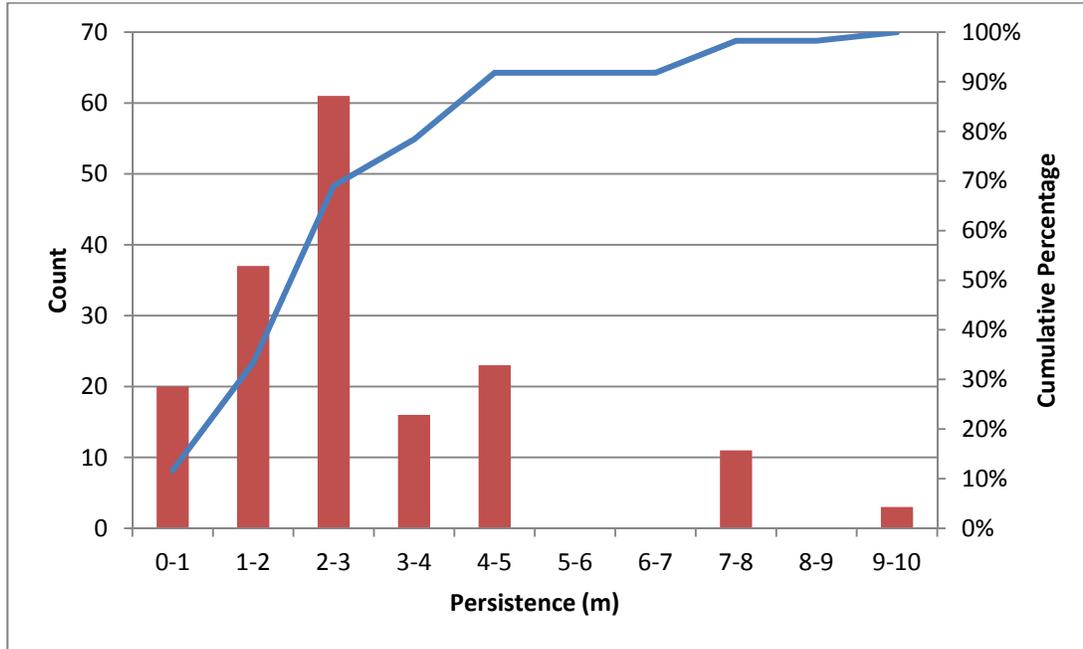


Figure 16: Persistence distribution of all mapped features

Table 9: Distribution of Termination of Mapped Features

| Termination | Number of Mapped Features |
|-------------|---------------------------|
| 0 | 12 |
| 1 | 30 |
| 2 | 26 |

5.6 Estimate of Insitu Block Size

An estimate of the range of in situ block sizes within the rock mass was developed based on the fracture characteristics discussed above and a Discrete Fracture Network (DFN) model created using the Golder FracMan software. DFN modelling is a methodology of creating a geologically realistic model of the fracture network based on stochastically defined structures. The models depict the geometry and connectivity of the fracture network and provide an indication of the geometry of the intact rock blocks.



5.6.1 DFN Model Input and Verification

The input data used to construct the model was as follows:

- distribution of fracture orientations obtained from borehole televiewer data from IC-10-014, IC-10-015, and IC-10-016;
- distribution of fracture spacing from boreholes within the Iron Cap deposit (IC-10-014, IC-10-015, and IC-10-016); and
- distribution of fracture lengths from fracture geometry information collected from outcrop mapping at the Mitchell project area during the 2011 field program (Golder 2012b).

Details on these input parameters can be found in the Golder geotechnical characterization report (Golder 2012a).

A 5x5x5 m DFN model constructed from the field data is shown in Figure 17. Fracture geometry within the model was found to be in good agreement with the field data on which it was based.

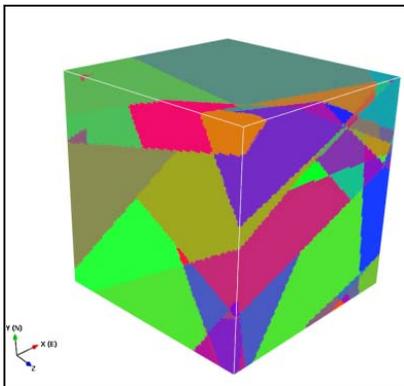


Figure 17: Example of Iron Cap 5x5x5 m DFN model

5.6.2 Results

The distribution of block sizes indicated by the DFN model is presented in Figure 18. The median block size is approximately 2.5 m³. This represents a fairly coarse block size for caving mining. The implications of this are discussed in Section 6.2.

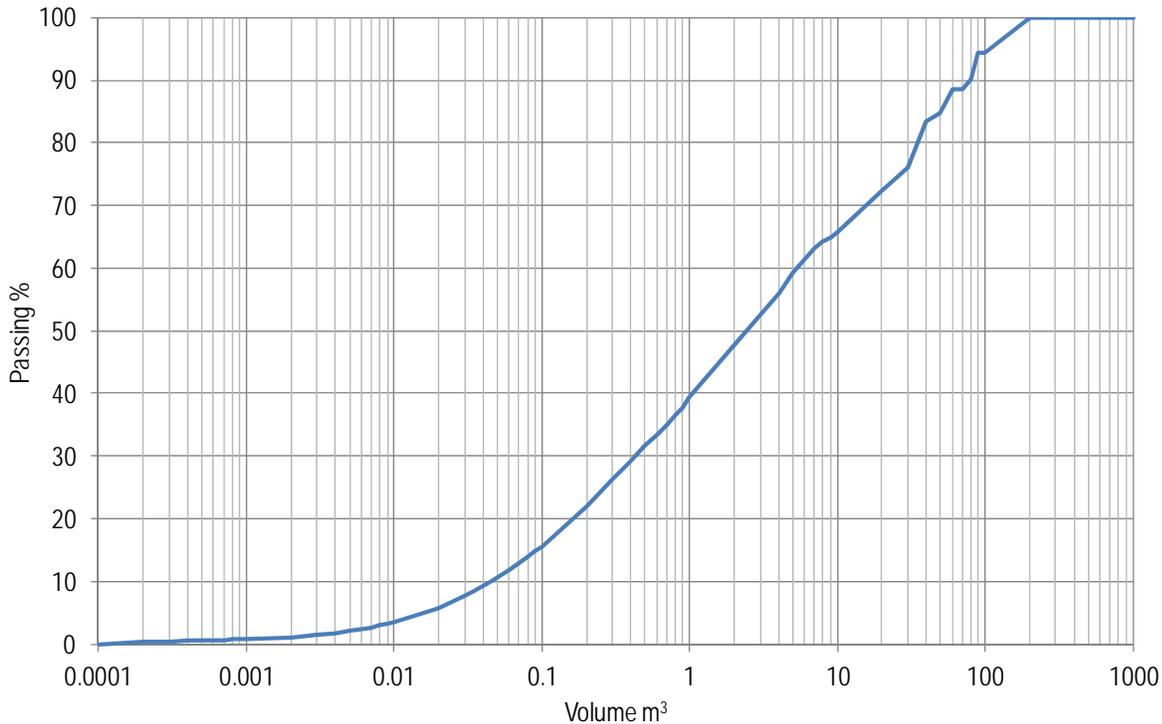


Figure 18: Block size percent passing averaged curve estimated for the Iron Cap deposit

5.7 In Situ Stress

No in situ stress testing has been conducted at Iron Cap. However, hydraulic fracturing testing was performed in borehole M-11-122 to evaluate the in situ stress at Mitchell. Detailed methodology, analyses and test results are provided in the Mitchell field investigation report (Golder 2012b).

The results of the testing at Mitchell suggest that the maximum horizontal stress may be as high as 2 to 4 times the vertical stress (estimated from overburden loading) and the minimum horizontal stress is estimated as 1 to 2 times the vertical overburden stress. In situ horizontal stresses are likely to be lower at the Iron Cap deposit due to the topography (the deposit is located in a hillside rather than in the valley bottom where stresses may be concentrated, as is the case for Mitchell).

5.8 Hydrogeological Characterization

Hydrogeological testing was conducted at Iron Cap during the 2010 field investigation (BGC 2011). Based on the test results, the hydraulic conductivity of the bedrock was found to decrease with depth from a maximum of 3×10^{-6} m/s to a minimum of 8×10^{-9} m/s, although values varied by up to two orders of magnitude at any given depth. Detailed hydrogeological test results are available in BGC's report (BGC 2011).



5.9 Discussion

The Iron Cap deposit appears to be composed of strong, moderately fractured rock. Rock quality variations are most commonly attributed to variations in fracture frequency as the strength of the rock mass does not vary significantly within the deposit.

The fracture frequency is higher for Iron Cap than the nearby Mitchell deposit, resulting in a corresponding lower predicted median in situ block size of 2.5 m³ compared to approximately 6 m³ for the Mitchell deposit.

There are several gaps in data that have been identified in the geotechnical and hydrogeological studies. These gaps will need to be addressed as part of future studies if the project is advanced to the next level of study. These gaps include the following:

- There are only three geotechnical holes in the Iron Cap deposit, and one of these three holes suggests significantly more fractured rock than the other two. With only three holes, there are insufficient data to confidently determine which of the existing holes most accurately represent the character of the rock mass as a whole. For the current level of study, properties from the three holes have been averaged. Future studies will need to include additional geotechnical drilling data to obtain a better spatial understanding of the fracture intensity in the deposit.
- Geotechnical logging at Iron Cap has focused on collecting parameters relevant to open pit design. Future logging should include collecting data tailored to assessing the caving geomechanics of the deposit (i.e., rock fabric, microdefects, etc.).
- To date there has been no geotechnical mapping directly relevant to the Iron Cap deposit. Assumptions regarding fracture persistence for this study have been based on limited mapping data in the area of the Mitchell deposit. Where possible, geotechnical mapping of relevant rock exposures in the area of the Iron Cap deposit should be carried out as part of future studies.
- There have been no fracture propagation assessments applicable to preconditioning designs or in situ stress interpretations developed at the Iron Cap deposit. Measurements carried out in the Mitchell deposit may not accurately reflect the fracture propagation and stress environment at Iron Cap because of the effects of surface topography. Future drilling programs should include hydraulic fracturing tests.

After this data collection is complete, more sophisticated numerical models should be developed to evaluate design aspects of the block cave (e.g., likelihood of stress-related fracturing, magnitude of abutment stresses, etc.).



6.0 CAVING GEOMECHANICS

6.1 Cavability

As indicated in Section 5.1, the quality of the rock mass at Iron Cap is rated as good. No major structural features have been identified that might influence the caving mechanism and the progression of the cave in any significant manner.

In situ stresses at the nearby Mitchell deposit have been estimated from hydraulic fracturing tests discussed in Section 5.7. The results of the testing suggest that the maximum horizontal stress may be as high as 2 to 4 times the vertical stress (estimated from overburden loading), and the minimum horizontal stress is estimated as 1 to 2 times the vertical overburden stress. In situ horizontal stresses are likely to be lower at the Iron Cap deposit due to the topography (the deposit is located in a hillside rather than in the valley bottom where stresses may be concentrated, as is the case for Mitchell). Given the strength of the rock mass (~100 MPa) and the relatively shallow depth of the deposit, stress-induced fracturing of the rock mass is unlikely to significantly contribute to caving

A preliminary assessment of the cavability of the rock mass was made using Laubscher’s Stability Chart (Laubscher 1999) and the Extended Mathews’ Stability Graph (Trueman and Mawdesley 2003). Both methods involve assessing cavability based on experience at other mining operations with rock of similar quality. Both assessments were based on average or “typical” geotechnical properties for the rock above the extraction level (El. 1,210 m).

Laubscher Stability Chart

The Laubscher Stability Chart relates the rock quality and stress conditions for a given deposit, characterized by the Modified Rock Mass Rating (MRMR), to the hydraulic radius of the opening. MRMR was estimated to be approximately 48 for the Iron Cap deposit. Parameters used to estimate MRMR are outlined in Table 10.

Table 10: MRMR Rating Classification

| Parameter | Description | Rating |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| Intact rock strength | 102 MPa | 10 |
| RQD | 93% | 14 |
| FF/m | 2 joint sets, average spacing 1.6 m | 22 |
| Joint condition | | 21 |
| Large scale | Moist, straight | 70% |
| Small scale | Moist, rough undulating | 75% |
| Joint wall alteration | No alteration | 100% |
| Joint filling | None | 100% |
| RMR | | 67 |
| Adjustments | | |
| Weathering | None | 100% |
| Joint orientation | 3 joints, 2 inclined | 80% |
| Mining induced stresses | Stress difference in cave back | 90% |
| Blast effects | None | 100% |
| MRMR | | 48 |



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As shown in Figure 19, the minimum hydraulic radius (HR) of the undercut required to initiate caving based on Laubscher's Stability chart is approximately 25 m. This equates to an approximate area of 100 m by 100 m.

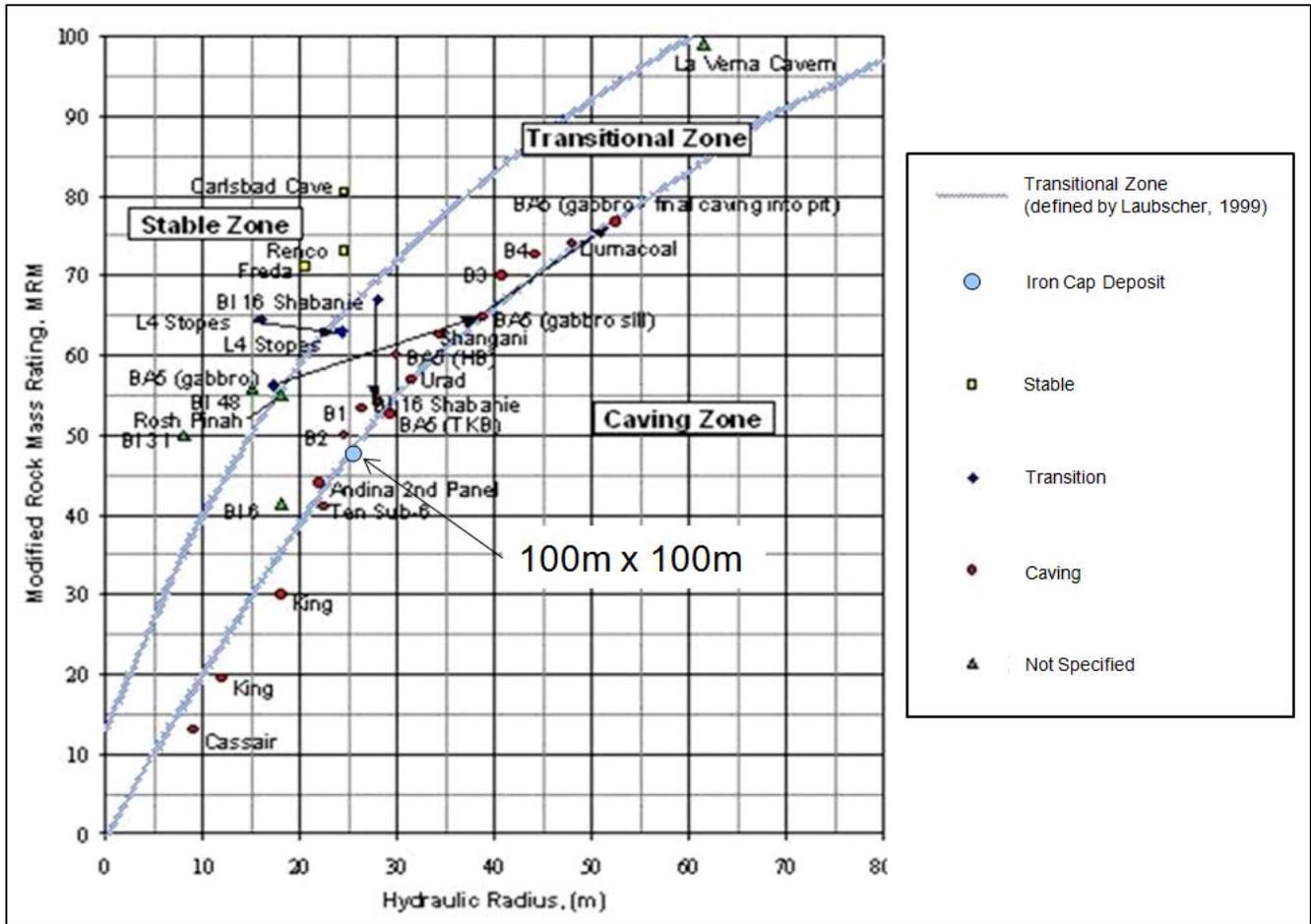


Figure 19: Cavability assessment using Laubscher's method (Laubscher 1999)



Extended Mathews Stability Graph

The Mathews method of assessing cavability uses the stability number (N) to characterize the rock quality and stress conditions of the deposit. The estimated stability number (N) for Iron Cap is 1.6. A summary of the parameters used to estimate N is contained in Table 11.

Table 11: Q' and N Rating Classification

| Parameter | Description | Rating |
|-----------------------|--|------------|
| Q' | $(RQD/J_n) \times (J_r/J_a)$ | 18 |
| Factor A ¹ | $\sigma_c / \sigma_1 \approx 1$ | 0.1 |
| Factor B ² | Dominant joint set dipping at approximately 75 degrees | 0.9 |
| Factor C | Horizontal cave back | 1 |
| N | $Q' \times A \times B \times C$ | 1.6 |

Notes:

¹ Average intact rock strength (σ_c) estimated from UCS testing of Iron Cap rock core samples. Average maximum induced compressive stress (σ_1) estimated from numerical modelling.

² Joint orientation estimated from stereographic projections produced from Iron Cap televiewer data.

As shown in Figure 20, the minimum hydraulic radius (HR) of the undercut required to initiate caving based on the Extended Mathews analysis is approximately 55 m. This equates to an approximate area of 220 m by 220 m. This is somewhat larger than the area indicated by the Laubscher method, which is indicative to some degree of limited experience in caving good quality rock of this nature.

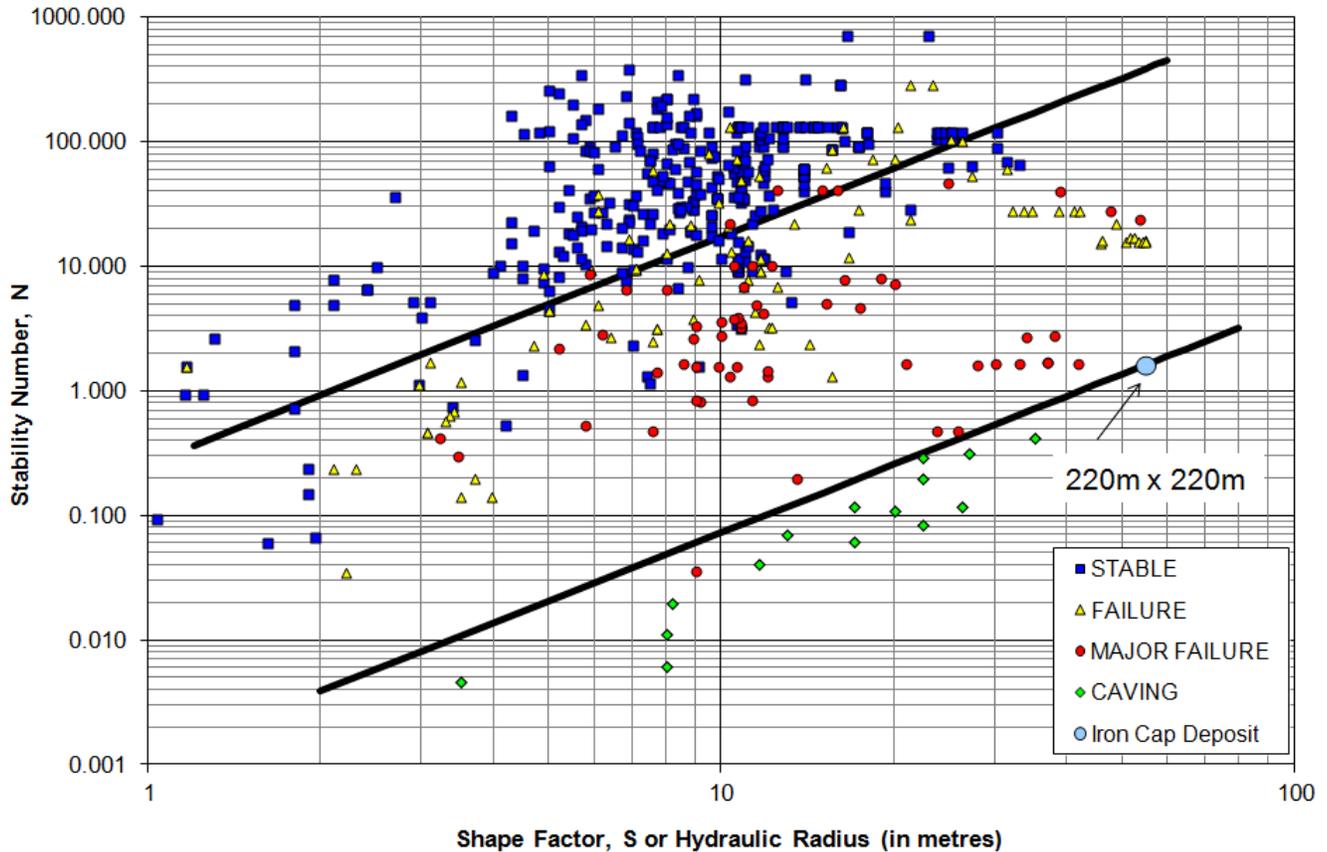


Figure 20: Cavability assessment using Mathews' method (Trueman and Mawdesley 2003)

The cavability assessments made using Laubscher's and Mathews' methods indicate that the size (diameter) of the footprint required to initiate and propagate caving is between approximately 100 m and 220 m. This footprint size is significantly smaller than the size of the footprint of the deposit that can potentially be mined economically by caving. This fact, together with the general large-sized, continuous nature of the deposit, suggest that the Iron Cap deposit is amenable to cave mining.

6.2 Fragmentation

The fragmentation of the rock mass as it caves and is drawn down to the drawpoints is a fundamental aspect of the design of a block cave mine. The resulting fragmentation size affects the diameter of the drawcone (Isolated Draw Zone, IDZ) that develops above a drawpoint as material is drawn down. Coarse fragmentation results in large diameter drawcones, while fine material results in narrow, slender drawcones (Figure 21). Interaction and overlapping of neighbouring drawcones is required to ensure efficient ore extraction.

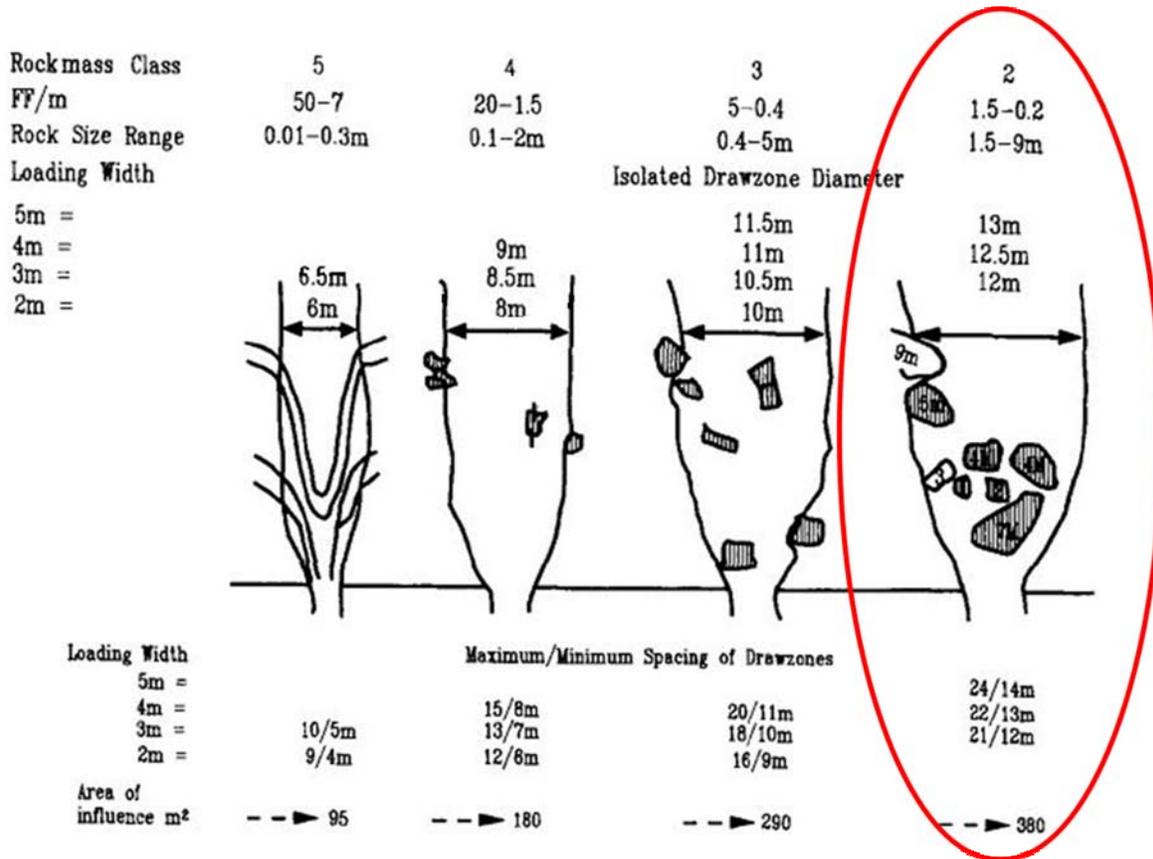


Figure 21: Maximum/minimum spacing of drawzones based on isolated drawzone diameter (Laubscher 1994)

Drawpoint spacing is typically governed by the size of a drawcone. Large diameter drawcones allow the spacing between the drawpoints to be increased, thereby reducing the number of drawpoints and the capital cost of developing the draw level. Achieving a larger spacing between drawpoints also reduces the time required to develop a given footprint area, resulting in an increased production rate. However, large sized blocks reporting to the drawpoints also increase the potential for drawpoint blockages, requiring secondary rock breaking at the drawpoints. This can inhibit production significantly and increase mine operating costs.

The first step in assessing the fragmentation of the rock reporting to the drawpoints is to estimate the in situ size of the blocks formed by the intersection of discontinuities in the rock mass. There will be further attrition of these blocks as the rock is drawn toward the drawpoints. However, it is very difficult to estimate the attrition as a result of secondary breakage, and under the prevailing conditions, fragmentation estimates are typically based on an initial assessment of the pre-caving in situ block size.

An estimate of the range of in situ block sizes for the Iron Cap deposit was developed based on a Discrete Fracture Network (DFN) model created using the Golder FracMan software (discussed in Section 5.6).



The distribution of block sizes indicated by the DFN model was presented earlier in Figure 18. The median block size is approximately 2.5 m^3 . This represents a coarse block size for cave mining. A comparison between the Iron Cap deposit and estimates of block sizes at some other block caving mines is shown in Figure 22 (Butcher and Thin 2007). A number of the mines with comparably large block sizes experienced difficulties as a result of excessive secondary blasting requirements, and this adversely impacted the productivity at these mines to varying degrees.

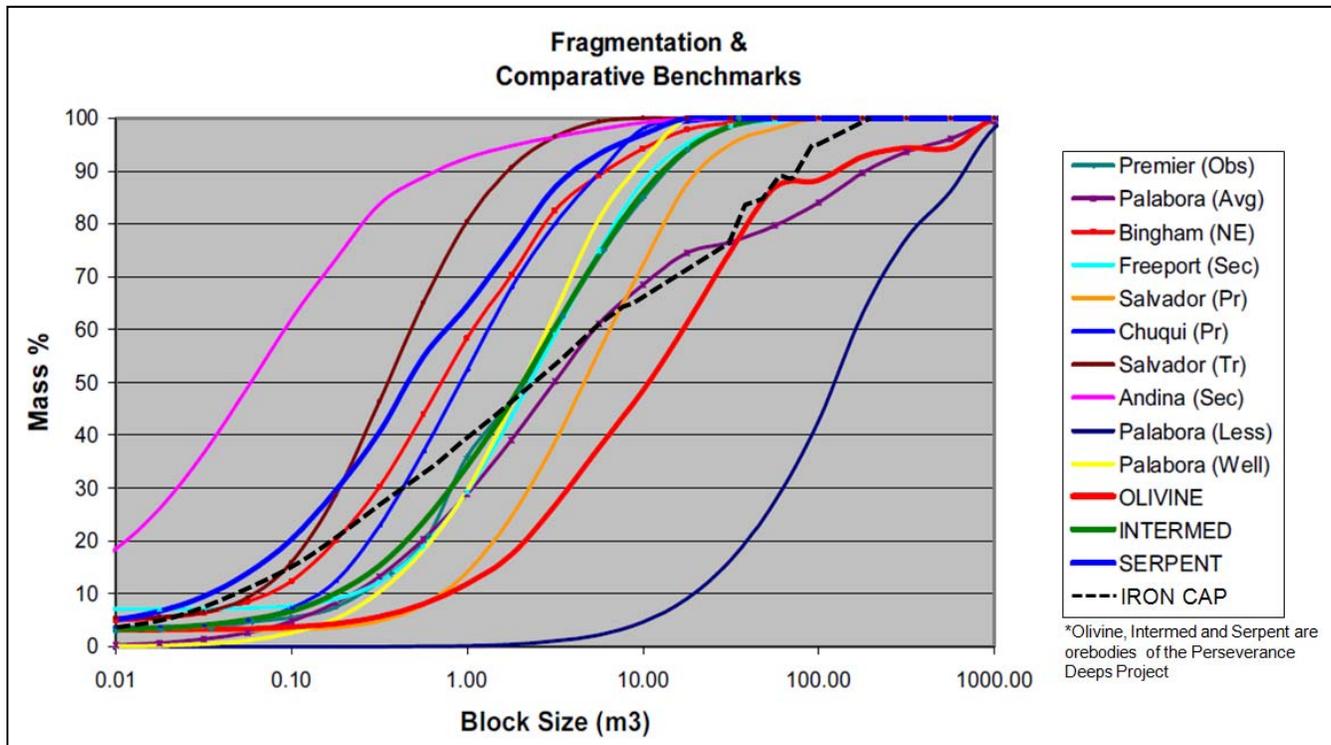


Figure 22: Comparison between the estimated block size at the Iron Cap deposit and existing block caving operations (Butcher and Thin 2007)

The factors that reduce the block size reporting to the drawpoints (from the in situ block size estimate) include the following:

- the degree to which the rock is further fractured and disturbed by the induced stresses in the back of the cave;
- the breakage of the rock as it displaces from the back of the cave; and
- the attrition that occurs as the rock is drawn toward the drawpoints.

It is very difficult to quantify the effect of attrition as the rock is drawn down through the cave zone. Experience has indicated that, in caving mines operating under similar rock conditions to those at Iron Cap, fragmentation of rock drawn down more than approximately 100 m is generally good. For this study, it was assumed that fragmentation of the initial 100 m of draw height is approximately equal to the estimated in situ block size and above this only limited secondary blasting will be required.



The common definition of oversize where secondary blasting is required is 2 m^3 . As shown in Figure 18, a significant proportion of the rock has block sizes greater than this. Without some remediation measure being adopted, such large sized blocks will require significant secondary blasting, and there will likely be a significant adverse impact on production and significant damage to the drawpoints that will require ongoing rehabilitation.

As a result of this, it is proposed that the rock be preconditioned by hydrofracturing. The cost and schedule to do this have been incorporated into this study. However, there are a number of uncertainties associated with preconditioning due to the limited number of caving mines where it has been applied and tested. It is also difficult to obtain definitive field data that demonstrates the degree of improvement obtained. The results from these mines are encouraging, however, and there is sufficient experience to indicate that such fragmentation concerns do not represent a fatal flaw at Iron Cap. It is recognized that uncertainty in fragmentation and the effectiveness of preconditioning in enhancing fragmentation needs to be addressed via production and cost risks (as discussed in Sections 11.0 and 12.0).

6.3 Drawpoint Geometry

Fragmentation of the rock is expected to be coarse, even with preconditioning being used. As indicated in Figure 21, this will result in relatively large isolated drawcone diameters of 13 m or more for a loading width of 5 m. An important objective is to maintain full interaction between individual neighbouring draw columns. The present experience in other operating cave mines is that a 15 m by 15 m drawpoint layout performs well under these coarse fragmentation conditions. Some caving mines operating in good quality rock have successfully expanded the layout to approximately 17 m by 17 m. The available information on fracture intensity at Iron Cap is somewhat uncertain due to the limited geotechnical drilling that has been undertaken, so it was considered prudent for this initial study to adopt the slightly more conservative 15 m by 15 m spacing. This aspect needs to be investigated further, and there may be an opportunity in the future to adopt an expanded layout.

6.4 Subsidence

The caving mining will draw down the mineralized rock, and a significant surface depression will develop on surface above the production footprint in the form of a crater. The top section of the crater will form a relatively steep escarpment (inclined at approximately 60 to 70 degrees) that is marginally stable but comprised of nominally in place dilated rock. Beneath this, surface and sidewall material that has progressively sloughed from the rim of the crater will rill down to the bottom of the crater at about 40 degrees.

The disturbance from caving mining will extend beyond the rim of the crater at any time in the form of wide and relatively deep open cracks. These cracks will be less prominent and more widely spaced with distance away from the rim. The crater and disturbance zone will progressively expand in size as more and more of the deposit is extracted.

Under some circumstances, the progressive development of the crater will destabilize adjacent natural slopes as it expands outwards. As discussed in more detail later, this is not thought likely to occur at Iron Cap.



For this pre-feasibility assessment, an empirical approach has been used to estimate the profile of the crater and the extent of the cracking and disturbance zone beyond the rim. These assessments have been based primarily on the geometry of the profiles at some of the caving mines in Chile in rock of similar quality and with similar structural conditions to those in and around the Mitchell deposit. Based on this, estimates of the geometry of the crater rim and the outer disturbance zone are presented on Figure 23. These profiles represent the conditions that exist at the completion of caving mining.

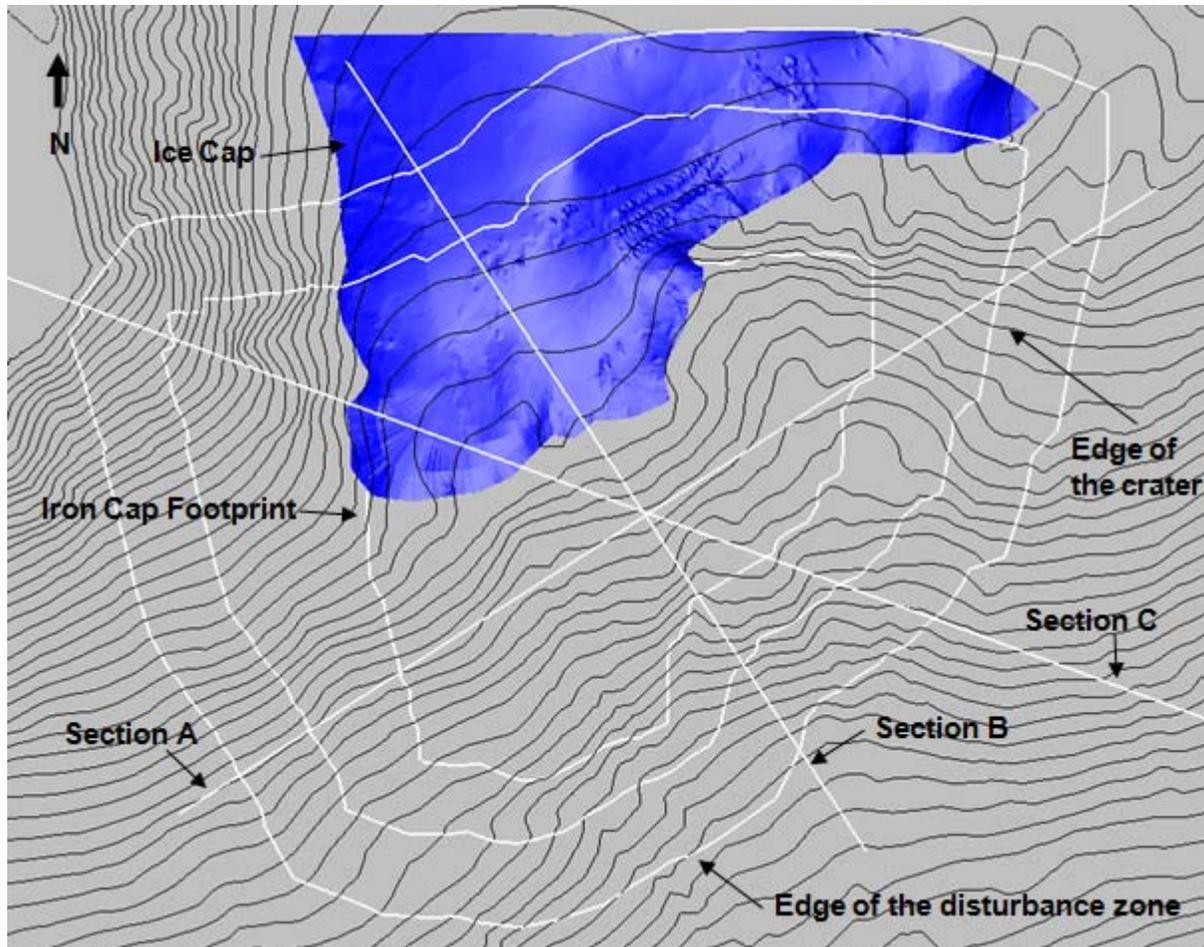


Figure 23: Topography map on top of the Iron Cap deposit showing the ice cap and the steep escarpment to the east and three section lines.

The profiles shown in Figure 24 were developed from estimates of caving angles of approximately 70 degrees to the horizontal up from the footprint of the caved rock, with the cracking or disturbance zone extending approximately 100 m laterally beyond the rim of the crater. This disturbance zone represents the outer limit of visible open cracks on the ground surface. Small but measurable subsidence may extend beyond this again, but no estimates have been made of the extent and nature of these comparatively small vertical displacements. The disturbance profiles for the conditions shown in Figure 23 are presented as cross-sections in Figure 24. These represent the conditions at the completion of mining.



Figure 24-Section A shows the surface topography beyond the disturbance zone in the east-west direction and Figure 24-Section B shows the surface topography in the north-south direction. As indicated earlier, there is a potential for the up-gradient slopes beyond the disturbance zone to be de-stabilized by the progressive development of the crater. However the slopes shown in these two figures are relatively flat, and given this, plus the absence of major structural features that might generate large scale sliding failures, failures of the natural slopes are very unlikely.

Figure 24-Section C shows the surface topography beyond the disturbance zone in the north-west south-east direction. This represents the conditions at the completion of mining. In this case, the surface profile slopes away from the crater on the north-west side, and again the crater will not likely generate any slope failures. In this case however, the crater will under-cut a steep escarpment that is aligned north-east south-west as it expands towards the north-west. This may generate slope failures within the escarpment at these intermediate stages of mining. This low grade broken rock will fall into the crater and mix with the other rock that has sloughed from the edge of the crater. The combined low grade rock will completely or partially cover the mineralized rock as it is being drawn down, and some of this will report to the drawpoints as dilution. This dilution has been accounted for in developing the production and grade schedules for the Iron Cap caving operation.

For this pre-feasibility study, the development of the crater and the stability of the adjacent natural slopes have been empirically assessed as separate responses, although in actual fact they occur as an integrated and composite response to the draw of the mineralized rock during production. Further assessments based on numerical analysis studies of the combined response of the development of the crater and potential instabilities of the natural slopes may be required as part of higher level assessments of the impact of the proposed mining on the ground surface if more accurate estimates of the resulting surface profiles are deemed to be necessary.

As shown in Figure 23, the ice field up slope from the Iron Cap deposit encroaches on the caving footprint at the production level, and will be undercut at the north and north-west extension of the crater. The profile of the ice in a north-south direction is shown in Figure 24-Section B. The ice that is undercut will cave into the crater and it will either melt or some of it will be mucked as ice. The volume of ice that is undercut is estimated to be approximately 3.4 million cubic metres. An allowance for this volume of water potentially melting and flowing down into the workings has been included in the water management system discussed later in this report.



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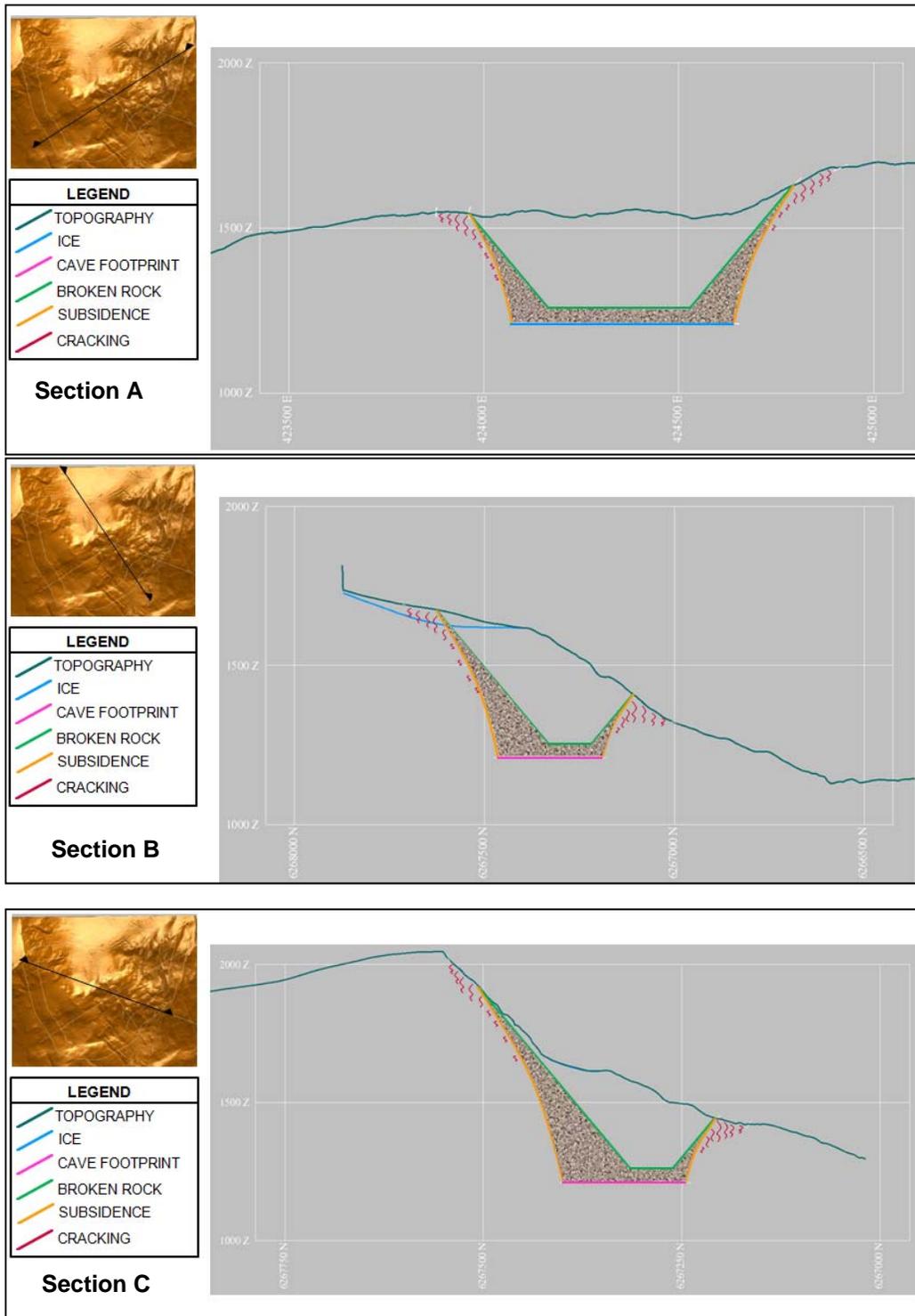


Figure 24: Three sections (A, B and C) of the Iron Cap cave zone showing to possible extent of the cave induced fracturing and subsidence



7.0 MINE DESIGN

The Iron Cap block cave design was based on modelling from FF and PCBC software (FF was discussed in Section 4.0 and PCBC will be discussed in Section 10.0). FF modelling indicated that the optimum footprint for the Iron Cap deposit is at an elevation of 1,210 m. It is approximately 545 m wide in the north-south direction, 570 m wide in the east-west direction, and has an average depth of 400 m. PCBC modelling indicated that the block cave could produce 15 million tonnes per year, requiring development of 120 new drawpoints per year. The mine design requires approximately 64 km of drifts and raises, including a 5% contingency to account for the excavations of detailed design items such as service bays, sumps and electrical substations.

The mine design was primarily influenced by rock fragmentation and material handling. The drawpoints and extraction drifts are spaced to accommodate the estimated large fragmentation of mineralized material, and the crusher location and drawpoint orientation were chosen to ensure an efficient Load-Haul-Dump (LHD) haulage route.

Four main levels are required to cave the Iron Cap deposit and include the preconditioning level, undercut level, extraction level, and conveying level. The design also includes a return air drift located below the conveying level. The location of these levels is shown in Figure 25. Appendix A contains the detailed drawings for all levels.

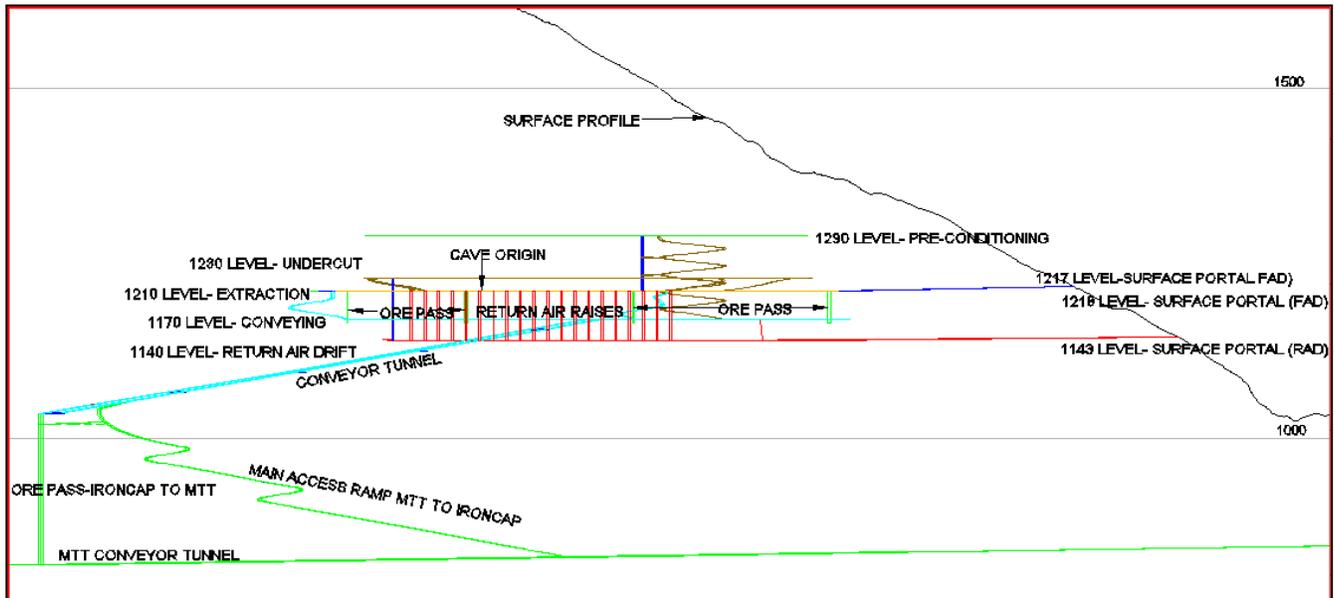


Figure 25: Section view (looking east) of the Iron Cap mine design



7.1 Underground Access

Personnel, material, and supplies will access the underground through a drift driven from the Mitchell Tiegen Tunnel (MTT). The access ramp from MTT will be driven at 15% to elevation 1,170 m, after which it will be driven at 10% to reach the Iron Cap footprint. A conveyor drift (the conveyor drift will be discussed in section 7.5) will be developed parallel to the access ramp, and the two will be connected every 300 m to provide emergency egress and a ventilation loop during construction.

The total length of the access ramp is 3.4 km. It is designed to be 5.5 m by 5.5 m wide to allow all of the underground equipment, including the crusher parts, to be transported underground (underground equipment is discussed in Section 7.8).

Two fresh air portals and one exhaust portal are planned on the north slope of the Mitchell valley. These tunnels may act as an alternative access to the underground from the surface in case of emergency. The fresh air tunnels will connect to surface at a grade of 2% with an average length of 420 m. The return air portal will be located approximately 150 m downstream of the fresh air portals to prevent air contamination. A perimeter drift is constructed around the entire mine footprint to provide fresh air to the mine workings. Additional information concerning the ventilation design can be found in Section 8.1.

Figure 26 shows a plan view of the proposed mine layout and major infrastructure including access to the MTT. The estimated length of access ramp and conveyor tunnels is shown in Table 12.

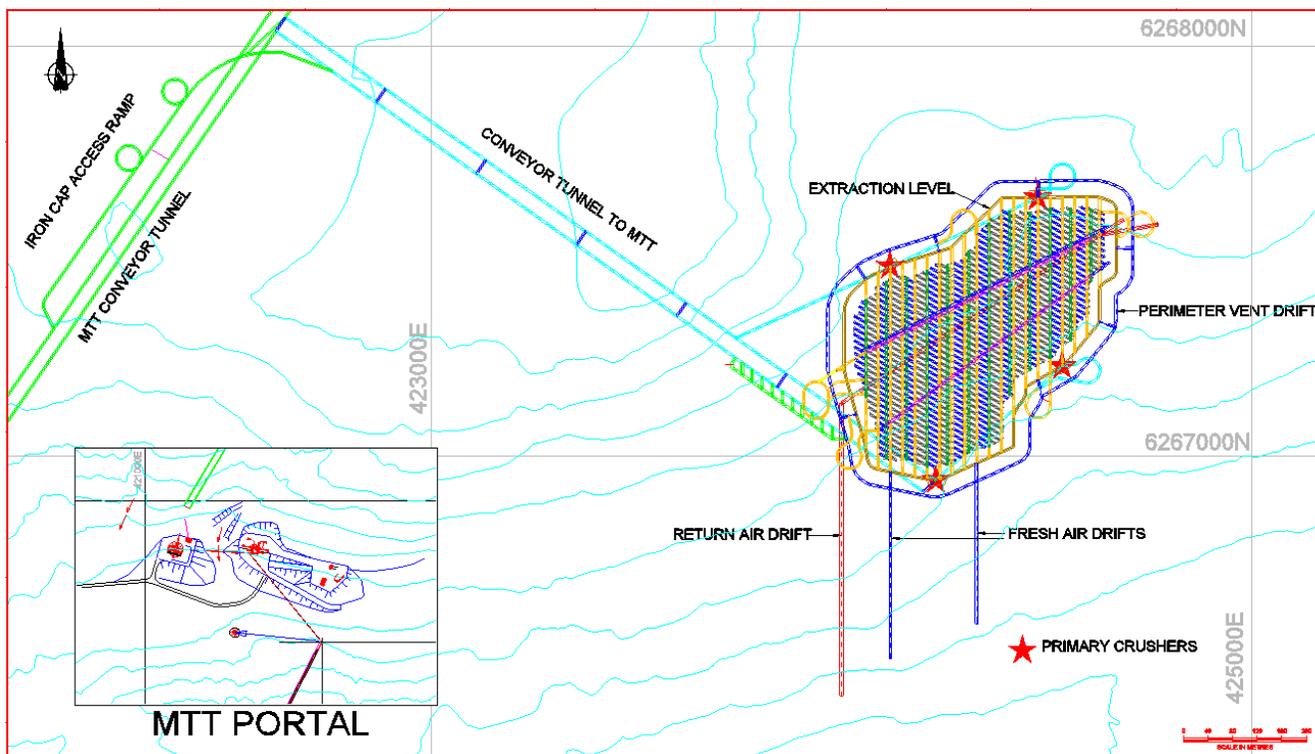


Figure 26: Plan view of the proposed Iron Cap underground mine layout



Table 12: Design Lengths of the Conveyor and Access Ramps

| Item | Length (m) |
|----------------------|-------------------|
| Access Ramp from MTT | 3,400 |
| Conveyor Tunnels | 3,300 |

7.1.1 Emergency Egress

The Iron Cap design has multiple drifts that can act as an emergency egress. The primary emergency egress will be the conveyor tunnel or access tunnel, whichever is accessible. If both tunnels are inaccessible, it will be possible to exit the mine through one of the fresh air drifts; however, the fan at the portal will have to be shut off because, during normal operations, the wind speed in the tunnel will be too high for personnel entry.

7.2 Preconditioning Level

A preconditioning (PC) level is planned to provide access for in situ fracturing of the rockmass prior to caving. A plan view of this level is shown in Figure 27. From this level, a series of holes will be drilled and hydrofracturing will be used to generate cracks within the future cave zone.

The PC level design is based on one PC hole having a 25 m radius of influence. The drilling pattern consists of two 25 m deep, 64 mm diameter holes, drilled on 50 m centres. Both holes will be vertical, one through the back (uphole) and the other through the floor of the drift (downhole). Hydrofracturing of the rock will occur at 1 m intervals down each hole.

The PC drifts are spaced 50 m apart east-west to cover the entire cave footprint area. Each of the PC drifts is connected to the main drift at two points that will provide access and ventilation. The level is designed to be 4 m wide by 4 m high to accommodate the drilling equipment necessary for the PC holes. It is located 60 m above the extraction level and is accessed via a ramp that connects to the perimeter drift and undercut level. A total of 7,200 m of PC drifts will be needed for the Iron Cap mine.

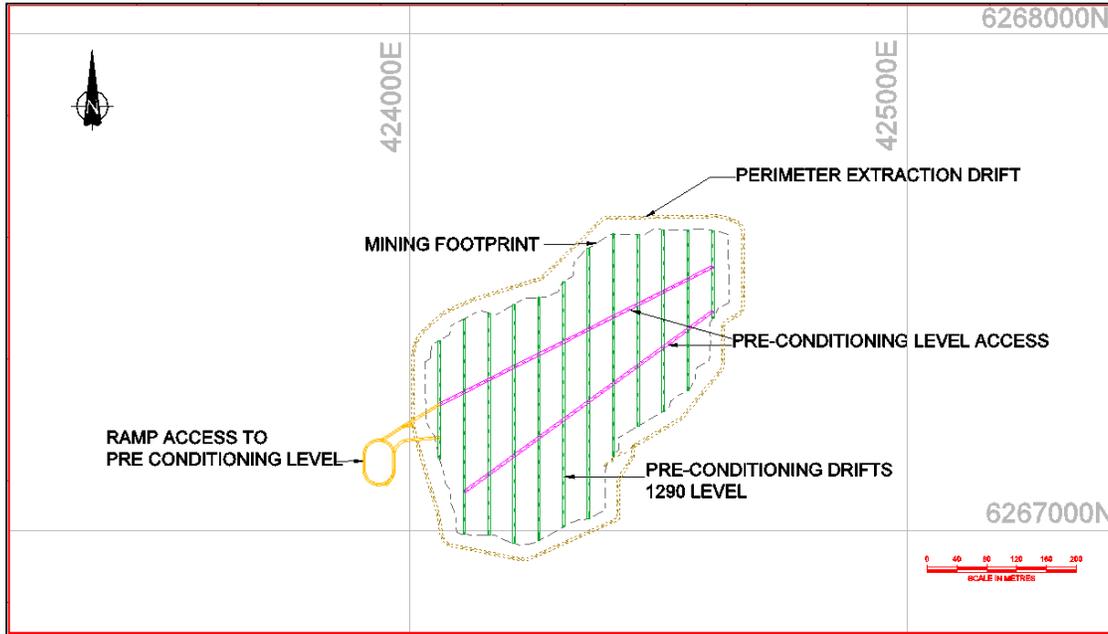


Figure 27: Plan view of the proposed preconditioning level

7.3 Undercut Level

Blasting from the undercut (UC) level initiates and propagates the cave. A plan view of this level is shown in Figure 28. Undercutting will be done using the drilling patterns shown in Figure 29, which consist of rings spaced 2 m apart, each containing twenty-one 64 mm diameter holes and approximately 140 m of drilling. Experience at other block caving operations, with rock quality similar to what is expected in the Iron Cap deposit, suggests that this drilling pattern of alternating parallel and angled holes creates sufficient void to start the caving process.

The proposed drilling pattern requires that the UC drifts are parallel to the extraction drifts. The UC drifts are 20 m above the extraction level and 15 m apart. Two crosscuts, 160 m apart, will provide access to the UC drifts. To accommodate the drilling equipment necessary, the UC is designed to be 4 m wide and 4 m high. A total of approximately 9.4 km of UC drifts will be required for the Iron Cap mine including the access ramps.



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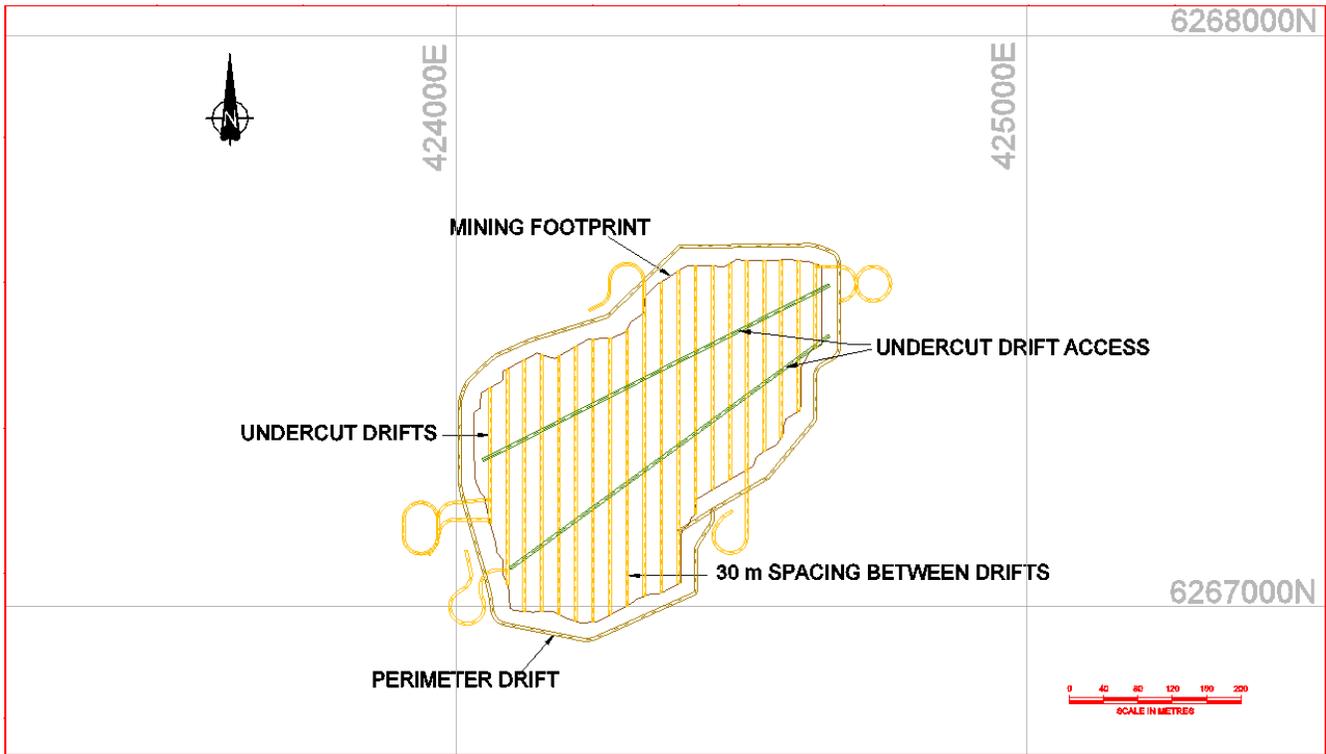


Figure 28: Plan view of the undercut level

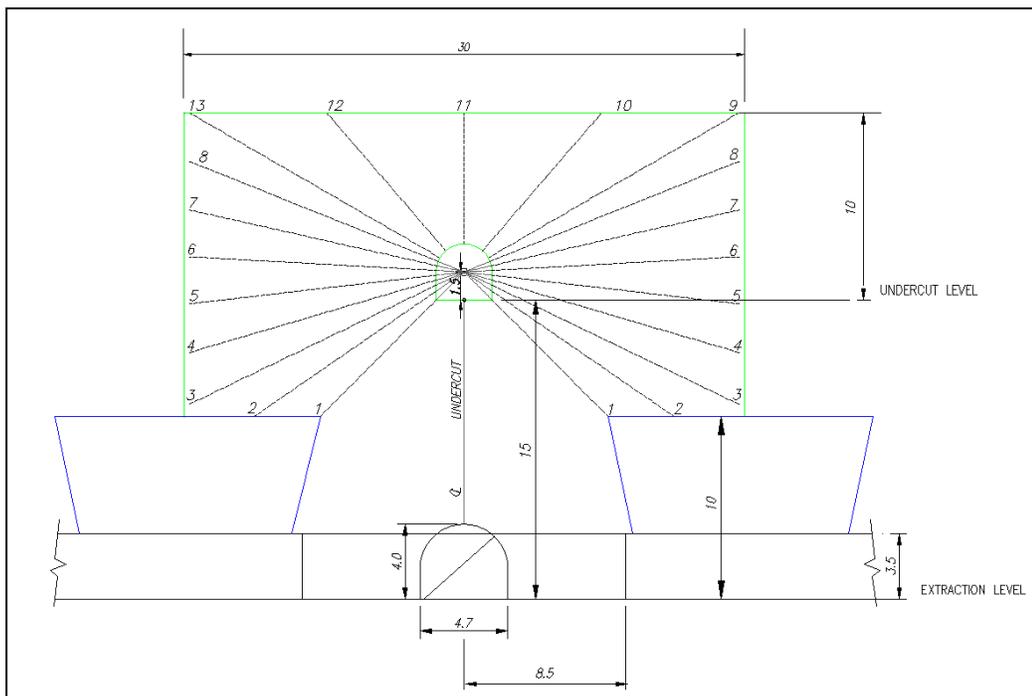


Figure 29: Schematic cross section showing the relationship between the undercut and the extraction levels, and the drill pattern used to develop the cave undercut



7.4 Extraction Level

The dimensions of the extraction level were designed to accommodate the estimated fragmentation from the Iron Cap cave and to be as productive as possible. To allow for the appropriate overlap between drawcones (a complete definition of block caving terms can be found in Appendix B), the extraction drifts (positioned in the north-south direction) are spaced 30 m apart and the crosscuts (positioned in a northwest-southeast direction) are spaced 15 m apart as shown in Figure 30. The spacing is designed from drift centreline to centreline and creates a 15 m by 15 m drawpoint layout. The extraction level drifts have a typical cross-section of 5 m by 5 m, and the drawpoints have a typical section of 4.5 m wide by 3.5 m high. The extraction drifts, undercut and conveyor tunnels will be accessed through internal ramps strategically positioned for access and ventilation purposes.

The drawpoints are 60 degrees from the axis of the extraction drift and are offset 15 m from each other. This design is based on the El Teniente mine in Chile (a large and mature block cave operation). The access angle allows for efficient entrance and exit by the underground LHD machines and the offset also reduces the impact of a mudrush. Figure 30 shows a diagram of the relationship between the extraction drifts, drawpoints and drawbells. In addition, the floors of the extraction drift and drawpoints are designed to be concreted, which will increase the speed and productivity of the LHDs as well as reduce equipment maintenance.

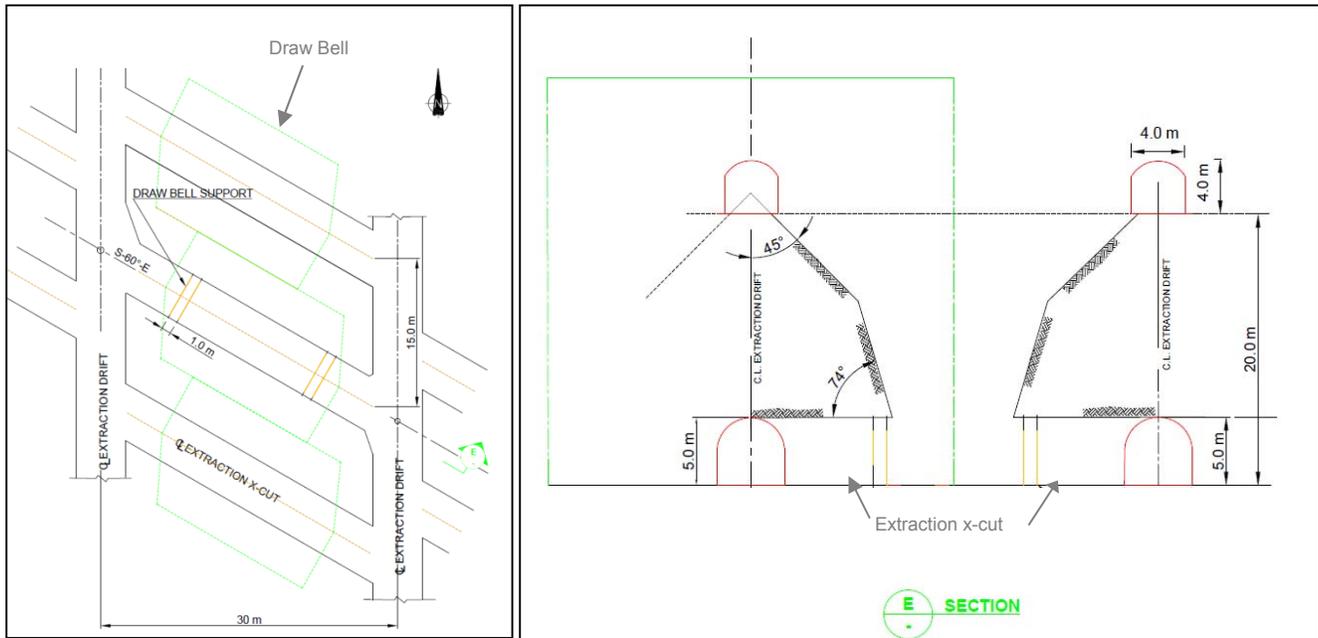


Figure 30: Diagram showing the relationship between the drawbells, drawpoints (extraction x-cut) and extraction drifts

The majority of the main ventilation infrastructure is also located on the extraction level. It consists of two fresh air portals, two fresh air drifts, a perimeter ventilation drift, multiple internal ventilation raises, and a return air drift. The internal ventilation raises are located below and approximately in the middle of the extraction drifts, which allows multiple workplaces in one extraction drift. More information concerning the ventilation system can be found in Section 8.1. A breakdown of the horizontal and vertical lengths that make up the extraction level is shown in Table 13.



Table 13: Estimated Lengths of the Various Openings on the Extraction Level

| Item | Drift Dimensions (W x H, m) | Length (m) |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------|
| Ramps | 5 x 5 | 3,100 |
| Extraction Drifts | 5 x 5 | 9,600 |
| Drawpoints | 4.5 x 3.5 | 16,400 |
| Perimeter Drift | 5 x 5 | 2,300 |
| Return Air Drift | 7.5 x 7.5 | 1,600 |
| Fresh Air Drifts | 5 x 5 | 3,900 |
| Exhaust Air Raises (diameter) | 2.0 – 4.0 | 1,535 |
| Fresh Air Raises (diameter) | 2.0 – 4.0 | 300 |

7.4.1 Drawbell Excavation and Final Drawpoint Support

The drawbell excavation and drawpoint setup is based on the El Teniente design, which matches well with the undercut blasting design. The drill pattern for the proposed drawbell excavation is shown in Figure 31 and contains approximately 95 holes and 500 m of drilling. The final support for the drawpoints includes steel sets and shotcrete, spaced 1 m apart and 5 m back from the brow. Additional information concerning the ground support can be found in Section 7.6.



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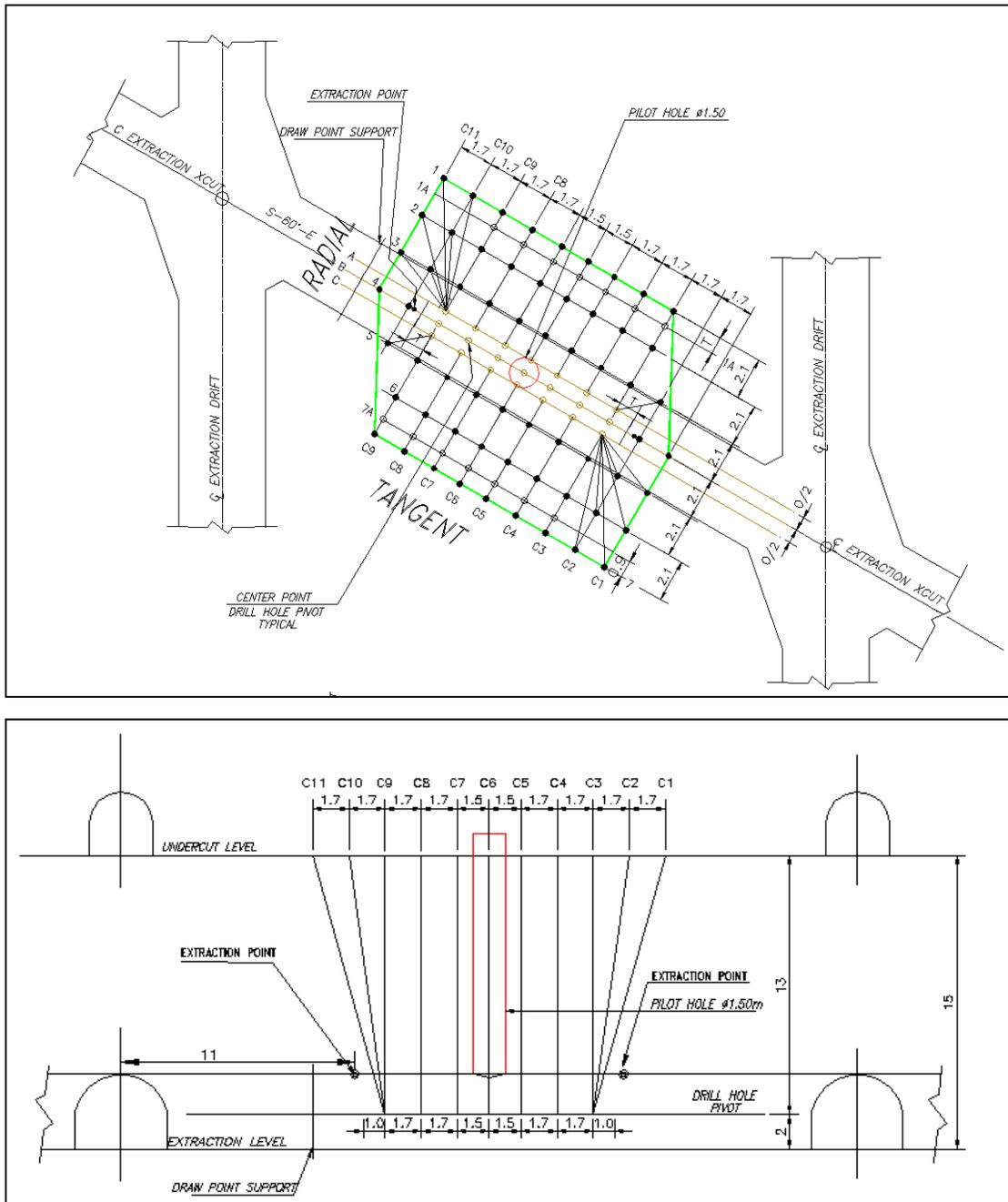


Figure 31: Plan and section view of the proposed drilling and blasting pattern for the drawbells used in the El Teniente layout



7.5 Conveying Level

The conveying level consists of two drifts located on the north and south sides of the footprint (Conveyor No. 1 and Conveyor No.2) and a third (Conveyor No. 3) drift that is parallel to the MTT access ramp (Figure 32). Short, perpendicular crosscuts between the drift for Conveyor No. 3 and the access ramp are planned for increased development productivity and emergency egress. The conveying levels are designed to be 5.5 m wide by 4.4 m high and have a total length of 3,200 m. The conveying level is located 40 m (floor to floor) below the extraction level. A plan view of the crushing and conveying level is shown in Figure 32.

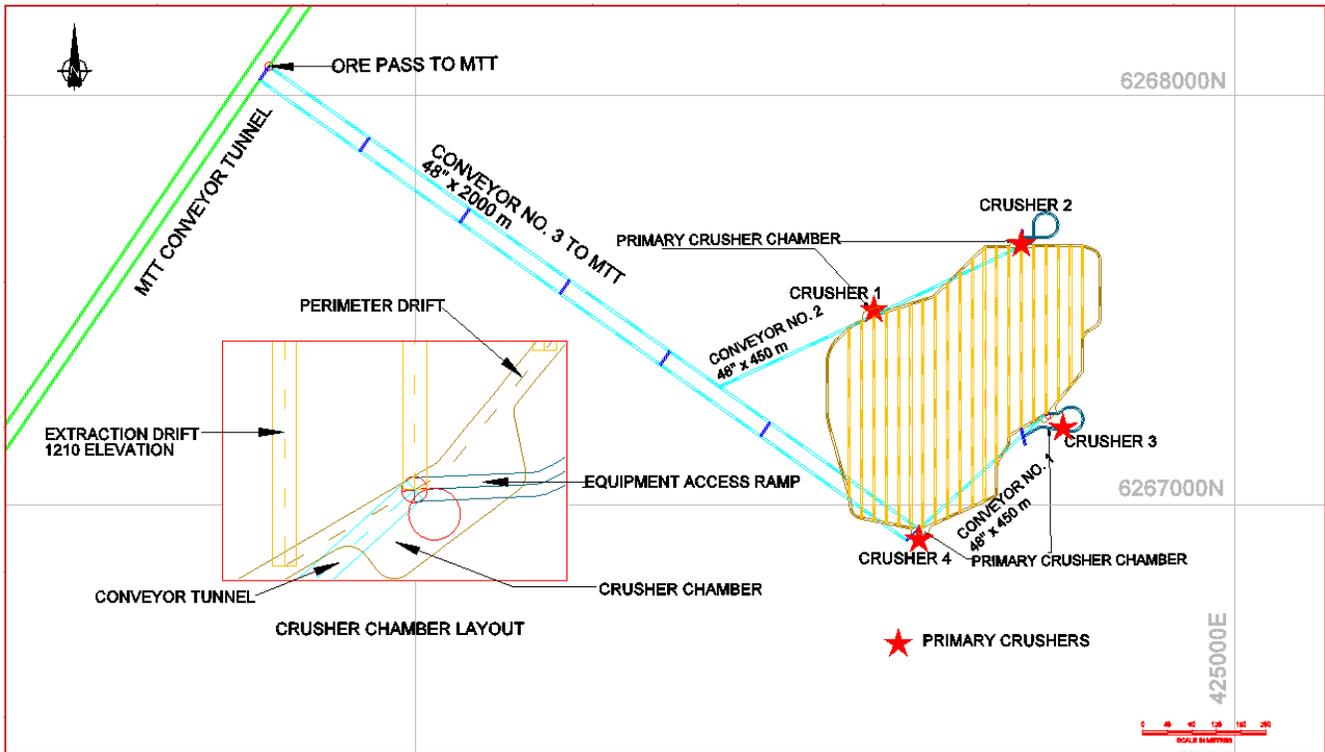


Figure 32: Location of the proposed conveying level (cyan) including the extraction drift (yellow) and the general location of the primary crushers (star) as reference

7.6 Ground Support Design

Ground support requirements for different development and infrastructure excavations have been estimated based on experience at other operations with similar rock quality and verified using empirical ground support design charts proposed by Grimstad and Barton (1993). The charts relate rock mass quality (Q), excavation span, and service use of excavation to ground support requirements.

The “equivalent dimension” of each excavation is used for support design and is defined as the ratio of the excavation span to the Excavation Support Ratio (ESR). The ESR is a factor of safety term dependent on the intended service use of the excavation. An ESR value of 1.6 has been used for the permanent ground support design, as recommended for permanent entry mining excavations (Grimstad and Barton 1993).



Rock mass quality was estimated from core logging data collected in the central boreholes, as discussed in Section 5.1. Q-values were estimated using the Norwegian Geotechnical Institute's (NGI) Q-system of rock mass classification (Barton et al. 1974). The system develops a numerical estimate of the quality of the rock mass based on the following expression:

$$Q = \frac{RQD}{J_n} \times \frac{J_r}{J_a} \times \frac{J_w}{SRF}$$

Where: *RQD* = rock quality designation

J_n = joint set number

J_r = joint roughness number

J_a = joint alteration number

J_w = joint water reduction factor

SRF = stress reduction factor

The rock quality classes defined in the Q-system (Barton et al. 1974) are summarized in Table 14.

Table 14: Q-System (Barton et al. 1974)

| Rating | Description |
|--------------|-------------------------|
| 0.001 – 0.01 | Exceptionally Poor Rock |
| 0.01 – 0.1 | Extremely Poor Rock |
| 0.1 – 1 | Very Poor Rock |
| 1 – 4 | Poor Rock |
| 4 – 10 | Fair Rock |
| 10 – 40 | Good Rock |
| 40 – 100 | Very Good Rock |
| 100 – 400 | Extremely Good Rock |
| 400 – 1000 | Exceptionally Good Rock |

Estimates of Q have been based on logged parameters from the 2010 field program (BGC 2011). An SRF value of 2 was assumed (appropriate for high stress, tight rock conditions) and a *J_w* of 1 (moist, low flow). The average estimated Q-value for the rock mass above where excavations will be created is approximately 9, indicating fair rock conditions.

Figure 33 shows the approximate Q-values for Iron Cap plotted on the empirical ground support chart for the different excavations that may require support.



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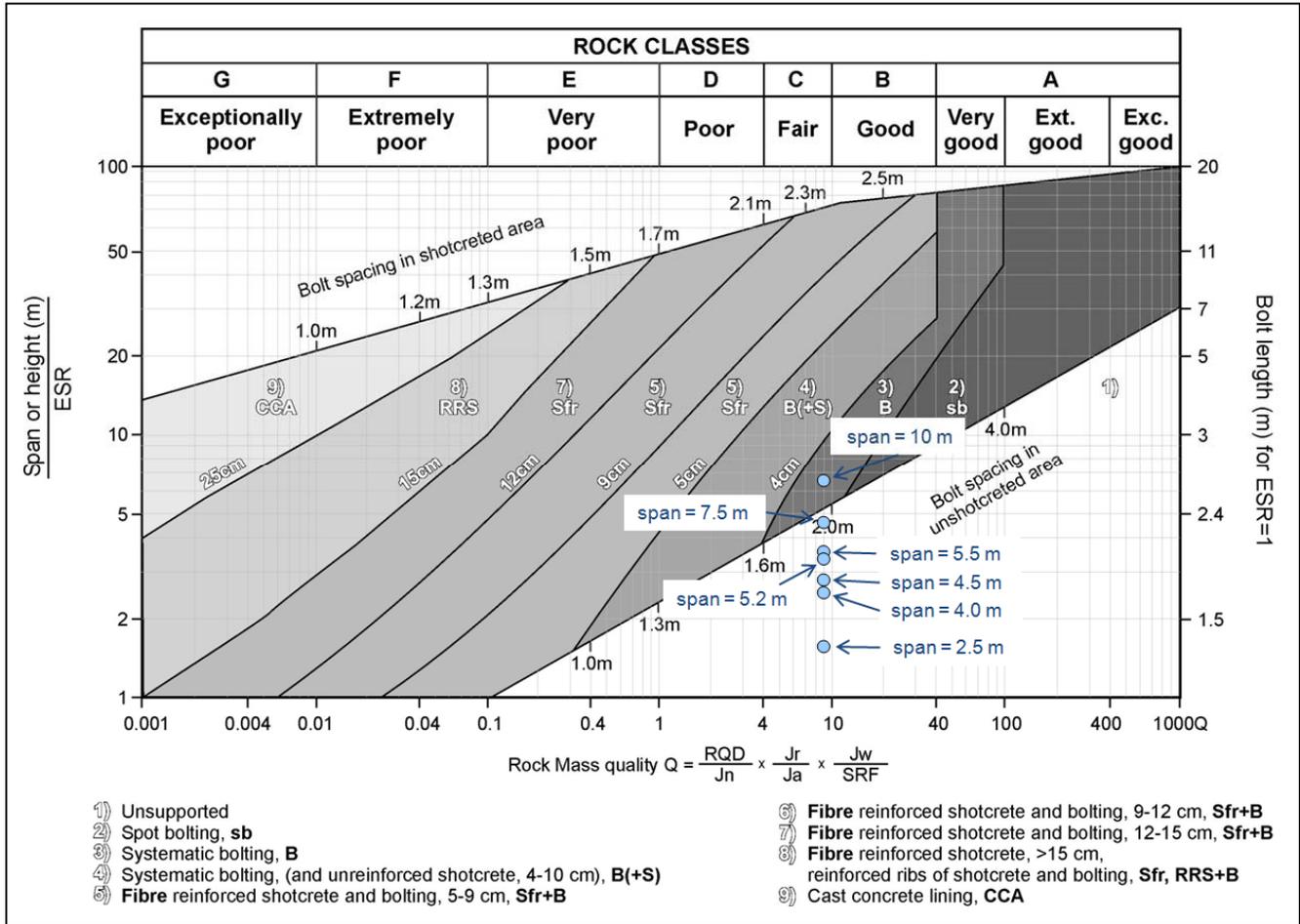


Figure 33: Empirical ground support design chart (Grimstad and Barton 1993)

The types of support recommended for the Iron Cap mine infrastructure are summarized in Table 15. The excavations listed in the table below are shown in Figure 26.



Table 15: Ground Support Recommended for Iron Cap Mine Infrastructure

| Description | Span (m) | Height (m) | Type of Support |
|--|----------|------------|---|
| Drive (access ramp, haulage level, secondary breakage level) | 5 | 5 | 2.4 m bolts on a 1.2 m pattern, mesh |
| Drawpoints | 4.5 | 3.5 | 1.8 m bolts on a 1.2 m pattern, installed to back and walls as close to sill as possible 50 mm of mesh reinforced shotcrete Secondary support will likely consist of welded steel H-beams encased in concrete |
| Extraction Drifts | 5 | 5 | 2.4 m bolts on a 1.2 m pattern, installed to back and walls as close to sill as possible 50 mm of mesh reinforced shotcrete |
| UC and PC Drifts | 4.0 | 4.0 | 1.8 m bolts on a 1.2 m pattern, mesh |
| Conveyor Drive | 5.5 | 4.4 | 2.4 m bolts on a 1.2 m pattern, mesh |
| Return Air Drive | 7.5 | 7.5 | 2.4 m bolts on a 1.2 m pattern, mesh |
| Crusher and Shops | 5.5 | 7.5 | 3.0 m bolts on a 1.2 m pattern 50 mm of mesh reinforced shotcrete |
| Internal Vent Raise | 2.5 | - | |

Note that these ground support recommendations are preliminary and are intended for pre-feasibility level costing purposes only. A more detailed evaluation of the requirements for each specific excavation should be undertaken as part of future studies.

7.7 Material Movement

It is estimated that the Iron Cap deposit will be able to generate 45,000 tonnes of ore per day and between 600 and 1,800 tonnes per day of ore or waste from development (depending on the stage of development). The ore will be hauled directly from the drawpoints to one of four 107 x 165 cm (42" by 65") gyratory crushers installed on the extraction level perimeter drift. To maintain trafficability, a 0.3 m thick reinforced concrete sill will be installed on the extraction level.

The crushed material will be transported by one of two 914 mm conveyor belts which both feed a 1.22 m conveyor. The latter conveyor will transport the production material to a 2,000 tonne surge bin before being fed onto the MTT conveyor and transported to the plant site. A process flow diagram of the material movement system as well as plan and section views of the crushers can be found in Appendix C.

All material from development activities will be trucked to one of the crushers and will not be separated into ore or waste. The majority of the mine development at Iron Cap will be in mineralized rock that is above the NSR cutoff. The remaining quantity below the NSR cutoff is small enough relative to the production of the overall KSM site that, if mixed with the production ore, will have minimal impact on the overall ore grade. Separating the waste from the ore stream is not practical for the proposed mine.



7.8 Mobile Equipment

The mobile equipment in this design is typical of that used in underground mines and is outlined below in three categories: production, development and service. The production equipment comprises those pieces directly related to moving ore to the crushers (LHDs and secondary rock breakers). The development equipment includes LHDs and trucks as well as the AnFo loaders and ground support machines. The service equipment is used for construction and mine maintenance. The quantity of each equipment type in each category will be discussed in Section 11.2.3.

The development equipment was chosen to efficiently excavate the variety of drift dimensions planned for the mine. The face drill is a two-boom jumbo capable of drilling faces with a cross-sectional area ranging from 8 m^2 to 60 m^2 , that can accommodate the small PC and UC drifts (16 m^2) as well as the large Return Air Drift (RAD) (57 m^2). The development LHD is 4.6 m^3 and has been matched with the 18 m^3 (40 tonne) development truck to ensure efficient face cleaning and truck haulage for each round.

Vertical development in the mine is required for the mine ventilation system. The raises are less than 100 m long with diameters varying between 2 and 4 meters. Raisebore drilling was chosen to excavate the planned raises because they are efficient at excavating this range of opening and because circular openings offer less resistance to airflow.

A variety of ground support equipment will be required to install ground support. Bolters are required to bolt and screen the back and walls of the development headings, and concrete mixers and shotcrete sprayers are required to supply concrete/shotcrete where needed. For example, the final drawpoint support requires shotcrete, and the floor of the extraction drifts and drawpoints require concrete.

An 8.6 m^3 production LHD was chosen because it is the largest LHD that can fit within the 15 m by 15 m El Teniente drawpoint layout. With the proposed configuration there is approximately 11 m between the brow of the drawpoint and the centreline of the extraction drift, and this machine is sized appropriately. The production drills were chosen because they are the smallest drill that can drill the specified pattern required to blast the undercut and drawpoints (longest hole is 16 m).

Multiple secondary rock breakers and block holers have been included in the design. The secondary rock breakers consist of an LHD frame with a rockbreaker attachment in place of a bucket. These machines are flexible and quite mobile. The block holers are designed for rocks that are too big to move or hang-ups that develop in a drawpoint. These units can setup, drill and load remotely keeping the operator in a safe location.

Both large and small personnel carriers are included in the design. The proposed Iron Cap mine is located approximately 23 km from the MTT access portal. It is envisioned that the large personnel carriers will be used at shift change to transport the workforce to and from the mine. The small personnel carriers will be used by staff to access the mine. The remaining mobile equipment (AnFo loader, grader, scissor lift, and boom truck) will be used as service vehicles and to install and maintain mine services (e.g., air and water pipes, ventilation ducting, and pumps). The scissor lifts and boom trucks will also be used to help with the construction of drawpoints.



At peak operation, Iron Cap will require a fleet of approximately 67 pieces of mobile equipment (Table 16). The actual quantity of equipment underground at any one time will vary depending on development and production activities and on the equipment replacement schedule. This list of equipment was used in the design of the mine services as discussed in the Section 8.0.

Table 16: Peak Mobile Equipment Requirements for the Iron Cap Mine (Year 7)

| Fleet | Equipment | Number |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|
| Production | Production Drill | 8 |
| | LHD | 14 |
| Development | Face Drill | 3 |
| | Bolter | 5 |
| | LHD | 3 |
| | Truck | 3 |
| | Raisebore Machine | 1 |
| Service | ANFO Loader | 2 |
| | Scissor Lift | 4 |
| | Boom Truck | 2 |
| | Blockholer | 2 |
| | Mobile Rock Breaker | 2 |
| | Shotcrete Sprayer | 2 |
| | Concrete Mixer | 2 |
| | Grader | 2 |
| | Small Personnel Carrier | 5 |
| Large Personnel Carrier | 7 | |
| TOTAL | | 67 |

7.9 Mine Workforce

The mine workforce includes both staff and labour positions and the size varies according to the stage of the mine life. Table 17 shows a list of the positions required at Iron Cap and the peak labour quantity separated into five categories; management, technical, maintenance, development and production. Note, peak labour occurs 5 years before peak production.



Table 17: Peak Labour Quantities by Mine Position (Year 7)

| Job Title | Peak Quantity |
|----------------------------|----------------------|
| Management | |
| Mine Manager | 1 |
| Underground Superintendent | 1 |
| Technical Superintendent | 1 |
| Clerical/Admin | 8 |
| Technical | |
| Senior Engineer | 8 |
| Engineer | 17 |
| Technologist | 20 |
| Trainers | 8 |
| Geologists | 8 |
| Safety Technician | 8 |
| Maintenance | |
| Planner | 4 |
| Maintenance Supervisor | 4 |
| Stores Person | 8 |
| Electrician (In-house) | 32 |
| Mechanics (In-house) | 28 |
| Development Crew | |
| Shift Captain | 4 |
| Shift Supervisor | 8 |
| Jumbo Operator | 12 |
| Bolter Operator | 20 |
| Loader Operator | 12 |
| Truck Operator | 12 |
| Crane Truck | 8 |
| Shotcrete Sprayer Operator | 8 |
| Concrete Mixer Operator | 8 |
| Grader | 8 |
| Construction | 32 |
| Labourer\Trainee | 44 |
| Production Crew | |
| Shift Captain | 3 |
| Shift Boss | 12 |
| Loader Operator | 56 |
| Secondary Breaker Operator | 8 |



| Job Title | Peak Quantity |
|---------------------------|---------------|
| Block Holer Operator | 8 |
| Grader Operator | 8 |
| Crusher/Conveyor Operator | 20 |
| Production Driller | 32 |
| Anfo Loader | 8 |
| Construction | 32 |
| Labourer \Trainee | 10 |
| Total | 548 |

The estimate required labour required was primarily based on the quantity of mobile equipment. One operator per shift was assumed for all mobile equipment. Mechanics and electricians were estimated using a factor of 0.4 mechanics/electricians per piece of major mobile equipment (such as LHDs and trucks). Additional electricians were included to account for the production drills and the large quantity of installed equipment (crushers and conveyors). Finally, an estimate of the trainee/labourer was included for development and blasting helpers. The mine staff was estimated considering the amount of work that would be required to start and maintain a block cave mine of this size.

7.10 Summary and Contingencies

Table 18 contains a list of the different excavations, their dimensions and total estimated LOM lengths. Also included in the table are the quantities of rehabilitation (i.e., any existing drift that has to be repaired because of damage that occurred during the mining process) and contingency (i.e., design allowance for openings that were not included in the design such as sumps, and overbreak allowance for poorly blasted rounds or poor survey).



Table 18: Iron Cap Drift Dimensions

| Excavation Type | Width (m) | Height (m) | Length (m) |
|------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| Fresh Air Drifts | 5 | 5 | 3,900 |
| Excavation Level | 5 | 5 | 9,600 |
| PC Level | 4.0 | 4.0 | 7,200 |
| Drawpoints | 4.5 | 3.5 | 16,400 |
| UC Level | 4.0 | 4.0 | 9,400 |
| Return Air Drift | 7.5 | 7.5 | 1,600 |
| Internal Ramps | 5 | 5 | 3,100 |
| Shops | 5.5 | 7.5 | 600 |
| Mitchell Tegan Tunnel Access | 5.5 | 5.5 | 3,400 |
| Conveyor Level | 5.5 | 4.4 | 3,300 |
| Internal Ventilation Raises | 2.0 – 4.0 | --- | 1,500 |
| | | Rehabilitation (10%) | 6,000 |
| | | Contingency (5%) | 3,000 |
| | | Total vertical | 1,500 |
| | | Total lateral | 60,700 |



8.0 MINE SERVICES

8.1 Ventilation

8.1.1 Design Parameters

The ventilation design for the Iron Cap deposit was modelled using Ventsim Visual Standard and according to best practices established in Malcolm J. McPherson's textbook, *Subsurface Ventilation & Environmental Engineering*. The required airflow for the Iron Cap mine is 526 m³/s based upon the total diesel equipment used on each mining level including a minimum 20% contingency. The ventilation system provides 0.012 m³/s of usefully employed air per tonne mined, which is very close to the 0.013 m³/s per tonne benchmark set for well-ventilated block cave operations (De Souza 2008). The total airflow requirement of 526 m³/s is sufficient to appropriately dilute all noxious gases and particulate matter produced by the mining equipment and activities on each mining level.

To achieve the required airflow of 526 m³/s, two 670 kW (900 HP) surface fans with variable frequency drives are required. These fans will consume approximately 630 kWh per fan at a total fan pressure of 1,902 Pa. The modelled network efficiency is 77.5%.

The Iron Cap ventilation model is designed to operate as a positive pressure or forced air system to facilitate mine air heating during the winter months and to prevent any air being drawn into the mine through the caved material. The fan operating points and volumes are sufficient for estimation purposes as part of the pre-feasibility study. Additional ventilation engineering is required to establish final operating points for the various stages of mine development.

Heating of mine air in the winter months is included in the design and cost estimates for Iron Cap. Heating of the mine air will be done by mine heaters located at each of the three main fan installations. Based upon Environment Canada temperature data for Stewart, British Columbia, the mine air heaters will have to provide approximately 24 million BTU per hour (MMBTUH) to heat 526 m³/s from a low of -6°C (average January low) to 3°C. Heat calculations did not include any consideration of the heat transferred from the strata and mining equipment but should be investigated in the next level of study.

The total airflow requirements were based upon air quantities of 0.063 m³/s per kilowatt of diesel equipment (i.e., 100 cfm/bhp), equipment utilization, and engine utilization. Equipment utilization was calculated based upon production requirements and availability while diesel utilization was estimated based on the engine's average working load of the engine. The minimum contingency of 20% per mining area is to account for any additional air losses. A pie chart indicating the total breakdown of air quantities, including air leakage to surface, can be found in Figure 34. Air leakage to surface through the caved material accounted for approximately 25 m³/s. This is 15% of the total airflow, which is approximately equal to the amount of leakage reported at the Henderson block cave operation in Colorado (Nelson 2011, pers. comm.). A 20% contingency has been included in the airflow requirements for each level and accounts for areas that are not normally modelled at this level of study including sumps, refuge stations and crusher stations. Transient air losses, which include leakage to surface and contingencies, were approximately 21% of the total air quantity.

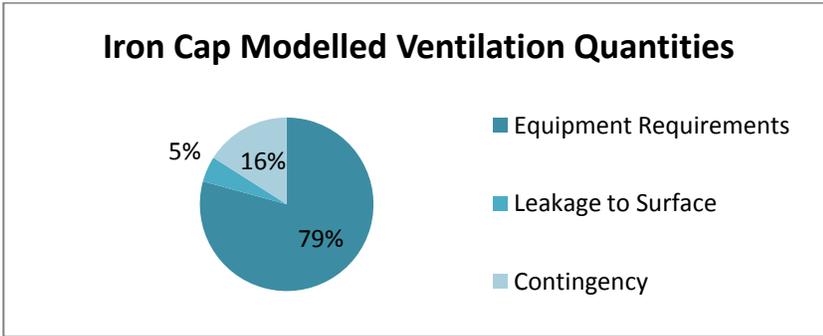


Figure 34: Iron Cap ventilation breakdown based upon 526 m3/s of total airflow

Modelling of the mine indicated that total mine resistance will be 0.00689 Ns²/m⁸. Friction factors used for the modelling were assumed to be typical for hard rock mining applications and can be found in Table 19. Airway shock losses were assigned automatically by Ventsim. These values were reviewed and set manually where deemed necessary. The modelled air velocities and design criteria can be found in Table 20. Air velocities on each level will be discussed in more detail in the design portion of this section.

Table 19: Iron Cap Ventilation Model – Friction Factors

| Drift Type | Friction Factor (kg/m ³) | Comments |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Typical Drifts | 0.0120 | Average blasted |
| Ventilation Raises | 0.0050 | Raise bored airways |
| Conveyor Drifts | 0.0208 | Due to conveyor in drift |

Table 20: Iron Cap Ventilation Model – Air Velocities

| Area | Design Criteria | | Model | |
|--------------------|-----------------|------|-------|------|
| | Min. | Max. | Min. | Max. |
| Working Faces | 0.5 | 4.0 | 0.5 | 0.9 |
| Conveyor Drifts | 1.0 | 5.0 | 1.0 | 2.1 |
| Mine Intake Drifts | 2.5 | 10 | 8.7 | 8.7 |
| Main Return Drifts | 1.0 | 15.0 | 3.1 | 7.9 |
| Ventilation Raises | 2.5 | 20.0 | 10.2 | 18.4 |

Drift and raise dimensions vary throughout the mine. In the ventilation model it was assumed that all drifts would have a square profile and that raises would have a round profile. An overall list of the drift dimensions by mine area can be found in Table 21, and a list of raise dimensions can be found in Table 22.



Table 21: Iron Cap Ventilation Model – Drift Dimensions

| Drift Type | Level | Width (m) | Height (m) |
|------------------------------|-------|-----------|------------|
| Fresh Air Drifts | 1210 | 5 | 5 |
| Excavation Level | 1210 | 5 | 5 |
| PC Level | 1290 | 4.0 | 4.0 |
| UC Level | 1230 | 4.0 | 4.0 |
| Conveying Level | 1170 | 5.5 | 4.4 |
| Return Air Drift | 1140 | 7.5 | 7.5 |
| Mitchell Tegan Tunnel Access | 1000 | 5.5 | 5.5 |

Table 22: Iron Cap Ventilation Model – Raise Dimensions

| Ventilation Raise Description | Diameter (m) | Quantity |
|---|--------------|----------|
| Extraction Level to the RAD | 2.0 | 20 |
| Preconditioning Level to the Extraction Level | 2.2 | 1 |
| Undercut Level to the RAD | 4.0 | 1 |
| Crushing Level to the MTT | 2.0 | 1 |
| Crushing Level Ramp to the MTT | 2.0 | 1 |
| FAD to the Crushing Level | 2.0 | 1 |

The air quantities on each mine level in the model were dictated by the assumed diesel equipment that will be active on each level during late stage development and production, using a conversion of 0.063 m³/s per engine kW. These assumptions are based upon development occurring throughout the mine, in addition to production activities on the extraction level.

A breakdown of the ventilation requirements for the extraction level is shown in Table 23. The ventilation requirements for the remaining levels, except the Return Air Drift (RAD), can be found in Appendix D. The RAD ventilation assumptions were not included here as this will be a single development heading without any production related equipment requirements. The RAD will be ventilated by return air during late stage development and production.



Table 23: 1210 Extraction Level Ventilation Requirements

| Equipment | Quantity | Engine Size (kW) | Shift Utilization | Diesel Utilization | Total Airflow (m ³ /s) |
|--|----------|------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Production Drill | 2 | 74 | 79% | 25% | 2 |
| LHD | 16 | 352 | 78% | 75% | 207 |
| Face Drill | 1 | 120 | 80% | 25% | 2 |
| Bolter | 2 | 115 | 71% | 25% | 3 |
| Truck | 3 | 405 | 52% | 75% | 30 |
| Anfo Loader | 1 | 111 | 43% | 75% | 2 |
| Scissorlift | 1 | 95 | 83% | 50% | 2 |
| Crane Truck | 1 | 95 | 63% | 50% | 2 |
| Mobile Rockbreaker | 2 | 95 | 63% | 75% | 6 |
| Secondary Rockbreaker | 2 | 75 | 63% | 75% | 4 |
| Shotcrete Sprayer | 2 | 96 | 63% | 75% | 6 |
| Concrete Mixer | 2 | 155 | 63% | 75% | 9 |
| Grader | 2 | 114 | 63% | 100% | 9 |
| Toyota | 3 | 96 | 75% | 75% | 10 |
| Personnel Carrier | 3 | 130 | 25% | 50% | 3 |
| Subtotal | | | | | 295 |
| Contingency | | | | | 20% |
| Total required | | | | | 354 |
| Modelled quantity (excluding leakage) | | | | | 354 |
| Modelled leakage through cave | | | | | 20 |

8.1.2 Design

A general ventilation flowchart of the Iron Cap ventilation model is outlined in Figure 35. The goal of the system is to ensure that a maximum amount of fresh air reaches each level in the mine during late stage development and production to meet equipment requirements while minimizing development costs, ventilation costs, leakage, and recirculation.

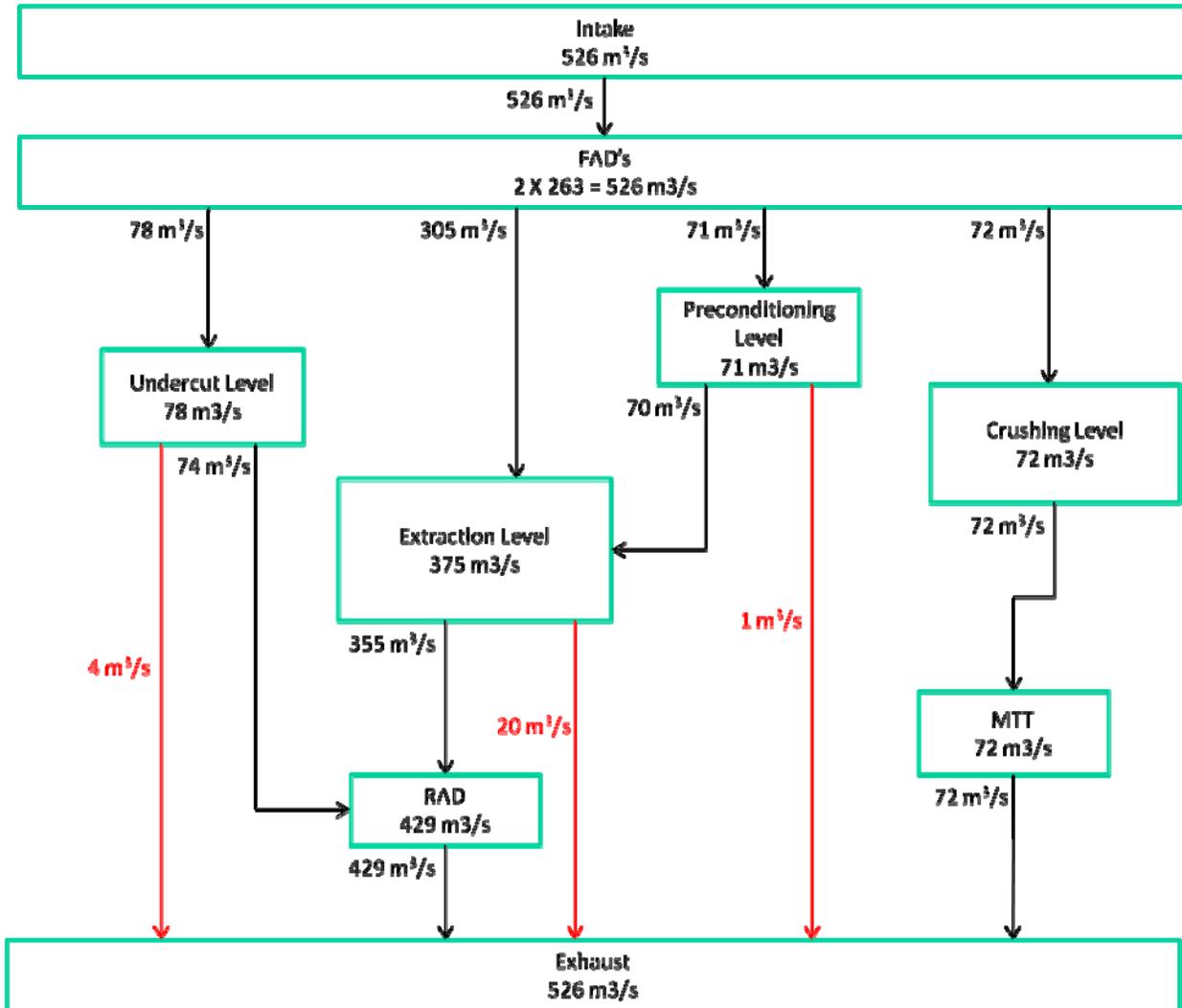


Figure 35: Iron Cap ventilation flowchart; red indicates leakage to surface

Fresh air is drawn from the surface through two intake adits. These drifts enter the mine at the same elevation as the extraction level, at 1,210 metres above sea level. The two intakes then feed into a perimeter ventilation drift that surrounds the extraction level. This perimeter drift distributes fresh air to each of the mine levels through drifts, ramps, and ventilation raises. The two intake adits and the ventilation perimeter drift comprise the Fresh Air Drifts (FAD).

Air from the FAD travels to the undercut (UC) level (1230 Level) via three ramps which are collared off crosscuts between the fresh air and perimeter drifts. The ramp collars are located on the crosscuts so that mine personnel do not have to enter into the FAD where air speeds are as high as 8.1 m/s. The air flows through the UC level and down a 4.0 m ventilation raise to the RAD (1140 Level).



The preconditioning (PC) level (1290 Level) is ventilated by fresh air from one of the ramps that also ventilates the UC level. The southwest ramp enables air from the FAD to travel up to the UC level and then continue on to the PC level. Air from the PC level then circulates around the level and down a 2.0 m diameter ventilation raise to the extraction level. The ventilation raise requires a fan to pull air up the preconditioning ramp, through the level, and down the raise to the extraction level.

The extraction level is ventilated through the ventilation raise from the PC level and nine crosscut drifts which connect the FAD to the extraction level. In order to ensure that the air flowing through the extraction level and down each drift is well balanced to meet production needs, it is important that the location of air inlets to the level, such as the nine crosscuts and air from the PC level, are strategically located to optimize flow down each extraction drift. The nine crosscuts are regulated with timber bulkheads to ensure the appropriate amount of air enters the extraction level.

In the current ventilation model 19% of the air on the extraction level is second pass air from the PC level. This was deemed acceptable because the PC level will have minimal activity once production begins. Recirculation will only be happening during mine development when the extraction level ventilation requirements are greatly reduced. When production commences, the air that was being drawn up to the PC level will go directly to the extraction level through the nine crosscuts connecting the FAD to the extraction level.

The air on the extraction level travels along each extraction drift from both directions and down a centrally located 2.0 m diameter ventilation raise to the RAD. There are currently 20 ventilation raises from this level to the RAD; one for each extraction drift. The ventilation raises are regulated to control the movement of air within the level and the extraction drift. The used air from the extraction level travels directly to the RAD which then exhausts the air to surface.

The crushing level (1170 Level) is ventilated by two ramps connected to the FAD. These ramps are both regulated to provide a total of 72 m³/s of fresh air which eventually exhausts out to the Mitchell Tegan Conveyor Tunnel (MTCT). The interaction of the Iron Cap ventilation system with the MTCT was not modelled in this study. However, it is reasonable to assume that the MTCT will have flow-through ventilation into which the air from the Iron Cap mine crushing level will flow. It was also assumed that the MTCT does not contain regular traffic and the airspeed will not be significantly increased by the additional airflow.

The current ventilation model isolates the majority of the conveyor drift on the crushing level from the travel way through the use of ventilation doors. The majority of air entering the level is directed to the conveyor drift in an effort to increase the airspeed. The average airspeed in the conveyor drift ranges from 1.0 m/s to 2.1 m/s. Common rules of thumb indicate that conveyor drift airspeeds are in the range of 2.5 to 5.0 m/s with a minimum airspeed of 1.0 m/s. Increasing the airspeed in the conveyor drift at Iron Cap could be very expensive and may be unnecessary. Further study with respect to airspeeds and dust concentrations in the conveyor drift is recommended.

Over 80% of the air exiting the mine will do so via the RAD portal, and southwesterly winds, which are not common, could pose a problem for the quality of the air entering the mine should some of the return air be recirculated back through the mine. The RAD and FAD portal locations were selected with reference to the predominant southeasterly wind direction. However, the RAD and FAD portal locations and proximity with regard to return air dispersion in changing wind directions should be investigated in more detail.



The FAR and RAD portal locations are on the side of the Iron Cap Mountain and as such are susceptible to avalanches. For protection, an avalanche shed will be built to cover and protect the main fan infrastructure, including the fans, plenums, evase, heaters, and propane storage. Also, an escapeway will be installed so that personnel can exit the mine safely, with the additional purpose of providing access to clear snow build-up from the air intakes as necessary.

There are many ventilation controls within the Iron Cap Ventilation Model including ventilation doors and regulators. The majority of the air will be controlled using regulators installed above ventilation doors and/or modulating ventilation doors which can be used to regulate the ventilation flow through the doors. Mechanical ventilation dampers and traditional board regulators will be used to control airflow to and from ventilation raises.

Development ventilation of the Iron Cap deposit will be done using standard axial mine fans of various sizes. Large 112 kW development fans can provide approximately 26 m³/s of air to an active mining face 800 m away (the current design does not have any planned development situations that would require a single heading development length of more than 800 m). This system would use 1.5 m diameter rigid and flexible duct and would cover the air requirements for one scoop and one truck.

Special consideration will be required with respect to the staging of the ventilation system as connections are made within and between levels. For example, it will be necessary to use the crusher excavations for ventilation of the crushing level development in order to ensure development headings have appropriate ventilation and that single headings do not exceed 800 m.

The Iron Cap ventilation system has been designed to be flexible, efficient, and capable of providing an adequate supply of fresh air to every area of the mine and to properly dilute the airborne contaminants produced in the mine. Additional information is available in Appendix D.

8.1.3 Future Work

There are a number of items in the Iron Cap ventilation model that will require further modelling, consideration, and review for a feasibility level study. These items include:

- the staging of the ventilation system with regards to the development schedule and time phases;
- a more in-depth review of transient air losses throughout the mine;
- further study into dust generation and concentrations in each mining area; and
- review of the current portal locations with regards to possible air recirculation.

Ventilation requirements are predominantly dependent on the mobile equipment fleet employed. Therefore, any changes to mining production rates and equipment feet will also require a review of the current ventilation model.



8.2 Dewatering

The mine water handling system is designed to handle the water that originates from the groundwater and surface inflows (including possible water from ice that caves into the crater when the ice field is undercut), and water that is introduced to the mine for operational purposes.

It was previously proposed to mine the Iron Cap deposit by open pit mining as discussed in the PFU (Seabridge 2011). As part of the studies for this, BGC estimated the natural groundwater inflows to the pit and the quantities of water that would be generated from the surface wells and horizontal drains required to meet the depressurization requirements to ensure the stability of the pit slopes. The overall impact from the proposed pit mining on the groundwater system is estimated to be larger than from the caving mining. This is particularly so when depressurization is included as well, which is not actually required for the caving mining, but which will occur to some degree just from natural inflows to the subsidence crater. Accordingly, the total groundwater flow (natural inflow and extracted water) from the pit study was considered to be a conservative estimate of the groundwater inflow to the underground workings. The estimated groundwater inflow is 5,140 m³/d.

At the time of completing this pre-feasibility assessment, estimates by others of the surface inflows into the crater at Iron Cap were not available. These surface inflows will report to the drawpoints and will be managed in a similar manner to the groundwater inflows. In future studies, the water management system will need to be enhanced to cater for this additional inflow. The additional capital and operating cost for this enhanced system is not likely to be very significant compared with current costs, and not including them will not materially affect this pre-feasibility study.

As indicated earlier, the volume of ice that it is estimated will be undercut by the crater is approximately 3.4 million cubic metres. The ice that is undercut will cave into the crater over an estimated period of approximately 4 years. Assuming that this ice melts before it is mucked from the drawpoint, the average inflow to the mine workings is approximately 2,500 m³/d.

The ice overlying the deposit forms part an icefield that extends to the north. Detailed investigations of possible water that may be pooled or that is flowing beneath the ice have not been undertaken, and no allowance for additional inflows associated with the ice cover that might flow into the crater, further investigations of this need to be undertaken as part of future studies of the project.

The underground water management system at Iron Cap is currently designed to handle 7,640 m³/d. This caters for the groundwater inflow and the ice melt.

To provide for good drainage, the majority of the underground drifts have been graded so that water will run towards the MTT or towards a central collection sump located near the return air tunnel. The water draining towards the MTT will be collected and added to the existing “dirty” water system. The water from the sump will be drained out of the return air tunnel into the Mitchell Valley, where it will be collected in the existing surface water infrastructure. During an emergency flood event, the water will flow out of the return air tunnel.



8.3 Mine Water

It is estimated that the mine will require 28 m³/hr of process water for the bolters and the development and production drills. In addition, it is estimated that 114 m³/hr will be required by the conveyor fire suppression systems. This water will be supplied through the main access tunnel from the MTT through four 40 kW pumps. The water will be delivered to the working face through 0.2 m steel pipe with 10 mm wall thickness.

8.4 Mine Power

The mine power and communications design was completed by Neil Brazier of WN Brazier Associates Inc and the complete report can be found in Appendix E. It is estimated that the Iron Cap mine will require approximately 9,200 kWh of electricity at peak operation. The main contributors to this total are the crushers, conveyor belts, and ventilation fans. A summary of the major contributors to the peak electrical load is shown in Table 24. The underground communications will be provided through a combination of Leaky-Feeder and Personal Electronic Device (PED) emergency warning system.

Table 24: A Summary of the Major Contributors to the Peak Electrical Load at Iron Cap

| | Capacity (kW) | Quantity | Total Capacity (kW) | Efficiency | Demand Factor | Utilization (%) | Running Load (kW) |
|--------------------------|---------------|----------|---------------------|------------|---------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Jumbo | 150 | 5 | 750 | 93% | 0.8 | 75% | 484 |
| Bolter | 56 | 6 | 336 | 92% | 0.8 | 70% | 205 |
| Drills | 56 | 8 | 448 | 100% | 0.8 | 70% | 251 |
| Raisebore | 242 | 1 | 242 | 91% | 0.75 | 75% | 150 |
| Shotcrete | 56 | 2 | 112 | 91% | 0.7 | 75% | 65 |
| Pumps | 56 | 6 | 336 | 92% | 0.75 | 80% | 219 |
| Surface Fans | 746 | 2 | 1492 | 93% | 0.95 | 100% | 1,524 |
| U/G Fans | 56 | 15 | 840 | 92% | 0.9 | 75% | 616 |
| Air Compressors | 373 | 2 | 746 | 100% | 0.9 | 50% | 336 |
| Heating | 200 | 1 | 200 | 100% | 1 | 50% | 100 |
| Surface Miscellaneous | 250 | 1 | 250 | 100% | 0.4 | 100% | 100 |
| Conveyor 2 | 234 | 1 | 239 | 96% | 78% | 90% | 166 |
| Conveyor 1 | 407 | 1 | 462 | 95% | 80% | 80% | 282 |
| Conveyor 3 | 1562 | 1 | 3227 | 95% | 90% | 87% | 2,384 |
| Crusher | 789 | 4 | 3183 | 95% | 85% | 75% | 1,896 |
| Lighting and Small Power | 75 | 6 | 450 | 100% | 1 | 50% | 225 |
| Heat Tracing | 200 | 1 | 200 | 100% | 1 | 35% | 70 |
| Refuge Stations | 30 | 4 | 120 | 100% | 0.6 | 100% | 72 |
| U/G Shop | 60 | 1 | 60 | 100% | 0.5 | 100% | 30 |
| Misc. Monorails | 7 | 8 | 56 | 91% | 0.85 | 5% | 3 |
| Misc. Sumps | 15 | 8 | 120 | 91% | 0.85 | 15% | 17 |
| Total | | | | | | | 9,200 |



The main power will be supplied to the underground from the Mitchell No. 2 substation through a 25 kV cable hung from the back of the access ramp and conveyor tunnel to create a ring main style system. Each of the main levels will have a 25 kV line which will be stepped down to the required voltage by skid mounted dry-type transformers. Equipment that draws larger loads (e.g., ventilation fans, conveyors and crushers) will be equipment with a permanent transformer.

8.5 Compressed Air

It is estimated that the Iron Cap mine will require 362 m³/hr of compressed air. This will be supplied by two compressors located underground but outside the active working area. One compressor has been sized to handle the estimated requirements and the second compressor will act as a backup.

Compressed air will be piped to the working face through 0.15 m steel pipe with a 10 mm wall thickness.

8.6 Support Infrastructure

The support infrastructure for the Iron Cap mine includes surface buildings and underground excavations that support the mine operations. The surface buildings including the change house, mine offices and warehouses will be part of the greater KSM complex, located in the Teigan valley, and were not part of the scope of this report. Underground, a small warehouse will be established next to the shop (located off of the main access tunnel near the north-east crusher). The underground will also be equipped with portable refuge stations located close to where the majority of the active mining will be occurring and small permanent refuge stations located at each of the crushers. These refuge stations will also act as underground offices.



9.0 MINE DEVELOPMENT SCHEDULE

The mine development schedule was created using Surpac's Minesched software package. The development schedule was separated into three phases. The first is the pre-production phase which involves developing the main access ramp and conveyor drift. The second phase, ore production, involves creating enough openings to start and ramp-up production from the cave. The third and final phase begins once the mine has reached steady-state production and the development fleet is only required to create enough openings to maintain production.

The underground mine will be operating 24 hours a day, 7 days a week and 365 days a year. Phase 1 development rates of one round per day per heading were assumed. Once the footprint is reached and there are many headings available, the development rate is increased to six rounds per day in Phase 2. Phase 3 begins after enough development has been completed to start the cave. At this time the development crews are reduced to excavate one round per day so that openings are excavated with a "just-in-time" philosophy. Each horizontal round is 3.7 m long, and each vertical "round" is 6 m long. The mine development schedule is shown in Figure 36. The schedule indicates that the first set of drawpoints will be ready in Year 5; therefore production cannot start until Year 6.

Rehabilitation of the lateral and vertical development was also estimated and is shown Figure 36. The quantity of rehabilitation required is estimated at approximately 10% of the development advance rate. The rehabilitation has been delayed until after the start of steady state production, as it is anticipated that this is when the majority of the degradation of the drifts will occur as a result of secondary blasting and changes in the stress field. The x-axis in Figure 36 is shown in Iron Cap project years and is not related to the overall site schedule.

It is estimated that Phase 1 development will produce an average of 216,000 tonnes per year (for 5 years) and it will be hauled to a waste dump in either Mitchell or Teigan valley. Waste generated after Year 5 will be sent to the mill as part of the ore stream.

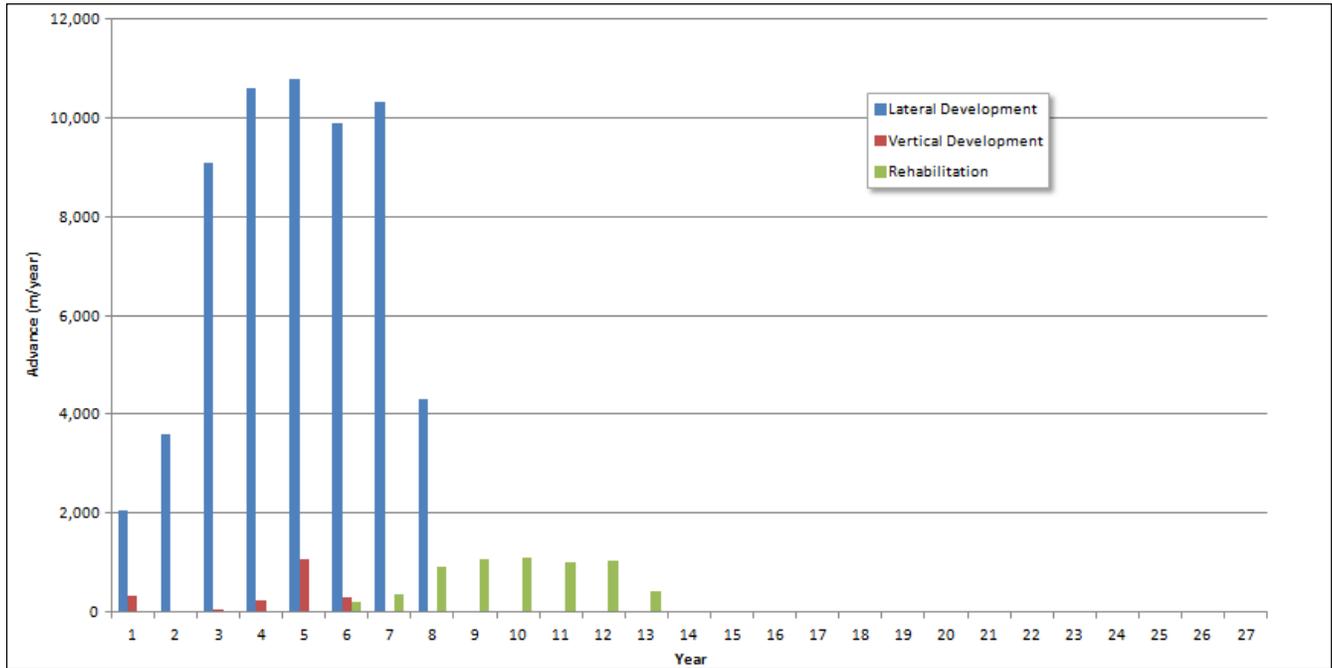


Figure 36: A chart showing the advance of lateral and vertical development and the quantity of rehabilitation estimated to be required

9.1 Mine Development Workforce

The development workforce was estimated based on the quantity of work required to construct and produce from the underground mine on an annual basis. Figure 37 shows the annual development labour and the quantity of development and rehabilitation per year. The development workforce includes all site personnel until the start of production in Year 8. After Year 8, only the labour and staff directly involved in the development of the mine are considered part of the development workforce (e.g., the jumbo operator, development truck driver, the development shift boss, and development planning engineer); the remainder are accounted for in the production workforce discussed in Section 10.3. This distinction is significant in terms of the split between mine operating cost and capital cost discussed in Section 11.3.



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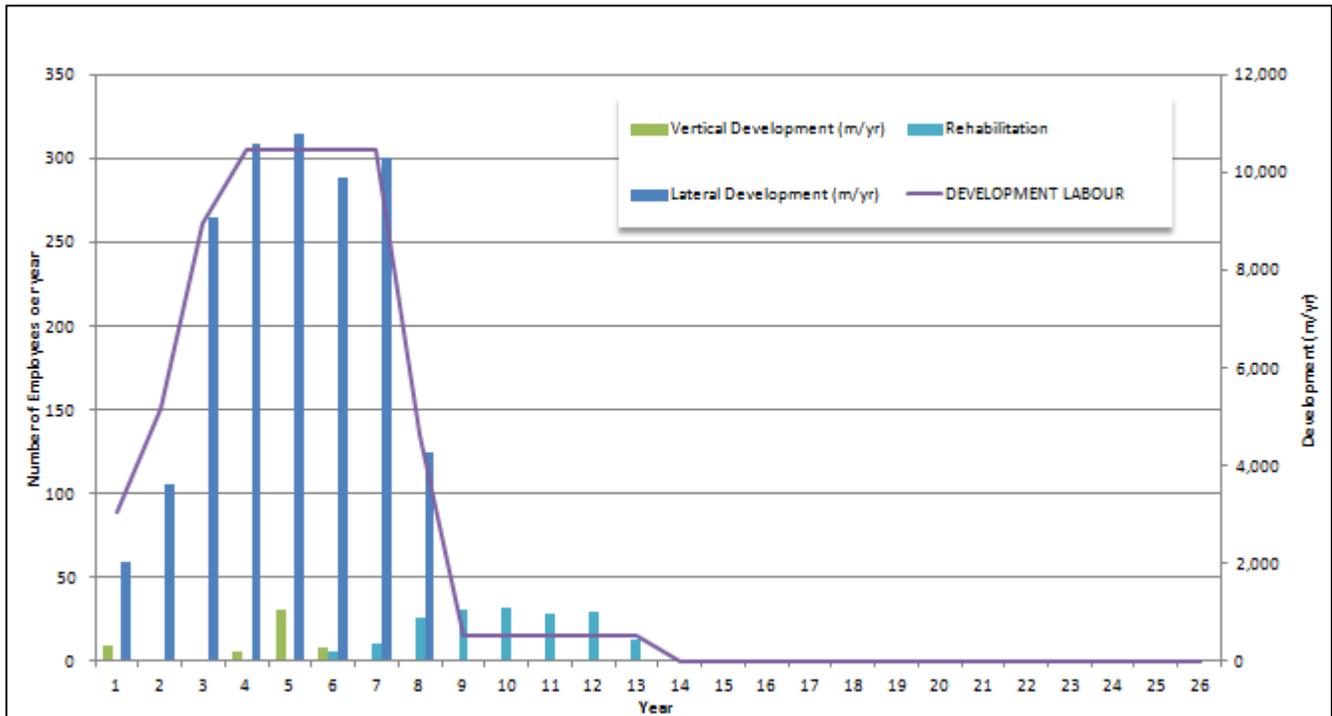


Figure 37: Chart showing the yearly development labour and the amount of vertical and horizontal development, and rehabilitation required per year



10.0 MINE PRODUCTION SCHEDULE

The mine production schedule was developed using Gemcom’s PCBC software (information concerning the development and calibration of PCBC can be found on www.gemcomsoftware.com). PCBC is industry-recognized software that has been used for over 20 years to estimate production and grade profiles from different block cave mines around the world.

10.1 PCBC Input Parameters

PCBC requires certain input parameters which govern the rate at which mine production ramps up, the maximum production rate, and when a drawpoint is no longer profitable. These include the draw rate curve (more information on the draw rate curve can be found in Section 10.1.1), drawpoint construction rate, maximum production target, and the drawpoint spacing. Additional input parameters required include a cave material mixing algorithm, the drawcone layout, and the minimum and maximum height of draw. These were all based on recommendations from Gemcom and on published industry standards. PCBC also requires the block model (with an NSR attribute), surface topography for the area, and certain financial parameters to determine when a drawpoint is no longer profitable.

The key PCBC input parameters are detailed in Table 25. The mining and development costs were developed from first principals and are discussed in Section 11.3. The discount rate, milling and General and Administration costs were obtained from the PFS (Seabridge 2011).

Table 25: The List of Key PCBC Input Parameters

| Item | Value | Unit |
|-----------------------------|-------------|---------------------|
| Mining Cost | 6 | dollars per tonne |
| Milling and G&A Costs | 7.09 | dollars per tonne |
| Discount Rate | 5 | % |
| Drawpoint Construction Rate | 120 | drawpoints per year |
| Yearly Production Rate | 15,000,000 | tonnes per year |
| Maximum Height of Draw | 500 | m |
| Drawpoint Spacing | 15 x 15 | m |
| Drawpoint Layout | El Teniente | |

The ramp-up and maximum yearly mine production rates are determined by the drawpoint construction rate, and the initial and maximum drawpoint production rate. The drawpoint production rate, also known as the draw rate, is inputted in PCBC as the production rate curve (PRC). The values chosen for these items are based on industry averages adjusted to suit the expected situation at Iron Cap. In particular, the initial and maximum drawpoint production rates were reduced to simulate a production environment with large fragmentation. The draw rate and PRC are discussed in the following sections.



These input parameters were used in PCBC to evaluate the potential maximum yearly mine production rate from the Iron Cap footprint, which was found to be 20 million tonnes per year. After comparisons to planned, operating and closed block caving mines in a similar geological environment, this value was lowered to 15 million tonnes per year, which adds conservatism to the overall block caving design.

The maximum height of draw governs the tallest column that can be mined if the drawpoint material is still profitable. This parameter relates to the wear that develops at a drawpoint. At a certain height, the drawpoint becomes so damaged as a result of stress and the quantity of material that passes through it that it must be closed. Currently, 500 m is an accepted industry value, but the industry is trending to taller columns as more competent rock masses are caved and improved ground support techniques are developed.

A 15 m by 15 m drawpoint layout was used to accommodate the expected larger fragmentation from Iron Cap. This is based on empirical evidence collected by Laubscher (Laubscher 1994). This spacing influences capital costs as well as production rates and material mixing. As discussed in Section 6.3, future studies need to include more detailed assessments of the estimates of fragmentation and the selected drawpoint spacing. Such studies may lead to the conclusion that good interaction between draw zones can be still established and maintained with an expanded (and therefore more economical) drawpoint spacing.

It was assumed that sloughing of peripheral waste rock would occur into the crater and cover the upper surface of the material being drawn down. This was modeled in PCBC by adding an infinite supply of waste material on top of the mineralized material. As material is drawn from the drawpoints, the waste mixes with mineralized material as dilution with zero grade (unplanned dilution) and the combined material reports to the drawpoint. The PCBC analyses account for this unplanned dilution.

10.1.1 Draw Rate

The overall draw rate expressed in millimetres per day is a useful reference indicator that allows a comparison to be made between production rates at various caving mines. Figure 38 shows the production and draw rate from a selection of active and historic block cave mines. Due to the large fragmentation that is estimated to report to the drawpoints at Iron Cap, particularly during the early stages of mining, a draw rate of 200 mm/day was chosen as a maximum cap in the PCBC analyses. As will be discussed in Section 10.2, an average draw rate of 110 mm/day is required to reach production goals at Iron Cap.

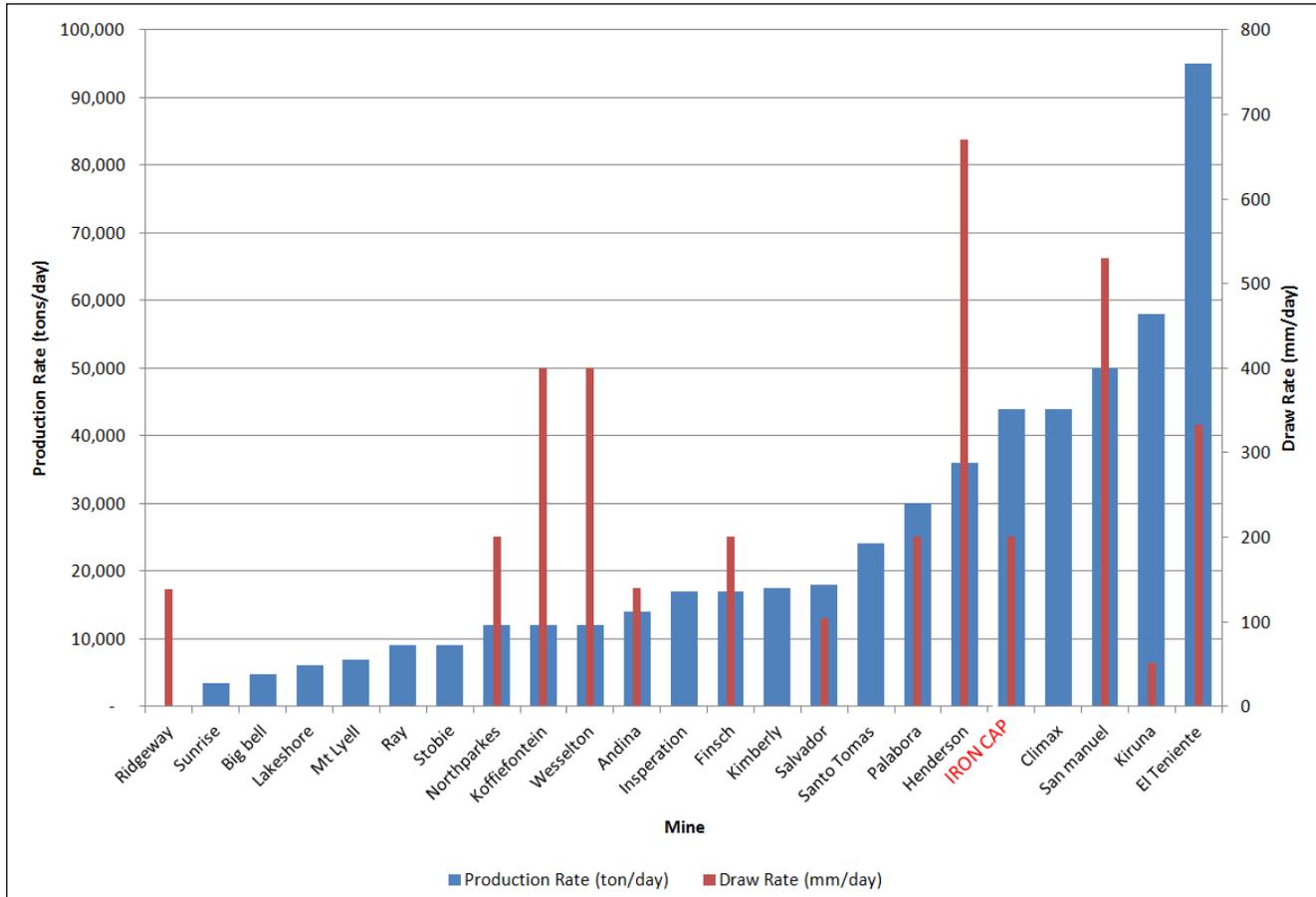


Figure 38: Draw and production rates for a selection of block and panel cave mines (after Woo, Eberhardt and van As, 2009)

10.1.2 Production Rate Curve (PRC)

The time required to reach the theoretical maximum production rate of one drawpoint is another influential parameter in PCBC. This rate is defined by the graph in Figure 39. It shows that, initially it is assumed at Iron Cap that a drawpoint can produce at a rate of 60 mm/day and that this can steadily increase until 50% of the column is mined. Then the drawpoint can produce up to the set maximum of 200 mm/day. This PRC matches actual production achievements at large fragmentation block cave mines such as Palabora, where the amount of secondary breaking required decreases after the first 100 m of a column is drawn (Ngidi 2007). Section 10.1.1 discusses the estimated draw rates per year for the Iron Cap mine.

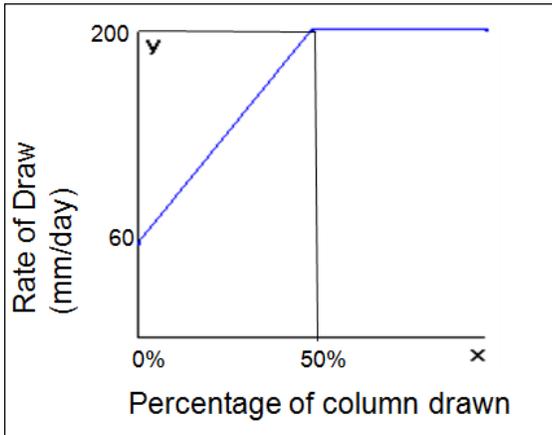


Figure 39: Production Rate Curve that is used to describe the draw rate of one drawpoint

10.2 Results of PCBC Analysis

The production schedule determined from PCBC for Iron Cap is shown in Figure 40. Iron Cap is estimated to have a production ramp-up period of four years, steady state production at 15 million tonnes per year for nine years, and then ramp-down production for another seven years. A breakdown of the production and average grade schedule can be found in Appendix F. The total production and average grade over the life of the mine is shown in Table 26. The period prior to production in Year 6 is considered pre-production. This is when the majority of the ventilation and material movement infrastructure is excavated and installed. This is also the time when the development of most of the undercut and preconditioning levels occurs.

Table 26: Total Production and Average Grades for the Proposed Iron Cap Mine

| Total Production | Au (gpt) | Cu (%) | Mo (ppm) | Ag (g/t) |
|------------------|----------|--------|----------|----------|
| 193,360,000 | 0.45 | 0.20 | 21 | 5.32 |



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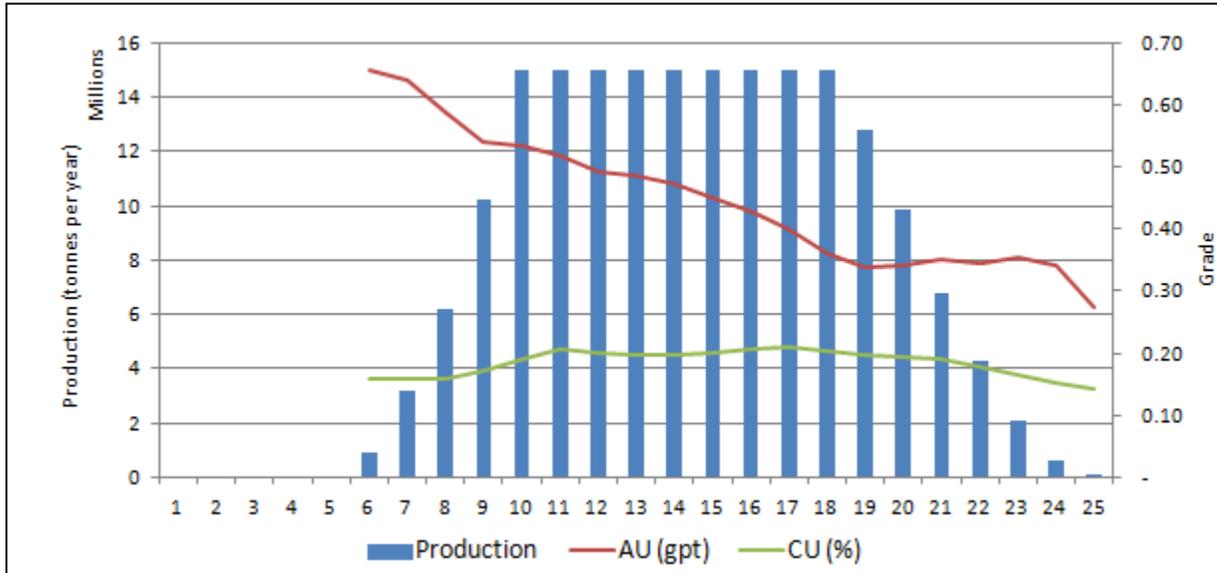


Figure 40: Yearly PCBC production schedule showing gold and copper grades

Drawpoint construction, maintenance, and utilization are important factors governing the ability of the mine to reach production targets. The PCBC production schedule discussed above was developed assuming a construction rate of 120 drawpoints per year. Figure 41 shows the number of active drawpoints in the mine over time, with new drawpoints being progressively established and old drawpoints being closed when the value of the material being mined does not exceed the NSR cut-off discussed in Section 3.1.

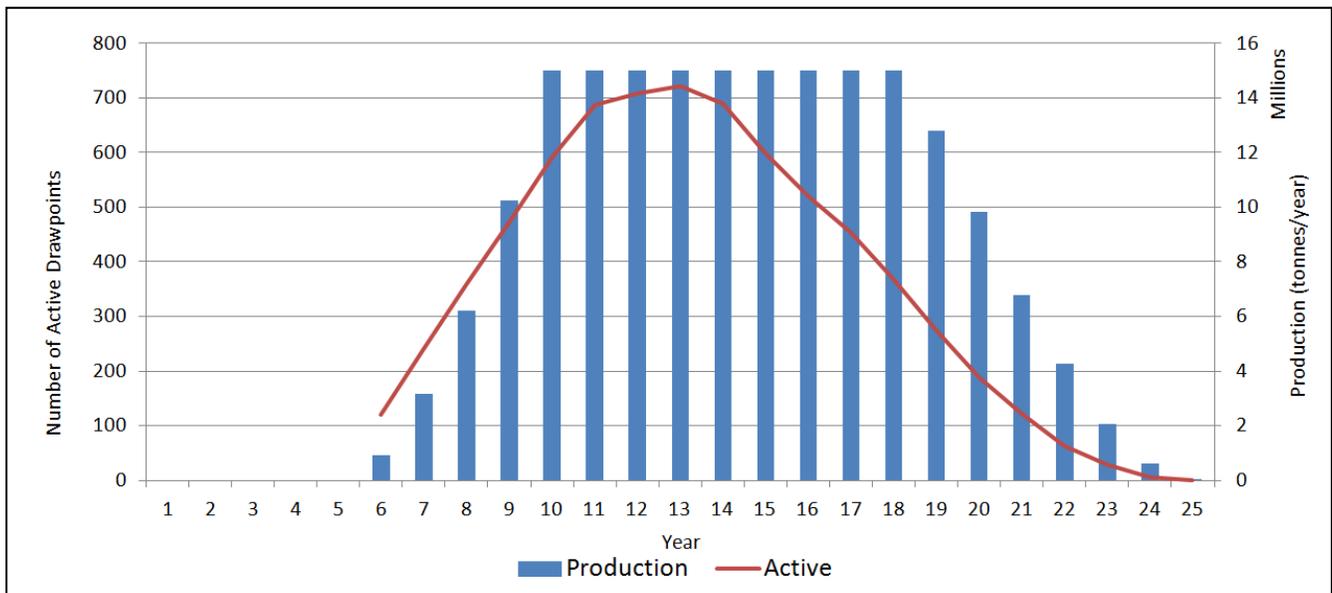


Figure 41: Chart showing the number of active drawpoints and production per year



Fragmentation is also expected to be a major influence in Iron Cap's ability to meet production goals. Many design factors have been included to manage the impact of large fragmentation, including the use of LHDs to haul directly to cone crushers, the use of multiple secondary breakers, and pre-conditioning the rockmass.

Another design parameter used was to limit the maximum production from one drawpoint to the maximum rate of draw. While the maximum draw rate was set at 200mm/day, the actual draw indicated by the PCBC analyses to achieve the production of 15 million tonnes per year is shown in Figure 42. This shows that the actual draw rate for much of the mining period is much less than the maximum at about year 23 is approximately 180 mm/day and is lower than the theoretical maximum input value of 200 mm/day. The average draw rate is 110 mm/day, which means that there are roughly twice as many drawpoints available as required to meet production targets.

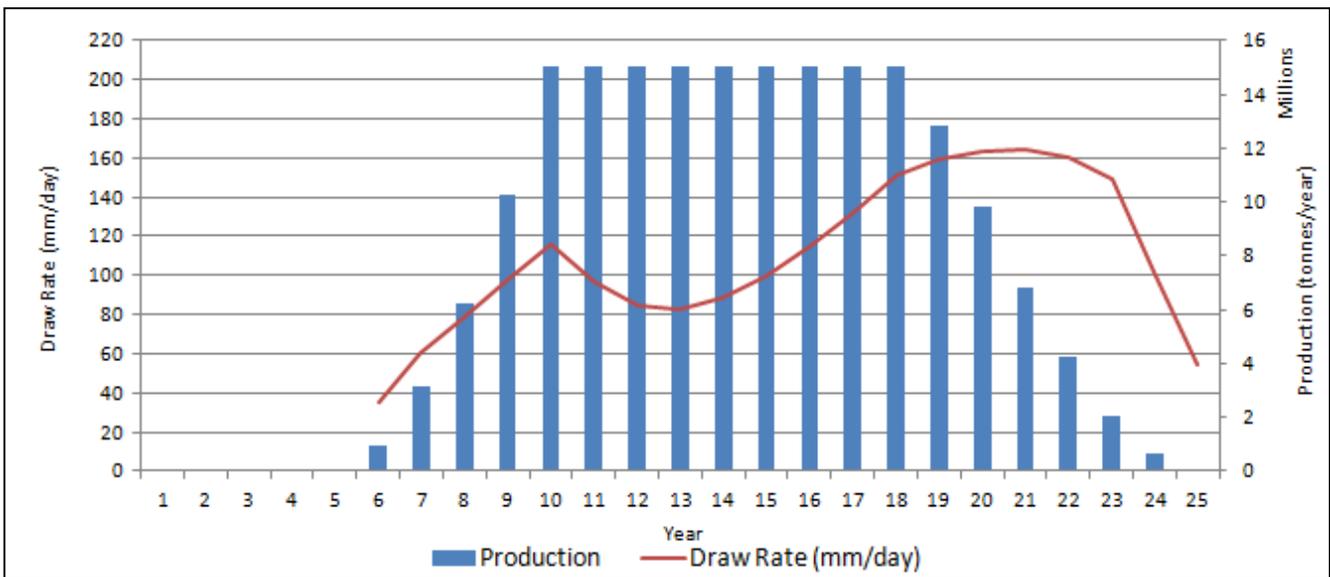


Figure 42: Yearly draw rate and production for Iron Cap

10.3 Mine Production Workforce

The production workforce includes equipment operators, mechanics, electricians, and all staff required to plan the mining processes, including engineers, technicians, and geologists after the mine starts production in Year 8. The production workforce also includes a construction crew, trainees and/or unskilled labour. The size of the production workforce is dependent on the quantity of mobile equipment and the stage of the mine life. This is shown in Figure 43. The sharp increase in the workforce initially represents the staff and labour that is planning the mine, and the maintenance and drilling labour that form part of the development workforce required to prepare the cave (drilling and blasting from the undercut and preconditioning levels). The separation of the production and development workforce is has a significant influence on the split between the mine operating cost and capital cost discussed in Section 11.3. The workforce starts to ramp down before production starts because certain positions are mainly required early in the mine life (e.g., secondary breaker operators, production drillers and construction workers).



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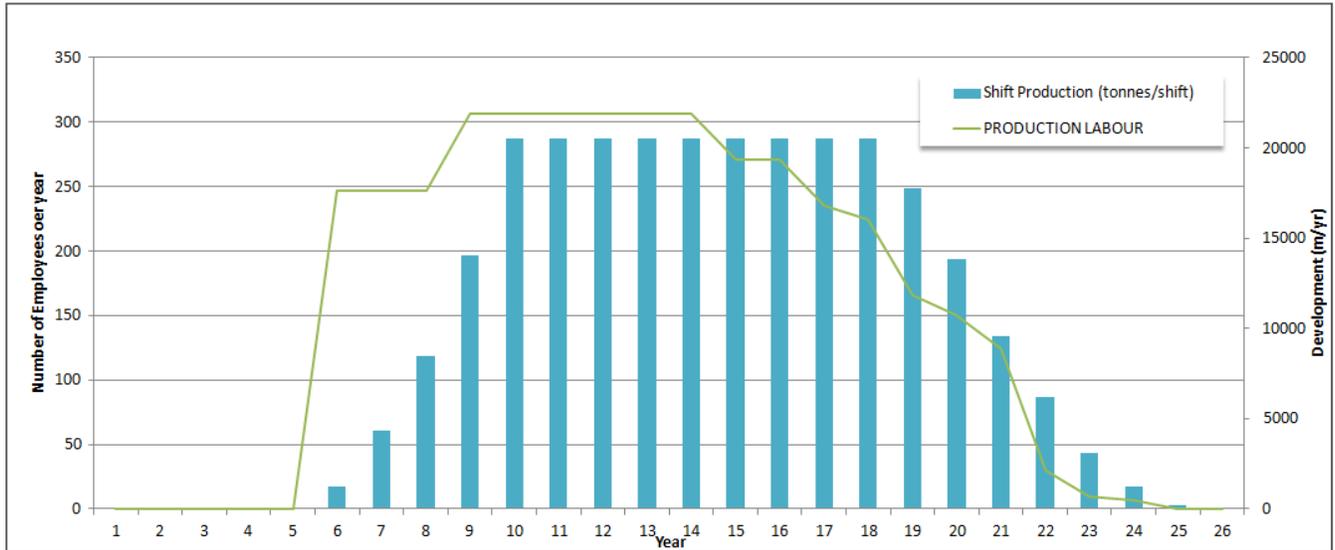


Figure 43: Yearly production workforce distribution



11.0 MINE COSTS

This section contains a description of the mine capital (CAPEX) and mine operating (OPEX) costs. Labour cost contributes to both the CAPEX and OPEX and is therefore discussed in a separate section.

11.1 Labour

The labour costs are based on estimated KSM project rates as provided by Wardrop (Wong 2010, pers. comm.). Where necessary, the rates were adjusted to reflect underground mining experience. For example, an additional category called “underground premium” was created and the “bonus” category was increased for underground workers. Different rates were applied to staff and labour. Table 27 shows the relevant mark-ups that were used to account for burdens, bonus, and remote and underground premiums.

Table 28 contains a list of the major labour categories showing annual base rates and “all-in” costs. The positions are separated into staff and labour. The staff category consists mainly of technical, supervisory and administration roles, while the labour category consists of the underground workers, including equipment operators, miners, mechanics, and electricians. There is provision for a construction crew that will be responsible for constructing the drawpoints. The mine will operate 365 days per year with mine labour (including the underground staff) working a 2 week in and 2 week out schedule and some surface staff (including engineers and geologists) may work a 4 days in and 3 days out schedule. It was assumed that all major installations (e.g., crushers, conveyors, main ventilation fans, and other mine infrastructure) will be completed by contractors.

Table 27: Breakdown of the Various Labour Mark-Ups

| | Staff | Labour |
|---------------------|-------|--------|
| Burden | 35% | 35% |
| Remote premium | 10% | 10% |
| Bonus | 20% | 40% |
| Underground premium | 0% | 15% |



Table 28: The Yearly Base Rate and All-in Rate for the Different Mine Positions

| | Level | Base Rate (per year) | All-in Rate (per year) |
|--------|-----------------------|----------------------|------------------------|
| Staff | Mine Manager | \$180,000 | \$297,000 |
| | Chief Engineer | \$180,000 | \$297,000 |
| | Senior Engineer | \$140,000 | \$231,000 |
| | Mine Engineer | \$115,000 | \$190,000 |
| | Administration | \$55,000 | \$91,000 |
| | Mining Technologist | \$75,000 | \$124,000 |
| | Shift Captain | \$120,000 | \$190,000 |
| | Production Supervisor | \$110,000 | \$182,000 |
| | Shop Foreman | \$110,000 | \$182,000 |
| Labour | Operators | \$84,000 | \$164,000 |
| | Labourer | \$65,000 | \$126,000 |
| | Construction | \$78,000 | \$152,000 |
| | Mechanics | \$92,000 | \$180,000 |
| | Electricians | \$99,000 | \$192,000 |
| | Contract Labour | n/a | \$200,000 |

The development and production workforce are indicated separately in Figure 44 for the life of the mine. The workforce ramps up as development headings become available and production starts. It reaches a maximum of 548 employees between years 5 and 8. After this the development is substantially completed and the crews are reduced. The size of the workforce begins to decrease prior to the production ramp down because less equipment is required to maintain production from the cave (e.g., production drillers, secondary breakers). After Year 18, the total workforce is directly influenced by the production ramp down.



Figure 44: Distribution of the workforce and development advance per year and the production rate per shift



11.2 Mine Capital Costs

The mine capital costs include all equipment and excavations required to prepare, initiate, and maintain the cave. The cost includes excavation and hydrofracturing from the PC level, excavation and construction of the drawpoints, blasting of the undercut, and the associated infrastructure required to move mined material to surface.

The costs were developed from first principles using a detailed cost model. The costs for mine equipment and consumables were obtained from supplier quotations in 2011, Golder’s database or from Wardrop. Mine contractor quotes were obtained in January 2012 and used to confirm derived cost estimates for all mine development work including lateral and vertical excavations. Wardrop estimated the equipment and installation costs for the major equipment used in the material handling system.

This discussion below describes each of the different openings that are in the design and describes the associated costs. Unless otherwise indicated, the costs presented here do not include labour costs, which were discussed in Section 11.1.

11.2.1 Mine Development

As described in Section 7.0, the proposed Iron Cap design has various sized openings with different purposes. Table 29 shows each of the different openings and the associated cost per meter. These rates include the cost of materials and equipment to create the opening. The cost for the ongoing activities within the opening (i.e., the cost to blast the undercut after it has been excavated or the cost to drill, blast, and excavate a drawbell) will be described in a separate section. The mine development costs include standard ground support (bolts and mesh) on the back and walls, and concrete floors in the extraction drifts and drawpoints (ground support requirements are discussed in Section 7.6). An example of the detailed cost calculation for a meter of development can be found in Appendix I.

An estimated rehabilitation cost of \$1,200 per metre was used in this study. The actual cost of rehabilitating a drift will vary greatly depending on the extent of the damage and on the timing of the rehabilitation (i.e. is the rehabilitation considered preventative, completed to prevent further damage to the drift, or reactionary, done after the damage has occurred).

Table 29: Summary of the Unit Cost of the Various Development Sizes Proposed for the Iron Cap Mine

| Description | Unit of measure | Unit Cost (ex. Labour) | Unit Cost (incl. Labour) |
|--|-----------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| 5.5 m x 5.5 m Drive ⁽¹⁾ | m | \$2,000 | \$4,200 |
| 3.5 m x 4.5 m Drawpoint | m | \$2,700 | \$5,000 |
| 5.5 m x 5.5 m Extraction Drifts | m | \$4,200 | \$6,600 |
| 4.0 m x 4.0 m Undercut and Preconditioning | m | \$1,200 | \$3,800 |
| 5.5 m x 4.4 m Conveyor Drive | m | \$2,600 | \$5,000 |
| 7.5 m x 7.5 m Return Air Drive | m | \$3,400 | \$6,500 |
| Rehabilitation | m | \$1,200 | \$3,500 |
| Internal vent raise (2.5 m diameter) | m | \$5,500 | \$8,000 |

⁽¹⁾ This item refers to the majority of underground excavations, such as the perimeter drifts, the MTT Access and the internal ramps.



11.2.2 Block Cave Infrastructure

The block cave infrastructure includes the cost of the ongoing activity inside a drift including preconditioning the rockmass, drilling and blasting the undercut, and drilling, blasting and supporting the drawpoints and drawbells. Cost estimates for the designs are shown in Table 30. These costs do not include labour.

Table 30: Summary of the Rock Infrastructure Capital Costs

| Item | Unit | Cost (\$) |
|---|---|-----------|
| Preconditioning | \$/m of PC drift | \$ 8 |
| Undercut Blasting | \$/m of UC drift | \$ 1,250 |
| Drawbell Excavation and Drawpoint Support | \$ per set of drawpoints (2 drawpoints) | \$ 78,000 |

11.2.3 Mobile Equipment

Table 31 shows the list and unit cost of the mobile equipment required for the Iron Cap mine. A five year replacement schedule has been included in the life of mine capital cost estimates. It is estimated that over the 27 year mine life a total of \$38 million will be required for development equipment, \$73 million for production equipment, and \$14 million for support equipment.

Table 31: Iron Cap Mobile Equipment Requirements.

| Equipment | Unit Cost |
|-------------------------|--------------|
| Jumbo Drill Rig | \$ 986,000 |
| Development Haul Truck | \$ 948,000 |
| Development LHD | \$ 1,150,000 |
| Bolter | \$ 800,000 |
| ANFO Loader | \$ 400,000 |
| Scissor Lift | \$ 382,000 |
| Production LHD | \$ 1,150,000 |
| Raisebore Machine | \$ 4,100,000 |
| Production Drill Rig | \$ 997,000 |
| Grader | \$ 235,000 |
| Big Personnel Carrier | \$ 295,000 |
| Small Personnel Carrier | \$ 145,000 |
| Mobile Rockbreaker | \$ 224,000 |
| Block Holer | \$ 577,000 |
| Shotcrete Sprayer | \$ 627,000 |
| Concrete Mixer | \$ 442,000 |
| Boom Truck | \$ 329,000 |



11.2.4 Stationary Equipment

Table 32 shows the list of unit and installation costs of the major stationary equipment required for the Iron Cap mine. For cost estimating purposes the replacement/refit of the conveyors and crushers is done every ten years. It is estimated that Iron Cap will require \$105M of stationary equipment over the life of the mine.

Table 32: Iron Cap Stationary Equipment and Installation Costs

| Equipment | Quantity | Total Cost (\$M) |
|-------------------------------|----------|------------------|
| Crusher | 4 | \$3.5 |
| Crusher Installation | 4 | \$13.5 |
| Conveyor (incl. installation) | 1 | \$30.7 |
| Transfer Station to MTT | 1 | \$5.8 |
| Dewatering System | 1 | \$0.52 |
| Air Compressor | 2 | \$0.4 |

11.2.5 Surface Equipment

Table 33 shows the list of unit and installation costs of the surface equipment required for the Iron Cap mine. The electrical distribution system estimate was developed by WN Brazier Associates (details can be found in Appendix F).

Table 33: Iron Cap Surface Equipment Installed Costs

| Equipment | Quantity | Total Installed Cost (\$M) |
|--------------------------------|----------|----------------------------|
| Surface fans | 4 | \$1.0 |
| Mine air heaters | 1 | \$5.0 |
| Ventilation bulkheads | 1 | \$1.6 |
| Electrical distribution system | 1 | \$45.0 |
| Propane tank farm | 1 | \$1.3 |
| Portals | 3 | \$0.3 |

11.2.6 Closure

The closure costs were included as a one-time \$10 million dollar expense at the end of the mine life and it excludes any benefit that may be realised by selling stationary equipment (crushers, fans, conveyor belts), mobile equipment (LHDs, trucks or jumbos) or services (electrical wiring). The closure cost includes the following items:

- Remove the mobile equipment from the mine by driving it out and either salvaging it or placing it in a landfill or designated dump site.



- Leave the major infrastructure such as crusher, rockbreakers and conveyors (including belting) in the mine. All oils would be drained from the motors and gears.
- Leave all electrical cable and piping.
- Remove all extraneous oils and lubricants, such as those in electrical gear (transformers etc.), and any explosives and chemicals.
- Remove the surface ventilation fans and either salvage or dispose of them in landfill.
- Seal all openings to surface, except the Return Air Drift at Iron Cap, with cement plugs. These would contain drainpipes to allow water to drain for collection by the surface drainage and treatment systems.

The RAD at Iron Cap would be left open to provide a water outflow for a large flood event. This water would be captured with the existing surface drainage plans. The adit would be covered with a secure grate to prevent access.

11.2.7 Life of Mine Capital Cost Schedule

Capital costs include the purchase and installation of all equipment and the excavation of all the underground workings. Figure 45 shows the life of mine capital cost for the Iron Cap mine, which is estimated to be \$1.5 billion. This includes approximately \$509 million in pre-production capital expense over the first 5 years of the mine life and an average sustaining capital cost of \$46 million over the remaining 21 years. The life of mine capital cost is shown in a table in Appendix G.

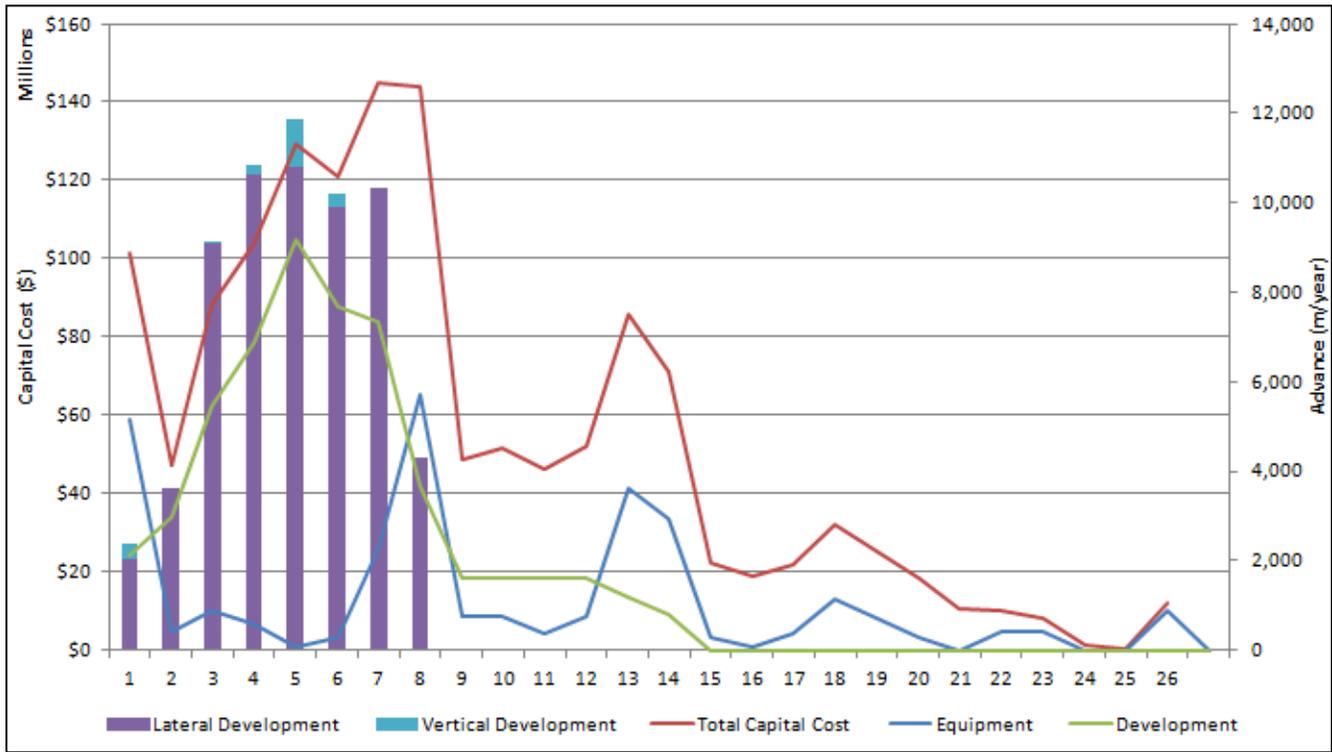


Figure 45: Distribution of capital cost of the life of the Iron Cap mine

11.3 Mine Operating Costs

A preliminary cost estimate of \$6/tonne was used in the PCBC analysis to produce a tonne and grade production schedule for Iron Cap. This schedule was then input to the whole KSM complex production schedule developed by others. The mine operating cost presented in this section differs slightly from the preliminary one used because additional refinements were made. However, the difference did not warrant additional modelling to develop revised schedules.

The mine operating cost (OPEX) consists of the equipment and labour that is required to move material from the drawpoint to the MTT conveyor tunnel and the fixed costs to run the mine. This includes the use of the LHDs, secondary breakers, crushers and conveyors, and the labour required to plan and execute the mining plan (mine labour comprises about 56% of the total Iron Cap mine OPEX). Included in the fixed costs are items that are not affected by the production rate, such as the ventilation fans, pumps and the general mine expenses such as office supplies. Table 34 shows a breakdown of the average life of mine OPEX. Appendix H contains a detailed breakdown of the operating expense.



Table 34: A Summary of the Iron Cap Mine Operating Costs

| Activity | OPEX (\$/tonne mined) |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| Production Mucking (LHD) | \$ 0.82 |
| Crushing | \$ 0.65 |
| Conveyors | \$ 0.39 |
| Block Holers | \$ 0.16 |
| Mobile Rockbreakers | \$ 0.12 |
| Labour | \$ 3.45 |
| Rehabilitation | \$ 0.04 |
| Fixed | \$ 0.53 |
| Total | \$ 6.15 |

Figure 46 shows the distribution of the unit OPEX over the life of the mine. The unit OPEX is higher in the first years due to the relatively high number of personnel on site producing at a comparatively small production rate. This is typical for an underground mine and even more applicable to block caving because of the high amount of development required before production can commence and the long ramp-up period to achieve the planned production rate. The influence of the workforce on the OPEX ranges from approximately 75% in the early years to approximately 35% in the later years. The impact of varying the labour cost by +/- 25% is shown in Table 35.

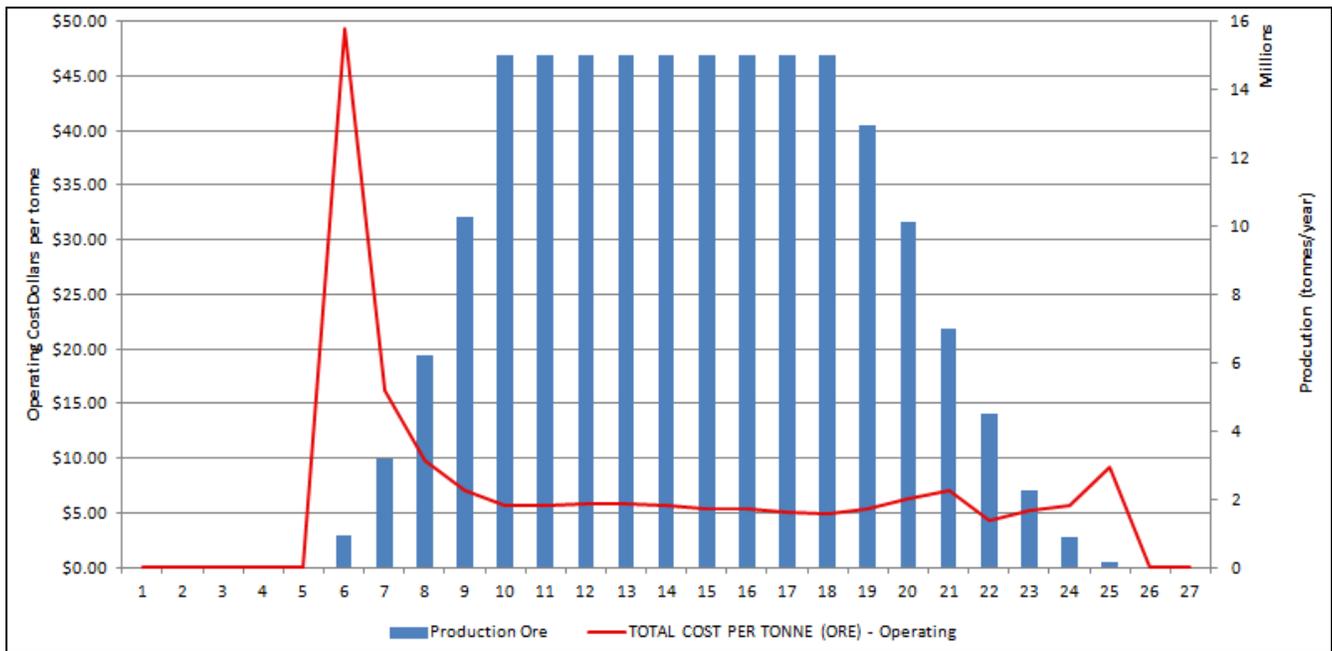


Figure 46: A chart showing the variability of the estimated OPEX over the life of the mine relative to the mine production



Table 35: Sensitivity of Labour Cost on OPEX

| Item | Labour at -25% | Labour at Base Case | Labour at +25% |
|------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|
| OPEX | 5.46 | 5.86 | 6.23 |

11.3.1 OPEX Sensitivity

The mine OPEX is a key parameter used in PCBC to determine the profitability of a drawpoint. The influence of increasing or decreasing the OPEX by 25% on the block cave resources was investigated with additional PCBC runs, and the results are presented in Table 36. The block cave resources are not overly sensitive to OPEX as a 25% change to OPEX only changes the block cave resources by 5%.

Table 36: The Influence of Mine OPEX on Block Cave Resources

| OPEX (\$/tonne) | Tonnes | Au (g/t) | Cu (%) | Mo (ppm) | Ag (g/t) |
|-----------------|-------------|----------|--------|----------|----------|
| 6.00 | 197,300,448 | 0.448 | 0.194 | 21.465 | 5.258 |
| 4.50 (-25%) | 207,351,744 | 0.437 | 0.191 | 21.792 | 5.178 |
| 7.50 (+25%) | 187,015,520 | 0.459 | 0.196 | 21.168 | 5.331 |

11.4 Contingencies

Contingencies were applied to each cost item in the database and were calculated for the project based on a weighted average. The contingencies range from a low of 10% for fuel and power costs to a high of 25% for labour rates. A contingency of 20% was applied to the capital purchase of equipment and 15% to the maintenance cost of the equipment. Overall project contingency is estimated at 22%.



12.0 PROJECT OPPORTUNITIES AND RISKS

The following bullet points summarize the main opportunities and risks to block caving the Iron Cap deposit.

12.1 Project Opportunities

- A pre-feasibility study requires the use of Measured and Indicated resources only, which is approximately 207 million tonnes inside the Iron Cap footprint. There is approximately 142 million tonnes of Inferred material inside the footprint that was not included in this study (grades and tonnages are shown in Table 37). Upgrading this material to the Indicated category would improve the project economics. The results presented in the Table 37 are from the Footprint Finder program and differ from the Block Cave Resources presented in Table 4.

Table 37: Summary of the Footprint Finder Results

| Categories | Tonnage (Mtonnes) | Au (g/t) | Cu (%) | Ag (g/t) | Mo (ppm) |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------|----------|--------|----------|----------|
| Measured and Indicated | 207 | 0.47 | 0.20 | 5.63 | 21.85 |
| Measured, Indicated, and Inferred | 349 | 0.42 | 0.20 | 5.12 | 55.73 |

- The footprint determined by FF to provide the maximum value (elevation 1210 m) is shown in Figure 48. This will result in the extraction of approximately 50% of the geological resource. The opportunity is still available to establish other additional draw horizons at other elevations to potentially mine more of the resource. FF was used to investigate this further.

Figure 47 shows three additional polygons that might be candidates to recover additional resources that were investigated using FF.

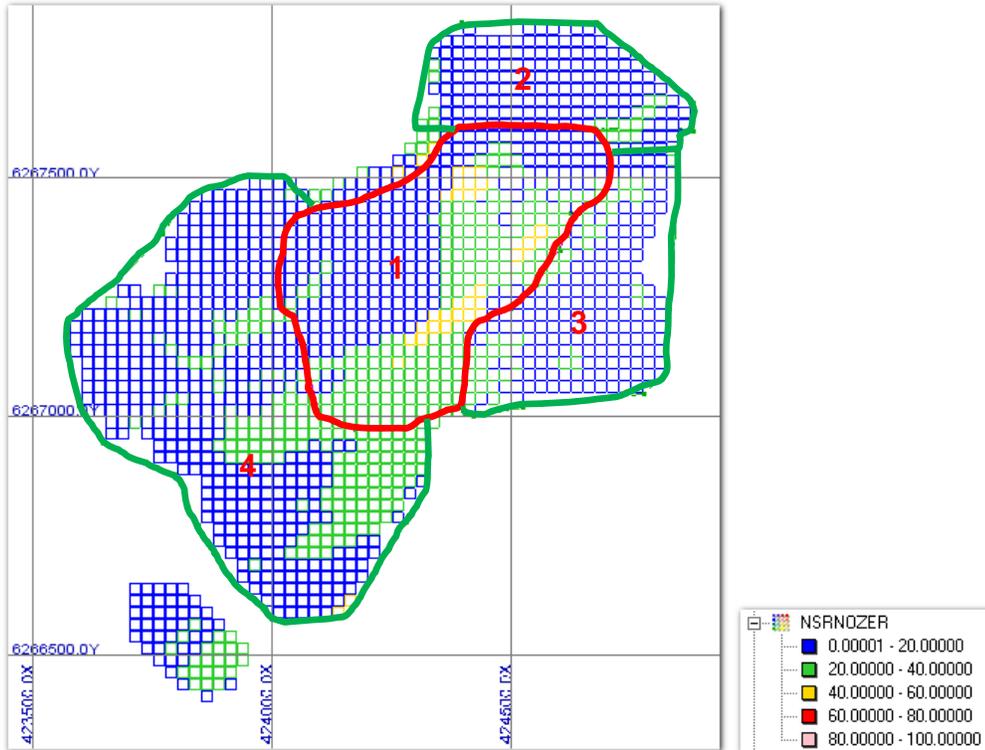


Figure 47: A section at 1210 m elevation of the Footprint Finder model showing the proposed block cave footprint, the selected footprint (1) and three possible additional footprints (2, 3 and 4) at other elevations

The results of the additional FF investigations are summarized in Table 38. These indicate that only Area 4 with a potential draw horizon at elevation 1315 m has potential to add value to the Iron Cap mine. The concept would be to excavate Areas 1 and 4 from two different elevations either concurrently or sequentially. There would be a number of sequencing issues that would need to be addressed in doing this. No investigations of mining this additional resource were carried out for this study.

Table 38: Summary of the Footprint Finder Results for Additional Mining Areas Outside of the Selected Footprint

| Footprint Polygon | Elevation (m) | Tonnage (Mtonnes) | Value (\$M) | Comment |
|-------------------|---------------|-------------------|-------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 | 1210 | 207 | 1,385 | Selected case in this study |
| 2 | 1285 | 3.9 | 14 | Not viable -discarded |
| 3 | 1360 | 26.7 | 70 | Not viable - discarded |
| 4 | 1315 | 95.2 | 365 | Potential added value |

- Iron Cap is one of the lower grade deposits at the KSM site and it is not scheduled to be exploited until later in the overall project life. This delay will provide time for the development of new technologies that may improve the Iron Cap economics and it will also allow time for investigations to add potential reserves (it is understood that the Iron Cap deposit is open at depth).



- Only limited geotechnical information is available on the quality and degree of fracturing of the rock mass. If further drilling information indicates that the degree of fracturing is less than presently assumed and the rock is generally more competent, which some of the current drilling information suggests, it may be possible to expand the drawpoint layout from the current 15 m by 15 m.

12.2 Project Risks

- Only very limited geotechnical drilling has been undertaken of the deposit. This drilling was focused towards obtaining information for the design of the open pits and the locations of the holes were not optimum for the design of a caving operation. The available geotechnical information, together with a good understanding of the geological conditions and knowledge from the adjacent Mitchell deposit, are considered suitable for this pre-feasibility assessment, but additional information will be required to advance the project to a higher level of study.
- The fragmentation of the rock at the drawpoints is estimated to be coarse to very coarse (the in situ block size is $>2 \text{ m}^3$). The mine has been designed to accommodate the predicted fragmentation size. However, the predictions may not be accurate. Experience at Palabora indicates that the ability to properly predict primary, secondary and tertiary fragmentation of the rockmass during the caving process is difficult. If the size of the average drawpoint material at Iron Cap is larger than expected, then production will suffer.
- There is an ice cap on the mountain that contains the Iron Cap deposit. The mine may be operating far enough into the future that the ice will have already melted and will have little impact on the block cave mine. If such melting has not occurred, caving of the ice into the crater is not expected to pose a problem. However if there is water beneath the ice, that is presently not thought likely, then sudden inrushes may occur. The possibility of such water being present needs to be investigated further.
- Production at Iron Cap will be mucked with LHDs hauling directly to the crushers. A literature search on block cave mines using similar approaches indicates that the maximum average haul distance is approximately 250 m. This is the average haul distance at Iron Cap. There are many impacts that could potentially delay an LHD and reduce its productivity (e.g., other equipment in the drift, large hang-ups, and delays at the crusher). If the LHDs do not perform as well as anticipated, then production targets may not be reached and costs will increase.
- The LHD haul and fragmentation estimation are key factors influencing productivity. It is also recommended that additional study on the productivity of the LHDs and extraction level design be undertaken to confirm the estimated productivities. This additional work should include industry benchmarking and the use of mine simulation software tools.
- The current ventilation design has the return air portal located downwind of the fresh air portals. However, 30% of the time, the wind is blowing in the opposite direction. If the exhaust air is not properly dispersed by the time it reaches the fresh air intakes then a recirculation problem may occur.
- The Iron Cap deposit is estimated to have approximately 100 workers per shift at peak operations and it will be producing 45,000 tpd of material. This will add to the traffic that is already planned for the MTT. A review of the tunnel logistics including traffic and material flow and handling “clean” and “dirty” water flows should be completed.



- There are inherent risks associated with block caving. These include the following:
 - There is the potential to develop air gaps between the cave back and the caved material. These air gaps may result in air blasts which could cause significant damage to the underground infrastructure and hazards to employees underground. There are mitigation measures that can be implemented including a microseismic system and boreholes to measure the progression of the cave.
 - Mud-rushes at the drawpoints are a risk once the cave breaks through to the surface. This is particularly important during the annual spring thaw, when meltwater from snow and ice that accumulates on the broken material at the surface can migrate through to the underground drawpoints. The current drawpoint design has attempted to mitigate some of this risk by offsetting the drawpoints. Operational restrictions may need to be applied at certain times of the year which may adversely impact production.
 - The nature of a block cave causes stresses to be redistributed. This may result in damage to the existing drifts as a result of stress induced fracturing and/or major seismic energy releases. Further investigations of this need to be undertaken.
 - Excessive rehabilitation of the drifts from adverse stress conditions may have a significant impact on the profitability of the mine. In addition, it is anticipated that there will be a significant amount of secondary blasting of oversize material, which could damage drift infrastructure (piping and wiring in the drift). Rehabilitating these drifts will be expensive, not only because of the cost to complete the repairs, but because of the potential loss of productivity. The current design attempts to mitigate these risks by assigning a rehabilitation cost (10% of development) to the OPEX and by having approximately twice as many drawpoints available as needed to meet production targets.



13.0 CONCLUSIONS

The Iron Cap deposit is a large, massive deposit making it suitable for block caving. Analyses using FF and PCBC indicate that an economical block cave operation can be developed with a caving footprint approximately 243,000 m² in size.

The deposit is comprised of strong, moderately fractured rock. The strength of the rock mass does not vary significantly within the deposit, and rock quality variations are most commonly attributed to variations in fracture frequency.

The cavability assessments made using Laubscher's and Mathews' methods indicate that the size (diameter) of the footprint required to initiate and propagate caving is significantly smaller than the size of the footprint of the deposit that can potentially be mined economically by caving. This fact, together with the large size of the deposit, indicates that the Iron Cap deposit is amenable to cave mining.

The DFN modelling shows that the median in situ block size is approximately 2.5 m³. This is a large block size for cave mining, and the fragmentation is expected to be coarse. Mitigation measures have been incorporated into the design including secondary rock breakers and the LHDs hauling directly to the crushers. As well, preconditioning of the rockmass by hydraulic fracturing is proposed as a risk reduction measure. The potentially coarse fragmentation has been taken into account in developing the mine design, estimating the production rate over time and estimating operating costs.

The available information on fracture intensity at Iron Cap is somewhat uncertain because of the limited geotechnical drilling that has been undertaken, and it was considered prudent for this initial study to adopt the slightly conservative drawpoint layout of 15 m by 15 m. This aspect needs to be investigated further with further geotechnical drilling being undertaken. Depending on the results, there may be an opportunity in the future to adopt an expanded layout.

The design produces a block cave resource of approximately 192 million tonnes with an average grade of 5.3 g/t Ag, 0.45 g/t Au, 0.20% Cu and 21.6 ppm Mo. The mining operation will require approximately 62 km of openings to be excavated.

Detailed production, development, and capital and operating cost schedules have been developed for the project based on the pre-feasibility level design presented. The costs were developed from first principles and vendor quotes, and are considered accurate to +/-25%.

The mining operating cost was estimated to be \$6.15 per tonne and the total mining cost including a 22% contingency was estimated to be \$13.41 per tonne.

The pre-production capital expense is approximately \$879M and the yearly capital expense is \$27.5M per year for the remaining 19 years of mine life. The total mine life is expected to be 25 years, including 5 years of pre-production development, 4 years of production ramp-up, and 7 years of production ramp-down.



14.0 CLOSURE

We trust that this report meets your requirements at this time. If you have any questions or comments please contact the under-signed.

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APPENDIX A

Mine Level Drawings



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MTT CONVEYOR TUNNEL

ORE PASS TO MTT

CONVEYOR NO. 3 TO MTT
48" x 2000 m

PRIMARY CRUSHER CHAMBER

CRUSHER 2

PERIMETER DRIFT

CRUSHER 1

CONVEYOR NO. 2
48" x 450 m

EXTRACTION DRIFT
1210 ELEVATION

EQUIPMENT ACCESS RAMP

CRUSHER 3

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CONVEYOR TUNNEL

CRUSHER CHAMBER

CRUSHER 4

CONVEYOR NO. 1
48" x 450 m

PRIMARY CRUSHER CHAMBER

CRUSHER CHAMBER LAYOUT

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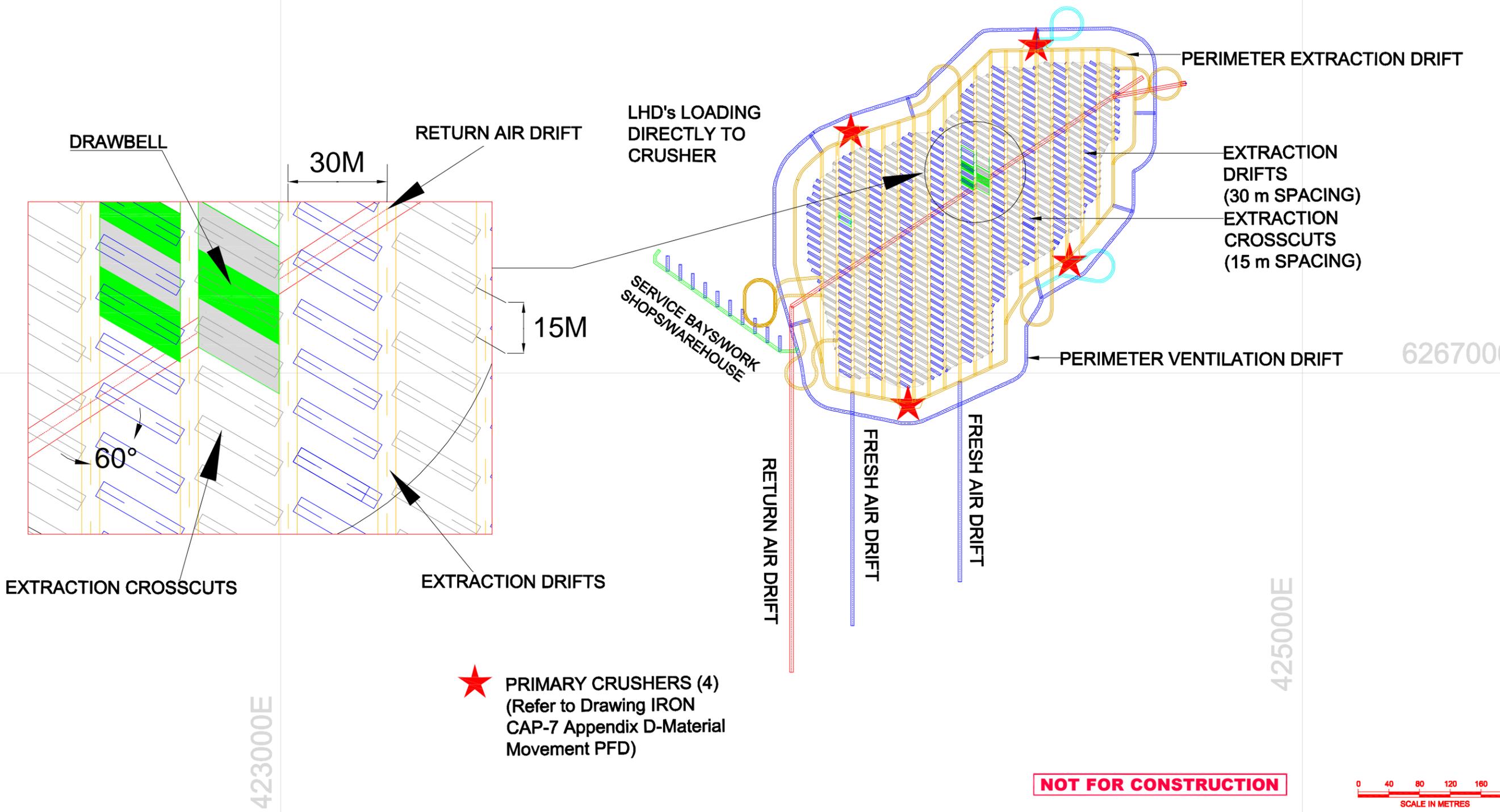
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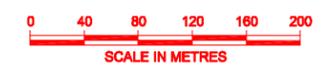
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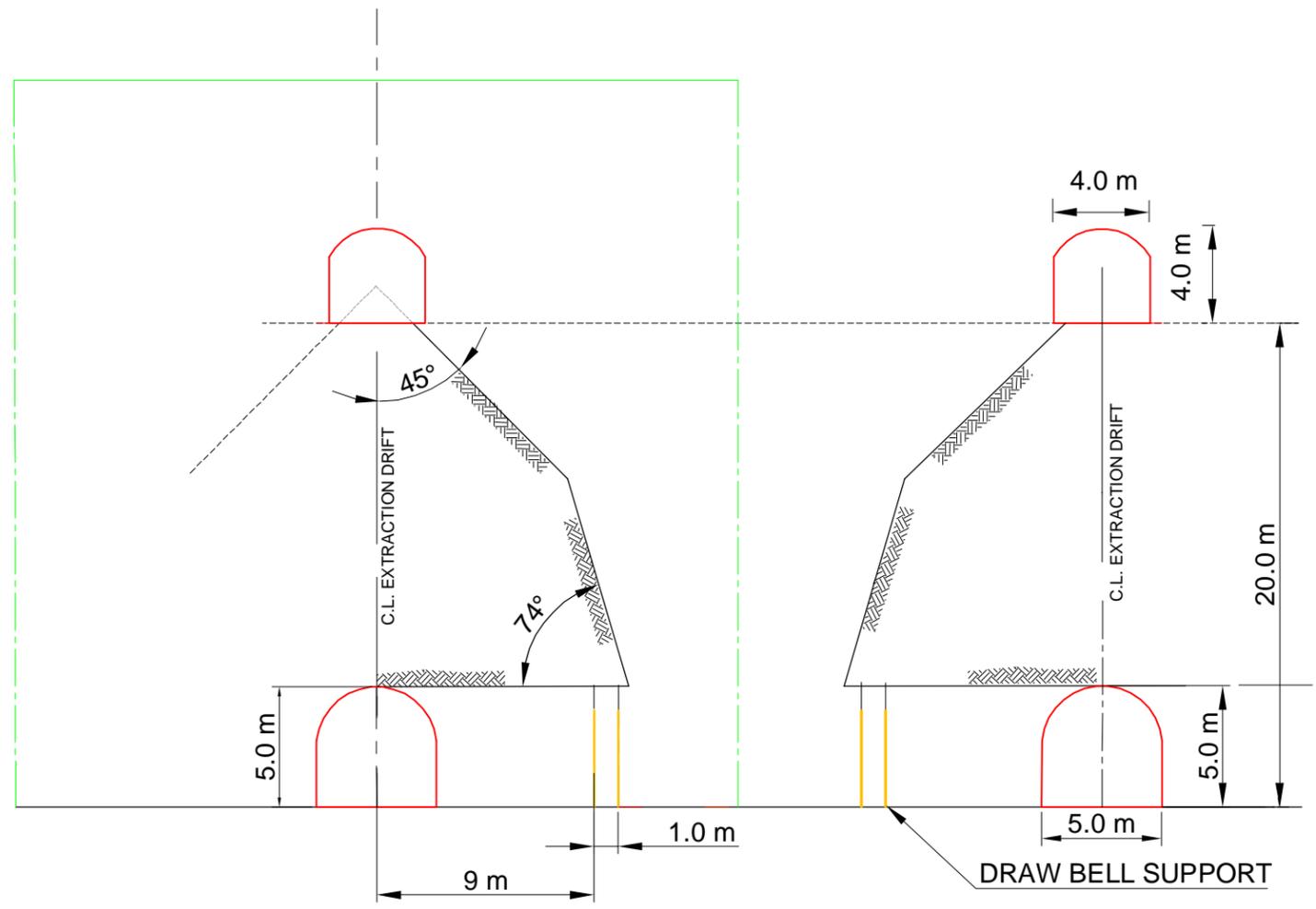
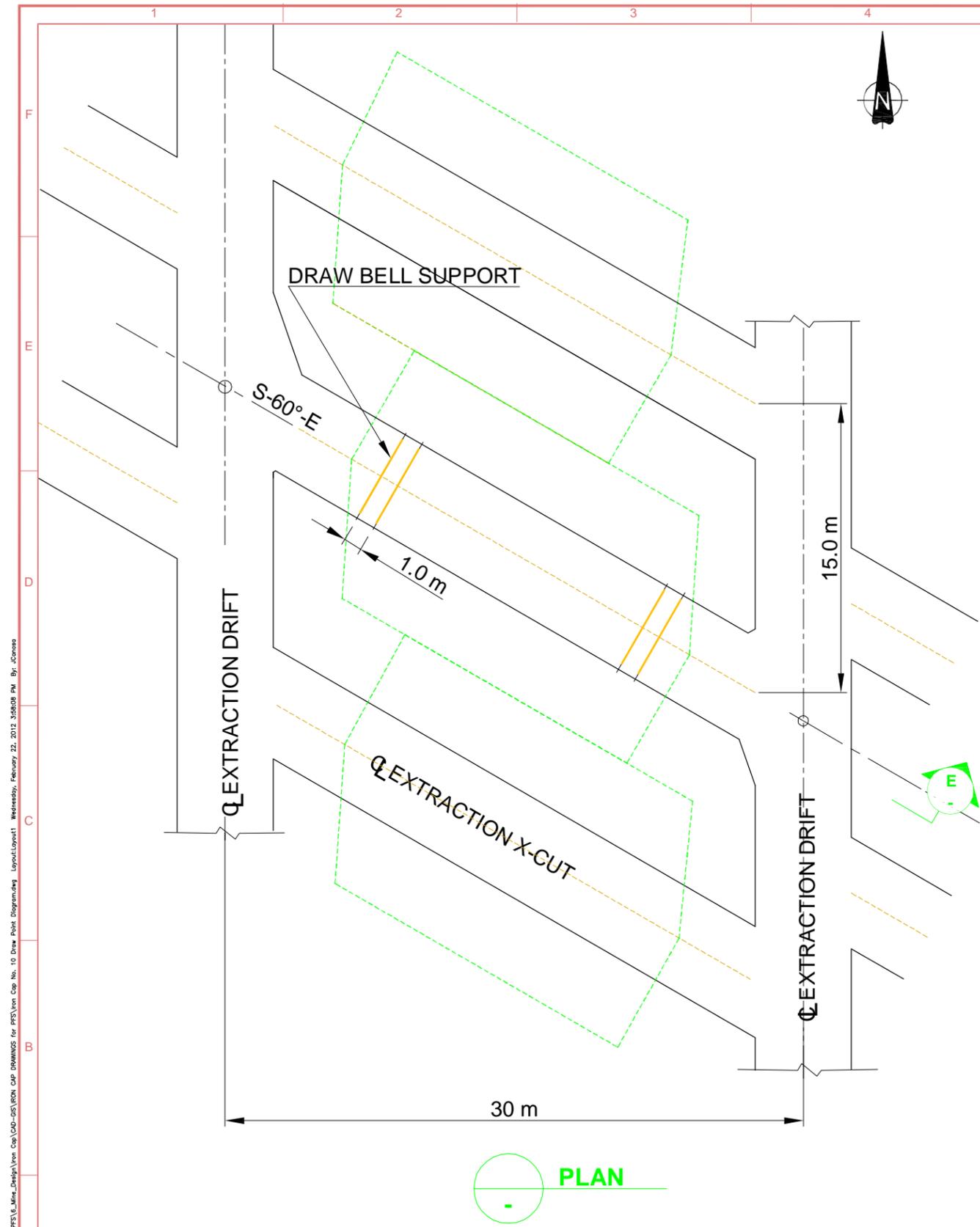
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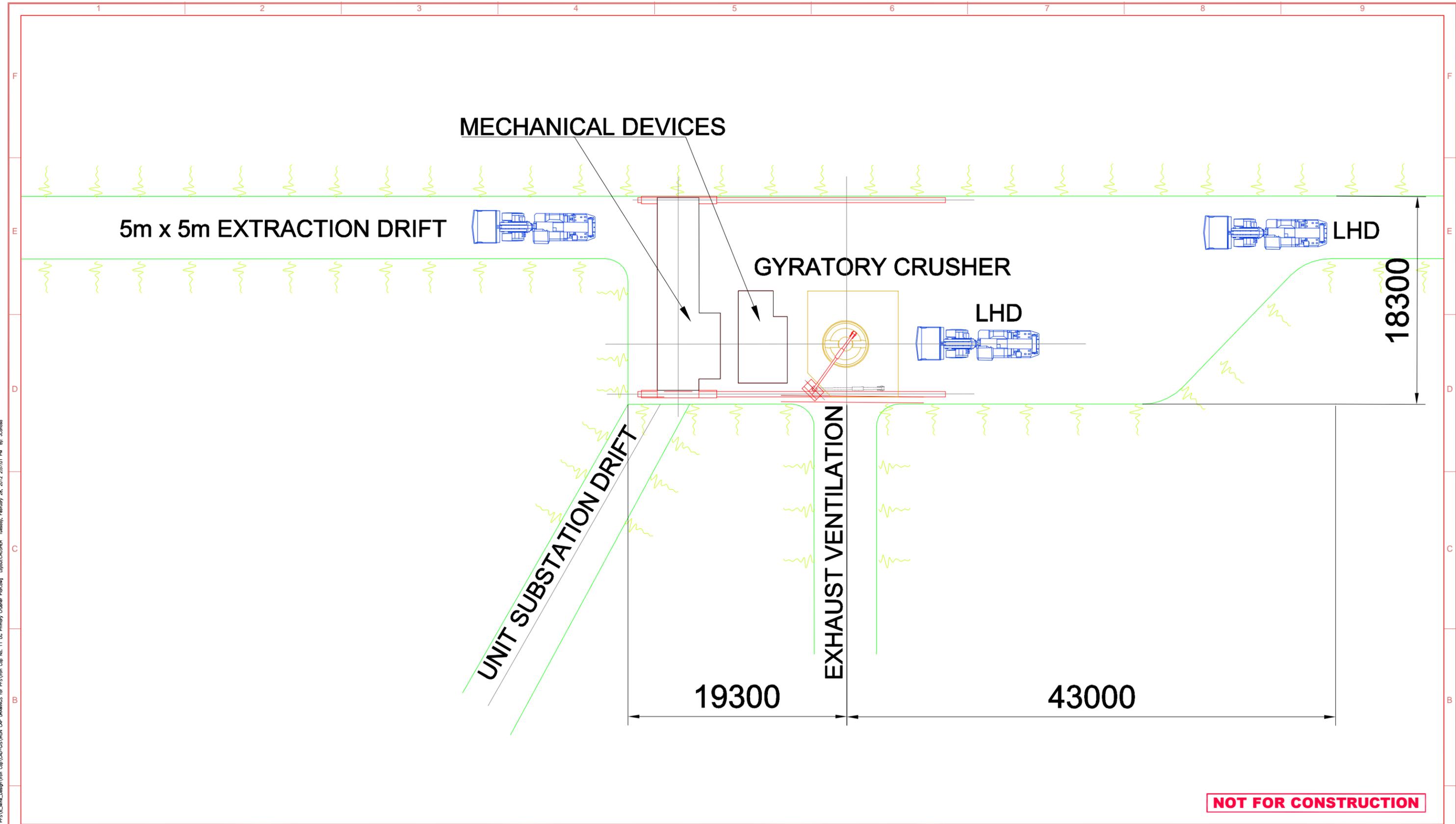


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APPENDIX B

Block Cave Definitions

DATE February 20, 2012**PROJECT No.** 11-1439-0002**TO** File**FROM** Donald Tolfree**EMAIL** dtolfree@golder.ca**BLOCK CAVING DEFINITION**

Block cave mining is a low cost bulk underground mining method in which the block of ore to be mined is undercut by drilling and blasting, and some of the blasted material is progressively removed to create a void. This causes the rock mass above the undercut to fail, and the failed material displaces and dilates into the void created by the undercut. Drawbells excavated beneath the undercut are used to extract the broken ore, precipitating further failure of the intact rock, and displacement and dilation of the ore. Continued extraction of the ore over a sufficiently large area allows the failure of the rock mass to propagate upward to ground surface as a block cave. The vast majority of the ore block is not directly accessed or fragmented by drilling and blasting, making this a low cost bulk mining method.

The three main horizons in a block cave mine are the undercut level, the extraction or production level, and the haulage level. A fourth level, the “pre-conditioning” level, may also be developed if geotechnical assessments indicate that the natural cavability of the mineralized material will produce material at the drawpoints that is too large to handle. Typically, this level is located above the undercut. Figure 1 is a schematic that shows the relationship between the different underground horizons used in a block cave mine. Some common block caving terms that will be used throughout the report are:

- Drawcone – theoretical zone of influence of one drawbell inside the caved material;
- Drawbell – the blasted area between the undercut level and the extraction level. The drawbell guides the broken ore to the individual drawpoints; and
- Drawpoint – the drawpoint is located in an extraction drift and provides access to the caved material to allow for removal with mechanised equipment.



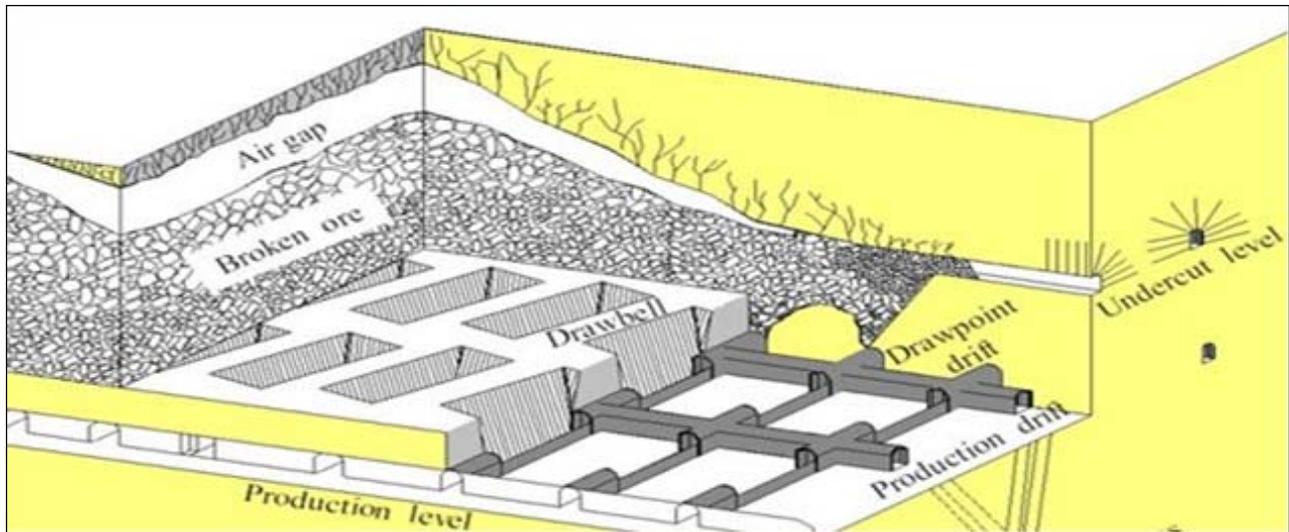


Figure 1: A schematic showing the relationship between the extraction drift (production drift), the drawpoints, drawbells and the undercut level. (Flores, 2004).

The use of the term “block cave” in this study is a generic term for the mining method described above. There are variations within block caving, such as panel caving. Block caving is used to refer to a mining method where all the drawbells are blasted within a relatively short time period relative to the mine life. The material is then extracted from all the drawbells to draw the cave down evenly over the entire footprint. Panel caving is applied when a strip or panel of drawbells is developed and ore is produced from these drawbells. As this producing unit is drawn down, another producing unit is brought into production and the earlier drawbells are closed. Panel caving is normally applied where there is a large available footprint, which is the case for the Mitchell deposit.

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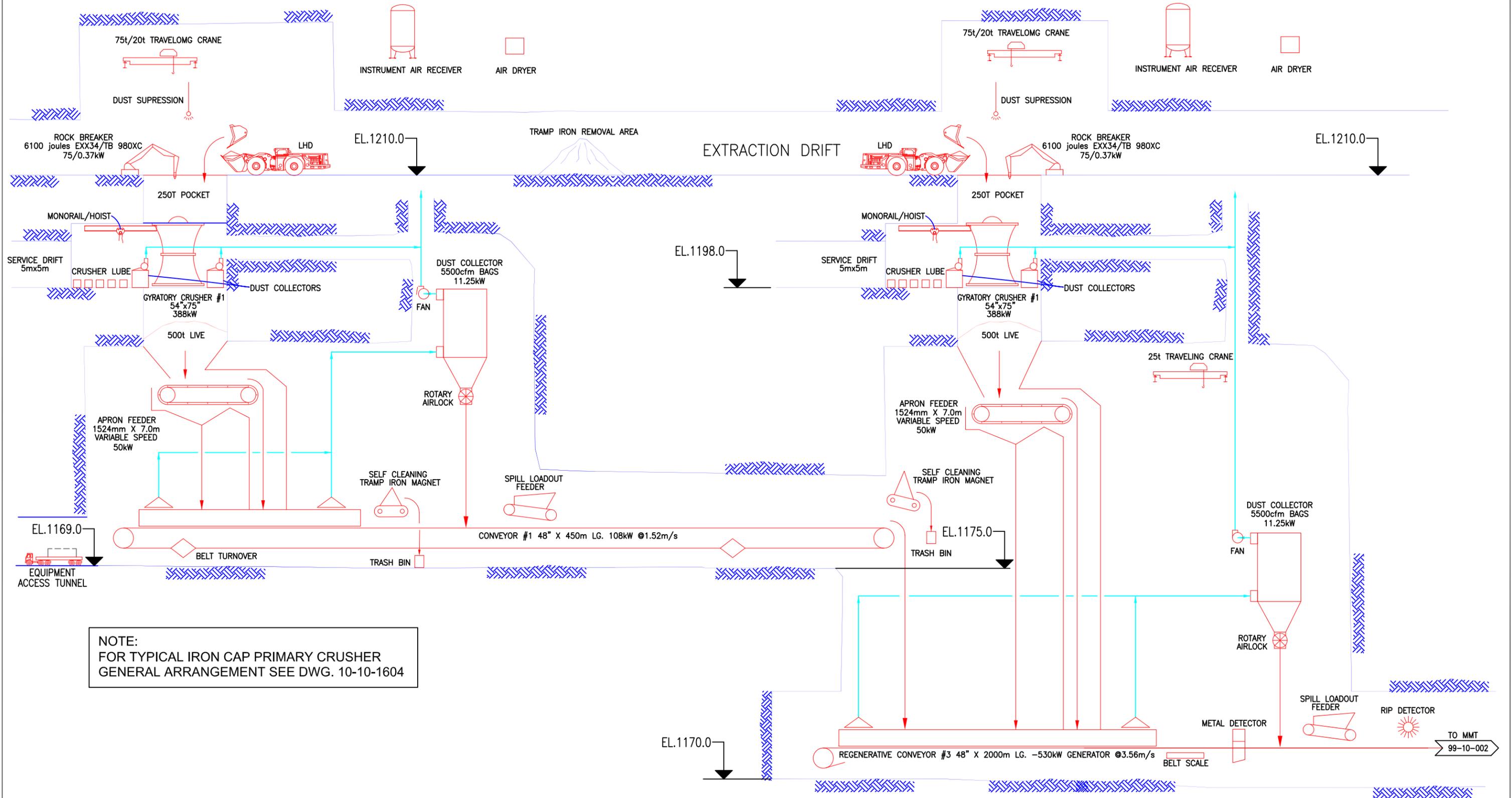
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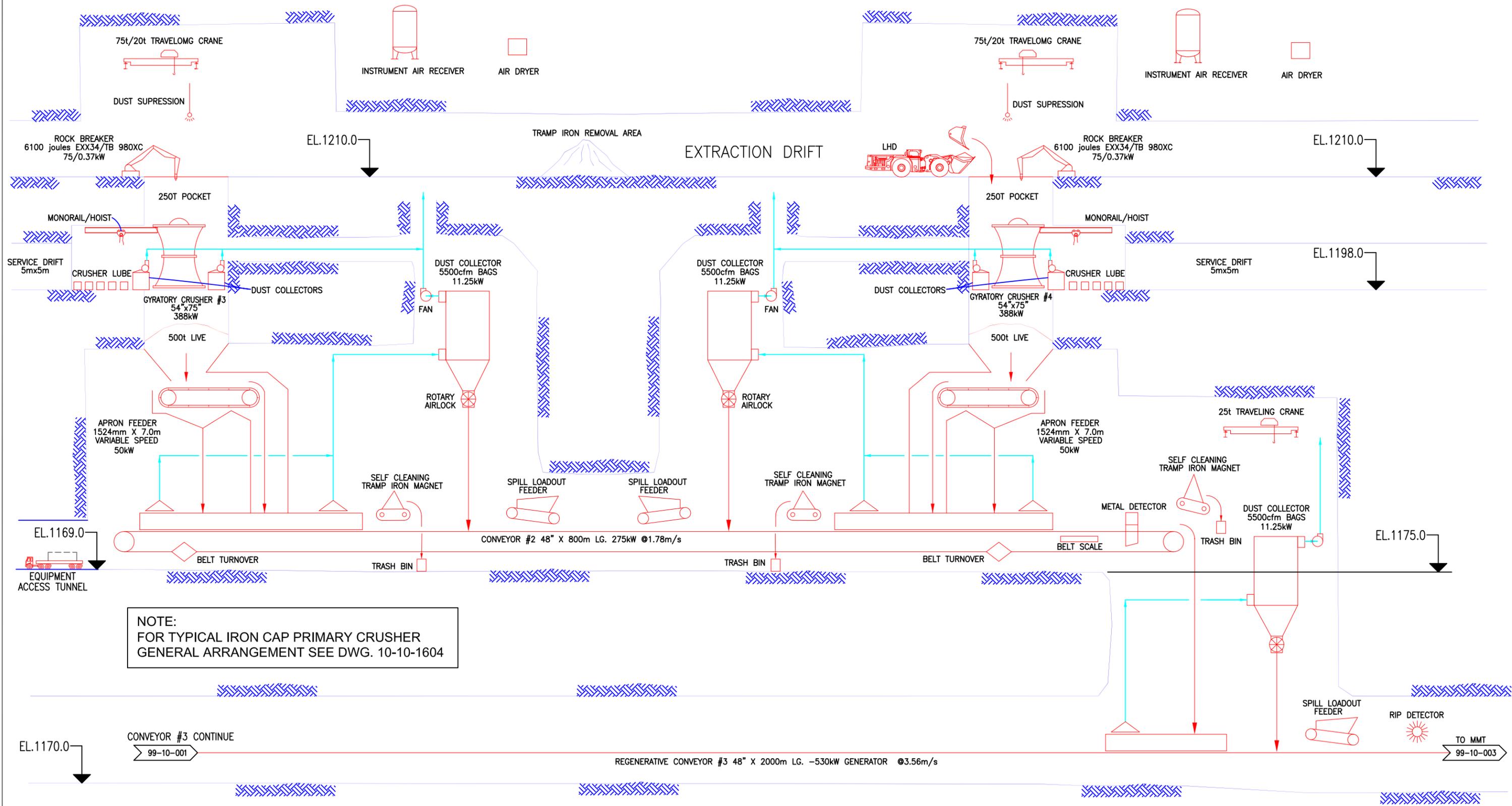
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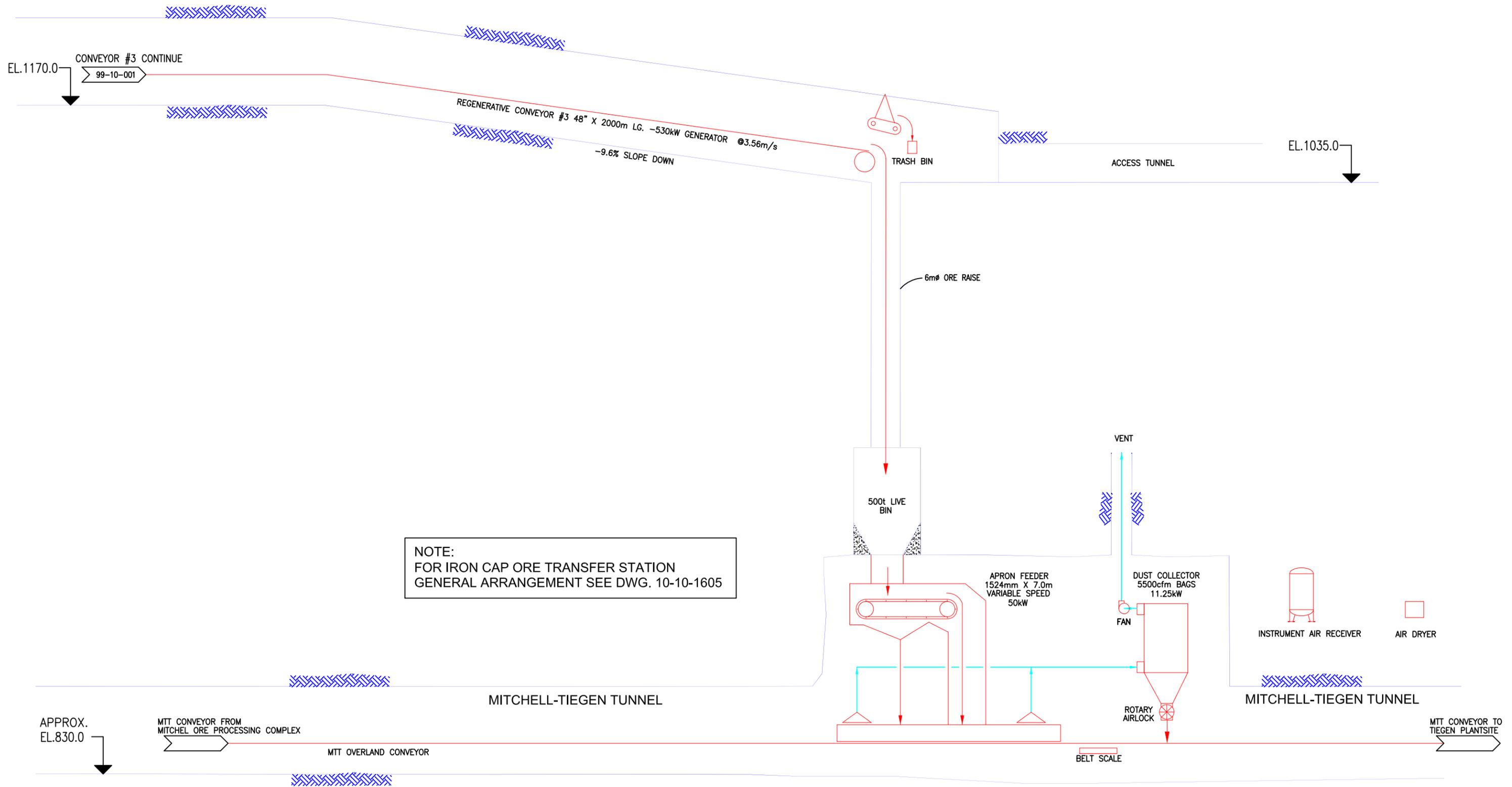
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Ventilation - Airflow Calculations and Level Diagrams



APPENDIX D Ventilation Requirements by Level

Table D-1: 1290 Preconditioning Level Ventilation Requirements

| Equipment | Quantity | Engine Size (kW) | Shift Utilization | Diesel Utilization | Total Airflow (m3/s) |
|--|----------|------------------|-------------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| Production Drill | 2 | 74 | 79% | 25% | 2 |
| Face Drill | 1 | 120 | 80% | 25% | 2 |
| Bolter | 2 | 115 | 71% | 25% | 3 |
| LHD | 1 | 352 | 70% | 75% | 12 |
| Truck | 2 | 405 | 52% | 75% | 20 |
| Anfo Loader | 1 | 111 | 43% | 75% | 2 |
| Scissorlift | 1 | 95 | 83% | 50% | 2 |
| Toyota | 1 | 96 | 75% | 75% | 3 |
| Subtotal | | | | | 46 |
| Contingency | | | | | 20% |
| Total Required | | | | | 56 |
| Modelled Quantity (Excluding Leakage) | | | | | 56 |
| Modelled Leakage Through Cave | | | | | 1 |

Table D-2: 1230 Undercut Level Ventilation Requirements

| Equipment | Quantity | Engine Size (kW) | Shift Utilization | Diesel Utilization | Total Airflow (m3/s) |
|--|----------|------------------|-------------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| Production Drill | 2 | 74 | 79% | 25% | 2 |
| Face Drill | 1 | 120 | 80% | 25% | 2 |
| Bolter | 2 | 115 | 71% | 25% | 3 |
| LHD | 1 | 352 | 70% | 75% | 12 |
| Truck | 3 | 405 | 52% | 75% | 30 |
| Anfo Loader | 1 | 111 | 43% | 75% | 2 |
| Scissorlift | 1 | 95 | 83% | 50% | 2 |
| Crane Truck | 1 | 95 | 63% | 50% | 2 |
| Toyota | 2 | 96 | 75% | 75% | 7 |
| Subtotal | | | | | 62 |
| Contingency | | | | | 20% |
| Total Required | | | | | 75 |
| Modelled Quantity (Excluding Leakage) | | | | | 75 |
| Modelled Leakage Through Cave | | | | | 4 |

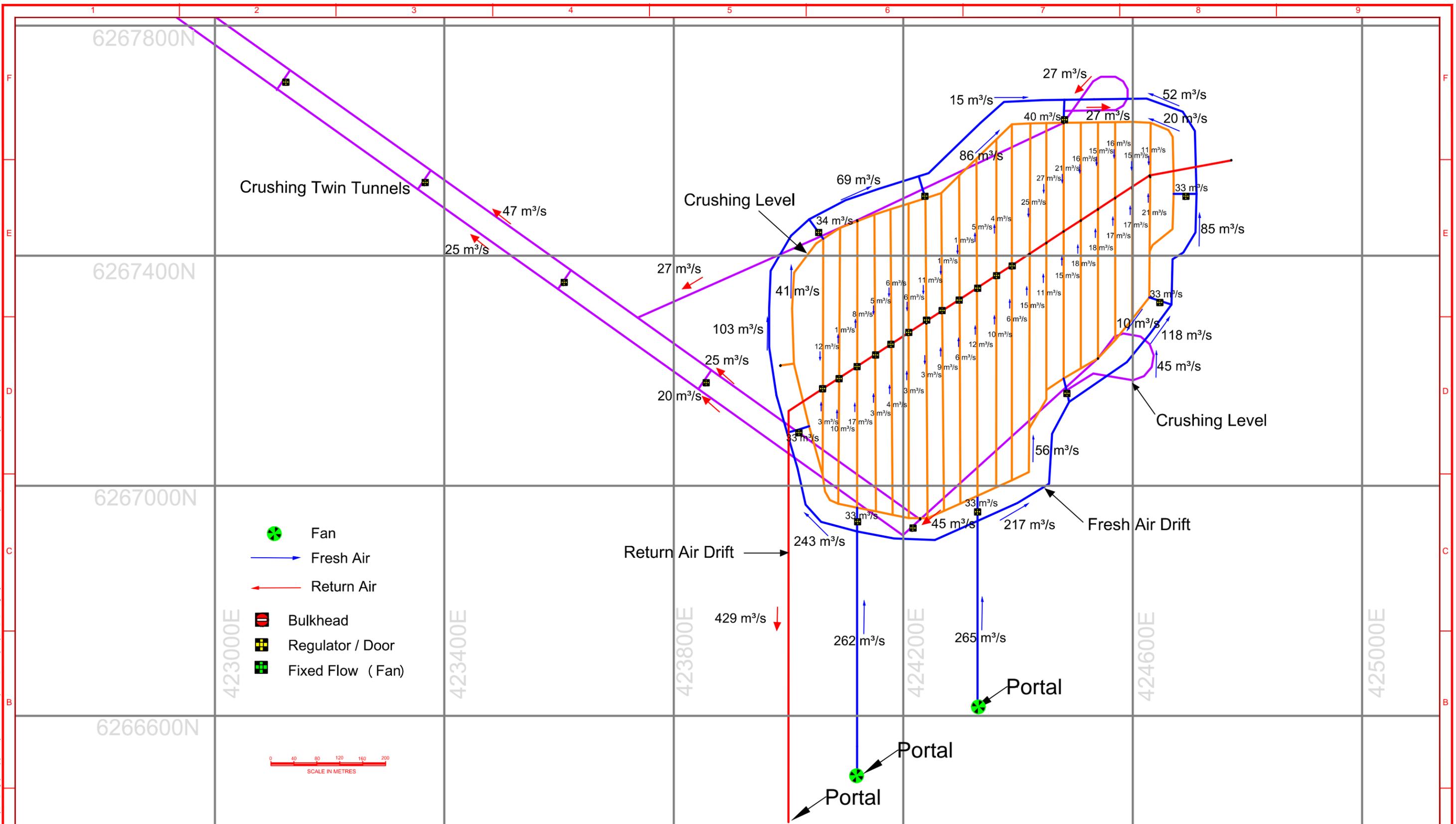


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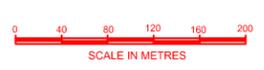
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| LHD | 1 | 352 | 70% | 75% | 12 |
| Truck | 3 | 405 | 52% | 75% | 30 |
| Anfo Loader | 1 | 111 | 43% | 75% | 2 |
| Scissorlift | 1 | 95 | 83% | 50% | 2 |
| Crane Truck | 1 | 95 | 63% | 50% | 2 |
| Toyota | 2 | 96 | 75% | 75% | 7 |
| Subtotal | | | | | 60 |
| Contingency | | | | | 20% |
| Total Required | | | | | 72 |
| Modelled Quantity (Excluding Leakage) | | | | | 72 |
| Modelled Leakage Through Cave | | | | | - |

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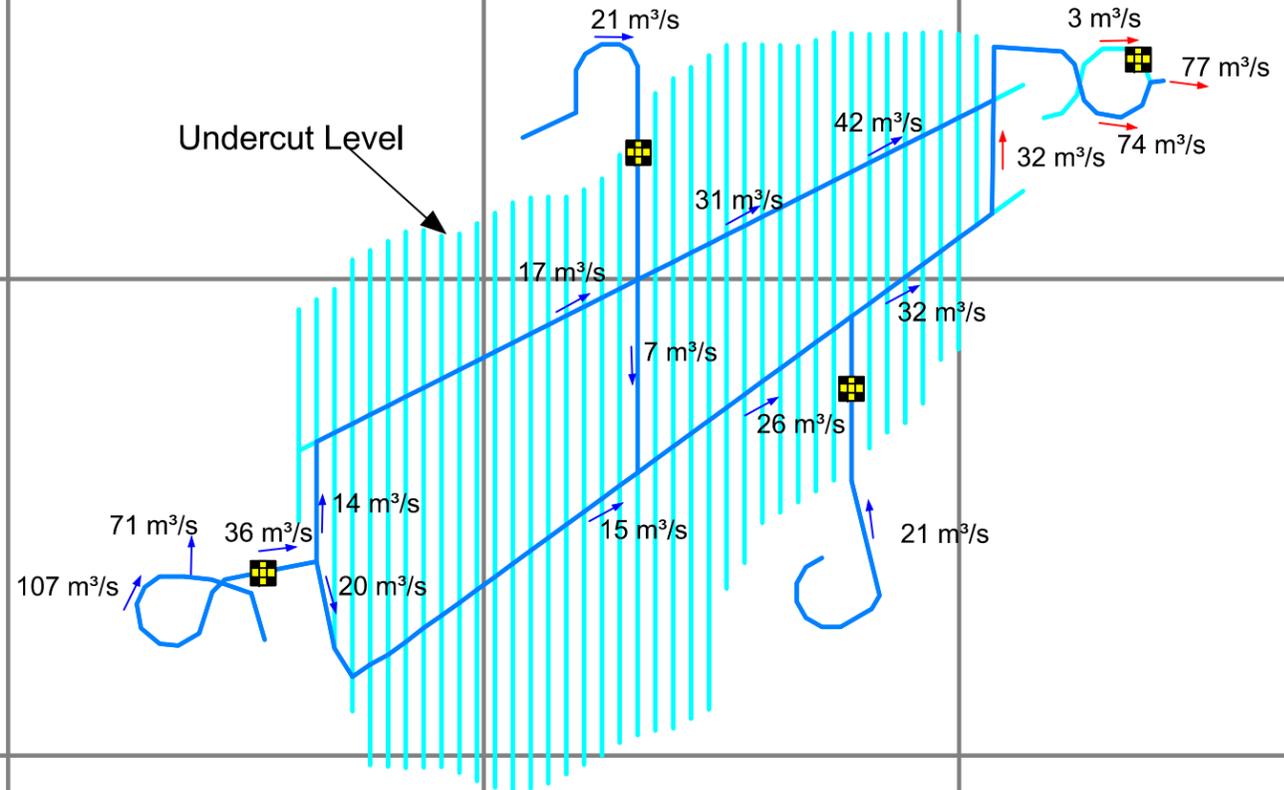
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-  Bulkhead
-  Regulator / Door
-  Fixed Flow (Fan)



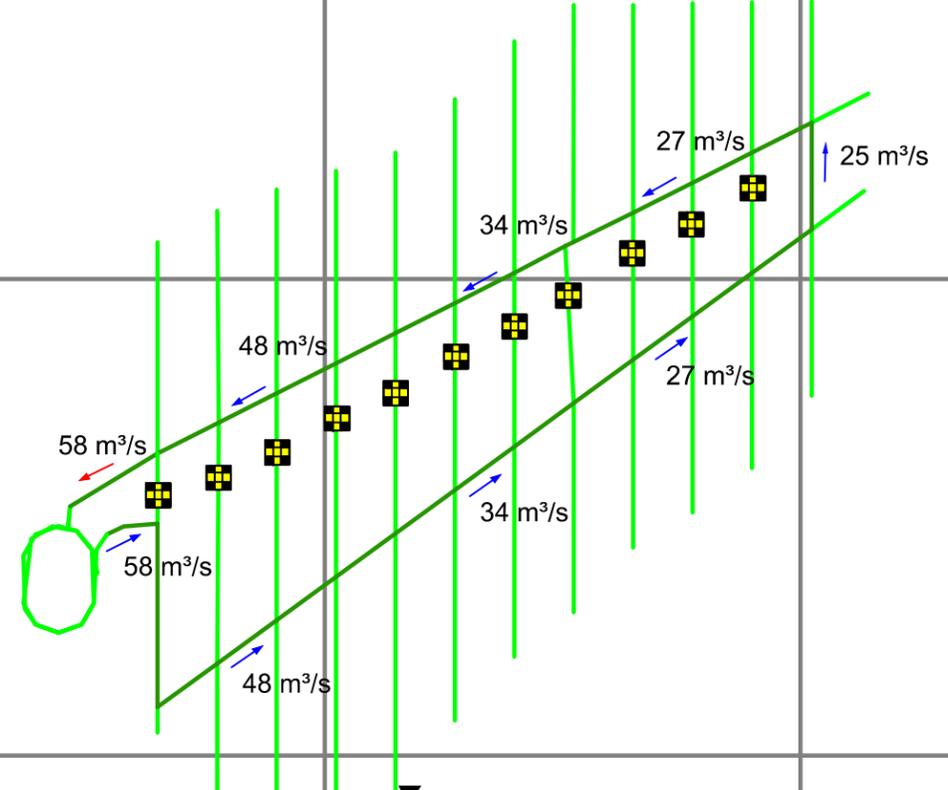
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Losses between 0.1 - 4.8 m³/s between main drifts



Darker line indicates main airflow
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- Fan
- Fresh Air
- Return Air
- Bulkhead
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APPENDIX E

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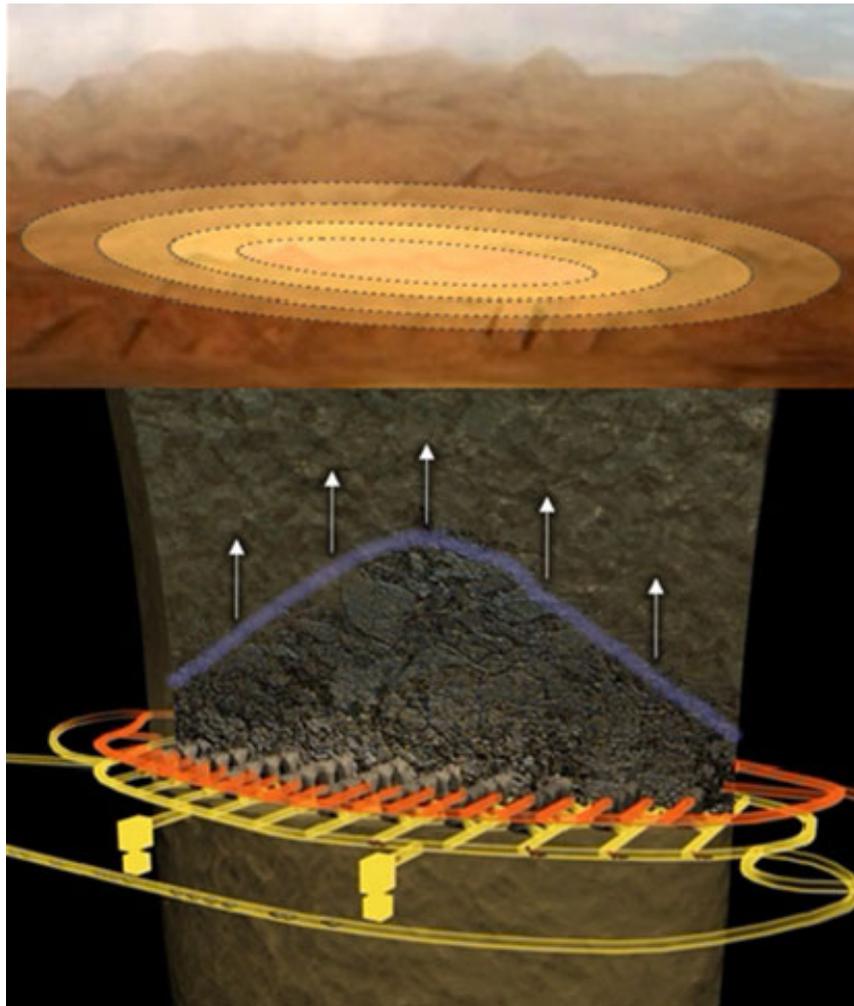


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1.0 INTRODUCTION

1.1 General

This pre-feasibility level report, covering the electrical capital costs for the operations phase of the proposed Iron Cap block cave option, has been prepared for Golder Associates Ltd. as requested and directed by Seabridge Gold Inc.

The cost of the initial construction stage power distribution system, to run mining equipment and vent fans, and other equipment as required to drive the initial drifts is not included in this budget and is assumed to be included in mine development costs.

Refer to Section 6 for a cost estimate summary and Appendix A for the estimating spreadsheets.

Figure 1.1 -1 Mitchell Valley



2.0 BASIS OF ESTIMATE

2.1 Golder Associates Ltd.

Golder Associates have provided the basic design information for the proposed block-caving alternative as required to assemble the electrical estimate. This included an electrical load list and basic mine plan. The Iron Cap mine is designed to produce 40,000 tpd.

Harold Bosche, of Bosche Ventures, provided additional information and drawings covering the ore handling conveyor and crusher systems.

All costs are in fourth quarter, 2011, Canadian dollars. As the 7% provincial PST is to be reintroduced, it is included in costs where applicable (such as for a few items of non-production equipment, namely lighting and heating equipment where it will apply once reintroduced). It is to be noted that as the reinstated PST would only apply to lighting and other non-process equipment, the capital cost impact is relatively small, but operating power purchase costs (for the operation phase) will be increased by 7 percent. This has been shown in the revised operating power costs per kilowatt hour.

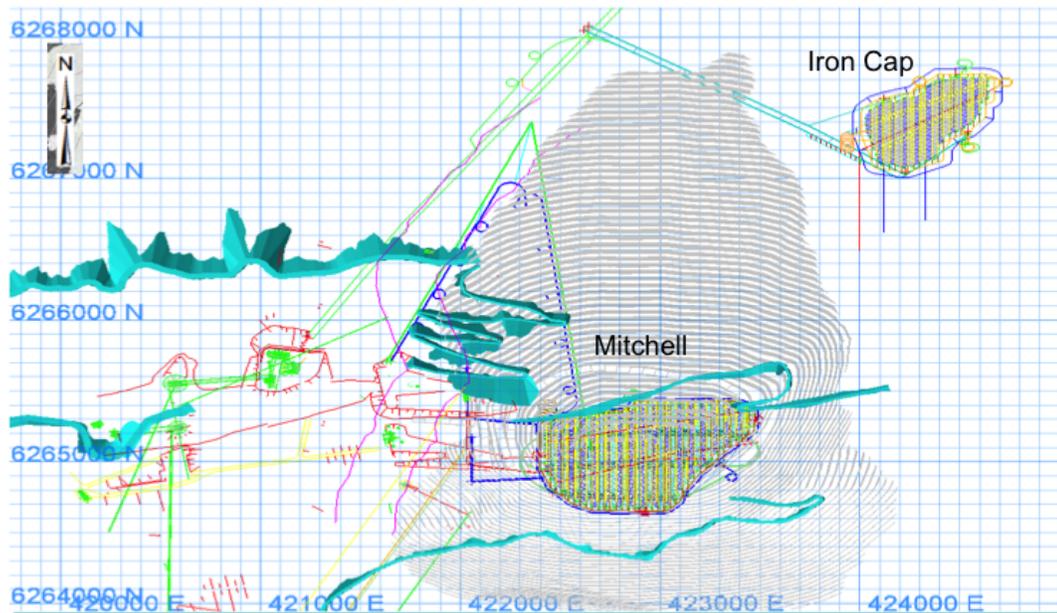
In general, the power supply electrical equipment for the various mine areas have been estimated assuming the installations are all separate. At the design stage it may be possible to group equipment and realize some savings.

The Iron Cap estimate has moved from a scoping level study to the prefeasibility level.

2.2 General Arrangement

The following diagram from Golder illustrates the general mine layout. The Golder plans as included herein form the basis of the electrical estimate.

Figure 2.2 – 1 Mitchell - Iron Cap General Layout (From Golder)

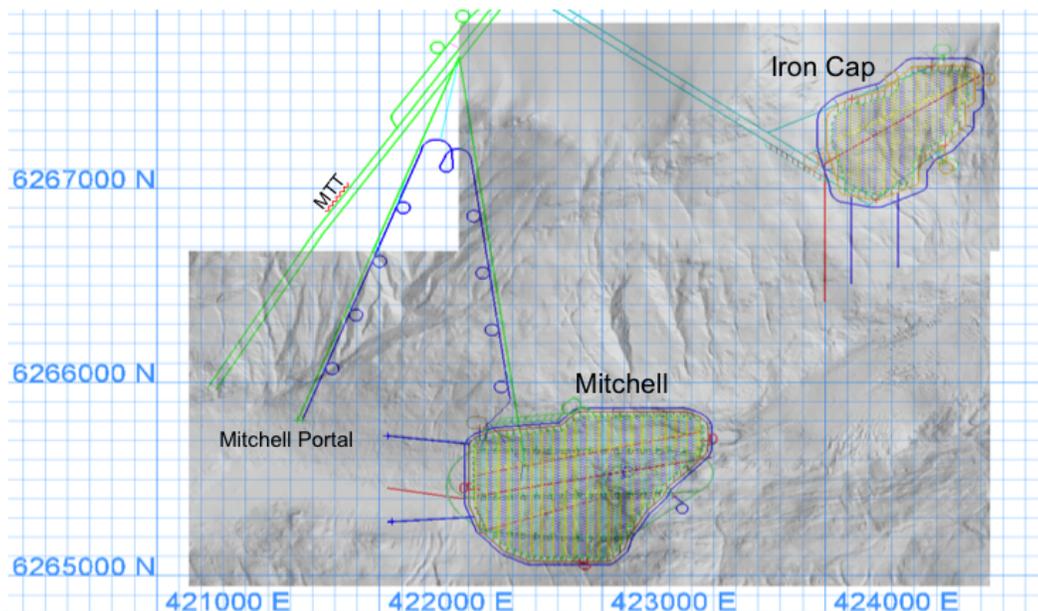


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The preconditioning level is accessed from the perimeter drift, with power provided for development activities from the main ring main power system in the perimeter drift.

Figure 2.2 - 2 Mitchell & Iron Cap Plan View (From Golder)

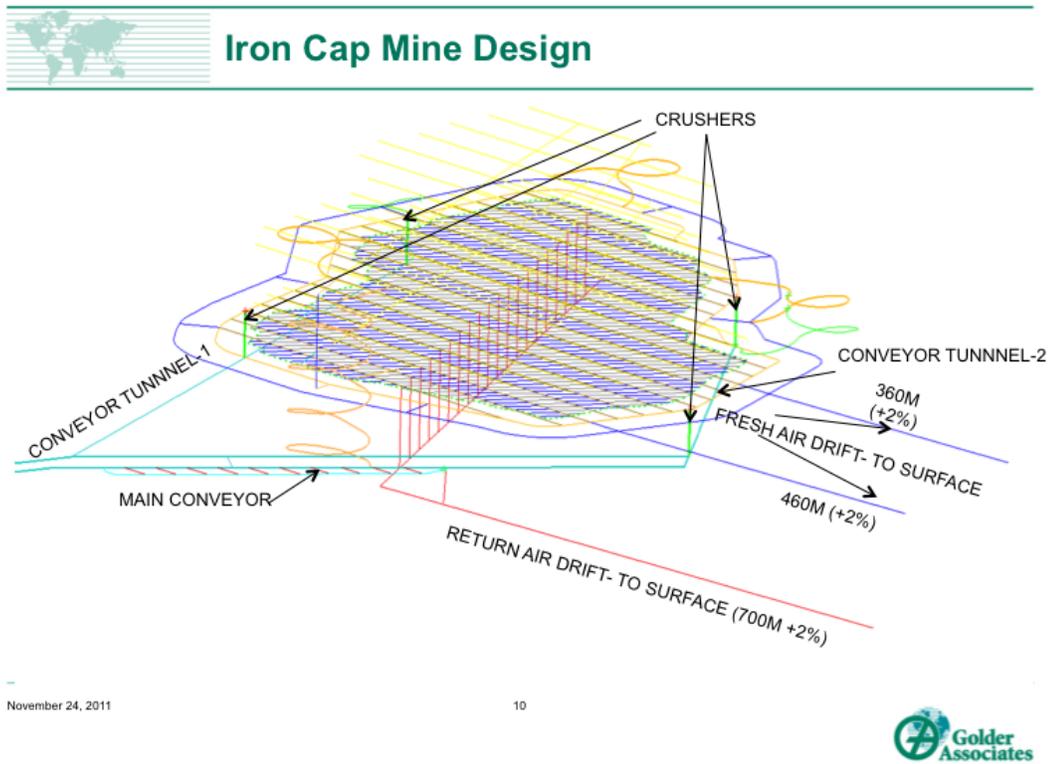


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Figure 2.2 – 3 Iron Cap Mine Design (From Golder)

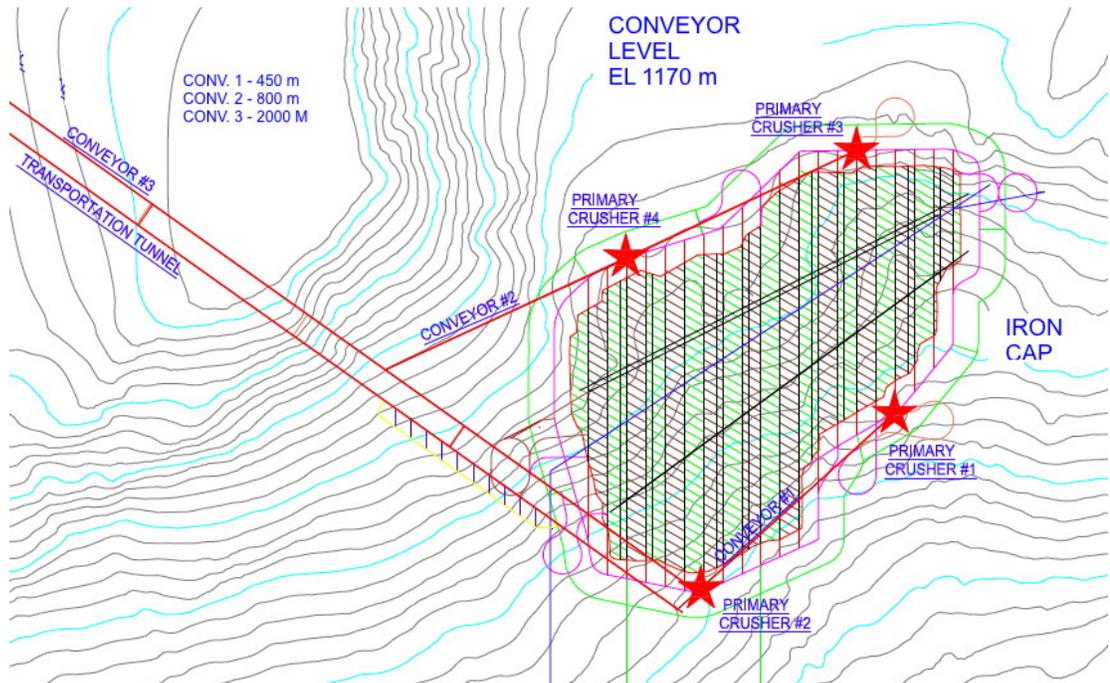


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Figure 2.3 - 4 Iron Cap Conveyors (From Bosche Ventures Drawing No. 10-10-1601 Rev. C)



2.3 Items Included

The principal electrical estimated costs include:

- Underground mine power supply cables (for a ring man system).
- Ring main (circuit breaker) units.
- Underground mine switchgear and unit substations (dry type transformers).
- Power supply cables, transformers and switchgear for conveyors and crusher drives.
- Ring main units and unit substations for mine electrical equipment, vent fans, pumps, etc.
- Power and control for main air compressors, vent fans, mine air heaters and stench gas system.
- Communication system.
- Crusher and conveyor power, control, and instrument systems.
- Modular control rooms (knocked down for transport).

2.4 Items Not Included

The cost estimate does not include:

- Electrical temporary installations for the development phase.
- The 600 volt trailing cables, end boxes, etc. as used in the actual operating phase mining (assumed to be in the mining cost).
- The per total cost of electric power as used in mining operations. (This is assumed to be factored into the mining costs.) This report does, however, provide the per kW.h cost to be used.
- The cost of the KSM overall site power distribution system that is allowed for elsewhere.
- Surface facilities including any required emergency generators, etc. (These are being estimated by Wardrop).
- A mine main water pumping system, other than power for small local pumps and an allowance for power for fire water pumps.
- Any electrical costs associated with the mine water after its pumped from the mine.

3.0 ELECTRICAL DESIGN

3.1 General

It is understood that the proposed block cave installation would constitute a large-scale 40,000 tpd mining operation, and as such a ring main style power distribution is planned, rather than a simple radial distribution as one often sees in small mines. With a ring main system there are (at least) two primary power supply cables and each major load, such as underground unit substations, are fed via a 3-breaker ring main unit. Normally, the power supply loop is closed throughout the mine. However, if fault develops in a section of the power cable (say due to a rock fall), the ring main breakers on either side will open to isolate the fault and the mine will remain energized. Essentially all major electrical loads are served by a loop and

they can receive power from either side. A suitable protective relaying scheme is used to ensure all circuit breaker tripping is coordinated to ensure continuity of supply.

Although this study has been based on a large amount of diesel equipment (LHDs), the included power supply ring main system and distribution equipment will support a much higher use of electrically powered equipment. As this proposed mine has access to utility power currently costing in the range of C\$0.05 per kilowatt hour, electric equipment may be cost effective compared to current diesel fuel prices, especially as ventilation and mine air heating costs could be expected to be reduced with the use of more electrical equipment.

3.2 Mine Main Power Distribution Cable

The basic, initial mine power distribution system will include cables for drifts as listed in the figure below.

Figure 3.2-1 Mine Access Distances

| Drift | Length (m) |
|-----------------------|-------------------|
| Conveyor Tunnels | 3266 |
| Access Tunnels | 3327 |
| Perimeter Drift | 2266 |
| Undercut Level | 750 |
| Preconditioning Level | 750 |
| Vent Drifts | 360 + 460 = 820 |
| | |

The main underground power distribution would be sourced from the mine 25 kV distribution circuit breakers in the Mitchell No. 2 (GIS) Substation (as included in the plant site power supply electrical cost estimates).

As the plantsite distribution is 25 kV, the underground mine cables and switchgear will also be 25 kV, thus saving the cost of a step-down substation, and reducing cable sizes and voltage drops for the large underground mine (due to the higher voltage). Underground dry type unit substations will step the voltage down to 4160 volts for conveyor and crusher drives and 600 volts for mining equipment, etc.

In summary to ensure a reliable power system, the Iron Cap mine power supply is via two 25 KV ring main feeders, one running down the conveyor 3 tunnel from the main Mitchell – Teigen conveyor tunnel and the other down the access ramp. Additional lengths of 25 kV cable have been allowed from the power source at the Mitchell side main step-down (GIS) No. 2 Substation.

The 25 kV power supply system will be resistance grounded with rapid tripping to eliminate high earth potentials caused by line to ground faults in the power supply system.

The 4.16 kV and 600 volt systems would also be resistance grounded with rapid tripping to eliminate equipment shock hazard, all in full compliance with the BC

Mines Act. In addition, all trailing cables would of course have pilot check wires with feeders from unit substations and end (distribution) boxes having sensitive ground fault tripping.

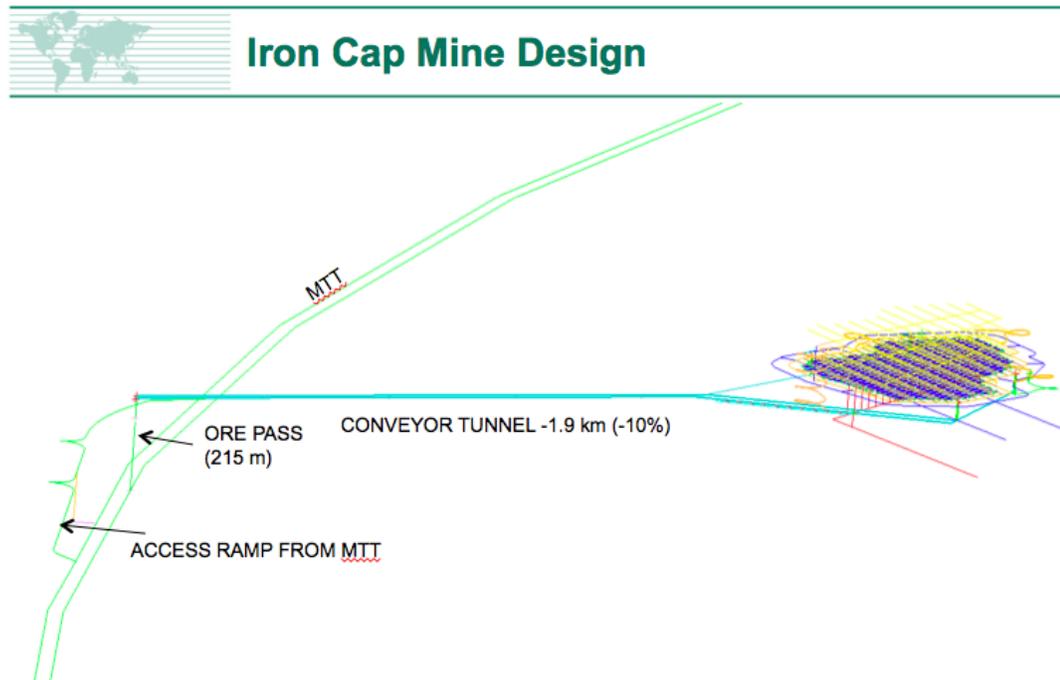
As previously mentioned herein, it is understood that the current mining plans and estimates have more diesel powered production equipment than might be in the final mine development case, given that electric power is around 5 cents per kW.h while diesel fuel is approaching a dollar per litre. The electrical system that has been included for herein would support a future shift to more electrical loads.

The entire installation would be in accordance with the BC Mines Act and Regulations and Parts 1 and 5 of the Canadian Electrical Code.

3.3 Service Ramp

The main mine access, which generally runs in parallel with conveyor 3, will carry one of the two main 25 kV ring main power cables.

Figure 3.3 – 1 Service Ramp



3.4 Pre-Conditioning Level

This level will require power during development. During this period it is understood that electro-hydraulic long-hole pre-conditioning drills that will be used to drill pre-conditioning bores. Portable substations and main 0.6/1 kV Teck power supply cables and end boxes are all included for use in this area during initial operations. Local 600 volt trailing cables from the unit substations or end boxes are assumed to be included in the mining costs with the equipment.

In summary, for drilling and fracturing operations power supply cables and substations are allowed for in this study. The basic estimate includes cable and unit substations for two drifts as part of the basic costs. It is assumed this equipment and cable will be re-used as successive areas are fractured. The cost to re-use and repair/replace the cable and equipment during these successive operations is assumed to be included either in mining costs or sustaining capital and is not in this estimate.

Note, the 600 volt trailing cable to the equipment is assumed to be in the mining costs with the equipment.

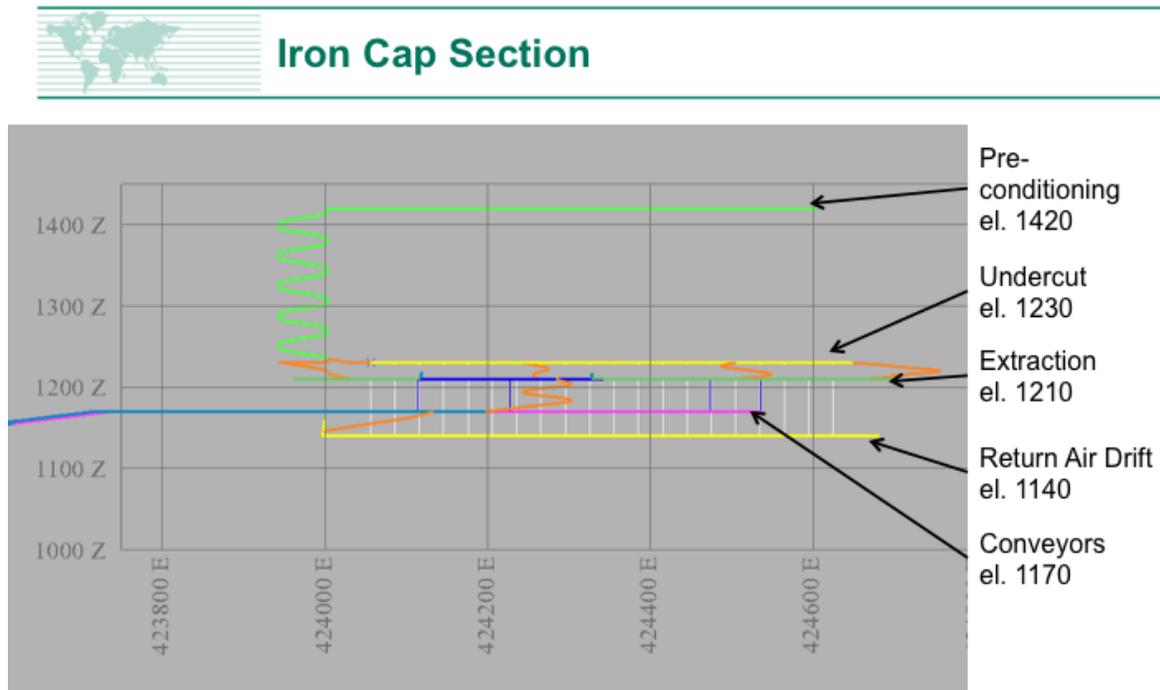
3.5 Haulage Level

Golder have advised: "The Iron Cap mine won't have a haulage level; the LHDs will be dumping directly to the crushers."

3.6 Extraction Level

It is understood that for the extraction level (extraction drift horizon with the draw-points shown in orange on the diagrams) that diesel LHD's have been allowed for at this stage.

Main power supply cables, several ring main units, unit substations, 0.6/1 kV Teck cable and end boxes have been allowed for on this level.

Figure 3.6 – 1 Sectional View (From Golder)

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3.7 Conveyor Power And Control Design

Power Supply

Separate portable unit substations are provided for all the conveying equipment that presents a large load. The main 25 kV power supply is from the mine ring main system.

Ancillary Loads

At each conveyor drive station a dry type step-down 25 kV to 600 volt transformer and MCC, all skid mounted, are provided for ancillary loads. In addition, lighting transformers and low voltage circuit breaker panels are included.

Power and Control Wiring

The supply and installation of local power and control wiring, cable tray, etc. is included.

Conveyor Lighting

An allowance is made for lighting at drive stations and at transfer points, but not along the entire length of the conveyor system.

Control System

The cost for a conveyor PLC control system including cables, pilot devices, PLC hardware, HMIs and programming are included.

Conveyor Drives

Normally drive motors etc. as required are best included with electrical, not mechanical. However, for this preliminary estimate it is understood that the motors have been included with the conveyor equipment.

Refer to the drive list for motor HP, etc.

Skid mounted unit substations and 4160 volt motor starters are included.

Four quadrant regenerative VFDs have been included for downhill conveyor No. 3. The VFDs are specifically designed for underground mine installation.

Belt Scales

Conveyors 1, 2 and 3 are equipped with belt scales.

Metal Detectors

Three metal detectors are allowed for.

Commissioning

The electrical costs associated with conveyor commissioning are included.

3.8 Crusher Station Power And Control

General

There are four crusher stations. Each crusher station includes the crusher, lube system, service crane, dust collector and discharge apron feeder. Note, the cost for power and control will not vary significantly if the size of the crusher motors changes.

Power Supply

The crusher stations would be fed off of the underground ring main system. A 2000 kVA, 25 kV to 4160 volt unit sub would be provided to run each of the crushers (and other possible local equipment) with a 1000 kVA, 600 volt unit substation provided to supply the feeders, crusher auxiliaries, etc.

Power and Control Wiring

The supply and installation of local crusher power and control wiring, cable tray, etc. is included.

Crusher Area Lighting

An allowance is made for local area lighting.

Control System

The cost for a crusher PLC control system including a local control station, cables, pilot devices, HMI running Wonderware, PLC hardware and programming is included.

Crusher Drives

Drive motors themselves are assumed to be included with the crusher equipment.

Control House

A pre-fabricated local control house suitable for underground installation is included. (This will be “knocked down” for transport.)

3.9 Pumping

Local mine pumps would be powered from the 600 volt unit substations, the pumps are by mechanical, this cost code covers local wiring only. As per Golder:

- Iron Cap is designed to have water flow (minimal pumping) to the MTT.
- Mitchell will be design to have the water flow to a central collection point underground, then pumped to surface.
- Block cave inflows are from the pit inflows for the Iron Cap and Mitchell pits from the previous PFS.

At this stage a main pumping station has not been included.

3.10 Mine Ventilation Fans And Air Heating

The surface fans are located at the ends of two vent drifts as shown in the figure below and are powered by cables running down the drifts, fed from the mine ring main system. VFD fan drives, hardened for underground service, have been allowed for.

It is assumed that the fan motors are included with the fans by others, but as noted above this estimate includes the VFDs (variable speed drives) that are complete with an integral step-down transformer from 25 kV.

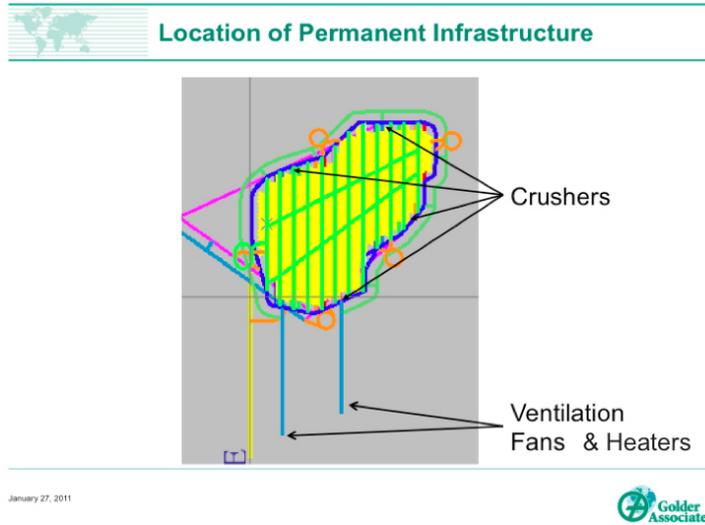
The propane fired mine air heaters are located near the vent fans. The heater quote to Golder included: “heaters equipped with transformers that will step the voltage down from 4160 to whatever is required (575 volts and 120 volts).”

Electrical power has also been allowed for the propane fueled mine air heaters and controls have been included for the stench gas system. It is noted that the mine air

heaters were quoted as 4160 volt supply whereas the actual supply is 25 kV. However, this will not make a significant difference in the total cost.

Control cables and a stench gas system has been included.

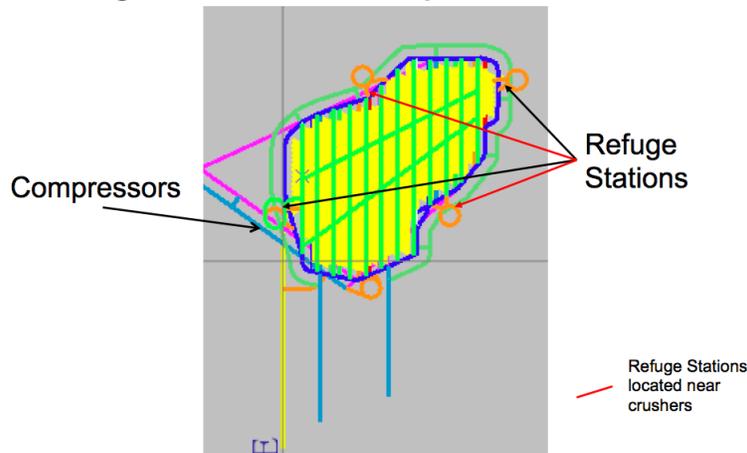
Figure 3.10-1 Vent Fan Locations (From Golder)



3.11 Air Compressors

As per Golder “At least two compressors are to be located outside the mining area with pipe compressed air piped through the underground to feed the equipment, booster stations are not uncommon. For Iron Cap, we have spec’d two 2200 cfm, 500 hp (~380 kw) compressors that will meet the requirements. Since access to outside from Iron Cap is difficult and the majority of the equipment requiring compressed air will be located around the footprint, it is suggest that the compressors be located close to the footprint. In addition to the main compressors, smaller duplex air compressors have been located at each crusher station.

Figure 3.11 -1 Main Compressor Locations



3.12 Engineering

Engineering is included in the indirect cost estimate for electrical design of the permanent facilities.

3.13 Construction Management

Construction management costs are included in the indirect cost estimate.

3.14 Electrical Spares

Electrical spare part costs are included in the indirect cost estimate.

4.0 MINE POWER CONSUMPTION

4.1 Total Iron Cap Load Quantities

The mining load quantities as provided by Golder are shown in Figure 3.12-1 below.

Figure 4.1 -1 Equipment Quantities From Golder, Updated

| Equipment | Unit Power (kW) | Quantity | Utilization | Power Factor | Load Factor | Estimate Power Consumption (kW) |
|-------------------------|-----------------|----------|-------------|--------------|-------------|---------------------------------|
| Jumbo | 150 | 5 | 75% | 80% | 90% | 405 |
| Bolter | 56 | 6 | 75% | 80% | 90% | 181 |
| Drills | 56 | 8 | 75% | 80% | 90% | 242 |
| Raisebore Machine | 242 | 1 | 75% | 80% | 90% | 131 |
| Pumps | 56 | 6 | 75% | 75% | 90% | 170 |
| Surface Fans | 750 | 2 | 100% | 95% | 90% | 1,283 |
| Underground Fans (est.) | 56 | 15 | 100% | 70% | 90% | 529 |
| Surface Buildings | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Conveyor 1 | 94 | 2 | 90% | 80% | 90% | 122 |
| Conveyor 2 | 150 | 1 | 90% | 95% | 90% | 115 |
| Conveyor 3 | 2400 | 1 | 90% | 95% | 90% | 1,847 |
| Underground Crushers | 450 | 4 | 90% | 95% | 90% | 1,385 |
| Shop | 60 | 1 | 50% | 90% | 90% | 24 |
| Refuge Stations | 30 | 4 | 75% | 80% | 90% | 65 |
| Main Compressor | 380 | 2 | 75% | 90% | 90% | 462 |
| Subtotal | | | | | | 6,961 |
| Contingency (+25%) | | | | | | 1,740 |
| Total | | | | | | 9,000 |

4.2 Electrical Load List

The below Excel spreadsheet includes and estimate of the total project running load. This includes all conveyors #1, 2 and 3 but the undersigned does not know if conveyors 2 and 3 will both be running at the start of production.

| Figure 4.2 -1 Iron Cap Load List And Calculations | | | | | | | | |
|---|------|-------|-----|------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| NAME | HP | KW | QTY | TOTAL KW | EFFIC- IENCY | DEMAND FACTOR | UTILIZATION, % | RUNNING LOAD, KW |
| JUMBO | | 150 | 5 | 750 | 93% | 0.8 | 75% | 484 |
| BOLTER | | 56 | 6 | 336 | 100% | | | |
| DRILLS | | 56 | 8 | 448 | 92% | 0.8 | 70% | 205 |
| RAISEBORE MACHINE | | 242 | 1 | 242 | 100% | 0.8 | 70% | 251 |
| SHOTCRETE SPRAYER | | 56 | 2 | 112 | 91% | 0.75 | 75% | 150 |
| PUMPS | | 56 | 6 | 336 | 100% | | | |
| SURFACE FANS | 1000 | 746 | 2 | 1492 | 93% | 0.95 | 100% | 1,524 |
| U/G FANS | | 56 | 15 | 840 | 92% | 0.9 | 75% | 616 |
| MAIN COMPRESS. | 500 | 373 | 2 | 746 | 100% | 0.9 | 50% | 336 |
| MISC. HEATING | | 200 | 1 | 200 | 100% | 1 | 50% | 100 |
| SURFACE MISC. | | 250 | 1 | 250 | 100% | 0.4 | 100% | 100 |
| CONVEYOR 2 | 250 | 186.5 | 1 | 187 | 94% | 0.85 | 90% | 152 |
| | | 0 | 2 | | 94% | 0.8 | 90% | |
| CV2 BELT MAGNET | 20 | 14.92 | 1 | 15 | 94% | 0.9 | 90% | 11 |
| CV 2 SPILL FEEDERS | 50 | 37.3 | 1 | 37 | 94% | 0.8 | 90% | 11 |
| | | | | | 100% | 0.7 | 10% | 3 |
| CONVEYOR 1 | 400 | 298.4 | 1 | 298 | 100% | 0.7 | 10% | 8 |
| CV1 DUST COLLECOR | 50 | 37.3 | 1 | 37 | 94% | 0.9 | 90% | 32 |
| CV 1 SPILL FEEDERS | 75 | 55.95 | 2 | 112 | 100% | 0.7 | 10% | 8 |
| CV 1 BELT MAGNET | 20 | 14.92 | 1 | 15 | 93% | 0.9 | 90% | 13 |
| CONVEYOR 3 | 1600 | 1200 | 2 | 2400 | 100% | 0.8 | 90% | 1,728 |
| CV3 DISCH FEEDER | 150 | 111.9 | 1 | 112 | 100% | 0.8 | 90% | 81 |
| CV3 DUST COLLECT. | 50 | 37.3 | 1 | 37 | 100% | 0.9 | 90% | 30 |
| CV 3 APRON FEEDER | 200 | 152.8 | 4 | 611 | 100% | 0.9 | 90% | 495 |
| CV3 AIR COMP | 10 | 7.46 | 2 | 15 | 100% | 0.9 | 90% | 12 |
| CV 3 BELT MAGNET | 20 | 14.92 | 1 | 15 | 93% | 0.9 | 90% | 13 |
| CV 3 SPILL FEDER | 50 | 37.3 | 1 | 37 | 93% | 0.9 | 70% | 25 |
| U/G CRUSHER | 600 | 447.6 | 4 | 1790 | 93% | 0.9 | 70% | 1,213 |
| U/G CRUSHER LUBE | 50 | 37.3 | 4 | 149 | 91% | 0.86 | 70% | 99 |
| CRUSHER CRANES | | 20 | 4 | 80 | 100% | 0.5 | 10% | 4 |
| CRUSH DUPLX COMP | 10 | 7.46 | 8 | 60 | 93% | 0.95 | 50% | 30 |
| CRUSH APRON FDR | 150 | 111.9 | 4 | 448 | 91% | 0.8 | 90% | 354 |
| CRUSH ROCK BKR | 100 | 74.6 | 4 | 298 | 100% | 0.7 | 5% | 10 |
| CRUSHER BELT MAG | 20 | 14.92 | 4 | 60 | 91% | 0.9 | 90% | 53 |
| CRUSH DUST COLL | 50 | 37.3 | 4 | 149 | 100% | 0.9 | 90% | 121 |
| CRUSHER SPILL FDR | 50 | 37.3 | 4 | 149 | 100% | 0.8 | 10% | 12 |
| | | | | | 100% | | | |
| LTG & SMALL POWER | | 75 | 6 | 450 | 100% | 1 | 50% | 225 |
| HEAT TRACING | | 200 | 1 | 200 | 100% | 1 | 35% | 70 |
| REFUGE STATIONS | | 30 | 4 | 120 | 100% | 0.6 | 100% | 72 |
| U/G SHOP | | 60 | 1 | 60 | 100% | 0.5 | 100% | 30 |
| | | | | | 100% | | | |
| MISC. MONO RAILS | | 7 | 8 | 56 | 91% | 0.85 | 5% | 3 |
| MISC. SUMP PUMPS | | 15 | 8 | 120 | 91% | 0.85 | 15% | 17 |
| | | | | | 100% | | | |
| | | | | | 100% | | | |
| TOTALS | | | | 13,870 | | | | 9,193 |
| | | | | CONNECTED NAMEPLATE LOAD, KW | | | | RUNNING LOAD, KW |
| ANNUAL GW.h = | | | | | | | | 80.53 |
| IRON CAP BLOCK CAVE | | | | | | | | |

The above load calculations are based on all 4 crushers operating and includes for a reasonable amount of ancillary equipment in addition to the main loads. This list assumes haulage is by diesel powered equipment.

4.3 Power Cost

The power cost for the study depends on whether the process plant uses HPGR grinding and thus the whole plant receives BC Hydro PowerSmart credits or whether grinding employs lower efficiency SAG milling, with no discounts in billing. The latter is assumed to be the case so the appropriate power cost, including the cost of site transformer and transformer losses and the upcoming PST, is **C\$0.054** per Kilowatt-hour.

Figure 4.3 - 1 Power Cost

| YEAR | HPGR POWER COST | POWER COST SAG | PERCENT INCREASE | HPGR COST WITH 7% PST | SAG POWER COST WITH 7% PST |
|--|-----------------|----------------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| 2009 | | \$0.0410 | | | |
| 2010 | | \$0.0434 | 5.9% | | |
| 2011 | 0.042 | \$0.0469 | 8.1% | | |
| 2012 | 0.045 | \$0.051 | 8.1% | 0.048 | 0.054 |
| THE FOLLOWING RATES ARE PROJECTED AT THE CURRENT 8.1% RATE OF INCREASE | | | | | |
| 2013 | 0.049 | 0.055 | 8.1% | 0.052 | 0.059 |
| 2014 | 0.053 | 0.059 | 8.1% | 0.056 | 0.063 |
| 2015 | 0.057 | 0.064 | 8.1% | 0.061 | 0.069 |
| 2016 | 0.062 | 0.069 | 8.1% | 0.066 | 0.074 |

5.0 MINE COMMUNICATIONS

5.1 General

Communication systems external to the mine are included in the KSM plantsite estimates. The estimates included in this report cover the Iron Cap mine and conveyor systems.

A communications system proposal was received from Mine Site Technologies (Canada) Inc. for the Iron Cap mine communications system. They proposed both Leaky Feeder and their "Impact" Ethernet radio systems. The prices herein have been based on a Leaky Feeder scheme.

A proposal was also included for a PED emergency warning system for the mine.

A fibre-optic control interconnection is also allowed between the crusher and conveyor control systems and the surface installation. This would also provide telephone and internet/email communications links at these locations.

5.2 Basic Leaky Feeder Equipment

The following Figure 5.1-1 includes all basic equipment required for a leaky feeder system. The leaky feeder supply and install is shown separately in another table, such that it can be included in mine costs as the mine is developed. The supply and installation costs are transferred to the master electrical estimating sheet.

The capital cost of \$ 366,746 shown in the table below is a base cost for the system. This cost is transferred to the overall electrical cost spreadsheet. Additional costs for the drift installation is shown in the subsequent table.

| FIGURE 5.1 - 1 LEAKY FEEDER EQUIPMENT, BASIC SUPPLY | | | | |
|--|------------------|---|--------------|------------------|
| QTY | PART # | DESCRIPTION | UNIT PRICE | TOTAL PRICE |
| LEAKY FEEDER SYSTEM | | | | |
| 1 | VC-HEADEND | Leaky Feeder Headend (3 channel system) | \$46,375 | \$46,375 |
| 1 | VC-ANTENNA | Leaky Feeder Antenna System | \$11,842 | \$11,842 |
| 20 | V-CA75-DS | Leaky Feeder Cable - 350m roll | \$1,090 | \$21,800 |
| 18 | VC-1004-INF2 | Infinity II Line Amplifiers | \$1,155 | \$20,790 |
| 5 | VC-1007-INF | Infinity Line Branch 3 Way | \$821 | \$4,105 |
| 1 | V-1007-INF2U | Pilot Tone Generator - Uplink | \$390 | \$390 |
| 2 | V-KSKSR | KS-KS Rotational Adaptor | \$47 | \$94 |
| 2 | V-KSNFA | KS - N Female Adaptor | \$45 | \$90 |
| 1 | VC-1011 | Line Termination Kit | \$111 | \$111 |
| 2 | V-LF32V-PSKIT | 32V Leaky Feeder Power Supply w/Inserter | \$3,045 | \$6,090 |
| 1 | STP-ANT | Stope Antenna (times this by number of drifts) | \$1,773 | \$1,773 |
| 1 | VC-1007-INF | Infinity Line Branch 3 Way (times this by number of drifts) | \$821 | \$821 |
| 1 | VC-1020 | Telephone Interconnect System (option) | \$4,727 | \$4,727 |
| 1 | VC-2000KIT | VDV Amplifier Diagnostics Kit (option) | \$5,090 | \$5,090 |
| 8 | UPS-BCKP | UPS Backup System (option) | \$3,636 | \$29,088 |
| CABLING | | (THESE COST WILL BE TABULATED PER METRE OF DRIFT, WITH LABOUR ADDED) | | |
| 1 | CLN-SFT-CBL | Customer Programming Software / Cloning Cables | \$408 | \$408 |
| | LMR-600 | LMR-600 Low Loss Cabling and Connectors (500m) | \$4,331 | |
| | ANM-1610 (L-Com) | LMR-600 Connector | \$31 | |
| | RG-213 | RG-213 Cable (300m) | \$135 | |
| | RG-58U | RG58U (100 ft) | \$133 | |
| | V-N-CONN | N Type Splice Connector | \$20 | |
| | V-N-M-CONN | N Type Male Connectors | \$18 | |
| | CB-934 | CAB Hooks, Per 1200 | \$2 | |
| | MISC-CON | Lot, Consumables | \$100 | |
| LABOUR | | (ONE OFF) | | |
| | LABOUR | Radio Licensing Administration Fee | \$250 | |
| | LABOUR | In-Shop Setup and Configuration/Custom Cabling/Radio programming | \$1,500 | |
| | LABOUR | On-site Commissioning | \$15,000 | |
| | LABOUR | Leaky Feeder Training | \$5,000 | |
| RADIOS | | | | |
| 2 | FR-5000 | FR5000 VHF Repeaters | \$2,291 | \$4,582 |
| 1 | UR-FR5000 | UR-FR5000 VHF Repeater Modules | \$1,745 | \$1,745 |
| BASE STATIONS | | | | |
| 7 | IC-F5021 | Icom IC-F5021 VHF 128ch Variable Power Analog Mobile | \$513 | \$3,591 |
| 7 | SEC-1223 | Samplex SEC-1223 Desktop Power Supply | \$218 | \$1,526 |
| EQUIPMENT RADIOS | | (FOR 66 VEHICLES) | | |
| 66 | IC-F5021 | Icom IC-F5021 VHF 128ch Variable Power Analog Mobile | \$513 | \$33,858 |
| 66 | WHP-ANT-KT | Mobile Antenna Kit | \$1,226 | \$80,916 |
| PORTABLE RADIOS | | (FOR 2 SHIFTS) | | |
| 140 | IC-F3021S | Icom IC-F3021S 8 Channel Variable Power VHF Portable Radio (For 2 shifts) | \$404 | \$56,560 |
| 140 | 3021-ANT-KT | 3021 Tunable Antenna Kit | \$28 | \$3,920 |
| 14 | BP-232N | Spare 2000 mAh, 7.4V Li-Ion battery packs | \$87 | \$1,218 |
| 140 | HM-159L | HM-159L Noise Cancelling Speaker Microphone | \$87 | \$12,180 |
| 24 | BC-197 #22 | 6 unit multi charger with cups and power supply whole radio or batteries | \$544 | \$13,056 |
| (THIS COST IS TRANSFERRED TO THE MINE BASIC ELECTRICAL CAPEX) | | | TOTAL | \$366,746 |

5.3 Leaky Feeder Installation

The costs shown below were developed from unit costs in the preceding table and are intended to be applied on a per unit (metre) basis. The estimate includes an initial amount of cable for the start of production, which has been transferred to the Electrical cost estimate summary spreadsheet. The below table also shows a per metre number for future installations as the mine is developed. These costs are not tabulated in the electrical cost estimate summary spreadsheet. It is intended that these costs would be added into sustaining capital.

| FIGURE 5.3 - 1 LEAKY FEEDER INSTALLATION | | | | | | | | |
|---|------|---|---|-----------|-------------|---------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| LABOUR RATE/HR: | | | \$110 (INCLUDES CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT) | | | | | |
| QTY | UNIT | DESCRIPTION | LABOUR UNIT | TOTAL HRS | LABOUR COST | UNIT MATERIAL | MATERIAL COST | TOTAL COST |
| INITIAL INSTALLATION | | | | | | | | |
| 1000 | m | LMR -600 Cable | 0.1 | 100 | \$11,000 | \$8.66 | \$8,662 | \$19,662 |
| 4 | ea | LMR -600 Terminations | 4 | 16 | \$1,760 | \$31.00 | \$124 | \$1,884 |
| 1000 | m | 3/8 Inch Steel Messenger, Cable Hooks, Etc. | 0.05 | 50 | \$5,500 | \$3.00 | \$3,000 | \$8,500 |
| 1 | lot | Misc. cable, etc. | 100 | 100 | \$11,000 | \$5,000.00 | \$5,000 | \$16,000 |
| TOTAL LEAKY FEEDER PER Km | | | | | | | MATERIAL | \$46,046 |
| | | | | | | | LABOUR | \$55,000 |
| | | | | | | | TOTAL COST PER KM | \$101,046 |
| (FOR FUTURE MINE DEVELOPMENT ADD THIS AMOUNT PER KM OF DRIFT) | | | | | | | | |
| 0.8 | km | Conveyor 1 Drift | 500 | 400 | \$44,000 | \$46,046.00 | \$36,837 | \$80,837 |
| 0.4 | km | Conveyor 2 Drift | 500 | 200 | \$22,000 | \$46,046.00 | \$18,418 | \$40,418 |
| 4 | km | Conveyor 3 Drift | 500 | 2000 | \$220,000 | \$46,046.00 | \$184,184 | \$404,184 |
| | | | | 0 | | | | |
| 8 | KM | Initial Drifts | 500 | 4000 | \$440,000 | \$46,046.00 | \$368,368 | \$808,368 |
| | | | | 6600 | \$726,000 | | \$607,807 | \$1,333,807 |
| (THIS AMOUNT IS TRANSFERRED TO THE OVERALL ELECTRICAL BUDGET) | | | | | | | | TOTAL |

5.4 PED System

The figure below shows the cost of PED equipment. The supply costs are transferred to the master electrical estimating spreadsheet where the PED installation costs are also shown.

| FIGURE 5.4 - 1 PED EQUIPMENT, BASIC SUPPLY | | | | |
|--|------------------|--|------------|-------------|
| QTY | PART # | DESCRIPTION | UNIT PRICE | TOTAL PRICE |
| TRANSMISSION SYSTEM | | | | |
| 1 | P-TX-CABC-000L | PED 110 V Headend Fully Equipped (Long Loop) | \$43,391 | \$43,391 |
| 1 | P-SEMA-000 | Smart External Modulator | \$4,364 | \$4,364 |
| 1 | P-S010 | PEDcall Software Licence | \$7,249 | \$7,249 |
| 1 | | UPS | \$4,500 | \$4,500 |
| ANTENNA SYSTEM | | | | |
| 13 | P-XLP1X10 | Single Core PED antenna (500m roll) | \$5,279 | \$68,627 |
| 13 | P-SP2KIT | Antenna Splice Kits | \$355 | \$4,615 |
| RECEIVERS | | | | |
| 140 | CL-92M-PC-T8-01L | Caplamp, battery and PED ICCL with Integrated Tracking Tag and LED Headpiece | \$1,755 | \$245,700 |
| 1 | CL-CHGR-30L | Thirty Unit Charging Rack with charging boards for LED Headpiece | \$7,000 | \$7,000 |
| 66 | AutoPEDs | Vehicle PEDS | \$2,590 | \$170,940 |
| (THIS AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO ELECTRICAL BUDGET) | | | TOTAL | \$556,386 |

The installation cost for the above PED equipment, in particular the main loop antenna, is included on the electrical estimating spreadsheet.

Note, the personal PED receivers also include a cap lamp and battery.

The PED price is all-inclusive. Sustaining capital would only be required for more vehicles, more miners and to replace faulty and destroyed equipment.

6.0 ESTIMATE SUMMARY

6.1 General

The electrical power, control, communications and instrument cost estimate is summarized below. All sums are in fourth quarter 2011 Canadian dollars. Refer to the attached Appendix A spreadsheet for estimate details including man-hours and a breakdown of the costs..

6.2 Conveyors 1, 2 And 3

The estimated conveyor electrical and instrumentation cost is: **\$8,158,790**

6.3 Main Power Distribution For Mine

The main power supply estimate is: **\$9,559,993**

The basic main perimeter power supply system which is a ring main utilizing three breaker ring main units so that each load has two sources of supply. This estimate also includes two main power feeds to the mine from the Mitchell Substation No.2.

Power supply for Fire Pumps (allowance) is **215,625**

6.4 Pre-Conditioning Level Electrical Power Supply Costs

The basic preconditioning electrical power supply is included in Cost Code 2, Power Supply.

Pre-conditioning basic costs are: **\$1,518,463**

6.5 Extraction Level Electrical Costs

The basic extraction level costs included in the estimate are: **\$5,711,838**

These cost will be repeated as the mine develops.

6.6 Crusher Station Electrical Costs

The crusher electrical and installation costs are:

- Crusher Station 1: **\$5,711,838**
- Crusher Station 2: **\$2,633,568**
- Crusher Station 3: **\$2,633,568**
- Crusher Station 4: **\$2,633,568**

6.7 Refuge Station Outfitting Costs

The refuge cost allowance, excluding excavation and other civil costs are:

- Refuge Station 1: **\$100,483**
- Refuge Station 2: **\$100,483**
- Refuge Station 3: **\$100,483**
- Refuge Station 4: **\$100,483**

6.8 Main Vent Fans And Power Supply To Mine Air Heaters, Electrical Costs

The electrical, instrumentation and power supply including VFDs for the two main vent fans, the stench gas system, and power to the two mine air heater houses (but excluding the entire heater equipment supply and install is: **\$1,214,225**)

6.9 Main Air Compressors

Electrical cost for the two main air compressors is: **\$571,729**

6.10 Pumping Electrical

There is no separate budget for water pumping at this time.

6.11 Mine Communications (Leaky Feeder & PED)

The supply and installation cost for the basic system is: **\$2,463,814**

For sustaining capital for future communication needs on a per km basis, please refer to Section 5 of this report.

6.12 Total Direct Costs

The total direct costs are: **\$40,350,678**

6.13 Engineering, Construction Management (Electrical) And Spares, Indirects

The total indirect engineering, construction management and spare parts costs are: **\$7,588,500**

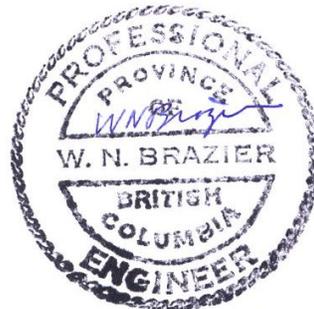
6.14 Grand Total (Electrical, instrumentation & Communications)

Total direct and indirect costs are: **\$47,939,178**

For Sustaining Capital, refer to the report and estimate details.

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7.0 APPENDIX A - ESTIMATE SPREADSHEET

KSM IRON CAP BLOCK CAVE SCOPING LEVEL ELECTRICAL COST ESTIMATE

NOTES

- 1) COSTS IN 3RD QTR. 2011 C\$
- 2) IN 2012 (OR 2013) PST WILL APPLY TO LIGHTING AND HEATING (NON-PROCESS EQUIPMENT). THIS HAS BEEN INCLUDED IN THE BASE PRICE.
- 3) MOTORS ARE ASSUMED PROVIDED WITH CONVEYORS, ETC. BUT VFDs WHERE REQUIRED, ARE INCLUDED HEREWITH.
- 4) ELECTRICAL SWITCHGEAR, TRANSFORMERS, RING MAIN UNITS, ETC. ARE UNDERGROUND MINING TYPE EQUIPMENT.
- 5) THE MAIN MINE POWER SUPPLY IS A 25 KV (MATCHES SITE DISTRIBUTION) RING MAIN SYSTEM.

| Description | Quantity | Units | Unit Weight kg | Unit MH | Productivity U/G Multi-plier | Labour Rate \$105 | Equip Rental Unit \$ | Material Unit Cost \$ | Equipment Unit Cost \$ | Subcont. Unit Rate | Weight Total | MHrs Total | Labour Total Cost | Material Total Cost \$ | Equipment Total Cost \$ | Equipment Rental Total Cost \$ | Subcontract Total Cost \$ | Total Direct Cost | Area Sub-Totals |
|---|----------|-------|----------------|---------|------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------|------------|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| COST CODE 1 - CONVEYORS CV1, CV2 & CV3 | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| CONVEYOR POWER, CONTROL & INSTRUMENTATION | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (Conveyors CV1,2 & 3, These conveyors are powered from the mine 25 kv ring main system) | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| CABLE 1/0 5 KV TECK | 350 | M | | 0.40 | 1.25 | \$105 | 2.0 | 70.0 | | | 175 | 18,375 | 24,500 | | | 700 | | 43,575 | |
| CABLE 4/0 5 KV TECK | 350 | M | | 0.45 | 1.25 | \$105 | 2.0 | 145.0 | | | 197 | 20,672 | 50,750 | | | 700 | | 72,122 | |
| CV1 & CV2 CABLE 2/0 25 KV | 0 | M | | 0.49 | 1.25 | \$105 | 2.0 | 120.0 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| CV3 RING MAIN CABLE, 3C, 25KV, 133%, 350 MCM (part of ring main) | 2,200 | M | | 0.52 | 1.25 | \$105 | 2.0 | 195.0 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| Cable and messenger, clips, etc. (Perimeter) | 3,500 | M | | 0.20 | 1.25 | \$105 | 1.0 | 4.0 | | | 875 | 91,875 | 14,000 | | 3,500 | | | 109,375 | |
| (Rock bolts by others) | 14,056 | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| TERMINATIONS | 1 | LOT | | 300.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 15,000.0 | | | 375 | 39,375 | 15,000 | | | | | 54,375 | |
| RING MAIN UNITS (Conveyors) | 4 | ea | | 75.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | 750.0 | | 113,000 | | 375 | 39,375 | | 452,000 | 3,000 | | | 494,375 | |
| 25 KV JBs | 4 | ea | | 25.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 1,000.0 | 5,500 | | 125 | 13,125 | 4,000 | 22,000 | | | | 39,125 | |
| UNIT SUBS, 25 KV- 4.16 KV For Conveyors | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| 2000 KVA C/W MOTOR STARTERS (CV1 & CV2) | 2 | EA | | 175.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | 1500.0 | 16,600.0 | 332,000 | | 438 | 45,938 | 33,200 | 664,000 | 3,000 | | | 746,138 | |
| 2500 KVA C/W MOTOR STARTERS (CV3, two dives) | 2 | EA | | 175.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | 1500.0 | 18,978.2 | 379,563 | | 438 | 45,938 | 37,956 | 759,126 | 3,000 | | | 846,020 | |
| 600 VOLT UNIT SUB C/W MCC FOR AUX DRIVES, 500 KVA | 4 | EA | | 200.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | 1000.0 | | 175,000 | | 1,000 | 105,000 | | 700,000 | 4,000 | | | 809,000 | |
| CONVEYOR 600 VOLT TECK CABLE (Sized for spaced at 50 HP & > Pilot device wiring 3#14: | 1,500 | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 4.76 | | | 244 | 25,594 | 7,140 | | | | | 32,734 | |
| Pilot Devices 4#14: | 1,000 | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 5.65 | | | 163 | 17,063 | 5,650 | | | | | 22,713 | |
| 4#14: | | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 5.65 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| CV1, Cv2 & CV 3 Pull cord sw4#14: | 4,800 | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 5.65 | | | 780 | 81,900 | 27,120 | | | | | 109,020 | |
| 6#14: | | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 7.97 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| Control cable local s/s 6#14: | 2,250 | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 7.97 | | | 366 | 38,391 | 17,933 | | | | | 56,323 | |
| Misc. motors 3c# 12: | 500 | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 5.86 | | | 81 | 8,531 | 2,930 | | | | | 11,461 | |
| 3c#12: | | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 5.86 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| 3c#12: | | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 5.86 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| CV 1 Dust Coll fan Aux.3#12: | 150 | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 5.86 | | | 24 | 2,559 | 879 | | | | | 3,438 | |
| CV 2 Dust Coll fan Aux.3#12: | 150 | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 5.86 | | | 24 | 2,559 | 879 | | | | | 3,438 | |
| CV 3 Dust Coll fan Aux.3#12: | 150 | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 5.86 | | | 24 | 2,559 | 879 | | | | | 3,438 | |
| 4#12: | | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 6.95 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| Misc. 3#10: | 500 | m | | 0.15 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 7.87 | | | 94 | 9,844 | 3,935 | | | | | 13,779 | |
| Conveyor station Air Comp., 4@ 10 HP: | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| 3#10: | 600 | m | | 0.15 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 7.87 | | | 113 | 11,813 | 4,722 | | | | | 16,535 | |
| 4#10: | | m | | 0.15 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 10.27 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| 3#6: | | m | | 0.15 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 19.30 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| 3#6: | | m | | 0.15 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 19.30 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| 3#6: | | m | | 0.15 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 19.30 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| 3#6: | | m | | 0.15 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 19.30 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| Welding Outlets & Belt Splice 3#6: | 2,700 | m | | 0.15 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 19.30 | | | 506 | 53,156 | 52,110 | | | | | 105,266 | |
| CV1 Dust Coll Fan, 50 HP3#6: | 200 | m | | 0.15 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 19.30 | | | 38 | 3,938 | 3,860 | | | | | 7,798 | |
| CV2 Dust Coll Fan, 50 HP3#6: | 200 | m | | 0.15 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 19.30 | | | 38 | 3,938 | 3,860 | | | | | 7,798 | |
| CV3 Dust Coll Fan, 50 HP3#6: | 200 | m | | 0.15 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 19.30 | | | 38 | 3,938 | 3,860 | | | | | 7,798 | |
| 3c#8: | | m | | 0.17 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 14.60 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| 3c#8: | | m | | 0.17 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 14.60 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| 3c#8: | | m | | 0.17 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 14.60 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| 3c#8: | | m | | 0.17 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 14.60 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| 3c#8: | | m | | 0.17 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 14.60 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| CV1 Belt Magnet 3c#8: | 200 | m | | 0.17 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 14.60 | | | 43 | 4,463 | 2,920 | | | | | 7,383 | |
| CV2 Belt Magnet 3c#8: | 200 | m | | 0.17 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 14.60 | | | 43 | 4,463 | 2,920 | | | | | 7,383 | |
| CV3 Belt Magnet 3c#8: | 200 | m | | 0.17 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 14.60 | | | 43 | 4,463 | 2,920 | | | | | 7,383 | |
| 3c#4: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 17.00 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| Conv 2 spill feeder 1, 75HP, 3c#4: | 150 | m | | 0.19 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 17.00 | | | 36 | 3,741 | 2,550 | | | | | 6,291 | |
| Conv 1 spill feeder 1, 75HP, 3c#4: | 150 | m | | 0.19 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 17.00 | | | 36 | 3,741 | 2,550 | | | | | 6,291 | |
| Conv 1 spill feeder 2, 75HP, 3c#4: | 150 | m | | 0.19 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 17.00 | | | 36 | 3,741 | 2,550 | | | | | 6,291 | |
| Conv 3 spill feeder 1, 75HP, 3c#4: | 150 | m | | 0.19 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 17.00 | | | 36 | 3,741 | 2,550 | | | | | 6,291 | |
| 3c#4: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 17.00 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| 3c#2: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 24.50 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| 3C#1/0: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 40.00 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |
| 3c#2/0: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 75.00 | | | - | - | - | | | - | | - | |

| Description | Quantity | Units | Unit Weight kg | Unit MH | Productivity U/G Multiplier | Labour Rate \$105 | Equip Rental Unit \$ | Material Unit Cost \$ | Equipment Unit Cost \$ | Subcont. Unit Rate | Weight Total | MHrs Total | Labour Total Cost | Material Total Cost \$ | Equipment Total Cost \$ | Equipment Rental Total Cost \$ | Subcontract Total Cost \$ | Total Direct Cost | Area Sub-Totals |
|--|----------|-------|----------------|---------|-----------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------|------------|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| Conv. 3 Discharge Apron Fdr 3c#2/0: | 200 | m | | 0.25 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 75.00 | | | | 63 | 6,563 | 15,000 | - | - | - | 21,563 | |
| 3#3/0: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 85.00 | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 3#4/0: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 112.00 | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 3c250: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 159.00 | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 3C300: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 192.00 | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 4c250: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 198.00 | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 3c350: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 225.00 | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 4c350: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 246.50 | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 3c#500: | 0 | m | | 0.55 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 253.00 | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 4c#500: | 0 | m | | 0.55 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 334.00 | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 1c3500: | 0 | m | | 0.23 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 108.20 | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 3c750: | 0 | m | | 0.23 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 419.26 | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Cable Terminations | 1 | lot | | 500.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 25,000.00 | | | | 625 | 65,625 | 25,000 | - | - | - | 90,625 | |
| INSTRUMENT CABLE | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| INST Cable, 8TR-#16 300V ST-OS | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| STC AIA PVC | 900 | m | | 0.25 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 17.00 | | | | 281 | 29,531 | 15,300 | - | - | - | 44,831 | |
| Terminations | 8 | ea | | 2.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 18.00 | | | | 20 | 2,100 | 144 | - | - | - | 2,244 | |
| 4 Pair AIC | 1,500 | m | | 0.20 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 5.20 | | | | 375 | 39,375 | 7,800 | - | - | - | 47,175 | |
| Terminations | 100 | ea | | 1.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 15.00 | | | | 125 | 13,125 | 1,500 | - | - | - | 14,625 | |
| Inst JBs, etc. | 1 | lot | | 100.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 2,500.00 | 8,500 | | | 125 | 13,125 | 2,500 | 8,500 | - | - | 24,125 | |
| 2 pair AIC | 1,000 | m | | 0.20 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 4.20 | | | | 250 | 26,250 | 4,200 | - | - | - | 30,450 | |
| | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Conveyor 3 VFDs, 4 quadrant regenerative, designed for underground, 1600 HP each | 2 | ea | | 200.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 15,781.3 | 315,625 | | | 500 | 52,500 | 31,563 | 631,250 | - | - | 715,313 | |
| POWER & CONTROL FOR: | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Conveyor Belt Magnets | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Conveyor Cleanup Feeders | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Conv. Dust Collector fan | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Conveyor Dust Collector Aux. | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Conveyor Drive station air comp. | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| One lot control stations, JBs, etc. | 1 | lot | | 350.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 7,500.00 | 15,000 | | | 438 | 45,938 | 7,500 | 15,000 | - | - | 68,438 | |
| Conv. 3 Control program, AC Teck | 1 | lot | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | 150,000 | | - | - | - | - | - | 150,000 | 150,000 | |
| CABLE TRAY, Local at drive stations, feed points, etc. Along conveyor roper cable is supported from the back on a messenger or is on the conveyor tables (control cable). For all 3 conveyors. | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 6 inch: | 800 | m | | 0.45 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 75.00 | | | | 450 | 47,250 | 60,000 | - | - | - | 107,250 | |
| 12 inch: | 1,600 | m | | 0.60 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 82.00 | | | | 1,200 | 126,000 | 131,200 | - | - | - | 257,200 | |
| 18 inch: | 800 | m | | 0.70 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 95.00 | | | | 700 | 73,500 | 76,000 | - | - | - | 149,500 | |
| 24 inch: | 200 | m | | 0.85 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 110.00 | | | | 213 | 22,313 | 22,000 | - | - | - | 44,313 | |
| Supports: | 1 | lot | | 400.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 16,000.00 | | | | 500 | 52,500 | 16,000 | - | - | - | 68,500 | |
| | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Fibre Optic Control Cable System, c/w messenger cable, etc. | 3,840 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | 0.1 | 6.5 | | | | - | - | 24,960 | - | 192 | - | 25,152 | |
| Fibrotic splices, panels, etc. | 1 | lot | | 500.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | 5000.0 | 10,000.00 | 15,000 | | | 625 | 65,625 | 10,000 | 15,000 | 5,000 | - | 95,625 | |
| PLC CONTROL SYSTEM | 1 | lot | | 1500.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | 2500.0 | 25,000.00 | 250,000 | | | 1,875 | 196,875 | 25,000 | 250,000 | 2,500 | - | 474,375 | |
| | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| PLC Programming | 1 | lot | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 5,000.00 | | 48,000.00 | | - | - | 5,000 | - | - | 48,000 | 53,000 | |
| | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| CV2 PULL CORD SW | 12 | ea | | 4.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 25.00 | 500 | | | 58 | 6,125 | 292 | 5,833 | - | - | 12,250 | |
| CV2 BELT RIP DETECTOR | 1 | ea | | 16.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 100.00 | 2,500 | | | 20 | 2,100 | 100 | 2,500 | - | - | 4,700 | |
| CV2 SPEED SW | 1 | ea | | 20.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 200.00 | 1,500 | | | 25 | 2,625 | 200 | 1,500 | - | - | 4,325 | |
| CV2 MISALIGNMENT SW | 6 | ea | | 4.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 25.00 | 300 | | | 30 | 3,150 | 150 | 1,800 | - | - | 5,100 | |
| CV1 PULL CORDS | 22 | ea | | 4.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 25.00 | 500 | | | 112 | 11,725 | 558 | 11,167 | - | - | 23,450 | |
| CV1 BELT RIP DETECTOR | 1 | ea | | 16.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 100.00 | 2,500 | | | 20 | 2,100 | 100 | 2,500 | - | - | 4,700 | |
| CV1 SPEED SW | 1 | ea | | 20.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 200.00 | 1,500 | | | 25 | 2,625 | 200 | 1,500 | - | - | 4,325 | |
| CV1 MISALIGNMENT SW | 11 | ea | | 4.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 25.00 | 300 | | | 55 | 5,775 | 275 | 3,300 | - | - | 9,350 | |
| CV3 PULL CORDS | 54 | ea | | 4.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 25.00 | 500 | | | 272 | 28,525 | 1,358 | 27,167 | - | - | 57,050 | |
| CV3 BELT RIP DETECTOR | 3 | ea | | 16.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 100.00 | 2,500 | | | 60 | 6,300 | 300 | 7,500 | - | - | 14,100 | |
| CV3 SPEED SW | 2 | ea | | 20.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 200.00 | 1,500 | | | 50 | 5,250 | 400 | 3,000 | - | - | 8,650 | |
| CV3 MISALIGNMENT SW | 26 | ea | | 4.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 25.00 | 300 | | | 130 | 13,650 | 650 | 7,800 | - | - | 22,100 | |
| | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| BELT SCALES | 3 | EA | | 150.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 2,500.00 | 21,000 | | | 563 | 59,063 | 7,500 | 63,000 | - | - | 129,563 | |
| METAL DETECTORS | 3 | EA | | 120.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 2,500.00 | 12,500 | | | 450 | 47,250 | 7,500 | 37,500 | - | - | 92,250 | |
| | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| LOCAL LIGHTING AT CONVEYOR FEEDS, DRIVE STATIONS AND TRANSFER POINTS | 8 | lot | | 250.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | 2500.0 | 15,000.00 | 10,000 | | | 2,500 | 262,500 | 120,000 | 80,000 | 20,000 | - | 482,500 | |
| | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

| Description | Quantity | Units | Unit Weight kg | Unit MH | Productivity U/G Multiplier | Labour Rate \$105 | Equip Rental Unit \$ | Material Unit Cost \$ | Equipment Unit Cost \$ | Subcont. Unit Rate | Weight Total | MHrs Total | Labour Total Cost | Material Total Cost \$ | Equipment Total Cost \$ | Equipment Rental Total Cost \$ | Subcontract Total Cost \$ | Total Direct Cost | Area Sub-Totals |
|--|----------|-------|----------------|---------|-----------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------|------------|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| NOTE: 600 VOLT TRAILING CABLE TO EQUIPMENT ASSUMED TO BE IN MINING COSTS WITH EQUIPMENT. | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TERMINATIONS, ETC. | 1 | lot | | 150.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | 1500.0 | 15,000.0 | | | | 188 | 19,688 | 15,000 | | 1,500 | | | 36,188 |
| | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SUBTOTAL COST CODE 5 EXTRACTION LEVEL | | | | | | | | | | | | 7,100 | 745,500 | 1,416,700 | 5,000,000 | 68,100 | | | \$5,711,838 |
| COST CODE 6 - CRUSHER STATION #1 | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (Typical 1 of 4) | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| MOTORS | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Assumed supplied with equipment | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| RING MAIN UNIT | 1 | ea | | 100.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | 2000.0 | 3,000.0 | 115,000 | | | 125 | 13,125 | 3,000 | 115,000 | 2,000 | | | 133,125 |
| UNIT SUBSTATION - 2000 KVA 25-4.16 kV with starters | 1 | ea | | 250.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | 2500.0 | 6,500.0 | 345,000 | | | 313 | 32,813 | 6,500 | 345,000 | 2,500 | | | 386,813 |
| UNIT SUB & AUX MCC FOR 600 VOLT DRIVES, 500 KVA | 1 | ea | | 180.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | 2500.0 | 5,000.0 | 286,000 | | | 225 | 23,625 | 5,000 | 286,000 | 2,500 | | | 317,125 |
| | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| POWER CABLE (SP = Spaced, RF= Random Fill) | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5 KV TECK | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Crusher Motor #2 SP | 200 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 74.2 | | | | | | 14,840 | | | | | 14,840 |
| Terminations | 4 | ea | | 4.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 150.0 | | | | 20 | 2,100 | 600 | | | | | 2,700 |
| | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 600 /1KV CABLE | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lube system motors # 8 RF | 300 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 8.9 | | | | | | 2,682 | | | | | 2,682 |
| Rock Breaker # 2 SP | 100 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 29.0 | | | | | | 2,900 | | | | | 2,900 |
| Apron feeder # 2/0 SP | 150 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 75.0 | | | | | | 11,250 | | | | | 11,250 |
| Monorail hoist # 10 | 100 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 6.7 | | | | | | 670 | | | | | 670 |
| Bridge Crane #6 | 100 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 14.6 | | | | | | 1,460 | | | | | 1,460 |
| 2 Air compressors #8 | 200 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 8.9 | | | | | | 1,788 | | | | | 1,788 |
| | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Welding Outlets # 6 | 300 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 14.6 | | | | | | 4,380 | | | | | 4,380 |
| Belt splice station #6 | 75 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 14.6 | | | | | | 1,095 | | | | | 1,095 |
| spill feeder (see conveyor loads) | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Dust Collector Fan | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Dust Collector Aux. | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lighting Transformer 45 kVA | 2 | ea | | 25.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 200.0 | 2,100 | | | 63 | 6,563 | 400 | 4,200 | | | | 11,163 |
| Control Transformer 30 kVA | 1 | ea | | 25.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 200.0 | 1,800 | | | 31 | 3,281 | 200 | 1,800 | | | | 5,281 |
| Unit Heaters 10 kW 600 V | 5 | ea | | 8.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 200.0 | 1,950 | | | 50 | 5,250 | 1,000 | 9,750 | | | | 16,000 |
| Jan 3/12 copper 3.43/lb. | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Misc. 600V/1KV Teck | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3#14: | 1,500 | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 4.76 | | | | 244 | 25,594 | 7,140 | | | | | 32,734 |
| 4#14: | 1,500 | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 5.65 | | | | 244 | 25,594 | 8,475 | | | | | 34,069 |
| 6#14: | 1,500 | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 7.97 | | | | 244 | 25,594 | 11,955 | | | | | 37,549 |
| | 1,500 | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | 244 | 25,594 | | | | | | 25,594 |
| 3#12: | 1,500 | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 5.86 | | | | 244 | 25,594 | 8,790 | | | | | 34,384 |
| 4#12: | 1,500 | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 6.95 | | | | 244 | 25,594 | 10,425 | | | | | 36,019 |
| 3#10: | 500 | m | | 0.15 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 7.87 | | | | 94 | 9,844 | 3,935 | | | | | 13,779 |
| 4#10: | 500 | m | | 0.15 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 10.27 | | | | 94 | 9,844 | 5,135 | | | | | 14,979 |
| 3#6: | 500 | m | | 0.15 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 19.30 | | | | 94 | 9,844 | 9,650 | | | | | 19,494 |
| 3#8: | 200 | m | | 0.17 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 14.60 | | | | 43 | 4,463 | 2,920 | | | | | 7,383 |
| 3c#4: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 17.00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3c#2: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 24.50 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3C#1/0: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 40.00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3#3: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 33.00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3#4: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 46.00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3#3/0: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 85.00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3#4/0: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 112.00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3c250: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 159.00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3C300: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 192.00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4c250: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 198.00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3c350: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 225.00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4c350: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 246.50 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3c#500: | 0 | m | | 0.55 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 253.00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4c#500: | 0 | m | | 0.55 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 334.00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1c3500: | 0 | m | | 0.23 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 108.20 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3c750: | 0 | m | | 0.23 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 419.26 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| MISC. 5 KV CABLE: | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3c2/0: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 70.00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3C250: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 192.78 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3c300: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 119.00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3c350: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 245.00 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3c400: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3c500: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 199.00 | | | | | | | | | | | |

| Description | Quantity | Units | Unit Weight kg | Unit MH | Productivity U/G Multiplier | Labour Rate \$105 | Equip Rental Unit \$ | Material Unit Cost \$ | Equipment Unit Cost \$ | Subcont. Unit Rate | Weight Total | MHrs Total | Labour Total Cost | Material Total Cost \$ | Equipment Total Cost \$ | Equipment Rental Total Cost \$ | Subcontract Total Cost \$ | Total Direct Cost | Area Sub-Totals | | |
|---|----------|-------|----------------|---------|-----------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------|--------------|------------|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------|-----------|
| MISC. 25 KV 133% CABLES: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3c4/0: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 87.00: | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3c400: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 115.00: | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3c2/0: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 114.00: | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3c300: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 172.00: | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3c500: | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | 257.00: | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| CONTROL CABLE | 0 | m | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3#14 Teck: | 2,000 | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 2.9: | | | 325 | 34,125 | 5,800 | | | | | | | 39,925 | |
| 6#14 Teck: | 1,500 | m | | 0.13 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 5.0: | | | 244 | 25,594 | 7,500 | | | | | | | 33,094 | |
| 12#14 Teck: | 500 | m | | 0.15 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 10.0: | | | 94 | 9,844 | 5,000 | | | | | | | 14,844 | |
| 20#14 Teck: | 200 | m | | 0.17 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 16.0: | | | 43 | 4,463 | 3,200 | | | | | | | 7,663 | |
| CONTROL CABLE TERMINATIONS | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3#14 Teck: | 100 | ea | | 0.50 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 100.0: | | | 63 | 6,563 | 10,000 | | | | | | | 16,563 | |
| 6#14 Teck: | 76 | ea | | 0.75 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 100.0: | | | 71 | 7,481 | 7,600 | | | | | | | 15,081 | |
| 12#14 teck: | 50 | ea | | 1.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 125.0: | | | 63 | 6,563 | 6,250 | | | | | | | 12,813 | |
| 20#14 teck: | 50 | ea | | 1.50 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 130.0: | | | 94 | 9,844 | 6,500 | | | | | | | 16,344 | |
| INSTRUMENT CABLE | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| INST Cable, 8TR-#16 300V ST-OS | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| STC AIA PVC | 150 | m | | 0.25 | | | | 17.0: | | | 47 | 4,922 | 2,550 | | | | | | | 7,472 | |
| Terminations | 4 | ea | | 2.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 18.0: | | | 10 | 1,050 | 72 | | | | | | | 1,122 | |
| 4 Pair AIC | 1,500 | m | | 0.20 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 4.2: | | | 375 | 39,375 | 6,300 | | | | | | | 45,675 | |
| Terminations | 32 | ea | | 1.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 15.0: | | | 40 | 4,200 | 480 | | | | | | | 4,680 | |
| CABLE TRAY | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 150: | 200 | | | 0.55 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 75.0: | | | 138 | 14,438 | 15,000 | | | | | | | 29,438 | |
| 300: | 400 | | | 0.60 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 82.0: | | | 300 | 31,500 | 32,800 | | | | | | | 64,300 | |
| 450: | 100 | | | 0.70 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 95.0: | | | 88 | 9,188 | 9,500 | | | | | | | 18,688 | |
| 600: | 200 | | | 0.85 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 110.0: | | | 213 | 22,313 | 22,000 | | | | | | | 44,313 | |
| 900: | 100 | | | 1.10 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 120.0: | | | 138 | 14,438 | 12,000 | | | | | | | 26,438 | |
| Fittings @ 15%: | 1 | lot | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | 13,781 | | | | | | | | 13,781 | |
| Tray Support steel@ 10%: | 1 | lot | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | 9,188 | | | | | | | | 9,188 | |
| BOXES AND FITTINGS, etc. | 1 | lot | | 750.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 35,000.0: | 5,000.0: | | 938 | 98,438 | 35,000 | 5,000 | | | | | | 138,438 | |
| Grounding | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ground wire, 2/0 AWG | 1,000 | m | | 0.07: | 1.25 | \$105 | | 7.00 | | | 88 | 9,188 | 7,000 | | | | | | | 16,188 | |
| Ground Connectors, compression | 33 | ea | | 0.75: | 1.25 | \$105 | | 35.00 | | | 31 | 3,281 | 1,167 | | | | | | | 4,448 | |
| Ground wire, 4/0 | 200 | m | | 0.1: | 1.25 | \$105 | | 11.00 | | | 25 | 2,625 | 2,200 | | | | | | | 4,825 | |
| Ground Connectors, compression | 7 | ea | | 0.70 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 30.0 | | | 6 | 613 | 200 | | | | | | | 813 | |
| LOCAL LIGHTING AT CRUSHER | 1 | lot | | 550.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | 2500.0 | 40,000.0: | | | 688 | 72,188 | 40,000 | | 2,500 | | | | | 114,688 | |
| CRUSHER E-HOUSE/CONTROL ROOM | 1 | ea | | 500.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | 2500.0 | 10,000.0: | 175,000.0: | | 625 | 65,625 | 10,000 | 125,000 | 2,500 | | | | | 203,125 | |
| CONTROL SYSTEM INCLUDING PLC, PROGRAMMING, CABLE, PILOT DEVICES, ETC. | 1 | lot | | 1600.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | 2500.0 | 75,000.0: | 100,000.0: | | 2,000 | 210,000 | 75,000 | 100,000 | 2,500 | | | | | 387,500 | |
| INSTRUMENTATION | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| General: | 1 | lot | | 500.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 2,500.0: | 50,000.0: | | 625 | 65,625 | 2,500 | 50,000 | | | | | | 118,125 | |
| CCTV: | 1 | LOT | | 200.00 | 1.25 | \$105 | | 3,500.0: | 25,000.0: | | 250 | 26,250 | 3,500 | 25,000 | | | | | | 54,750 | |
| SUBTOTAL COST CODE 6 CRUSHER STATION 1 | | | | | | | | | | | - | 10,229 | 1,097,009 | 455,309 | 1,066,750 | 14,500 | | | | 2,633,568 | |
| COST CODE 7 CRUSHER STATION 2 | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | 10,229 | 1,097,009 | 455,309 | 1,066,750 | 14,500 | | | | | 2,633,568 |
| SUBTOTAL COST CODE 7 CRUSHER STATION 2 | | | | | | | | | | | - | 10,229 | 1,097,009 | 455,309 | 1,066,750 | 14,500 | | | | 2,633,568 | |
| COST CODE 8 CRUSHER STATION 3 | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SUBTOTAL COST CODE 8 CRUSHER STATION 3 | | | | | | | | | | | - | 10,229 | 1,097,009 | 455,309 | 1,066,750 | 14,500 | | | | 2,633,568 | |
| COST CODE 9 CRUSHER STATION 4 | | | | | 1.25 | \$105 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SUBTOTAL COST CODE 9 CRUSHER STATION 4 | | | | | | | | | | | - | 10,229 | 1,097,009 | 455,309 | 1,066,750 | 14,500 | | | | 2,633,568 | |



APPENDIX F

Development and PCBC Production Schedule (including grade and tonnes) by Year

DEVELOPMENT SCHEDULE

| | | Project Year | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
|----------------------------------|-----|--------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| | | Year | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Development Name | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Conveyors | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Conveyors | | 3,258 | 157,501 | 1236.15 | 1864.17 | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Subtotal (Inhouse) | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Subtotal (Contractor) | 15% | \$20,117,045 | \$972,569 | \$7,633,226 | \$11,511,250 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Inhouse) | | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Contractor) | | \$3,017,557 | \$145,885 | \$1,144,984 | \$1,726,687 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| MTT Access | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| MTT Access | | 3,430 | 1,837.50 | 1,592.17 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Subtotal (Inhouse) | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Subtotal (Contractor) | 15% | \$21,178,194 | \$11,346,556 | \$9,831,637 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Inhouse) | | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Contractor) | | \$3,176,729 | \$1,701,983 | \$1,474,745.61 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Drawpoints | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Drawpoints | | 16,424 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1442.176 | 2540.198 | 8143.478 | 4297.736 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Subtotal (Inhouse) | 23% | \$41,626,754 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$3,655,298 | \$6,438,313 | \$20,640,225 | \$10,892,918 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Subtotal (Contractor) | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Inhouse) | | \$9,709,769 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$852,627 | \$1,501,787 | \$4,814,495 | \$2,540,859 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Contractor) | | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Extraction Drifts | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Extraction Drifts | | 9,584 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1096.667 | 7036.85 | 1359.39 | 91.454 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Subtotal (Inhouse) | 25% | \$39,384,026 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$4,506,421 | \$28,915,802 | \$5,586,001 | \$375,802 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Subtotal (Contractor) | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Inhouse) | | \$9,704,190 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$1,110,378 | \$7,124,829 | \$1,376,386 | \$92,597 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Contractor) | | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Ventilation Drifts | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Exhaust Tunnels | | 1,612 | 0 | 0 | 735.097 | 876.744 | | | | | | | | | |
| Fresh Air Tunnels | | 3,864 | 53.889 | 0 | 0 | 1008.22 | 585 | 1630.445 | 586.573 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Subtotal (Inhouse) | 21% | \$6,371,556 | \$0 | \$0 | \$2,905,815 | \$3,465,741 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Subtotal (Contractor) | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Inhouse) | | \$1,352,445 | \$0 | \$0 | \$616,797 | \$735,648 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Contractor) | | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Undercut Excavation | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Undercut Excavation | | 9,379 | 0 | 0 | 4835.224 | 530.224 | 0 | 2658.006 | 1355.479 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Subtotal (Inhouse) | 15% | \$11,736,868 | \$0 | \$0 | \$6,050,836 | \$663,526 | \$0 | \$3,326,249 | \$1,696,257 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Subtotal (Contractor) | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Inhouse) | | \$1,789,821 | \$0 | \$0 | \$922,726 | \$101,185 | \$0 | \$507,238 | \$258,672 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Contractor) | | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Preconditioning Level | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Preconditioning Level | | 7,157 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5638.211 | 1519.247 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Subtotal (Inhouse) | 15% | \$8,956,898 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$7,055,700 | \$1,901,197 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Subtotal (Contractor) | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Inhouse) | | \$1,365,888 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$1,075,963 | \$289,924 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Contractor) | | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Perimeter | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Perimeter | | 2,258 | 0 | 0 | 188.9 | 1357.201 | 216.736 | 495.264 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Subtotal (Inhouse) | 25% | \$9,278,982 | \$0 | \$0 | \$776,227 | \$5,577,006 | \$890,611 | \$2,035,137 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Subtotal (Contractor) | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Inhouse) | | \$2,286,333 | \$0 | \$0 | \$191,262 | \$1,374,170 | \$219,446 | \$501,456 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Contractor) | | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Shop | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Shop | | 619 | 0 | 325.749 | 293.143 | | | | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Subtotal (Inhouse) | 22% | \$2,076,247 | \$0 | \$1,092,816 | \$983,430 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Subtotal (Contractor) | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Inhouse) | | \$447,051 | \$0 | \$235,302 | \$211,749 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Contractor) | | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Internal Ramps | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

DEVELOPMENT SCHEDULE

| | | Project Year | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
|---|-----|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| | | Year | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Development Name | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Internal Ramps | | 3,107 | 0.00 | 455.93 | 1,184.60 | 106.44 | 0.00 | 1,212.84 | 146.89 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Subtotal (Inhouse) | 25% | \$12,766,001 | \$0 | \$1,873,518 | \$4,867,742 | \$437,362 | \$0 | \$4,983,790 | \$603,588 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Subtotal (Contractor) | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Inhouse) | | \$3,145,532 | \$0 | \$461,633 | \$1,199,408 | \$107,766 | \$0 | \$1,228,002 | \$148,723 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Contractor) | | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Vertical Development | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| RAR Raise | | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| FAR Raises | | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Internal Ventilation Raise | | 1,535 | 114.409 | 0 | 20.11 | 140 | 1050 | 210 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Crusher Chambers | | 375 | 215.369 | 0 | 0 | 80 | 0 | 80 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Subtotal (Inhouse) | 25% | \$11,947,478 | \$2,620,632 | \$0 | \$111,160 | \$1,512,399 | \$5,803,958 | \$1,899,330 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Subtotal (Contractor) | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Inhouse) | | \$2,973,939 | \$649,852 | \$0 | \$27,734 | \$375,860 | \$1,448,094 | \$472,399 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Contractor) | | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Drawbell and Drawpoint Blasting | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Drawbell and Drawpoint Blasting | | 1,015 | | | | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 55 |
| Subtotal (Inhouse) | 24% | \$79,246,773 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$9,369,077 | \$9,369,077 | \$9,369,077 | \$9,369,077 | \$9,369,077 | \$9,369,077 | \$9,369,077 | \$9,369,077 | \$4,294,160 |
| Subtotal (Contractor) | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Inhouse) | | \$19,226,105 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$2,273,037 | \$2,273,037 | \$2,273,037 | \$2,273,037 | \$2,273,037 | \$2,273,037 | \$2,273,037 | \$2,273,037 | \$1,041,809 |
| Capital Contingency (Contractor) | | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Undercut Blasting | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Undercut Blasting | | 9,379 | 0 | 0 | 4835 | 530 | 0 | 2658 | 1355 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Subtotal (Inhouse) | 15% | \$5,929,020 | \$0 | \$0 | \$3,056,653 | \$335,188 | \$0 | \$1,680,295 | \$856,885 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Subtotal (Contractor) | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Inhouse) | | \$889,353 | \$0 | \$0 | \$458,498 | \$50,278 | \$0 | \$252,044 | \$128,533 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Contractor) | | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Pre-conditioning - Hydrofracturing | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pre-conditioning - Hydrofracturing | | 7,157 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5638 | 1519 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Subtotal (Inhouse) | 15% | \$55,830 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$43,980 | \$11,851 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Subtotal (Contractor) | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Inhouse) | | \$8,375 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$6,597 | \$1,778 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Capital Contingency (Contractor) | | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| TOTAL LATERAL DEVELOPMENT METERS | | 60,691 | 2,049 | 3,610 | 9,101 | 10,614 | 10,800 | 9,896 | 10,324 | 4,298 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL VERTICAL DEVELOPMENT METERS | | 1,910 | 330 | 0 | 20 | 220 | 1,050 | 290 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL REHABILITATION METERS (opex cost) | 10% | 6,069 | | | | | | 205 | 361 | 910 | 1,061 | 1,080 | 990 | 1,032 | 430 |
| TOTAL CONTINGENCY DEVELOPMENT | 5% | 3,035 | 102 | 181 | 455 | 531 | 540 | 495 | 516 | 215 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL UNDERCUT METERS | | 9,379 | 0 | 0 | 4,835 | 530 | 0 | 2,658 | 1,355 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL DRAWBELLS | | 1,015 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 120 | 55 |
| do not use | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL DEVELOPMENT ORE TONNES | | 2,583,293 | 47,187 | 63,147 | 330,990 | 458,117 | 630,493 | 449,651 | 420,946 | 182,761 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL DEVELOPMENT INCREMENTAL TONNES | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL DEVELOPMENT WASTE TONNES | | 680,692 | 134,132 | 186,746 | 229,125 | 130,690 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL DEVELOPMENT TONNES | | 3,263,985 | 181,319 | 249,892 | 560,115 | 588,807 | 630,493 | 449,651 | 420,946 | 182,761 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL CONTAINED AU | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL INHOUSE COST | 23% | \$231,041,845 | \$2,748,832 | \$2,099,398 | \$18,337,894 | \$24,217,448 | \$51,211,703 | \$35,937,397 | \$34,187,802 | \$20,530,906 | \$9,369,077 | \$9,369,077 | \$9,369,077 | \$9,369,077 | \$4,294,160 |
| TOTAL CONTRACTOR COST | 15% | \$41,295,238 | \$12,319,125 | \$17,464,864 | \$11,511,250 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| TOTAL COST | 22% | \$272,337,084 | \$15,067,957 | \$19,564,261 | \$29,849,144 | \$24,217,448 | \$51,211,703 | \$35,937,397 | \$34,187,802 | \$20,530,906 | \$9,369,077 | \$9,369,077 | \$9,369,077 | \$9,369,077 | \$4,294,160 |
| TOTAL INHOUSE CAPITAL CONTINGENCY | | \$52,443,375 | \$649,852 | \$461,633 | \$3,416,424 | \$4,931,248 | \$12,207,957 | \$8,112,350 | \$7,716,058 | \$4,813,896 | \$2,273,037 | \$2,273,037 | \$2,273,037 | \$2,273,037 | \$1,041,809 |
| TOTAL CONTRACTOR CAPITAL CONTINGENCY | | \$6,194,286 | \$1,847,869 | \$2,619,730 | \$1,726,687 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| TOTAL CAPITAL CONTINGENCY | | \$58,637,661 | \$2,497,721 | \$3,081,363 | \$5,143,112 | \$4,931,248 | \$12,207,957 | \$8,112,350 | \$7,716,058 | \$4,813,896 | \$2,273,037 | \$2,273,037 | \$2,273,037 | \$2,273,037 | \$1,041,809 |

Iron Cap Production Schedule - March 26, 2012

| Period | Current tons | To date | Dil % | AUIDW | CUIDW | MOIDW | AGIDW | AUREC | CUREC | MOREC | AGREC | NSR | AUEQ |
|--------|--------------|-------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------|
| Yr1 | 922,184 | 922,184 | 0.0 | 0.66 | 0.16 | 19.58 | 11.65 | 67.35 | 79.51 | 7.76 | 78.49 | 32.32 | 1.064055 |
| Yr2 | 3,164,686 | 4,086,870 | 0.0 | 0.64 | 0.16 | 17.70 | 8.58 | 66.76 | 78.48 | 6.00 | 72.86 | 30.03 | 1.045221 |
| Yr3 | 6,194,987 | 10,281,857 | 0.0 | 0.59 | 0.16 | 17.84 | 5.93 | 65.82 | 77.72 | 5.73 | 67.98 | 27.07 | 0.997467 |
| Yr4 | 10,248,411 | 20,530,268 | 0.0 | 0.54 | 0.17 | 18.26 | 5.06 | 65.23 | 78.02 | 6.06 | 66.21 | 25.91 | 0.978925 |
| Yr5 | 15,000,000 | 35,530,268 | 0.5 | 0.53 | 0.19 | 18.35 | 5.38 | 64.21 | 78.47 | 5.85 | 66.63 | 27.17 | 1.023381 |
| Yr6 | 14,999,999 | 50,530,268 | 5.0 | 0.52 | 0.21 | 19.49 | 5.72 | 61.11 | 76.78 | 6.36 | 65.54 | 28.13 | 1.051452 |
| Yr7 | 14,999,998 | 65,530,264 | 7.6 | 0.50 | 0.20 | 19.68 | 5.01 | 58.44 | 74.12 | 6.67 | 62.31 | 26.85 | 1.014466 |
| Yr8 | 14,999,998 | 80,530,264 | 7.4 | 0.49 | 0.20 | 19.06 | 4.61 | 57.52 | 72.90 | 6.30 | 61.02 | 26.16 | 0.995281 |
| Yr9 | 14,999,999 | 95,530,264 | 5.3 | 0.48 | 0.20 | 20.28 | 4.62 | 57.77 | 73.59 | 6.83 | 61.68 | 25.78 | 0.982159 |
| Yr10 | 14,999,999 | 110,530,264 | 5.1 | 0.45 | 0.20 | 21.03 | 4.75 | 57.53 | 73.58 | 7.19 | 61.78 | 25.33 | 0.964196 |
| Yr11 | 14,999,999 | 125,530,264 | 4.1 | 0.43 | 0.21 | 23.68 | 4.78 | 58.40 | 75.45 | 8.41 | 62.84 | 25.15 | 0.961335 |
| Yr12 | 15,000,000 | 140,530,256 | 4.4 | 0.40 | 0.21 | 25.80 | 4.95 | 58.59 | 76.26 | 9.26 | 63.96 | 24.65 | 0.94038 |
| Yr13 | 15,000,000 | 155,530,256 | 5.6 | 0.36 | 0.20 | 26.87 | 5.29 | 57.79 | 74.99 | 9.21 | 64.33 | 23.37 | 0.882774 |
| Yr14 | 12,962,386 | 168,492,640 | 6.8 | 0.34 | 0.20 | 23.91 | 5.60 | 57.70 | 74.24 | 8.13 | 65.02 | 22.51 | 0.842492 |
| Yr15 | 10,106,065 | 178,598,720 | 7.9 | 0.34 | 0.20 | 22.55 | 5.92 | 57.99 | 74.45 | 8.02 | 65.63 | 22.56 | 0.836835 |
| Yr16 | 6,969,435 | 185,568,144 | 10.2 | 0.35 | 0.19 | 22.70 | 6.18 | 57.56 | 73.72 | 8.54 | 65.82 | 22.75 | 0.835968 |
| Yr17 | 4,520,357 | 190,088,496 | 13.0 | 0.34 | 0.18 | 21.93 | 6.30 | 56.06 | 71.51 | 8.33 | 65.51 | 21.91 | 0.796964 |
| Yr18 | 2,245,305 | 192,333,808 | 13.0 | 0.35 | 0.16 | 21.83 | 6.49 | 56.79 | 71.10 | 8.73 | 68.07 | 21.38 | 0.770326 |
| Yr19 | 891,290 | 193,225,104 | 17.5 | 0.33 | 0.15 | 21.13 | 6.16 | 54.02 | 66.84 | 9.81 | 65.72 | 19.56 | 0.701647 |
| Yr20 | 135,098 | 193,360,192 | 25.4 | 0.29 | 0.13 | 18.63 | 5.23 | 48.77 | 60.64 | 8.13 | 58.88 | 17.17 | 0.62332 |
| | 193,360,195 | | | 0.45 | 0.20 | 21.47 | 5.32 | | | | | | |



APPENDIX G

Life of Mine Capital and Operating Cost Schedule

| COST SCHEDULE | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|-------------|------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| | | Project Year | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| | | Year | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| PHYSICALS | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Unit | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Production Ore | tonnes | 193,360,195 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 922,184 | 3,164,686 | 6,194,987 | 10,248,411 | 15,000,000 | 14,999,999 |
| Production Incremental | tonnes | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Production Waste | tonnes | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Production Total | tonnes | 193,360,195 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 922,184 | 3,164,686 | 6,194,987 | 10,248,411 | 15,000,000 | 14,999,999 |
| NSR (\$/t) | \$/t | | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 32.32 | 30.03 | 27.07 | 25.91 | 27.17 | 28.13 |
| AUGPT (gpt) | gpt | | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.66 | 0.64 | 0.59 | 0.54 | 0.53 | 0.52 |
| CU% | % | | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 15.94% | 15.76% | 16.00% | 17.12% | 19.13% | 20.81% |
| AGGPT (gpt) | gpt | | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 11.65 | 17.70 | 17.84 | 18.26 | 18.35 | 19.49 |
| MOPPM (ppm) | ppm | | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 19.58 | 8.58 | 5.93 | 5.06 | 5.38 | 5.72 |
| Lateral Development | m | 60,691 | 2,049 | 3,610 | 9,101 | 10,614 | 10,800 | 9,896 | 10,324 | 4,298 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Vertical Development | m | 1,910 | 330 | 0 | 20 | 220 | 1,050 | 290 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total Development | m | 62,601 | 2,379 | 3,610 | 9,121 | 10,834 | 11,850 | 10,186 | 10,324 | 4,298 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CAPITAL COSTS - CAPEX | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Development Equipment | 20% | \$22,641,816 | \$4,668,842 | \$3,116,214 | \$5,818,381 | \$1,982,484 | \$800,293 | \$2,935,832 | \$986,000 | \$784,987 | \$381,898 | \$784,987 | \$381,898 |
| Production Equipment | 20% | \$77,406,950 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$7,434,617 | \$8,584,156 | \$4,598,156 | \$3,448,617 | \$0 |
| Support Equipment | 20% | \$14,649,678 | \$295,468 | \$1,126,408 | \$0 | \$2,432,102 | \$0 | \$295,468 | \$1,344,368 | \$2,627,343 | \$295,468 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Stationary Equipment | 20% | \$91,349,934 | \$1,320,000 | \$0 | \$2,107,500 | \$2,000,000 | \$0 | \$0 | \$15,704,984 | \$18,882,484 | \$3,500,000 | \$4,820,000 | \$3,715,000 |
| Additional Equipment/Infrastructure | 25% | \$126,736,490 | \$53,024,214 | \$300,000 | \$1,996,600 | \$0 | \$96,600 | \$96,600 | \$0 | \$34,269,262 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Contractor | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Development Equipment | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Production Equipment | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Support Equipment | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Stationary Equipment | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| TOTAL IN HOUSE CAPITAL COSTS | 22% | \$332,784,868 | \$59,308,524 | \$4,542,622 | \$9,922,481 | \$6,414,586 | \$896,893 | \$3,327,900 | \$25,469,969 | \$65,148,232 | \$8,775,522 | \$9,053,604 | \$4,096,898 |
| TOTAL CONTRACTOR CAPITAL COSTS | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| TOTAL CAPITAL COSTS | 22% | \$332,784,868 | \$59,308,524 | \$4,542,622 | \$9,922,481 | \$6,414,586 | \$896,893 | \$3,327,900 | \$25,469,969 | \$65,148,232 | \$8,775,522 | \$9,053,604 | \$4,096,898 |
| DEVELOPMENT COSTS - CAPEX | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fixed Development Costs | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | 21% | \$13,147,496 | \$717,823 | \$1,698,403 | \$2,916,587 | \$3,907,341 | \$3,907,341 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Contractor | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Variable Development Costs | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | 24% | \$233,118,092 | \$2,748,832 | \$3,192,214 | \$19,321,325 | \$24,217,448 | \$51,211,703 | \$35,937,397 | \$34,187,802 | \$20,530,906 | \$9,369,077 | \$9,369,077 | \$9,369,077 |
| Contractor | 25% | \$41,295,238 | \$12,319,125 | \$17,464,864 | \$11,511,250 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Labour | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | 25% | \$348,085,151 | \$13,045,336 | \$23,609,288 | \$41,027,873 | \$48,729,487 | \$48,729,487 | \$48,729,487 | \$48,729,487 | \$21,398,362 | \$9,014,391 | \$9,014,391 | \$9,014,391 |
| Contractor | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| TOTAL IN HOUSE DEVELOPMENT COSTS | 24% | \$594,350,739 | \$16,511,991 | \$28,499,905 | \$63,265,785 | \$76,854,276 | \$103,848,531 | \$84,666,884 | \$82,917,289 | \$41,929,267 | \$18,383,468 | \$18,383,468 | \$18,383,468 |
| TOTAL CONTRACTOR DEVELOPMENT COSTS | 25% | \$41,295,238 | \$12,319,125 | \$17,464,864 | \$11,511,250 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| TOTAL DEVELOPMENT COSTS | 24% | \$635,645,978 | \$28,831,116 | \$45,964,769 | \$74,777,035 | \$76,854,276 | \$103,848,531 | \$84,666,884 | \$82,917,289 | \$41,929,267 | \$18,383,468 | \$18,383,468 | \$18,383,468 |
| PRODUCTION COSTS - OPEX | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fixed Production Costs | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | 21% | \$102,131,975 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$3,907,341 | \$4,816,729 | \$5,267,949 | \$5,591,594 | \$5,834,328 | \$5,834,328 |
| Contractor | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Percentage | 9% | | #DIV/0! | #DIV/0! | #DIV/0! | #DIV/0! | #DIV/0! | 9% | 9% | 9% | 8% | 7% | 7% |
| Variable Production Costs | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | 23% | \$420,942,450 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$2,227,759 | \$7,216,929 | \$14,381,990 | \$23,236,308 | \$33,417,129 | \$33,304,016 |
| Percentage | 35% | | #DIV/0! | #DIV/0! | #DIV/0! | #DIV/0! | #DIV/0! | 5% | 14% | 24% | 33% | 40% | 39% |
| Labour | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | 25% | \$666,213,600 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$39,325,139 | \$39,325,139 | \$40,636,849 | \$42,604,415 | \$44,571,981 | \$46,539,546 |
| Contractor | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Percentage | 56% | | #DIV/0! | #DIV/0! | #DIV/0! | #DIV/0! | #DIV/0! | 87% | 77% | 67% | 60% | 53% | 54% |
| TOTAL IN HOUSE PRODUCTION COSTS | 24% | \$1,189,288,025 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$45,460,239 | \$51,358,797 | \$60,286,789 | \$71,432,317 | \$83,823,437 | \$85,677,890 |
| TOTAL CONTRACTOR PRODUCTION COSTS | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| TOTAL PRODUCTION COSTS | 24% | \$1,189,288,025 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$45,460,239 | \$51,358,797 | \$60,286,789 | \$71,432,317 | \$83,823,437 | \$85,677,890 |
| TOTAL COSTS | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL IN HOUSE COST | 24% | \$2,116,423,633 | \$75,820,515 | \$33,042,527 | \$73,188,266 | \$83,268,862 | \$104,745,424 | \$133,455,023 | \$159,746,054 | \$167,364,288 | \$98,591,307 | \$111,260,509 | \$108,158,256 |
| TOTAL CONTRACTOR COST | 25% | \$41,295,238 | \$12,319,125 | \$17,464,864 | \$11,511,250 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| TOTAL COST | 24% | \$2,157,718,871 | \$88,139,640 | \$50,507,391 | \$84,699,516 | \$83,268,862 | \$104,745,424 | \$133,455,023 | \$159,746,054 | \$167,364,288 | \$98,591,307 | \$111,260,509 | \$108,158,256 |
| TOTAL IN HOUSE CONTINGENCY | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL CONTRACTOR CONTINGENCY | | \$504,430,058 | \$18,071,121 | \$7,875,382 | \$17,443,748 | \$19,846,365 | \$24,965,106 | \$31,807,774 | \$38,073,999 | \$39,889,735 | \$23,498,329 | \$26,517,916 | \$25,778,523 |
| TOTAL CONTINGENCY | | \$10,323,810 | \$3,079,781 | \$4,366,216 | \$2,877,812 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| | | \$514,753,868 | \$21,026,938 | \$12,049,241 | \$20,206,248 | \$19,864,946 | \$24,988,479 | \$31,837,553 | \$38,109,645 | \$39,927,080 | \$23,520,328 | \$26,542,743 | \$25,802,657 |
| TOTAL COST PER TONNE (ORE) - Capital & Operating | | \$13.82 | - | - | - | - | - | \$144.72 | \$50.48 | \$27.02 | \$9.62 | \$7.42 | \$7.21 |
| TOTAL COST PER TONNE (ORE) - Operating | | \$6.15 | - | - | - | - | - | \$49.30 | \$16.23 | \$9.73 | \$6.97 | \$5.59 | \$5.71 |

| COST SCHEDULE | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|-------------|------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| | | Project Year | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 |
| | | Year | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| PHYSICALS | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Unit | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Production Ore | tonnes | 193,360,195 | 14,999,998 | 14,999,998 | 14,999,999 | 14,999,999 | 14,999,999 | 15,000,000 | 15,000,000 | 12,962,386 | 10,106,065 | 6,969,435 | 4,520,357 |
| Production Incremental | tonnes | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Production Waste | tonnes | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Production Total | tonnes | 193,360,195 | 14,999,998 | 14,999,998 | 14,999,999 | 14,999,999 | 14,999,999 | 15,000,000 | 15,000,000 | 12,962,386 | 10,106,065 | 6,969,435 | 4,520,357 |
| NSR (\$/t) | \$/t | | 26.85 | 26.16 | 25.78 | 25.33 | 25.15 | 24.65 | 23.37 | 22.51 | 22.56 | 22.75 | 21.91 |
| AUGPT (gpt) | gpt | | 0.50 | 0.49 | 0.48 | 0.45 | 0.43 | 0.40 | 0.36 | 0.34 | 0.34 | 0.35 | 0.34 |
| CU% | % | | 20.25% | 19.75% | 19.75% | 20.01% | 20.79% | 21.07% | 20.34% | 19.66% | 19.53% | 19.13% | 17.85% |
| AGGPT (gpt) | gpt | | 19.68 | 19.06 | 20.28 | 21.03 | 23.68 | 25.80 | 26.87 | 23.91 | 22.55 | 22.70 | 21.93 |
| MOPPM (ppm) | ppm | | 5.01 | 4.61 | 4.62 | 4.75 | 4.78 | 4.95 | 5.29 | 5.60 | 5.92 | 6.18 | 6.30 |
| Lateral Development | m | 60,691 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Vertical Development | m | 1,910 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Total Development | m | 62,601 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CAPITAL COSTS - CAPEX | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Development Equipment | 20% | \$22,641,816 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Production Equipment | 20% | \$77,406,950 | \$7,434,617 | \$8,584,156 | \$4,598,156 | \$3,448,617 | \$0 | \$3,448,617 | \$8,584,156 | \$4,598,156 | \$3,448,617 | \$0 | \$4,598,156 |
| Support Equipment | 20% | \$14,649,678 | \$1,126,408 | \$743,468 | \$2,136,634 | \$0 | \$578,900 | \$904,175 | \$743,468 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Stationary Equipment | 20% | \$91,349,934 | \$107,500 | \$30,764,967 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$3,607,500 | \$3,500,000 | \$1,320,000 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Additional Equipment/Infrastructure | 25% | \$126,736,490 | \$0 | \$0 | \$26,953,214 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Contractor | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Development Equipment | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Production Equipment | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Support Equipment | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Stationary Equipment | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| TOTAL IN HOUSE CAPITAL COSTS | 22% | \$332,784,868 | \$8,668,525 | \$40,092,591 | \$33,688,004 | \$3,448,617 | \$578,900 | \$4,352,792 | \$12,935,124 | \$8,098,156 | \$4,768,617 | \$0 | \$4,598,156 |
| TOTAL CONTRACTOR CAPITAL COSTS | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| TOTAL CAPITAL COSTS | 22% | \$332,784,868 | \$8,668,525 | \$40,092,591 | \$33,688,004 | \$3,448,617 | \$578,900 | \$4,352,792 | \$12,935,124 | \$8,098,156 | \$4,768,617 | \$0 | \$4,598,156 |
| DEVELOPMENT COSTS - CAPEX | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fixed Development Costs | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | 21% | \$13,147,496 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Contractor | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Variable Development Costs | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | 24% | \$233,118,092 | \$9,369,077 | \$4,294,160 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Contractor | 25% | \$41,295,238 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Labour | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | 25% | \$348,085,151 | \$9,014,391 | \$9,014,391 | \$9,014,391 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Contractor | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| TOTAL IN HOUSE DEVELOPMENT COSTS | 24% | \$594,350,739 | \$18,383,468 | \$13,308,551 | \$9,014,391 | \$0 |
| TOTAL CONTRACTOR DEVELOPMENT COSTS | 25% | \$41,295,238 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| TOTAL DEVELOPMENT COSTS | 24% | \$635,645,978 | \$18,383,468 | \$13,308,551 | \$9,014,391 | \$0 |
| PRODUCTION COSTS - OPEX | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fixed Production Costs | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | 21% | \$102,131,975 | \$5,834,328 | \$5,834,328 | \$5,827,018 | \$5,827,018 | \$5,827,018 | \$5,827,018 | \$5,616,719 | \$5,616,719 | \$5,609,409 | \$5,609,409 | \$5,609,409 |
| Contractor | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Percentage | | 9% | 7% | 7% | 7% | 7% | 7% | 8% | 8% | 8% | 9% | 12% | 29% |
| Variable Production Costs | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | 23% | \$420,942,450 | \$33,357,540 | \$32,603,425 | \$32,065,605 | \$32,065,605 | \$32,065,605 | \$32,065,607 | \$32,065,607 | \$27,709,785 | \$21,603,807 | \$14,898,611 | \$9,663,198 |
| Percentage | | 35% | 38% | 38% | 37% | 39% | 39% | 43% | 43% | 39% | 34% | 31% | 50% |
| Labour | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | 25% | \$666,213,600 | \$47,851,257 | \$47,851,257 | \$47,851,257 | \$43,455,947 | \$43,455,947 | \$36,831,810 | \$36,831,810 | \$36,831,810 | \$36,831,810 | \$28,247,860 | \$3,906,316 |
| Contractor | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Percentage | | 56% | 55% | 55% | 56% | 53% | 53% | 49% | 49% | 52% | 58% | 58% | 20% |
| TOTAL IN HOUSE PRODUCTION COSTS | 24% | \$1,189,288,025 | \$87,043,125 | \$86,289,010 | \$85,743,879 | \$81,348,570 | \$81,348,570 | \$74,724,434 | \$74,514,136 | \$70,158,314 | \$64,045,026 | \$48,755,880 | \$19,178,923 |
| TOTAL CONTRACTOR PRODUCTION COSTS | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| TOTAL PRODUCTION COSTS | 24% | \$1,189,288,025 | \$87,043,125 | \$86,289,010 | \$85,743,879 | \$81,348,570 | \$81,348,570 | \$74,724,434 | \$74,514,136 | \$70,158,314 | \$64,045,026 | \$48,755,880 | \$19,178,923 |
| TOTAL COSTS | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL IN HOUSE COST | 24% | \$2,116,423,633 | \$114,095,117 | \$139,690,152 | \$128,446,274 | \$84,797,187 | \$81,927,470 | \$79,077,226 | \$87,449,260 | \$78,256,470 | \$68,813,643 | \$48,755,880 | \$23,777,079 |
| TOTAL CONTRACTOR COST | 25% | \$41,295,238 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| TOTAL COST | 24% | \$2,157,718,871 | \$114,095,117 | \$139,690,152 | \$128,446,274 | \$84,797,187 | \$81,927,470 | \$79,077,226 | \$87,449,260 | \$78,256,470 | \$68,813,643 | \$48,755,880 | \$23,777,079 |
| TOTAL IN HOUSE CONTINGENCY | | \$504,430,058 | \$27,193,519 | \$33,293,860 | \$30,613,985 | \$20,210,628 | \$19,526,657 | \$18,847,328 | \$20,842,725 | \$18,651,708 | \$16,401,097 | \$11,620,514 | \$5,667,048 |
| TOTAL CONTRACTOR CONTINGENCY | | \$10,323,810 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| TOTAL CONTINGENCY | | \$514,753,868 | \$27,218,978 | \$33,325,030 | \$30,642,646 | \$20,229,549 | \$19,544,938 | \$18,864,973 | \$20,862,238 | \$18,669,170 | \$16,416,452 | \$11,631,394 | \$5,672,353 |
| TOTAL COST PER TONNE (ORE) - Capital & Operating | | \$13.82 | \$7.61 | \$9.31 | \$8.56 | \$5.65 | \$5.46 | \$5.27 | \$5.83 | \$6.04 | \$6.81 | \$7.00 | \$5.26 |
| TOTAL COST PER TONNE (ORE) - Operating | | \$6.15 | \$5.80 | \$5.75 | \$5.72 | \$5.42 | \$5.42 | \$4.98 | \$4.97 | \$5.41 | \$6.34 | \$7.00 | \$4.24 |

| COST SCHEDULE | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|-------------|------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | | Project Year | 37 | 38 | 39 | 40 | 41 | 42 | 43 | 44 | 45 |
| | | Year | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| PHYSICALS | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Unit | | | | | | | | | | |
| Production Ore | tonnes | 193,360,195 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Production Incremental | tonnes | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Production Waste | tonnes | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Production Total | tonnes | 193,360,195 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| NSR (\$/t) | \$/t | | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| AUGPT (gpt) | gpt | | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| CU% | % | | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.00% |
| AGGPT (gpt) | gpt | | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| MOPPM (ppm) | ppm | | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Lateral Development | m | 60,691 | | | | | | | | | |
| Vertical Development | m | 1,910 | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Development | m | 62,601 | | | | | | | | | |
| CAPITAL COSTS - CAPEX | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Accuracy (%) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Development Equipment | 20% | \$22,641,816 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Production Equipment | 20% | \$77,406,950 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Support Equipment | 20% | \$14,649,678 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Stationary Equipment | 20% | \$91,349,934 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Additional Equipment/Infrastructure | 25% | \$126,736,490 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Contractor | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Development Equipment | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Production Equipment | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Support Equipment | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Stationary Equipment | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| TOTAL IN HOUSE CAPITAL COSTS | 22% | \$332,784,868 | \$0 |
| TOTAL CONTRACTOR CAPITAL COSTS | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| TOTAL CAPITAL COSTS | 22% | \$332,784,868 | \$0 |
| DEVELOPMENT COSTS - CAPEX | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fixed Development Costs | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Accuracy (%) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | 21% | \$13,147,496 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Contractor | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Variable Development Costs | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | 24% | \$233,118,092 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Contractor | 25% | \$41,295,238 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Labour | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | 25% | \$348,085,151 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Contractor | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| TOTAL IN HOUSE DEVELOPMENT COSTS | 24% | \$594,350,739 | \$0 |
| TOTAL CONTRACTOR DEVELOPMENT COSTS | 25% | \$41,295,238 | \$0 |
| TOTAL DEVELOPMENT COSTS | 24% | \$635,645,978 | \$0 |
| PRODUCTION COSTS - OPEX | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fixed Production Costs | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Accuracy (%) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | 21% | \$102,131,975 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Contractor | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Percentage | | 9% | | | | | | | | | |
| Variable Production Costs | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | 23% | \$420,942,450 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Percentage | | 35% | | | | | | | | | |
| Labour | | | | | | | | | | | |
| In house | 25% | \$666,213,600 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Contractor | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| Percentage | | 56% | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL IN HOUSE PRODUCTION COSTS | 24% | \$1,189,288,025 | \$0 |
| TOTAL CONTRACTOR PRODUCTION COSTS | 0% | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 |
| TOTAL PRODUCTION COSTS | 24% | \$1,189,288,025 | \$0 |
| TOTAL COSTS | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Accuracy (%) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL IN HOUSE COST | 24% | \$2,116,423,633 | \$0 |
| TOTAL CONTRACTOR COST | 25% | \$41,295,238 | \$0 |
| TOTAL COST | 24% | \$2,157,718,871 | \$0 |
| TOTAL IN HOUSE CONTINGENCY | | \$504,430,058 | \$0 |
| TOTAL CONTRACTOR CONTINGENCY | | \$10,323,810 | \$0 |
| TOTAL CONTINGENCY | | \$514,753,868 | \$0 |
| TOTAL COST PER TONNE (ORE) - Capital & Operating | | \$13.82 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| TOTAL COST PER TONNE (ORE) - Operating | | \$6.15 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |

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APPENDIX H

Detailed Breakdown of Non-labour Operating Cost

NON LABOUR PRODUCTION OPERATING COSTS

PRODUCTION OPERATING COSTS SUMMARY

| Equipment | Hourly Machine Capacity (tonnes) | Op Cost (\$/tonne) | Accuracy (%) | \$/hr |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|--------------|---------|
| Production LHD | 213 | CAD 0.821 | 22% | 214.52 |
| Production Haul Truck | Not Used | Not Used | na | 0.00 |
| Crusher | 639 | CAD 0.649 | 25% | 516.59 |
| Conveyors | 2556 | CAD 0.391 | 25% | 1250.00 |
| Block Holer | 291 | CAD 0.161 | 20% | 55.92 |
| Mobile Rockbreaker | | CAD 0.116 | 22% | 0.00 |

Production Equipment

| LHD | Type: | Equipment: | | CAD\$/t | Accuracy | Contingency |
|---------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|-------------|
| | Production LHD | Sandvik LHS17 | | | | |
| Bucket Capacity | tonnes | 21 | | | | |
| | m ³ | 8.6 | | | | |
| | Volumetric Fill Factor | 90% | | | | |
| | Swell factor | 1.25 | | | | |
| | tonnes at volume | 16.72 | Uses ore density | | | |
| Loading time | mins | 1 | | | | |
| Tipping Time | mins | 1 | | | | |
| Tramming Time | | | | | | |
| Gradient | Tramming Distance (m) | Speed (km/h) | Duration (mins) | | | |
| Flat Laden | 225 | 10 | 1.35 | | | |
| Gradient Laden | | 5.8 | 0.00 | | | |
| Flat/Down Gradient Empty | 225 | 10 | 1.35 | | | |
| Gradient Empty | | 7.5 | 0.00 | | | |
| Total Tramming | | | 2.70 | | | |
| Total Cycle Time | mins | 4.70 | | | | |
| Hourly Machine Capacity | tonnes/hour | 213.43 | | | | |
| Number of Operating LHDS | each | 12.00 | 80% mechanical availability | | | |
| Daily Machine Capacity | tonnes/day | 46,000 | | | | |
| Fuel Consumption (l/hr) | Diesel Utilisation (%) | Eff Consumption (l/hr) | Fuel Cost per hour | | | |
| 45 | 100% | 45 | CAD 45.00 | CAD 0.21 | 15% | CAD 0.03 |
| Electrical power (kW) | Power Utilisation (%) | Power Factor (%) | Load Factor (%) | Effective Power (kW) | Power Cost per hour | |
| 0 | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0 | CAD 0.00 | CAD 0.00 |
| Maintenance Cost per hour | | | | | | |
| | CAD 130.22 | | | | | |
| Operating Cost per tonne | | | | | | |
| | | | | CAD 0.61 | 25% | CAD 0.15 |
| | | | | CAD 0.82 | 22% | CAD 0.18 |

Haul Trucks

| Haul Trucks | Type: | Equipment: | | CAD\$/t | Accuracy | Contingency |
|---------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|-------------|
| | n/a | #N/A | | | | |
| Bucket Capacity | tonnes | 80 | | | | |
| | m ³ | 37 | | | | |
| | Swell factor | 1.25 | | | | |
| | tonnes at volume | 79.92 | Uses ore density | | | |
| Loading time | mins | 2 | | | | |
| Tipping Time | mins | 2 | | | | |
| Tramming Time | | | | | | |
| Gradient | Tramming Distance (m) | Speed (km/h) | Duration (mins) | | | |
| Flat Laden | 3140 | 15 | 12.56 | | | |
| Gradient Laden | | 6 | 0.00 | | | |
| Flat/Down Gradient Empty | | 20 | 0.00 | | | |
| Gradient Empty | | 14 | 0.00 | | | |
| Total Tramming | | | 12.56 | | | |
| Total Cycle Time | mins | 16.56 | | | | |
| Hourly Machine Capacity | tonnes/hour | Not Used | | | | |
| Fuel Consumption (l/hr) | Diesel Utilisation (%) | Eff Consumption (l/hr) | Fuel Cost per hour | | | |
| #N/A | #N/A | #N/A | #N/A | #N/A | Assumes Engine on when loading | #N/A |
| 15% | | | | | | #N/A |
| Electrical power (kW) | Power Utilisation (%) | Power Factor (%) | Load Factor (%) | Effective Power (kW) | Power Cost per hour | |
| #N/A | #N/A | #N/A | #N/A | #N/A | #N/A | #N/A |
| Maintenance Cost per hour | | | | | | |
| | #N/A | | | | | |
| Operating Cost per tonne | | | | | | |
| | | | | Not Used | na | na |

Stationary Equipment

| Crusher/Sizer | Type: | Equipment: | | CAD\$/t | Accuracy | Contingency |
|---------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--|----------------------|---------------------|-------------|
| | Crusher | Sandvik CG820 (54x75) | | | | |
| Nominal Throughput | tonnes/hr | 638.888889 | 2 shifts per day, 4 crushers operating | | | |
| Fuel Consumption (l/hr) | Diesel Utilisation (%) | Eff Consumption (l/hr) | Fuel Cost per hour | | | |
| 0 | 0% | 0 | CAD 0.00 | CAD 0.00 | 15% | CAD 0.00 |
| Electrical power (kW) | Power Utilisation (%) | Power Factor (%) | Load Factor (%) | Effective Power (kW) | Power Cost per hour | |
| 450 | 75% | 95% | 90% | 289 | CAD 14.43 | CAD 0.02 |
| Maintenance Cost per hour | | | | | | |
| | CAD 400.00 | | | | | |
| Operating Cost per tonne | | | | | | |
| | | | | CAD 0.63 | 25% | CAD 0.16 |
| | | | | CAD 0.65 | 25% | CAD 0.16 |
| Conveyor 1 | | | | | | |
| Operating Cost per tonne | | | | | | |
| | | | | CAD 0.39 | 25% | CAD 0.10 |

NON LABOUR PRODUCTION OPERATING COSTS

PRODUCTION OPERATING COSTS SUMMARY

| Equipment | Hourly Machine Capacity (tonnes) | Op Cost (\$/tonne) | Accuracy (%) | \$/hr |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|--------------|---------|
| Production LHD | 213 | CAD 0.821 | 22% | 214.52 |
| Production Haul Truck | Not Used | Not Used | na | 0.00 |
| Crusher | 639 | CAD 0.649 | 25% | 516.59 |
| Conveyors | 2556 | CAD 0.391 | 25% | 1250.00 |
| Block Holer | 291 | CAD 0.161 | 20% | 55.82 |
| Mobile Rockbreaker | | CAD 0.116 | 22% | 0.00 |

Secondary Breaking Equipment

| Block Holer | | Equipment: | Maclean BH-3 |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|------------|--------------|
| Type: | Block Holer | | |
| Number of Block Drawpoints per shift | | | 15 |
| Volume of boulder | m3 | | 51.66 |
| Density | t/m3 | | 2.7 |
| Face area of boulder | m2 | | 15.75 |
| Blast hole coverage | m2/hole | | 2 |
| Number of Blast Holes | holes/boulder | | 7 |
| Total number of holes per shift | holes | | 105 |
| Total drill meters per shift | m | | 344 |
| Nominal Throughput | tonnes/hr | | 291 |

Drilling

| Consumable Costs | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---|---------------------|---------------------|----------|-------------------|--|
| Item | Type | Unit | Units required per round | Life (if applicable) | Unit cost | CAD \$/shift | Accuracy | Contingency | |
| Drill Bit: | Bit 45mm x R32 | Item | 1 | 900 | CAD 93.38 | CAD 35.73 | 15% | CAD 5.36 | |
| Rod: | Jumbo Drill Rod 4300 mm | Item | 1 | 2500 | CAD 416.82 | CAD 57.82 | 15% | CAD 8.61 | |
| Coupling: | Coupling R38 | Item | 1 | 2500 | CAD 67.95 | CAD 9.36 | 15% | CAD 1.40 | |
| Shank Adaptor: | Shank Adapter T-38 | Item | 1 | 7000 | CAD 598.87 | CAD 29.46 | 15% | CAD 4.42 | |
| Reamer: | Reamer 102mm x R32 | Item | 0 | 1500 | CAD 233.90 | CAD 0.00 | 15% | CAD 0.00 | |
| Subtotal consumable cost for excavation per shift | | | | | | CAD 131.98 | | CAD 19.80 | |
| Fuel/Electricity Costs | | | | | | | | | |
| Type: | block holer | Equipment: | Maclean BH-3 | | | | | | |
| Drilling Time Per Meter | mins | | 0.5 | | | | | | |
| Number of booms operating | | | 1 | | | | | | |
| Estimated Total Drilling Time | mins | | 172.20 | | | | | | |
| Positioning time | mins | | 553 | Currently estimated at 30 minutes move between setups + 1 minute per hole | | | | | |
| Total operating time per round | mins | | 727.20 | | | | | | |
| <i>If altered use array formula CTRL-SHIFT-ENTER</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| Fuel Consumption (l/hr) | Diesel Utilisation (%) | Eff Consumption (l/hr) | Fuel Cost per hour | | | | | | |
| 20 | 25% | 5 | CAD 5.00 | CAD 45.00 | 15% | CAD 6.75 | | | |
| <i>If altered use array formula CTRL-SHIFT-ENTER</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| Electrical power (kW) | Power Utilisation (%) | Power Factor (%) | Load Factor (%) | Effective Power (kW) | Power Cost per hour | | | | |
| 0 | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0 | CAD 0.00 | CAD 0.00 | 15% | CAD 0.00 | |
| <i>If altered use array formula CTRL-SHIFT-ENTER</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| Maintenance Cost per hour | | | | | | CAD 1,427.40 | 25% | CAD 356.85 | |
| Subtotal fuel/electricity cost per shift | | | | | | CAD 1,472.40 | | CAD 363.60 | |
| TOTAL DRILLING COST per shift | | | | | | CAD 1,604.38 | | CAD 383.40 | |
| TOTAL DRILLING COST per tonne | | | | | | CAD 0.07 | 24% | CAD 0.02 | |

Blasting

| Consumable Costs | | | | | | | | | |
|--|------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|--|---------------------|---------------------|----------|-------------------|--|
| Item | Type | Unit | Units required per shift | Life (if applicable) | Unit cost | CAD \$/shift | Accuracy | Contingency | |
| Bulk Explosive: | Bulk emulsion | kg | 620 | | CAD 1.60 | CAD 991.87 | 15% | CAD 148.78 | |
| Primer: | Pentex CD90 | Item | 105 | | CAD 2.96 | CAD 310.80 | 15% | CAD 46.62 | |
| Detonator: | Exel LP 5m | Item | 105 | Assumes 1x detonators per | CAD 3.95 | CAD 414.75 | 15% | CAD 62.21 | |
| Lead In Line: | Blasting Cable | m | 105 | | CAD 0.68 | CAD 71.26 | 15% | CAD 10.69 | |
| Stemming: | Stemming | tonne | 0.16 | | CAD 27.45 | CAD 4.46 | 15% | CAD 0.67 | |
| Subtotal consumable cost for excavation per shift | | | | | | CAD 1,793.14 | | CAD 268.97 | |
| Fuel/Electricity Costs | | | | | | | | | |
| Type: | AMFO Loader | Equipment: | Maclean AC-3 | Used as a means to estimate costs. We won't be using this piece of equipment | | | | | |
| Drum Capacity | m3 | | 2 | | | | | | |
| Drums Required per excavation | | | 1 | | | | | | |
| Pumping Rate | kg/min | | 60 | | | | | | |
| Powder Factor | kg/m3 | | 0.8 | | | | | | |
| Estimated Pumping Time | mins | | 1 | | | | | | |
| Positioning time | mins | | 210 | Currently estimates 2 minutes per hole | | | | | |
| <i>If altered use array formula CTRL-SHIFT-ENTER</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| Fuel Consumption (l/hr) | Diesel Utilisation (%) | Eff Consumption (l/hr) | Fuel Cost per hour | | | | | | |
| 10 | 25% | 2.5 | CAD 2.50 | CAD 22.50 | 15% | CAD 3.38 | | | |
| <i>If altered use array formula CTRL-SHIFT-ENTER</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| Electrical power (kW) | Power Utilisation (%) | Power Factor (%) | Load Factor (%) | Effective Power (kW) | Power Cost per hour | | | | |
| 0 | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0 | CAD 0.00 | CAD 0.00 | 15% | CAD 0.00 | |
| <i>If altered use array formula CTRL-SHIFT-ENTER</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| Maintenance Cost per hour | | | | | | CAD 274.05 | 25% | CAD 68.51 | |
| Subtotal fuel/electricity cost per shift | | | | | | CAD 296.55 | | CAD 71.89 | |
| TOTAL BLASTING COST per shift | | | | | | CAD 2,089.69 | | CAD 340.86 | |
| TOTAL BLASTING COST per tonne | | | | | | CAD 0.09 | | CAD 340.86 | |
| Operating Cost per shift | | | | | | CAD 3,694.07 | 20% | CAD 724.26 | |
| Operating Cost per tonne | | | | | | CAD 0.16 | 20% | CAD 0.03 | |
| Mobile Rockbreaker | | | | | | | | | |
| Type: | Mobile Rockbreaker | Equipment: | Sandvik DB120 | CAD\$/shift | Accuracy | Contingency | | | |
| Quantity of rockbreakers | | | 2 | | | | | | |
| Fuel Consumption (l/hr) | Diesel Utilisation (%) | Eff Consumption (l/hr) | Fuel Cost per hour | | | | | | |
| 45 | 100% | 45 | CAD 45.00 | CAD 405.00 | 15% | CAD 60.75 | | | |
| <i>If altered use array formula CTRL-SHIFT-ENTER</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| Electrical power (kW) | Power Utilisation (%) | Power Factor (%) | Load Factor (%) | Effective Power (kW) | Power Cost per hour | | | | |
| 0 | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0 | CAD 0.00 | CAD 0.00 | 15% | CAD 0.00 | |
| <i>If altered use array formula CTRL-SHIFT-ENTER</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| Maintenance Cost per hour | | | | | | CAD 930.69 | 25% | CAD 232.67 | |
| Operating Cost per shift | | | | | | CAD 2,671.38 | 22% | CAD 586.85 | |
| Operating Cost per tonne | | | | | | CAD 0.12 | 22% | CAD 0.03 | |



APPENDIX I

Example of Detailed Cost Calculation for a Meter of Development

DEVELOPMENT REGIME

Regime Code: D1 - P
 Description: 5m x 5m Drive (Waste)

| Excavation Dimensions | | Blasts Details | | Support Details | |
|-----------------------|--------|----------------------------------|-------|---------------------------------|-----------|
| Height (m) | 5 | Estimated number of holes | 71 | In-Row spacing (m) | 1.2 |
| Width (m) | 5 | Estimated number of reamer holes | 4 | Row separation (m) | 1.2 |
| Advance per round (m) | 3.7 | Estimated drill meters (m) | 277.5 | Side Wall Bolting | YES |
| Volume extracted (m3) | 92.50 | Estimated reamer meters (m) | 14.8 | Bolts per round | 48 |
| Rock Density (t/m3) | 2.65 | Hole Diameter (mm): | 45 | Resin cartridges per bolt | 4 |
| Tonnes extracted | 245.13 | Required Powder Factor (kg/m3): | 2.5 | Bolt Length (m) | 2.4 |
| Swell factor | 1.25 | Explosive Product Required (kg): | 231 | Estimated drill meters (m) | 115.2 |
| Volume hauled (m3) | 115.63 | Explosive Density (t/m3): | 1.3 | Shotcrete Thickness (mm) | 0 |
| | | Stemming Density (t/m3): | 1.6 | Shotcrete Rebound Factor | 1.2 |
| | | | | Shotcrete Volume per round (m3) | 0 |
| | | | | Mesh required (Roof / Side) | ROOF+WALL |
| | | | | Concrete floor required | NO |
| | | | | Concrete floor thickness (m) | 0.5 |

Drilling

| Item | Type | Unit | Units required per round | Life (if applicable) | Unit cost | Cost for excavation | Accuracy | Contingency |
|----------------|-------------------------|------|--------------------------|----------------------|------------|---------------------|----------|-------------|
| Drill Bit: | Bit 45mm x R32 | Item | 1 | 900 | CAD 93.38 | CAD 28.79 | 15% | CAD 4.32 |
| Rod: | Jumbo Drill Rod 4300 mm | Item | 1 | 2500 | CAD 416.82 | CAD 46.27 | 15% | CAD 6.94 |
| Coupling: | Coupling R38 | Item | 1 | 2500 | CAD 67.95 | CAD 7.54 | 15% | CAD 1.13 |
| Shank Adaptor: | Shank Adapter T-38 | Item | 1 | 7000 | CAD 598.87 | CAD 23.74 | 15% | CAD 3.56 |
| Reamer: | Reamer 102mm x R32 | Item | 1 | 1500 | CAD 233.90 | CAD 2.31 | 15% | CAD 0.35 |

Subtotal consumable cost for excavation **CAD 108.65** **CAD 16.30**

Fuel/Electricity Costs

Type: Jumbo Drill Rig Equipment: DD420-60

| | | |
|--------------------------------|------|--------|
| Drilling Time Per Meter | mins | 1 |
| Number of booms operating | | 2 |
| Estimated Total Drilling Time | mins | 138.75 |
| Positioning time | mins | 83.25 |
| Total operating time per round | mins | 222.00 |

Currently estimated at 30 minutes + 0.75 minute per hole

| Fuel Consumption (l/hr) | Diesel Utilisation (%) | Eff Consumption (l/hr) | Fuel Cost per hour |
|-------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| 20 | 50% | 10 | CAD 10.00 |

CAD 37.00 15% CAD 5.55

| Electrical power (kW) | Power Utilisation (%) | Power Factor (%) | Load Factor (%) | Effective Power (kW) | Power Cost per hour |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| 150 | 75% | 80% | 90% | 81 | CAD 4.05 |

CAD 14.99 15% CAD 2.25

| | | | | |
|---------------------------|-----------|------------|-----|-----------|
| Maintenance Cost per hour | CAD 95.16 | CAD 352.09 | 15% | CAD 52.81 |
|---------------------------|-----------|------------|-----|-----------|

Subtotal operating cost for excavation **CAD 404.08** **CAD 60.61**
TOTAL DRILLING COST **CAD 512.73** **CAD 76.91**

Blasting

| Item | Type | Unit | Units required per round | Life (if applicable) | Unit cost | Cost for excavation | Accuracy | Contingency |
|-----------------|----------------|-------|--------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------|---------------------|----------|-------------|
| Bulk Explosive: | Bulk emulsion | kg | 231 | | CAD 1.60 | CAD 370.00 | 15% | CAD 55.50 |
| Primer: | Pentex CD90 | Item | 142 | | CAD 2.96 | CAD 420.32 | 15% | CAD 63.05 |
| Detonator: | Exel LP 5m | Item | 142 | Assumes 2x detonators per hole | CAD 3.95 | CAD 560.90 | 15% | CAD 84.14 |
| Lead in Line: | Blasting Cable | m | 100 | | CAD 0.68 | CAD 67.86 | 15% | CAD 10.18 |
| Stemming: | Stemming | tonne | 0.16 | | CAD 27.45 | CAD 4.46 | 15% | CAD 0.67 |

Subtotal consumable cost for excavation **CAD 1,423.55** **CAD 213.53**

Fuel/Electricity Costs

Type: ANFO Loader Equipment: Maclean AC-3 *Must be entered exactly as in 'SEA_FLEET_DETAILS WORKBOOK'*

| | | |
|-------------------------------|--------|-----|
| Drum Capacity | m3 | 2 |
| Drums Required per excavation | | 1 |
| Pumping Rate | kg/min | 60 |
| Estimated Pumping Time | mins | 4 |
| Positioning time | mins | 142 |

Currently estimates 2 minutes per hole

| Tramming Time | Tramming Distance (m) | Speed (km/h) | Duration (mins) |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| Flat Laden | 200 | 10 | 1.2 |
| Gradient Laden | | 10 | 0 |
| Flat/Down Gradient Empty | 200 | 10 | 1.2 |
| Gradient Empty | | 10 | 0 |
| Total Tramming | | | 2.4 |

| | | |
|---------------------------|------|-----|
| Total Time per Excavation | mins | 148 |
|---------------------------|------|-----|

| Fuel Consumption (l/hr) | Diesel Utilisation (%) | Eff Consumption (l/hr) | Fuel Cost per hour |
|-------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| 10 | 25% | 2.5 | CAD 2.50 |

CAD 6.18 15% CAD 0.93

| Electrical power (kW) | Power Utilisation (%) | Power Factor (%) | Load Factor (%) | Effective Power (kW) | Power Cost per hour |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| 0 | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0 | CAD 0.00 |

CAD 0.00 15% CAD 0.00

| | | | | |
|---------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----|-----------|
| Maintenance Cost per hour | CAD 30.45 | CAD 75.24 | 15% | CAD 11.29 |
|---------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----|-----------|

Subtotal operating cost for excavation **CAD 81.42** **CAD 12.21**
TOTAL BLASTING COST **CAD 1,504.96** **CAD 225.74**

Ground Support

| Item | Type | Unit | Units required per round | Unit cost (CAD\$) | Cost for excavation | Accuracy | Contingency | |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------|------|--------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|------------|-------------|------------|
| Bolter Drill Bit: | Bit 33 mm x R25 | Item | 1 | 900 | CAD 68.48 | CAD 8.77 | 15% | CAD 1.31 |
| Bolter Drill Rod: | Jumbo Drill Rod 3700mm | Item | 1 | 2500 | CAD 227.42 | CAD 10.48 | 15% | CAD 1.57 |
| Bolter Coupling: | Coupling R32 | Item | 1 | 2500 | CAD 33.80 | CAD 1.56 | 15% | CAD 0.23 |
| Bolter Shank Adaptor: | Shank Adapter T-38 | Item | 1 | 7000 | CAD 598.87 | CAD 9.86 | 15% | CAD 1.48 |
| Rock Bolt: | 2.4 metre x 22mm rebar bolt | Item | 48 | | CAD 13.89 | CAD 666.72 | 15% | CAD 100.01 |
| Rock Bolt Plate: | Domed Plate 150 x 150 x 10 mm | Item | 48 | | CAD 4.75 | CAD 228.00 | 15% | CAD 34.20 |
| Resin: | Resin Fast Set (28mm/250mm) | Cap | 192 | | CAD 2.27 | CAD 435.84 | 15% | CAD 65.38 |
| Mesh: | Mesh 1200 x 3000 | Item | 16 | | CAD 25.95 | CAD 415.26 | 15% | CAD 62.29 |
| Shotcrete: | Shotcrete (with steel Fibres) | m^3 | 0 | | CAD 600.00 | CAD 0.00 | 30% | CAD 0.00 |
| Concrete Floor: | Concrete | m^3 | 0 | | CAD 616.00 | CAD 0.00 | 30% | CAD 0.00 |

Subtotal cost for excavation **CAD 1,776.47** **CAD 266.47**

Fuel/Electricity Costs

Type: Bolter Equipment: Maclean MEM928 HBM50 *Must be entered exactly as in 'SEA_FLEET_DETAILS WORKBOOK'*

| | | |
|--|------|--------|
| Drilling Time Per Meter | mins | 1.5 |
| Number of bolter booms operating | | 1 |
| Estimated Total Drilling Time | mins | 172.80 |
| Time to install 1x bolt | mins | 2 |
| Estimated Total Bolt Installation Time | mins | 96 |
| Positioning time | mins | 84 |
| Total operating time per round | mins | 352.80 |

Currently estimated at 5 minutes between rows and 2 minutes between holes within a row

| Fuel Consumption (l/hr) | Diesel Utilisation (%) | Eff Consumption (l/hr) | Fuel Cost per hour |
|-------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| 20 | 25% | 5 | CAD 5.00 |

CAD 29.40 15% CAD 4.41

| Electrical power (kW) | Power Utilisation (%) | Power Factor (%) | Load Factor (%) | Effective Power (kW) | Power Cost per hour |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| 56 | 75% | 80% | 90% | 30 | CAD 1.51 |

CAD 8.89 15% CAD 1.33

| | | | | |
|---------------------------|-----------|------------|-----|-----------|
| Maintenance Cost per hour | CAD 87.54 | CAD 514.74 | 15% | CAD 77.21 |
|---------------------------|-----------|------------|-----|-----------|

Subtotal machine operating cost for excavation **CAD 553.03** **CAD 82.95**

DEVELOPMENT REGIME

Regime Code: D1 - P
 Description: 5m x 5m Drive (Waste)

| Excavation Dimensions | | Blasts Details | | Support Details | |
|-----------------------|--------|----------------------------------|-------|---------------------------------|-----------|
| Height (m) | 5 | Estimated number of holes | 71 | In-Row spacing (m) | 1.2 |
| Width (m) | 5 | Estimated number of reamer holes | 4 | Row separation (m) | 1.2 |
| Advance per round (m) | 3.7 | Estimated drill meters (m) | 277.5 | Side Wall Bolting | YES |
| Volume extracted (m3) | 92.50 | Estimated reamer meters (m) | 14.8 | Bolts per round | 48 |
| Rock Density (t/m3) | 2.65 | Hole Diameter (mm): | 45 | Resin cartridges per bolt | 4 |
| Tonnes extracted | 245.13 | Required Powder Factor (kg/m3): | 2.5 | Bolt Length (m) | 2.4 |
| Swell factor | 1.25 | Explosive Product Required (kg): | 231 | Estimated drill meters (m) | 115.2 |
| Volume hauled (m3) | 115.63 | Explosive Density (t/m3): | 1.3 | Shotcrete Thickness (mm) | 0 |
| | | Stemming Density (t/m3): | 1.6 | Shotcrete Rebound Factor | 1.2 |
| | | | | Shotcrete Volume per round (m3) | 0 |
| | | | | Mesh required (Roof / Side) | ROOF+WALL |
| | | | | Concrete floor required | NO |
| | | | | Concrete floor thickness (m) | 0.5 |

Type: Shotcrete Sprayer Equipment: Maclean SS-2
 Spray time per m3 mins 5 Normet Spec
 Positioning time mins 15
 Total operating time for excavation mins 15

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| Fuel Consumption (l/hr) | Diesel Utilisation (%) | Eff Consumption (l/hr) | Fuel Cost per hour |
|-------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| 10 | 25% | 2.5 | CAD 2.50 |

If altered use array formula CTRL-SHIFT-ENTER

| Electrical power (kW) | Power Utilisation (%) | Power Factor (%) | Load Factor (%) | Effective Power (kW) | Power Cost per hour |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| 56 | 75% | 80% | 90% | 30 | CAD 1.51 |

Maintenance Cost per hour CAD 9.67

Subtotal machine operating cost for excavation CAD 3.42 CAD 0.51

Type: Concrete Mixer Equipment: Maclean TM-3
 Drum Capacity m3 6
 Drums required per excavation 0 Includes shotcrete required volume and concrete floor required volume
 Loading Time mins 5 Per trip
 Discharge Rate mins/m3 5 Set rate to match rate of concrete spray
 Estimated Discharge Time mins 0

| Tramming Time | | Tramming Distance (m) | | Speed (km/h) | | Duration (mins) | |
|--------------------------|--|-----------------------|--|--------------|--|-----------------|--|
| Gradient | | | | | | | |
| Flat Laden | | 300 | | 10 | | 1.8 | |
| Gradient Laden | | | | 10 | | 0 | |
| Flat/Down Gradient Empty | | 300 | | 18 | | 1 | |
| Gradient Empty | | | | 10 | | 0 | |
| Total Tramming | | | | | | 2.8 | |

Total Time per Excavation mins 0

If altered use array formula CTRL-SHIFT-ENTER

| Fuel Consumption (l/hr) | Diesel Utilisation (%) | Eff Consumption (l/hr) | Fuel Cost per hour |
|-------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| 10 | 100% | 10 | CAD 10.00 |

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| Electrical power (kW) | Power Utilisation (%) | Power Factor (%) | Load Factor (%) | Effective Power (kW) | Power Cost per hour |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| 0 | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0 | CAD 0.00 |

Maintenance Cost per hour CAD 6.82

Subtotal machine operating cost for excavation CAD 0.00 CAD 0.00

Subtotal operating cost for excavation CAD 556.45 CAD 83.47
TOTAL GROUND SUPPORT COST CAD 2,332.92 CAD 349.94

Haulage

Fuel/Electricity Costs
 Type: Development LHD Equipment: Sandvik LH517 Must be entered exactly as in 'SEA_FLEET_DETAILS WORKBOOK'

Bucket Capacity tonnes 14
 m³ 6.5
 Swell factor 1.25
 tonnes at volume 13.78 <= LIMITING VALUE
 Cycles per round 18
 Loading time mins 2
 Tipping Time mins 1

| Tramming Time | | Tramming Distance (m) | | Speed (km/h) | | Duration (mins) | |
|--------------------------|--|-----------------------|--|--------------|--|-----------------|--|
| Gradient | | | | | | | |
| Flat Laden | | 40 | | 15 | | 0.16 | |
| Gradient Laden | | | | 5.8 | | 0.00 | |
| Flat/Down Gradient Empty | | 40 | | 15 | | 0.16 | |
| Gradient Empty | | | | 7.5 | | 0.00 | |
| Total Tramming | | | | | | 0.32 | |

Total Cycle Time mins 3.32
 Hourly Machine Capacity tonnes/hour 249.04
 Cycle Time for excavation mins 59.76 does not reflect fleet

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| Fuel Consumption (l/hr) | Diesel Utilisation (%) | Eff Consumption (l/hr) | Fuel Cost per hour |
|-------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| 45 | 100% | 45 | CAD 45.00 |

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|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| 0 | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0 | CAD 0.00 |

Maintenance Cost per hour CAD 111.62

Subtotal machine operating cost for excavation CAD 155.99 CAD 23.40

| DEVELOPMENT REGIME | | | | | | | | | |
|---|------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|
| Regime Code: | | D1 - P | | | | | | | |
| Description: | | 5m x 5m Drive (Waste) | | | | | | | |
| Excavation Dimensions | | | Blasts Details | | | | Support Details | | |
| Height (m) | | 5 | Estimated number of holes | | 71 | In-Row spacing (m) | | 1.2 | |
| Width (m) | | 5 | Estimated number of reamer holes | | 4 | Row separation (m) | | 1.2 | |
| Advance per round (m) | | 3.7 | Estimated drill meters (m) | | 277.5 | Side Wall Bolting | | YES | |
| Volume extracted (m3) | | 92.50 | Estimated reamer meters (m) | | 14.8 | Bolts per round | | 48 | |
| Rock Density (t/m3) | | 2.65 | Hole Diameter (mm): | | 45 | Resin cartridges per bolt | | 4 | |
| Tonnes extracted | | 245.13 | Required Powder Factor (kg/m3): | | 2.5 | Bolt Length (m) | | 2.4 | |
| Swell factor | | 1.25 | Explosive Product Required (kg): | | 231 | Estimated drill meters (m) | | 115.2 | |
| Volume hauled (m3) | | 115.63 | Explosive Density (t/m3): | | 1.3 | Shotcrete Thickness (mm) | | 0 | |
| | | | Stemming Density (t/m3): | | 1.6 | Shotcrete Rebound Factor | | 1.2 | |
| | | | | | | Shotcrete Volume per round (m3) | | 0 | |
| | | | | | | Mesh required (Roof / Side) | | ROOF+WALL | |
| | | | | | | Concrete floor required | | NO | |
| | | | | | | Concrete floor thickness (m) | | 0.5 | |
| Type: | Development Haul Truck | Equipment: | Sandvik TH540 | | | | | | |
| Bucket Capacity | tonnes | | 50 | | | | | | |
| | m ³ | | 20 | | | | | | |
| | Swell factor | | 1.25 | | | | | | |
| | tonnes at volume | | 42.40 <= LIMITING VALUE | | | | | | |
| Cycles per round | | | 6 | | | | | | |
| Loading time | mins | | 13.28 | | | | | | |
| Tipping Time | mins | | 1 | | | | | | |
| Tramming Time | | | | | | | | | |
| Gradient | Tramming Distance (m) | Speed (km/h) | Duration (mins) | | | | | | |
| Flat Laden | | | 15 | 0.00 | | | | | |
| Gradient Laden | 3000 | | 6 | 30.00 | | | | | |
| Flat/Down Gradient Empty | 3000 | | 15 | 12.00 | | | | | |
| Gradient Empty | | | 14 | 0.00 | | | | | |
| Total Tramming | | | | 42.00 | | | | | |
| Total Cycle Time | mins | | 56.28 | | | | | | |
| Hourly Machine Capacity | tonnes/hour | | 45.20 | | | | | | |
| Cycle Time for excavation | mins | | 337.68 | | | | | | |
| Cycle Time for excavation (Engine on) | mins | | 258.00 does not reflect fleet | | | | | | |
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| Fuel Consumption (l/hr) | Diesel Utilisation (%) | Eff Consumption (l/hr) | Fuel Cost per hour | | | | | | |
| 55 | 100% | 55 | CAD 55.00 | Calculated on Engine On Time Only | | | | | |
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| Electrical power (kW) | Power Utilisation (%) | Power Factor (%) | Load Factor (%) | Effective Power (kW) | Power Cost per hour | | | | |
| 0 | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0 | CAD 0.00 | CAD 0.00 15% CAD 0.00 | | | |
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| Maintenance Cost per hour | CAD 92.75 | | | | | | | | CAD 521.97 15% CAD 78.30 |
| Subtotal machine operating cost for excavation | | | | | | | | CAD 758.47 | CAD 113.77 |
| Subtotal operating cost for excavation | | | | | | | | CAD 914.46 | CAD 137.17 |
| TOTAL HAULAGE COST | | | | | | | | CAD 914.46 | CAD 137.17 |
| Ventilation Provision | | | | | | | | | |
| Consumable Costs | | | | | | | | | |
| Item | Type | Unit | Units required per round | Life (if applicable) | Unit cost | Cost for excavation | Accuracy | Contingency | |
| Vent Duct: | Vent Duct 1066mm | m | 3.7 | | CAD 14.51 | CAD 53.69 | 30% | CAD 16.11 | |
| Laterals: | Laterals 1066mm | Unit | 0.12 | Assumes Lateral every 30m | CAD 153.33 | CAD 18.91 | 30% | CAD 5.67 | |
| Catenary Wire: | Catenary Wire | m | 3.7 | | CAD 1.20 | CAD 4.43 | 30% | CAD 1.33 | |
| Subtotal consumable cost for excavation | | | | | | | CAD 77.04 | CAD 23.11 | |
| Fuel/Electricity Costs | | | | | | | | | |
| Type: | Scissor Lift | Equipment: | Maclean SL-3 | | | | | | |
| Vent Installation Time/m | mins | | 8 Assumes 8 minutes per m | | | | | | |
| Total Vent Installation Time | mins | | 30 | | | | | | |
| Tramming Time | | | | | | | | | |
| Gradient | Tramming Distance (m) | Speed (km/h) | Duration (mins) | | | | | | |
| Flat Laden | 300 | | 10 | 1.8 | | | | | |
| Gradient Laden | | | 10 | 0 | | | | | |
| Flat/Down Gradient Empty | 300 | | 18 | 1 | | | | | |
| Gradient Empty | | | 10 | 0 | | | | | |
| Total Tramming | | | | 2.8 | | | | | |
| Total Time per Excavation | mins | | 32 | | | | | | |
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| Fuel Consumption (l/hr) | Diesel Utilisation (%) | Eff Consumption (l/hr) | Fuel Cost per hour | | | | | | |
| 10 | 50% | 5 | CAD 5.00 | CAD 2.70 15% CAD 0.41 | | | | | |
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| Electrical power (kW) | Power Utilisation (%) | Power Factor (%) | Load Factor (%) | Effective Power (kW) | Power Cost per hour | | | | |
| 0 | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0 | CAD 0.00 | CAD 0.00 15% CAD 0.00 | | | |
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| Maintenance Cost per hour | CAD 14.15 | | | | | | | | CAD 7.64 15% CAD 1.15 |
| Subtotal operating cost for excavation | | | | | | | | CAD 10.34 | CAD 1.55 |
| TOTAL VENTILATION PROVISION COST | | | | | | | | CAD 87.37 | CAD 24.66 |

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| Volume hauled (m3) | | 115.63 | Explosive Density (t/m3) | | 1.3 | Shotcrete Thickness (mm) | | 0 | | |
| | | | Stemming Density (t/m3): | | 1.6 | Shotcrete Rebound Factor | | 1.2 | | |
| | | | | | | Shotcrete Volume per round (m3) | | 0 | | |
| | | | | | | Mesh required (Roof / Side) | | ROOF+WALL | | |
| | | | | | | Concrete floor required | | NO | | |
| | | | | | | Concrete floor thickness (m) | | 0.5 | | |
| Services Provision | | | | | | | | | | |
| Consumable Costs | | | | | | | | | | |
| Item | Type | Unit | Units required per round | Life (if applicable) | Unit cost | Cost for excavation | Accuracy | Contingency | | |
| Compressed Air Pipe: | 6" Pipe s80 | m | 3.7 | | CAD 30.67 | CAD 113.47 | 15% | CAD 17.02 | | |
| Water Pipe: | 4" Pipe - poly | m | 3.7 | | CAD 27.55 | CAD 101.94 | 15% | CAD 15.29 | | |
| Low Voltage Distribution Cable: | Cable Electrical 16mm2 4 Core | m | 3.7 | | CAD 43.08 | CAD 159.40 | 15% | CAD 23.91 | | |
| High Voltage Distribution Cable: | Cable Electrical 70mm2 4 Core | m | 3.7 | | CAD 129.24 | CAD 478.19 | 15% | CAD 71.73 | | |
| Communications: | Leaky Feeder Cable | m | 3.7 | | CAD 0.00 | CAD 0.00 | 15% | CAD 0.00 | | |
| Subtotal consumable cost for excavation | | | | | | CAD 852.99 | | CAD 127.95 | | |
| Fuel/Electricity Costs | | | | | | | | | | |
| Type: | Scissor Lift | Equipment: | Maclean SL-3 | | | | | | | |
| Services Installation Time/m | mins | | 10 | Assumes 10 minutes per m | | | | | | |
| Total Vent Installation Time | mins | | 37 | | | | | | | |
| Tramming Time | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gradient | Tramming Distance (m) | Speed (km/h) | Duration (mins) | | | | | | | |
| Flat Laden | 300 | 10 | 1.8 | | | | | | | |
| Gradient Laden | | | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Flat/Down Gradient Empty | 300 | 18 | 1 | | | | | | | |
| Gradient Empty | | | 0 | | | | | | | |
| Total Tramming | | | 2.8 | | | | | | | |
| Total Time per Excavation | mins | | 40 | | | | | | | |
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| Fuel Consumption (l/hr) | Diesel Utilisation (%) | Eff Consumption (l/hr) | Fuel Cost per hour | | | | | | | |
| 10 | 50% | 5 | CAD 5.00 | | | CAD 3.32 | 15% | CAD 0.50 | | |
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| Electrical power (kW) | Power Utilisation (%) | Power Factor (%) | Load Factor (%) | Effective Power (kW) | Power Cost per hour | | | | | |
| 0 | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0 | CAD 0.00 | CAD 0.00 | 15% | CAD 0.00 | | |
| <i>If altered use array formula CTRL-SHIFT-ENTER</i> | | | | | | | | | | |
| Maintenance Cost per hour | | | | | | CAD 9.38 | 15% | CAD 1.41 | | |
| | | | | | | CAD 14.15 | | | | |
| Subtotal operating cost for excavation | | | | | | CAD 12.70 | | CAD 1.90 | | |
| TOTAL SERVICES PROVISION COST | | | | | | CAD 865.69 | | CAD 129.85 | | |
| TOTAL COST FOR EXCAVATION | | | | | | CAD 6,218.13 | 15% | CAD 944.27 | | |
| TOTAL COST PER METER | | | | | | CAD 1,680.57 | | CAD 255.21 | | |
| MAINTENANCE ELEMENT FOR EXCAVATION | | | | | | CAD 1,594.64 | 15% | CAD 239.20 | | |
| MAINTENANCE ELEMENT PER METER | | | | | | CAD 430.98 | | CAD 64.65 | | |

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