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Yours sincerely

Francesca Lee Company Secretary





### **Newcrest Briefing Book**

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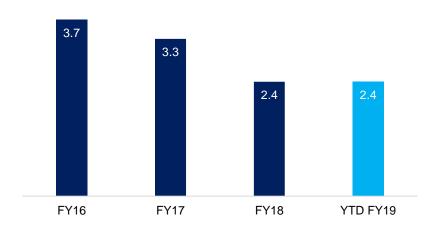
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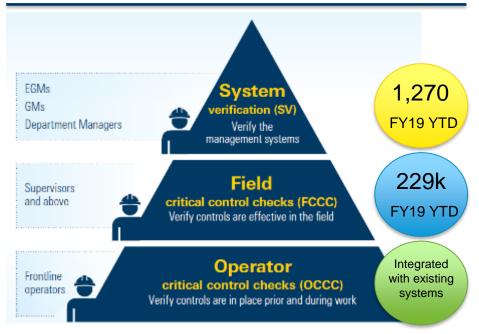
### FY16- FY19 YTD TRIFR<sup>1</sup>



### Safety System Highlights

- Newcrest's three safety pillars continue to deliver improvement:
  - A strong safety culture
  - Critical controls for every high-risk task
  - Robust process safety management
- 3.5 years fatality free, zero life changing injuries

### **Critical Control Management Verifications**



#### **Process Safety**

- Site based process safety plans developed
- Improved Management of Change processes
- Improved investigation of major incidents

### **Investment Proposition**



Long reserve life



Low cost production



Do what we say



Organic growth options (*at Cadia, Lihir and Wafi Golpu*)

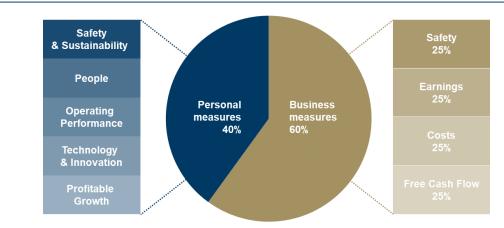


Strong exploration & technical capabilities



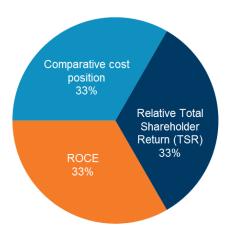
Financially robust

### An aligned executive remuneration structure



### Short Term Incentive Criteria<sup>1</sup>

Long Term Incentive Criteria



### Our operating assets and advanced project

### Cadia

FY19 Prod. Guidance: Q3 FY19 AISC: Ore Reserves: Mineral Resources: Product: 800-880koz Au, ~90kt Cu \$147/oz 22moz gold & 4.3mt copper 38moz gold & 8.3mt copper Copper/gold concentrate, gold doré



FY19 Prod. Guidance:400-460koz Au, ~13kt CuQ3 FY19 AISC:\$1,148/ozOre Reserves:2.0moz gold & 0.20mt copperMineral Resources:6.4moz gold & 0.59mt copperProduct:Copper/gold concentrate and gold doré

#### 💡 Lihir

FY19 Prod. Guidance:	950-1,050koz Au
Q3 FY19 AISC:	\$849/oz
Ore Reserves:	24moz gold
Mineral Resources:	50moz gold
Product:	Gold doré

### 💡 Golpu

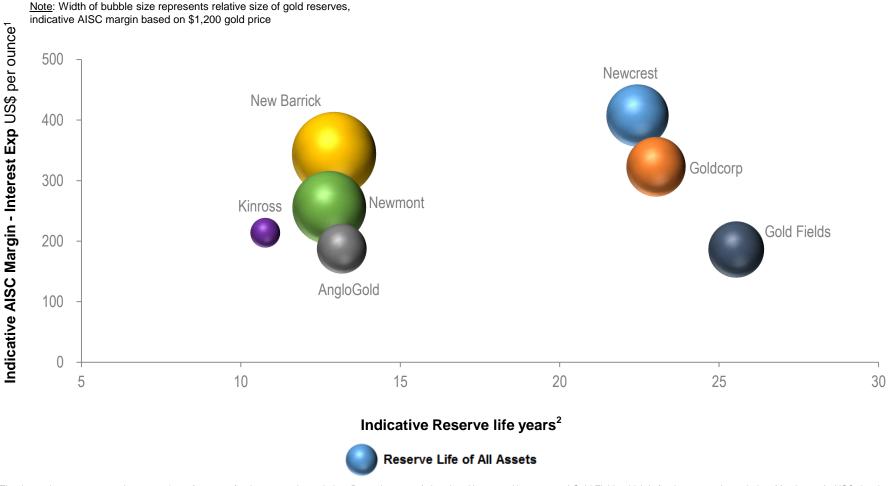
Development project for which a Special Mining Lease application has been made

Ore Reserves: Mineral Resources: Product: 5.5moz gold & 2.5mt copper13moz gold & 4.4mt copperCopper/gold concentrate, gold doré

### Gosowong

FY19 Prod. Guidance:200-240koz AuQ3 FY19 AISC:\$1,105/ozOre Reserves:0.37moz gold & 0.54moz silverMineral Resources:1.1moz gold & 1.5moz silverProduct:Gold and silver doré

### **Newcrest retains long reserve life advantage**

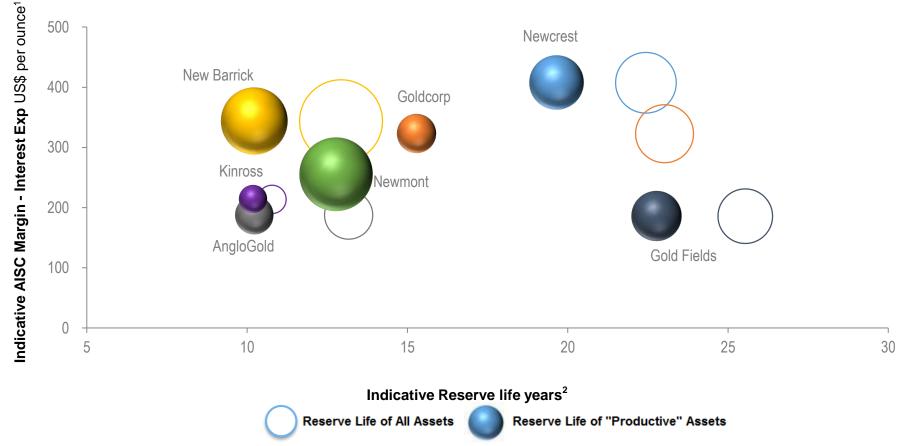


1 The data points represent each company's performance for the 12 months ended 31 December 2018 (other than Newcrest, Newmont and Gold Fields which is for the 12 months ended 31 March 2019). AISC data has been obtained from company statements and is calculated on a per ounce of gold sales basis. Interest expense has been obtained from company statements. Interest expense has been divided by attributable gold sales obtained from company statements (or attributable gold equivalent ounces when only that is available, where by-product reserves have been converted to gold equivalent at spot market prices)

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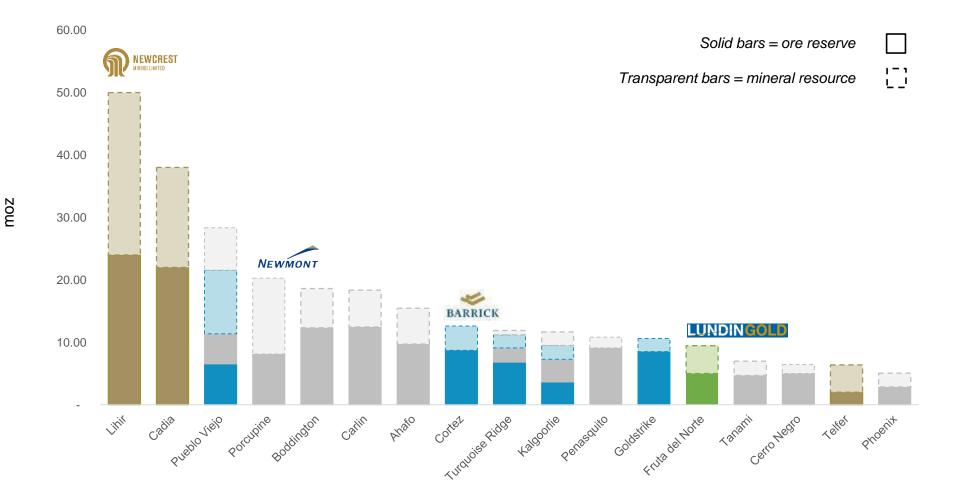
Note: Width of bubble size represents relative size of gold reserves, indicative AISC margin based on \$1,200 gold price



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### Lihir and Cadia are in a class of their own

#### **Resource & Reserve base of global majors' operating assets (moz)**<sup>1</sup>

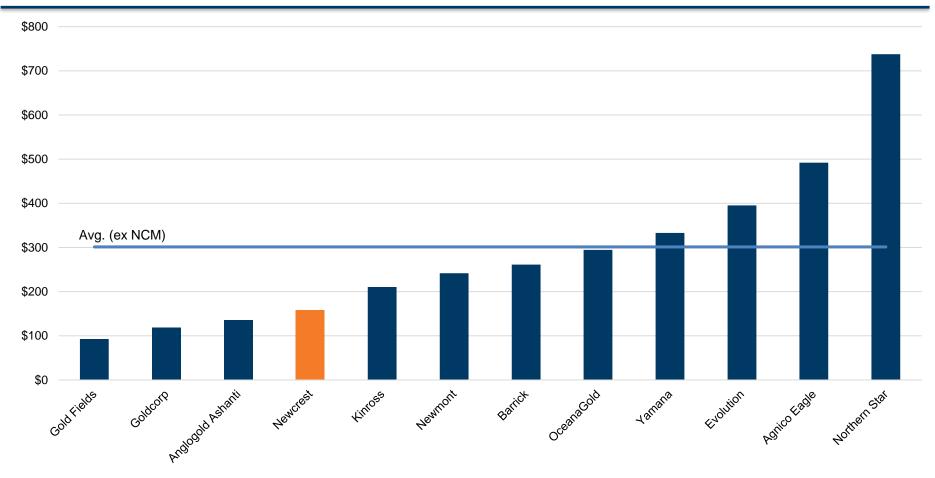


1 Based on producing assets held by Barrick, Newmont, Goldcorp and Newcrest with an attributable reserve >4moz (with Telfer included for illustration). Goldcorp assets have been shown as Newmont following the merger of the two companies. Fruta del Norte is currently under construction and has been provided as a comparison. Source: Company reports as at 22 February 2019. Reserves reflect proven and probable gold ore reserves (contained metal) and Resources represent measured, indicated and inferred gold mineral resources (contained metal) as at 31 December 2018 (other than Goldcorp which is at 30 June 2018 and Lundin Gold which is at 19 September 2018).

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### Newcrest's reserve ounces arguably undervalued

#### Enterprise Value to Gold Equivalent Reserve Ounce (\$/oz)<sup>1</sup>



1 Source: FactSet and company reports.

Note: Gold equivalent values based on spot commodity prices as at 26 April 2019. Enterprise values based on latest available information as at 26 April 2019. Unadjusted for pending transactions

### **Strong total shareholder returns**

Cumulative Total Shareholder Return (%)

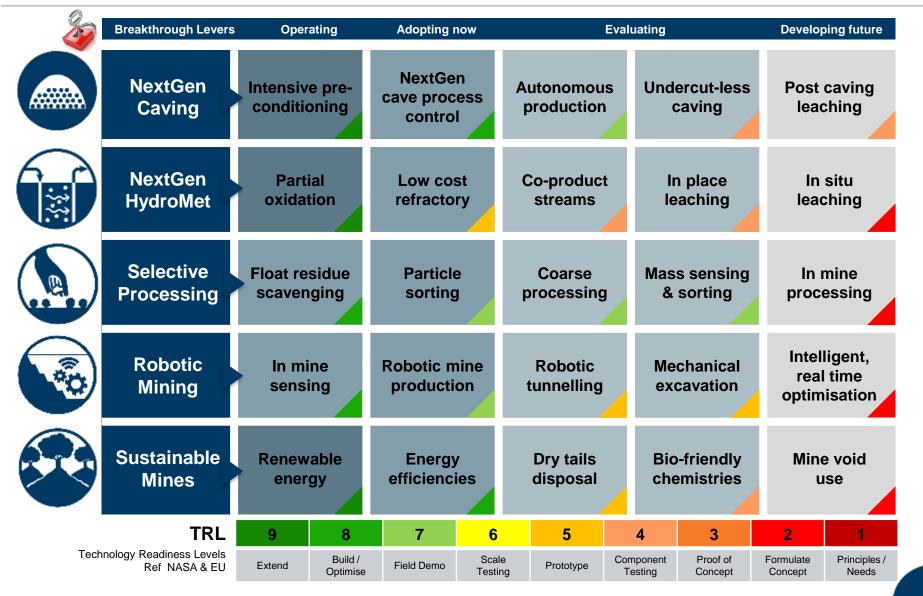


Total Shareholder Return – 1 July 2015 to 23 April 2019 (%)<sup>1</sup>

1 Source: Bloomberg. Data based on close of trade on 1 July 2015 to close of trade on 23 April 2019. All figures in USD other than S&P/TSX Global Gold Index (CAD) and Newcrest AUD

### Value breakthrough strategies

targeting five breakthroughs by end of calendar 2020





#### **Breakthrough challenge:**

Materially reduce cave establishment costs and improve the productivity of caving as grades decline

Remove personnel from hazardous environments

#### Value capture levers

- Intensive pre-conditioning
- NextGen process control
- Autonomous production
- Undercut-less caving
- Post caving leaching



Autonomous production Autonomous loader trial. Cadia **Undercut-less caving** 

Concept drawing



### **NextGen HydroMet**

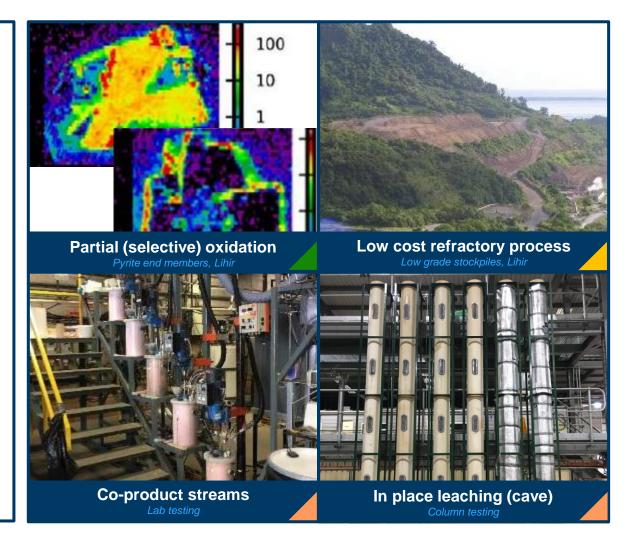
processing complex ores at materially lower cost

#### **Breakthrough challenge:**

Selective treatment based on improved understanding of orebody mineralogy, experimentation and ore type process customisation

#### Value capture levers

- Partial (selective) oxidation
- Low cost refractory process
- Co-product streams
- In-place leaching
- In-situ leaching





### **Selective Processing**

removing waste earlier from mine to mill

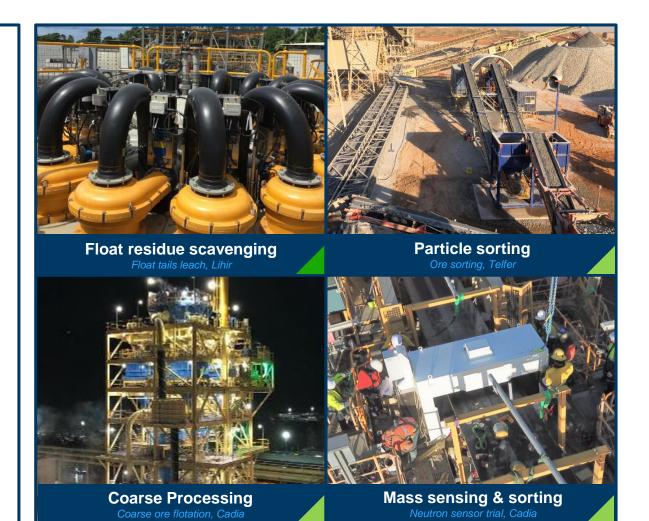
#### Breakthrough challenge:

Rejection of unprofitable material as early as possible in the mining and refining process

Improve plant performance and mineral recoveries

#### Value capture levers

- Float residue scavenging
- Particle sorting
- Coarse processing
- Mass sensing & sorting
- In mine processing





#### **Breakthrough challenge:**

Creating a long term vision of the future mine system and collaborating with developers and manufacturers to make this an operational reality

#### Value capture levers

- In mine sensing
- Robotic mine production
- Robotic tunnelling
- Mechanical excavation
- Intelligent, real-time optimisation



Robotic tunnelling

Mechanical excavation Oscillating Disc Cutter

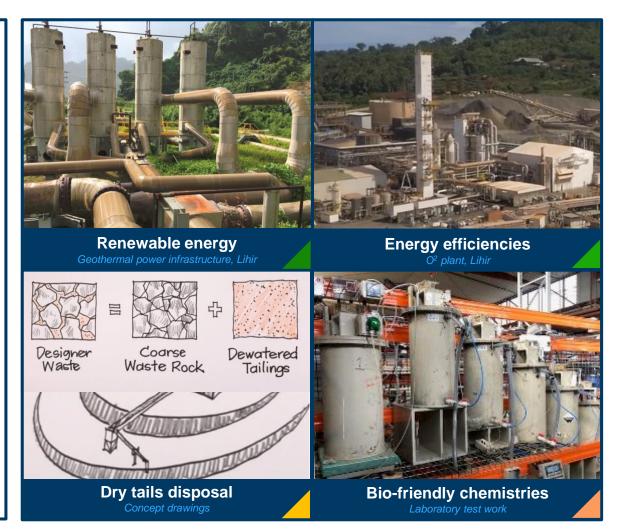


#### **Breakthrough challenge:**

Improve the environmental and social impact of our operations and projects through technology and innovation

#### Value capture levers

- Renewable energy
- Energy efficiencies
- Dry tails disposal
- Bio-friendly chemistries
- Mine void use
- Electric haulage



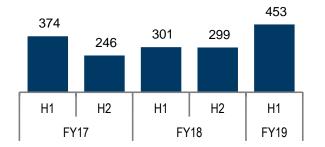
### Cadia – Cash generation plus growth potential





Site Proc	ess	Key Statistics			
<u>Element</u>	Description	Gold Reserve Life:	~27 years <sup>1</sup>		
Mining	Panel Cave mining from Cadia East (Panel Cave 1 and 2), with underground crushing and conveyor to surface	Gold Ore Reserves: Gold Mineral Resources: Copper Ore Reserves: Copper Mineral Resource	4.3mt		
Processing	High pressure grinding rolls, SAG mills, ball mills, flotation and gravity concentration	FY19 Prod. Guidance: Q3 FY19 AISC: Q3 FY19 Production:	800-880koz Au, ~90kt Cu <sup>2</sup> \$147/oz 219koz		
Output	Principally copper/gold concentrate, gold doré	Permitted Processing: Workforce (FTE) <sup>3</sup> :	32mtpa 739 employees 506 contractors		

#### **Production (koz)**



#### All-In Sustaining Cost (\$/oz)

135

H1

205

H2

FY18

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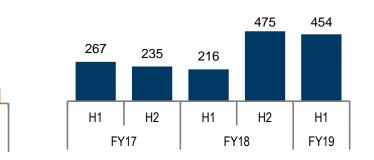
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FY19

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#### **Free Cash Flow (\$m)**<sup>4</sup>



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2 Achievement of guidance is subject to market and operating conditions.

3 At Dec 2018. Employees are Newcrest directly employed FTEs, contractor FTEs include full time embedded contractors and project, replacement labour and other contractors

FY17

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H1

4 Free cash flow is before interest and tax

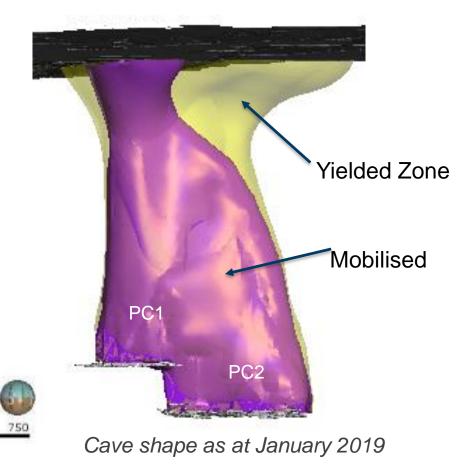
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### PC2 fully fractured through to surface

- Substantially reduces the likelihood of exposure to an air gap hazard
- PC2 eastern draw is being controlled with a focus on the growth of the eastern wall and cave back
- Improving maturity of fragmentation in PC2 will allow increased efficiency with time

lunge

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## **Northern Tailings Storage Facility (NTSF)**

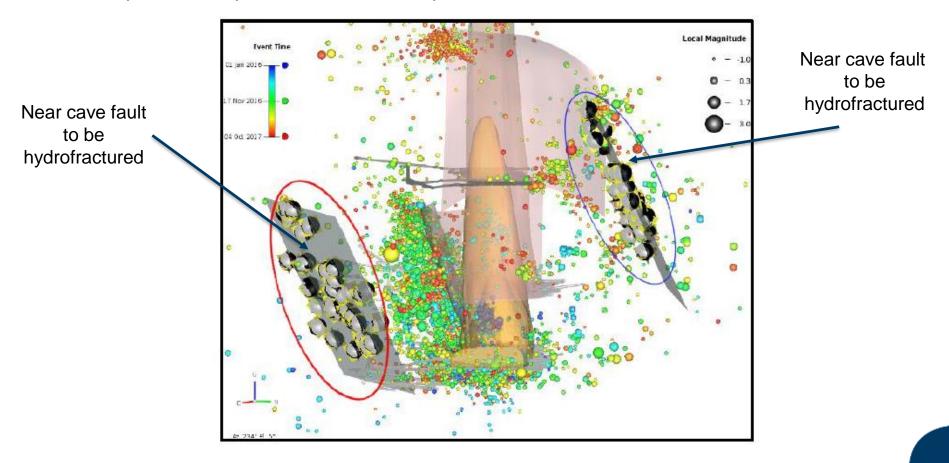
- No significant movement in embankment detected since event
- Independent Technical Review Board (ITRB) report released
- In consultation with NSW Regulators, Newcrest will adopt all recommendations of the report
- Concept study into repair plans for the NTSF to commence

ITRB recommendation	Newcrest response			
Continue to work on ensuring that the design and maintenance of the foundations take into account any weak material comparable to that in the area of the NTSF slump, as well as the limited drainage within the body of both the NTSF and Southern Tailings Storage Facility (STSF) and the potential for liquefaction of the tailings	geotechnical assessments already undertaken in relation to the STSF and NTSF to enhance understanding of the foundation of both facilities			
Enhance the level and type of monitoring equipment, including monitoring within the foundations of the TSFs, to ensure that the foundation is behaving as intended	Newcrest has significantly increased surface monitoring since the NTSF slump and has ordered further foundation monitoring equipment recommended by the ITRB, which will be installed from May 2019 and progressively over 2019			
The design, construction and operation of upstream tailings dams should be approached with a more precautionary view	Newcrest agrees and will be taking a more precautionary view as advocated by the ITRB			



#### Boundary fault hydrofracturing for seismic release

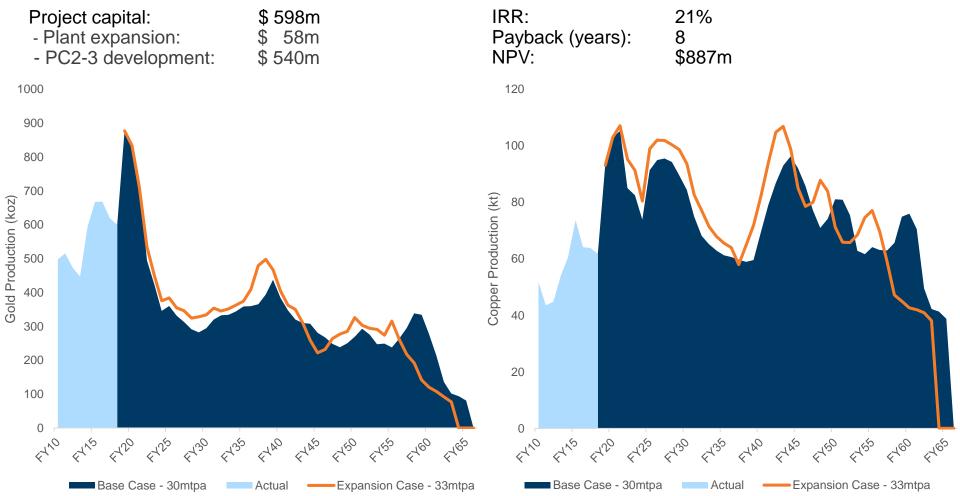
Hydrofracturing will be completed on identified high stress faults outside of the cave zone to reduce the potential impact of future fault slips.



# **Cadia Expansion PFS Findings**<sup>1,2</sup>

### Cadia - uniquely long life

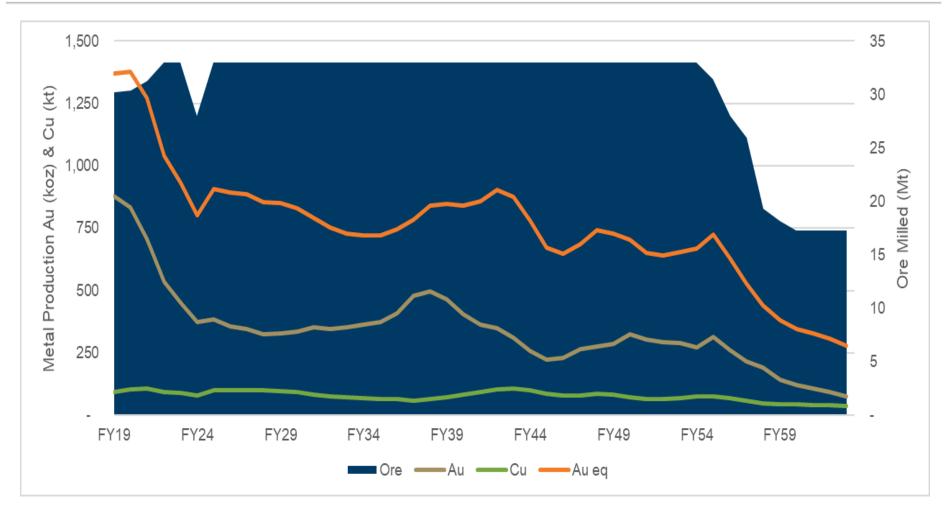
#### Debottlenecking to 33mtpa with upside potential to 35mtpa



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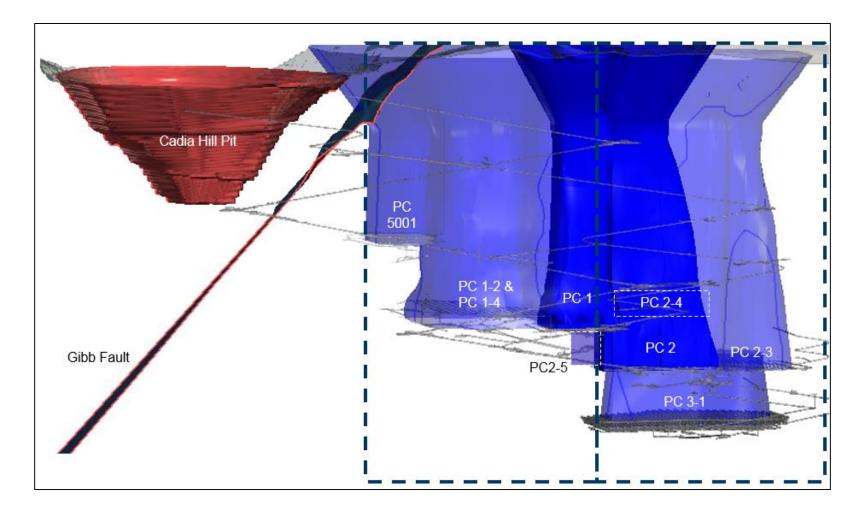
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### Cadia Gold, Copper & Gold Equivalent production<sup>1,2,3</sup>



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- 2 Assumptions include: Gold price of US\$1,200/oz, copper price of US\$3.00/lb, AUD:USD exchange rate of 0.75. Recovered Gold & Copper Production as provided in the chart above as indicative of the forward metal sales profile. Gold-equivalent production (by-product basis) = Recovered Au oz+ (Cu Price \$US/lb) x 2204.62 / (Au Price US\$/oz) x (Recovered copper tonnes as provided in the chart above, as indicative of the forward production profile). Gold grades are as set out in the indicative mine production profile on slide 25. Based on LOM Au recovery of approximately 71% and approximately 84% for Cu. In the Company's opinion, all elements included in the metal equivalents calculation have a reasonable potential to be recovered and sold.
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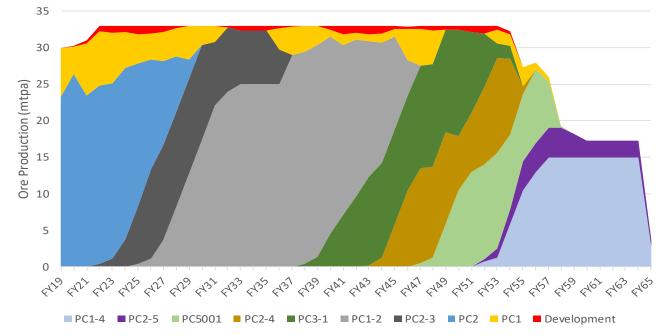
### **Indicative Cadia panel cave development**<sup>1</sup>



<sup>1</sup> Diagram is taken from the Prefeasibility Study, which was prepared with the objective of being subject to an accuracy range of ±25%. Panel cave development is subject to completion of the Feasibility Study, all necessary permits, internal and regulatory requirements and Board approval.

### **Cadia's indicative cave production schedule**<sup>1,2</sup>

Panel Cave	Start Construction	First production	Ore (mt)
PC2-3	FY19	FY22	122
PC1-2	FY21	FY25	401
PC3-1	FY36	FY38	153
PC2-4	FY42	FY43	106
PC5001	FY44	FY47	93
PC1-4	FY48	FY52	154
PC2-5	FY49	FY52	35



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# Cadia – Pre-Feasibility Study Indicative mine plan<sup>1,2,3,4</sup>

Timing (Years)	Total material movement (Mt)	Plant Feed (Mt)	Average Gold grade (g/t)	Average Copper grade (%)		
FY19 – 21	~90	~91	1.0	0.4		
FY22 – 24	~99	~94	0.6	0.3		
FY25 – 27	~99	~99	0.5	0.4		
FY28 – 30	~99	~99	0.4	0.3		
FY31 – 33	~99	~99	0.5	0.3		
FY34 – 36	~99	~99	0.5	0.2		
FY37 – 39	~99	~99	0.6	0.2		
FY40 – 42	~99	~99	0.5	0.3		
FY43 – 45	~99	~99	0.4	0.3		
FY46 – 48	~99	~99	0.4	0.3		
FY49 – 51	~99	~99	0.4	0.3		
FY52+	Remaining Ore Reserves if any, subject to ongoing study					

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3 Based on the Company's knowledge and good faith assumptions as at the date of release of this presentation. The indicative mine plan will be updated on an annual basis, or sooner if there are significant changes in the underlying assumptions.

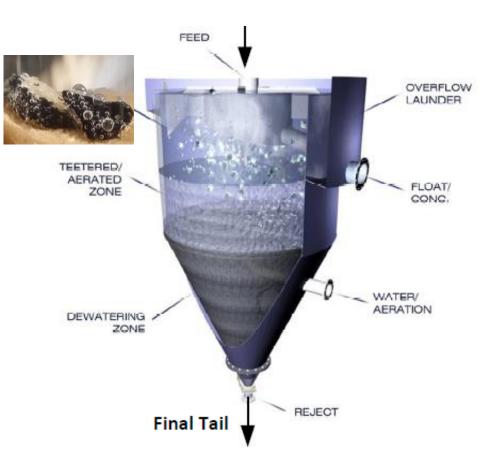
4 Indicative estimates are provided on a Base Case basis. Further optionality and upside exists in relation to the operation, with there being a number of projects and studies in progress to pursue these

# **Cadia Life of Mine recovery improvement options**<sup>1</sup>

PFS Life of Mine Gold Recovery	72%		Further Recovery Improvement Options			
			Option	Innovative Coarse Ore Flotation	r Traditional r Ball Mill	
<ul> <li>Confirmed Recovery Improvements</li> <li>Extended use of Jameson Cells</li> <li>Upgrades to the gravity gold circuit</li> <li>Expansion of flotation circuit</li> </ul>	3 - 4%					
<ul> <li>Further Recovery Improvement Options</li> <li>Geometallurgical understanding at lower grades</li> </ul>	2 – 3%		Estimated Additional Recovery	~2%	~2%	
<ul> <li>Traditional approach - additional Ball Mill, or</li> <li>Innovative approach - Coarse Ore Elotation</li> </ul>			Indicative Capital Cost	~\$70M	~\$70M	
	<i>/</i>	(	Operating Cost	Low	High	
Target Life of Mine Gold Recovery	~77-79%	,	Advantages	Energy efficient Low operating cost Small footprint	Proven technology Operational synergies	
		(	Challenges	New to gold industry, limited operational history	High operating cost Increased power demand	

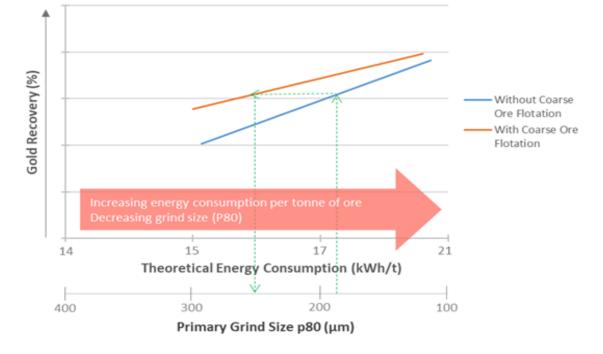


- Coarse Ore Flotation is an aerated fluidized-bed separator that has demonstrated increased recovery of coarse particles compared to conventional flotation technology
- The Coarse Ore Flotation circuit treats the full flotation tailings stream from Train 3 (T3) of the Concentrator 1 flotation circuit at Cadia (~9Mtpa)
- The primary objective of the project is to recover gold and copper currently lost to T3 tailings in coarse composite particles (+150 µm), without additional power input for particle size reduction





- Coarse Ore Flotation plant
  - Cost ~\$30m
  - Trials began July 2018





Coarse ore flotation plant, Cadia

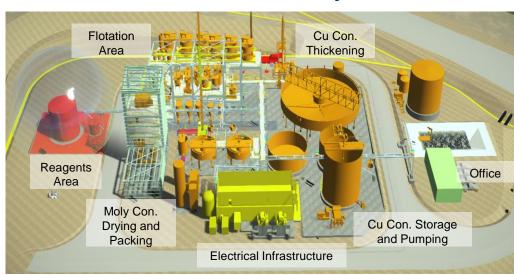


#### Feasibility Study in progress yielding the following results:

- Design of a molybdenum separation plant expected to generate ~6,500tpa of 52% molybdenum concentrate
- · Flow sheet and plant layout optimised through the Feasibility Study
- · Shipping and logistics parameters confirmed
- · Positive bench scale test work and ongoing pilot plant assessment
- Feasibility study expected to be completed Q4 FY19<sup>1</sup>

#### **PFS Key Findings**<sup>2</sup>

IRR:	>20%
Capital cost:	<\$100m
First production:	CY 2020
By-product credit AISC:	around \$30/oz <sup>3</sup>



#### **Indicative Plant Layout**

- 1 Subject to market and operating conditions, all necessary permits, regulatory requirements and Board approval
- 2 Subject to all necessary permits, regulatory requirements and Board approval. Estimates were prepared to a Prefeasibility Study level with the objective of being subject to an accuracy range of ±25%. Molybdenum is not disclosed in Newcrest's Reserves & Resources statement, and production average is indicative only and should not be construed as guidance. Additional confirmatory work is required to support molybdenum minerology understanding and predictability of molybdenum recovery and grade.
- 3 AISC calculated assuming average molybdenum production of 4.5m lb p.a with a range of between 80-7000ppm

### Lihir – Turnaround continues

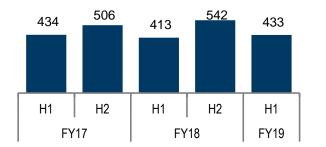


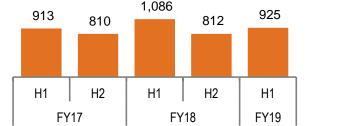


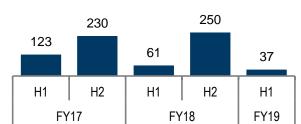
**Production (koz)** 

#### All-In Sustaining Cost (\$/oz)

#### **Free Cash Flow (\$m)**<sup>4</sup>







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### Lihir's increased throughput lowers AISC per oz



#### Lihir mill throughput (quarterly data annualised) AISC falls in line with increased production

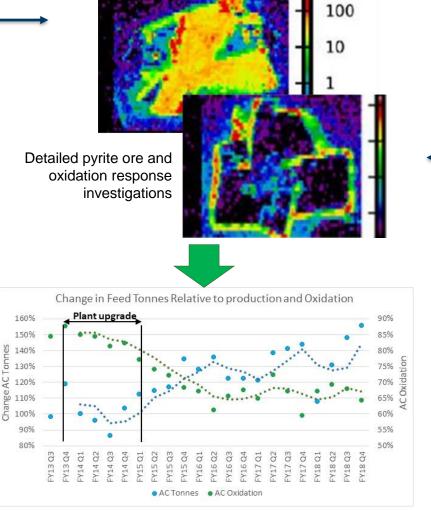


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Actively manage autoclave throughput based on sulphur content of feed to maximise gold production

Microcrystalline pyrite<sup>1</sup> – appears more reactive and generally has higher gold content. Particle oxidises more rapidly in autoclave, liberating gold relatively quickly



Crystalline (blocky) pyrite<sup>1</sup> – appears less reactive and generally has lower gold content. Gold on rim liberated first, but low grade, pyrite core takes substantially longer to oxidise in autoclave

# Lihir - Indicative mine plan<sup>1,2,3,4,5</sup>

Timing (Years)	Sources	Total Material Moved (Mt) <sup>3</sup>	Waste (Mt)	Tonnes to Stockpiles (Mt)	Ex-pit Tonnes Fed (Mt)	Stockpile Tonnes Fed (Mt)	Plant Feed (Mt) <sup>4</sup>	Average Feed Grade g/t
FY19-23	Minifie & Lienetz, medium grade stockpiles, and pre-strip	345-355	135-145	60-65	25-30	40-50	70-80	~2.7
FY24–28	Lienetz & Kapit, medium / low grade stockpiles and pre-strip	325-335	155-165	15-20	30-35	40-50	70-80	~2.6
FY29-33	Lienetz & Kapit and low grade stockpiles	285-295	115-125	20-25	60-65	10-20	70-80	~2.4
FY34-38	Kapit and low grade stockpiles	170-190	45-65	5-15	35-45	35-45	70-80	~1.9
FY39-41	Low grade stockpiles	25-30	-	-	-	20-30	20-30	~1.5
FY42+	- Remaining Ore Reserves if any, subject to ongoing study							

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2 Includes sheeting material and crusher rehandle. Reductions in TMM from prior mine plans mostly relate to the refining of lateral pit sequence allowing the deferral of waste movement

3 Plant feed = Ex-pit + Stockpile feed

4 Based on the Company's knowledge and good faith assumptions as at the date of release of this presentation. The indicative mine plan will be updated on an annual basis, or sooner if there are significant changes in the underlying assumptions

5 Indicative estimates are provided on a Base Case basis. Further optionality and upside exists in relation to the operation, with there being a number of projects and studies in progress to pursue these

## **Organic growth options at Lihir<sup>1</sup>**

- Steady increase in mill throughput
- Since plant expansion completed in FY13, only small expansion capital spend
- Introduction of new operating strategy (partial oxidation) unlocked Lihir
- Aspirational target of 17mtpa multiple potential avenues to achieve

**FY15** 

11mt -

Improved reliability

FY14

10mt

Low capital options

FY18

14mtpa achieved March quarter 2018

**FY17** 

13mt

Target: 15mtpa

**FY19** 

FY13

7mt

Subject to market and operating conditions. This should not be construed as production guidance from the Company now or in the future. Potential production and throughput rates are subject to a range of contingencies which may affect performance

FY16

12mt

# Lihir - Pursuing improvement in recovery

Initiative <sup>1</sup>	Description	Potential Recovery Uplift <sup>2 &amp; 3</sup>	Capital <sup>4</sup>	Target Timing ⁵
Flash Flotation & Existing Classification Efficiency	Improved process flowsheet to reduce flotation losses. Debottleneck and upgrade to existing grinding classification	2% to 3%	\$\$	FY21
Grind Size Reduction	Tertiary grinding to reduce grind size to flotation/improve flotation response	2% to 3%	\$\$\$\$	FY22
Additional Flotation Capacity	Additional roughing capacity to improve residence time	~0.5%	\$	FY23

<sup>1</sup> PFS Engineering identified combination of Flash flotation and Existing Classification Efficiency project to deliver increased value.

<sup>2</sup> Estimated recovery uplift will be dependent on plant ore feed characteristics and throughput

<sup>3</sup> Potential recovery uplift values are not additive when initiatives are combined. The Study will undertake full metallurgical modelling to understand interactions of combined initiatives and recommend a roadmap for recovery uplift.

<sup>4</sup> Capital estimates range from approximately \$10m to \$100m

<sup>5</sup> Estimated timing for implementation subject to market and operating conditions and all necessary approvals



#### **Telfer – Seeking to maximise value**

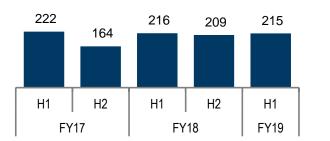


Site Proce	SS	Key Statistics			
<u>Element</u>	Description	Gold Reserve Life:	~4 years <sup>1</sup>		
Mining	Open pit mining contracted	Gold Ore Reserves:	2.0moz		
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	Underground sub-level cave and stope mining contracted to Byrnecut	Copper Ore Reserves:	0.20mt		
		Copper Mineral Resourc	ces: 0.59mt		
		FY19 Prod. Guidance:	400-460koz Au, 13kt Cu		
Processing	Crushing, grinding, gravity concentration, flotation, leaching circuit	Q3 FY19 AISC:	\$1,148/oz		
		Q3 FY19 Production:	121koz		
		Workforce (FTE) <sup>3</sup> :	471 employees		
Output	Copper/ gold concentrate and gold doré		1,037 contractors		

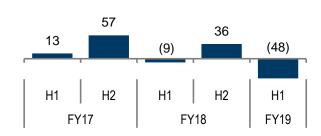
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#### All-In Sustaining Cost (\$/oz)

#### **Free Cash Flow (\$m)**<sup>4</sup>







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## **Telfer – Indicative mine plan**

#### Mineral Resource & Ore Reserves<sup>1</sup>

		Gold				Copper	
		Dry Tonnes (Million)	Grade (g/t)	Insitu Gold (Moz)	Dry Tonnes (Million)	Grade (%)	Insitu Copper (Mt)
Ore Reserves	Main Dome Open Pit	9.3	0.52	0.15	9.3	0.088	0.0082
	West Dome Open Pit	63	0.75	1.5	63	0.076	0.048
	Telfer Underground	4.9	1.9	0.30	4.9	0.29	0.014
	O'Callaghans				44	0.29	0.13
	Total			2.0			0.20
Mineral Resources	Main Dome Open Pit	24	0.60	0.46	24	0.092	0.022
	West Dome Open Pit	150	0.63	3.1	150	0.062	0.095
	Telfer Underground	50	1.6	2.7	50	0.40	0.20
	Other	4.9	1.3	0.20	14	0.37	0.052
	O'Callaghans				78	0.29	0.22
	Total			6.4			0.59

#### Cutback Timetable FY19 onwards<sup>2,3</sup>

Timing (years)	Pit	Cutback Stage	Indicative Cost
FY19	Main Dome	Stage 6/7	\$5-10m
FY19-23	West Dome	Stage 2 Final	\$65-75m
FY19-23	West Dome	Stage 3 Final	\$50-60m

#### Proposed indicative development of Telfer mining operations<sup>2,4</sup>

Timing (years)	Total material moved open cut	Open pit ore mined	Open pit gold grade	Open pit copper grade	Total material moved underground	Underground ore mined	Underground gold grade	Underground copper grade
FY19-20	105-115mt	40-44mt	~0.6g/t	~0.06%	6-8mt	6-8mt	~1.6g/t	~0.26%
EY21+ Remaining Ore Reserves if any subject to ongoing study								

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3 Indicative cost based on estimated capital stripping costs only required, in FY19 real dollars.

4 Based on the Company's knowledge and good faith assumptions as at the date of release of this presentation. The indicative mine plan will be updated on an annual basis, or sooner if there are significant changes in the underlying assumptions

<sup>1</sup> As per Newcrest Annual Statement of Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves as at 31 December 2018. Full mineral resources and ore reserves tables can be found on slides 65 to 68



# **Technology & Innovation at Telfer**

#### **Breakthrough challenge:**

Extend Telfer's life through step change technologies that materially improve cost base and product quality

#### Value capture levers

- Particle sorting
- Hydromet testwork for improved concentrate treatment
- Pebbles as alternative grinding media
- Waste rejection belt sensing trial



Mass sensing & sorting PGNAA trial

Improved concentrate treatment





#### Test results for three months of operation

Parameter	Test results to date
Feed	100 kt
Feed gold grade	0.18 g/t
Feed copper grade	0.04%
Gold recovery	79%
Copper recovery	60%
Mass recovery to product	26%
Gold product grade	0.56g/t
Copper product grade	0.08%

- Test results to date have indicated that ore-sorting can triple the grade and recover nearly 80% of the gold in the scats
- Feasibility work is underway to design and install a full-scale plant that is expected to increase overall gold recovery by 2-4%
- Preliminary test work has commenced to assess whether this technology can be applied to the marginal ore and mineralised waste

### **Telfer hedge profile**

Financial Year Ending	Gold Ounces Hedged	Average Price A\$/oz
30 June 2019 (Jan – June 2019)	107,134	1,724
30 June 2020	204,794	1,729
30 June 2021	216,639	1,864
30 June 2022	204,615	1,902
30 June 2023	137,919	1,942
Total	871,101	1,836

\*During H1 FY19 Newcrest realised 124,090 ounces of Telfer gold sales hedged at an average price of A\$1,753 per ounce, representing a net revenue benefit of \$6 million.



Telfer is a large scale, low grade mine and its profitability and cashflow are both very sensitive to the realised Australian Dollar gold price

### **Greatland Gold – Opportunity for Telfer**

- Farm-in agreement on the Havieron tenement with potential to deliver high grade ore feed to Telfer
- Newcrest to manage the exploration program
- \$5m minimum commitment over initial 12 months, with potential to earn 70% JV interest through expenditure of \$65m over a 6 year period
- Option to earn an additional 5% interest at the end of the farm-in period
- If successful:
  - Ore to be trucked to Telfer
  - High grade ore could extend Telfer's life and lower its production cost per ounce

#### Gosowong



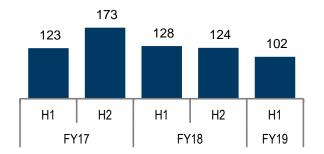


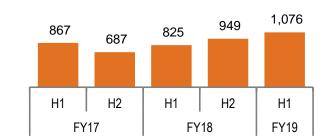
Site Proce	ess	Key Statistics <sup>1</sup>			
Element	Description	Gold Reserve Life:	~2 years <sup>2</sup>		
Mining	Underground mining using	Gold Ore Reserves:	0.37 moz		
Winnig	predominantly underhand cut-and-fill (Kencana) and	Gold Mineral Resource	s: 1.1 moz		
	long hole stopes with paste	FY19 Prod. Guidance:	200-240koz Au <sup>3</sup> \$1,105/oz		
	fill (Toguraci)	Q3 FY19 AISC:			
Processing	Crushing, grinding, gravity,	Q3 FY19 Production:	45koz		
	leaching	Workforce (FTE) <sup>4</sup> :	930 employees 903 contractors		
Output	Gold and silver doré				

#### **Production (koz)**

#### All-In Sustaining Cost (\$/oz)

#### Free Cash Flow (\$m)<sup>5</sup>







1 The figures shown represent 100%. Newcrest owns 75% of Gosowong through its holding in PT Nusa Halmahera Minerals, an incorporated joint venture

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# **Gosowong – Indicative mine plan**

#### Mineral Resource & Ore Reserves<sup>1</sup>

		Go	old	Sil	ver
	Dry Tonnes (millions)	Grade (g/t)	Insitu Gold (Moz)	Grade (g/t)	Insitu Silver (Moz)
Ore Reserves	1.4	8.1	0.37	12	0.54
Mineral Resources	3.3	10	1.1	14	1.5

#### Proposed indicative development of Gosowong mining operations<sup>2,3</sup>

Timing (years)	Total material moved	Kencana ore mined	Kencana gold grade	Kencana silver grade	Toguraci ore mined	Toguraci gold grade	Toguraci silver grade
FY19	0.97 – 0.98 Mt	425 - 430 kt	~8.5 g/t	~9.1 g/t	310 - 315 kt	~10.7 g/t	~16.9 g/t
FY20	0.85 – 0.86 Mt	315 - 320 kt	~6.7 g/t	~6.5 g/t	275 - 280 kt	~10.4 g/t	~18.2 g/t
FY21+	Remaining Ore Reserves if any, subject to ongoing study						

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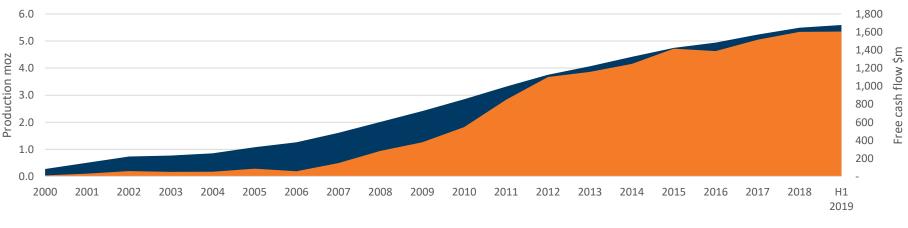
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### **Gosowong – \$1.6bn<sup>1</sup> free cash flow generated**

- High grade world-class epithermal province discovered by Newcrest geologists in 1993
- Gosowong has performed reliably and consistently while delivering high margins

- Over 5.6moz gold produced and ~\$1.6bn free cash flow generated since first full year of production in 2000
- Gosowong's strong free cash flow demonstrates potential value of epithermal mines – justifying exploration strategy



Generated \$1.6bn free cash since first production

Cumulative gold production Cumulative FCF

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### **Red Chris – Potential Tier 1 orebody in Canada<sup>1</sup>**

- Newcrest has agreed to acquire 70% of the Red Chris mine from Imperial Metals for a cash amount of US\$806.5 million
- Newcrest to be the operator
- The transaction is expected to close before 15 August 2019
- Newcrest plans to fund the acquisition from cash and committed undrawn bank facilities which together amounted to over US\$3.0 billion as at 31 December 2018.



# **Red Chris – Two stage transformation**

Stage 1 - Apply Newcrest's Edge transformation approach

- Process plant optimisation
  - Debottlenecking process plant
  - Gold and copper recovery uplifts
  - Process control improvements
  - Improving concentrate quality for enhanced marketing
- Mine optimisation
  - Improving orebody knowledge
  - Grade control
  - Open pit dispatch & fleet management system
  - Mine planning & sequencing
- Supply chain cost reduction
- Extensional resource and exploration drilling program

Stage 2 - Apply Newcrest's industry leading technology

- Block caving
- Coarse ore flotation
- Mass sensing and sorting
- Deep underground brownfield and greenfield exploration



#### Key Statistics – Golpu<sup>2</sup>

Gold Ore Reserv Gold Mineral Res		5.5 moz 9.3 moz	IRR³: NPV:	~18.2% (real) ~\$2.6bn (real)	Avg. copper grade: Avg. gold grade:	1.27% 0.9 g/t
	Copper Ore Reserves:2.5 mtCopper Mineral Resources:4.3 mt		Payback:	~9.5 years from	Avg. annual coppe	
••				commencement of earthworks for declines	production: Avg. annual gold	161kt
			Max Ore throughpu	ut: 17mtpa	production:	266koz
Location:	65km south-west of		Expected first ore:	: ~4.75 years from	Gold recoveries:	68%
Dormitting	Lae Special Mi	ining Loopo		grant of Special	Copper recoveries:	95%
Permitting:		ining Lease		Mining Lease	Total operating	
		n submitted,	Life of Mine⁴:	28 years	cost <sup>6</sup> (real):	\$17.33 per tonne
	working through associated approval processes		Max cumulative negative free cashflow⁵:  \$2,823m		Cash cost (C1) (copper-basis) <sup>7</sup> :	\$0.26 per lb
Newcrest Owner	ship: 50% (if exercises		Free cash flow generation:	\$13,157m	All-In Sustaining Cost (gold basis):	\$(2,128) per ounce

would reduce to 35%)

#### Mining style: Block cave

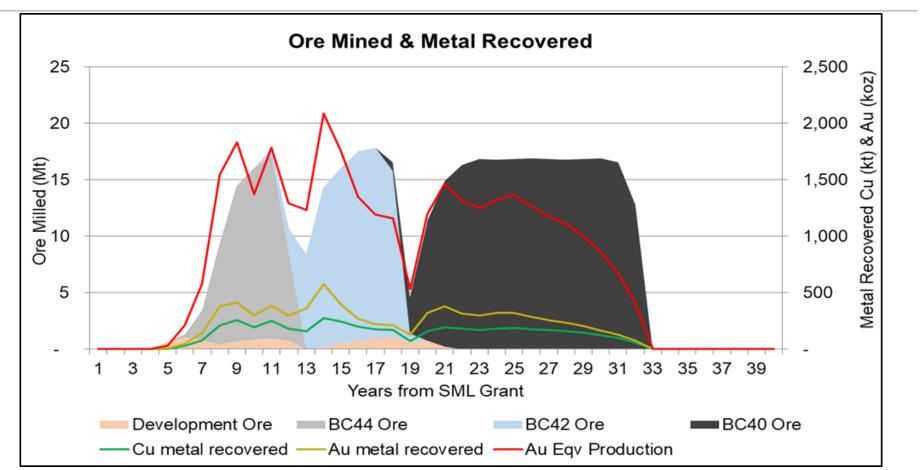
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2 Ore Reserves and Mineral Resources based on Newcrest's 50% ownership share of Golpu. For Golpu Ore Reserves refer to market release titled "Update Wafi-Golpu Feasibility Study" dated 19 March 2018 and "Supplementary Data on Updated Wafi-Golpu Feasibility Study" dated 12 April 2018. For Golpu Mineral Resources refer to market release "Wafi-Golpu – Update on Stage One Feasibility and Stage Two Prefeasibility Studies" dated 15 February 2016.

- 3 Project IRR is after all taxes but before any withholding taxes on dividends or interest
- 4 From first production of the processing plant (excluding construction and closure phases)
- 5 Maximum cumulative negative free cashflow comprises undiscounted free cash flow from commencement of construction
- 6 Total operating costs include mining costs, processing costs, infrastructure costs and general and administrative costs.
- 7 Cash costs are total operating costs plus realisation costs, less gold by-product revenue, divided by total copper production

### Wafi-Golpu – Indicative production<sup>1,2,3</sup>

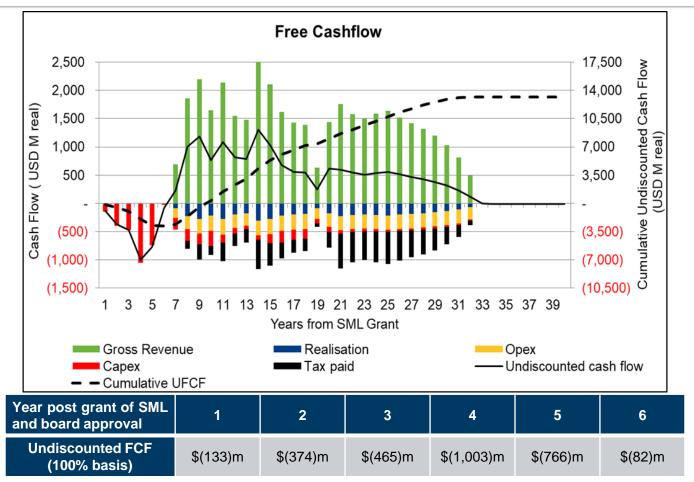
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 Assumptions include: Gold price of US\$1,200/oz, copp

Au Eqv production (by-product basis) = Recovered Au oz+(Cu Price \$US/lbx2204.62/Au Price +US\$/oz) x Recovered copper tonnes. Based on LOM AU recovery of 68%, CU recovery of 95%

### Wafi-Golpu – Indicative free cashflow<sup>1,2</sup>

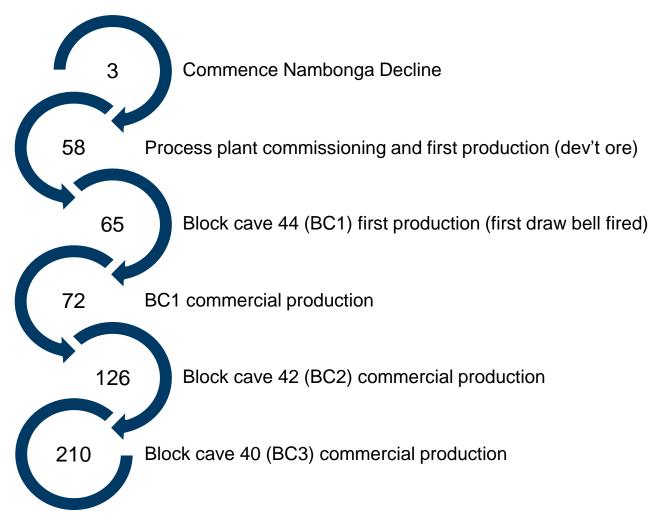


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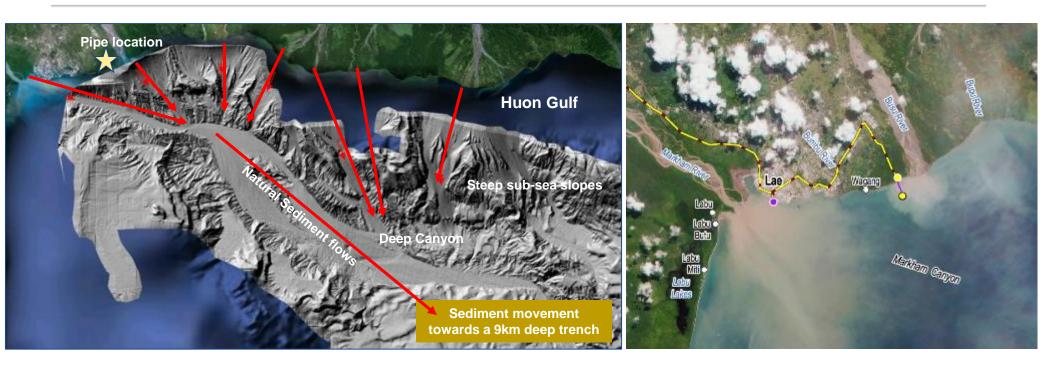
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### Wafi-Golpu – Indicative timeline and staging

Months From SML & Board Approval<sup>1</sup>

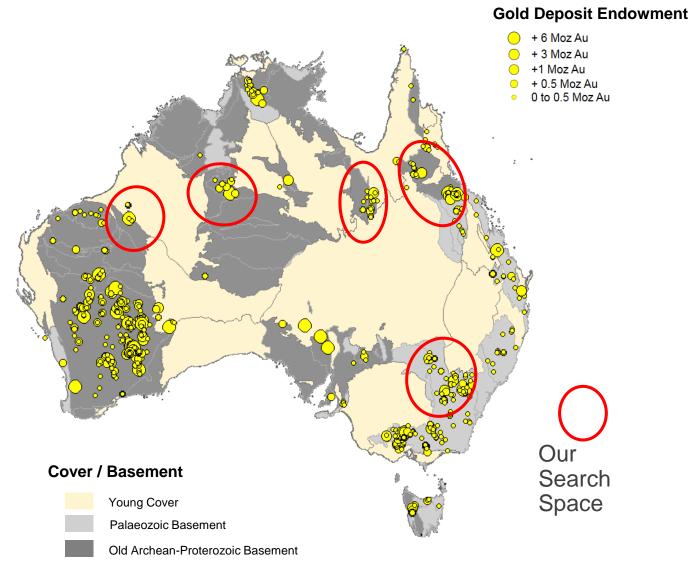


## **DSTP** the preferred tailings option

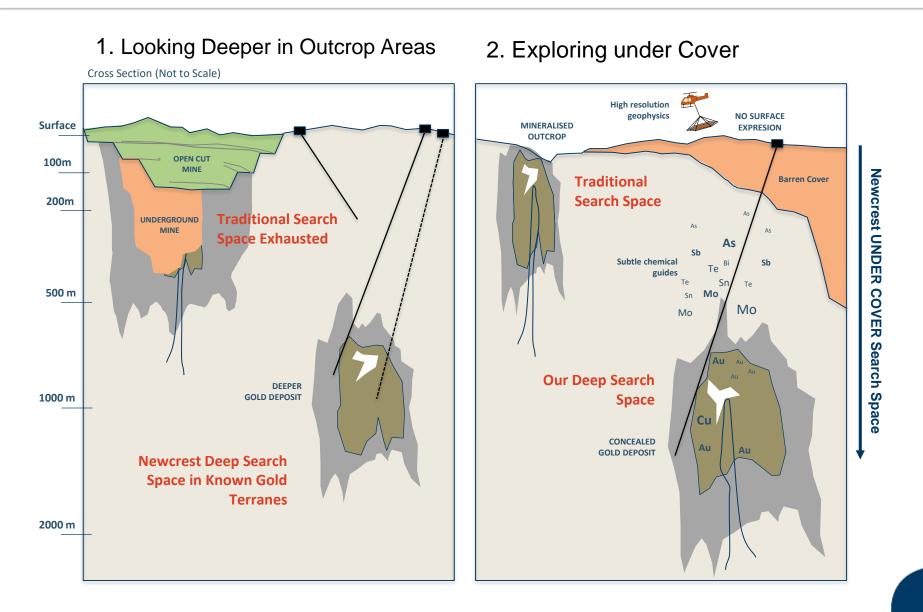


- Extensive scientific studies completed
- Western Huon Gulf is a highly suitable environment for DSTP
- Environmentally and socially, deep sea tailings placement is the safest tailings management method in this highly seismic zone
- Tailings co-deposited with substantial natural sediment load from the Markham, Busu and other rivers

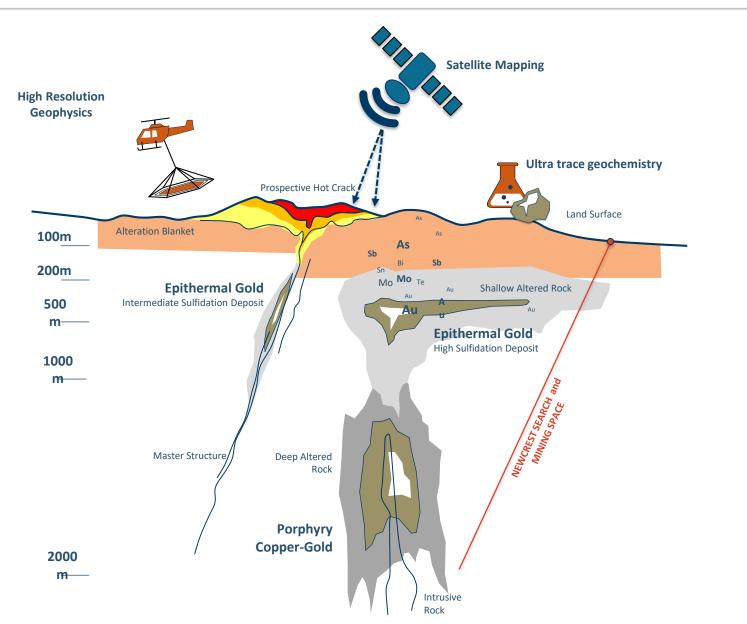
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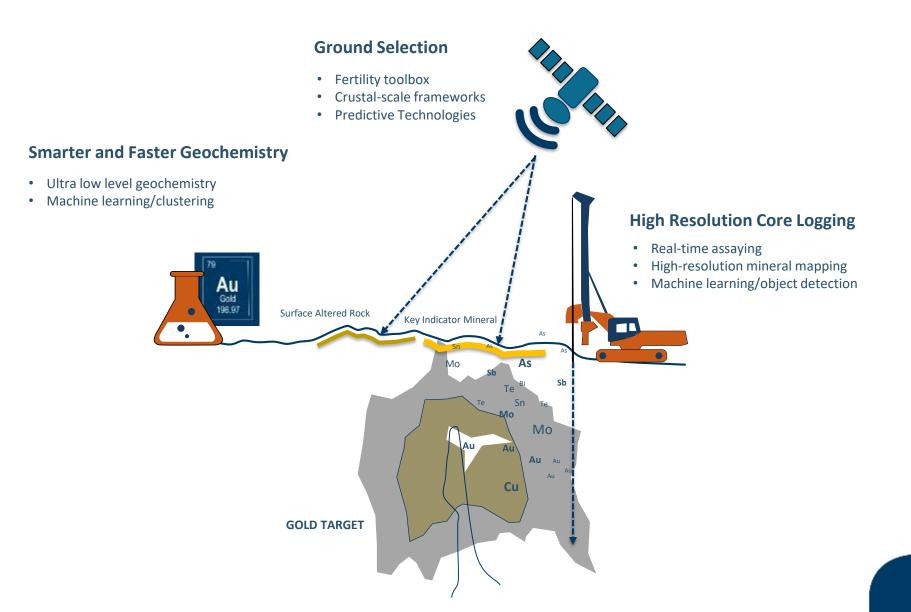
### Looking deeper in Australia opens new opportunities



# Leveraging of our expertise to look deeper in South America



# Exploration Innovation Smarter and Faster Exploration



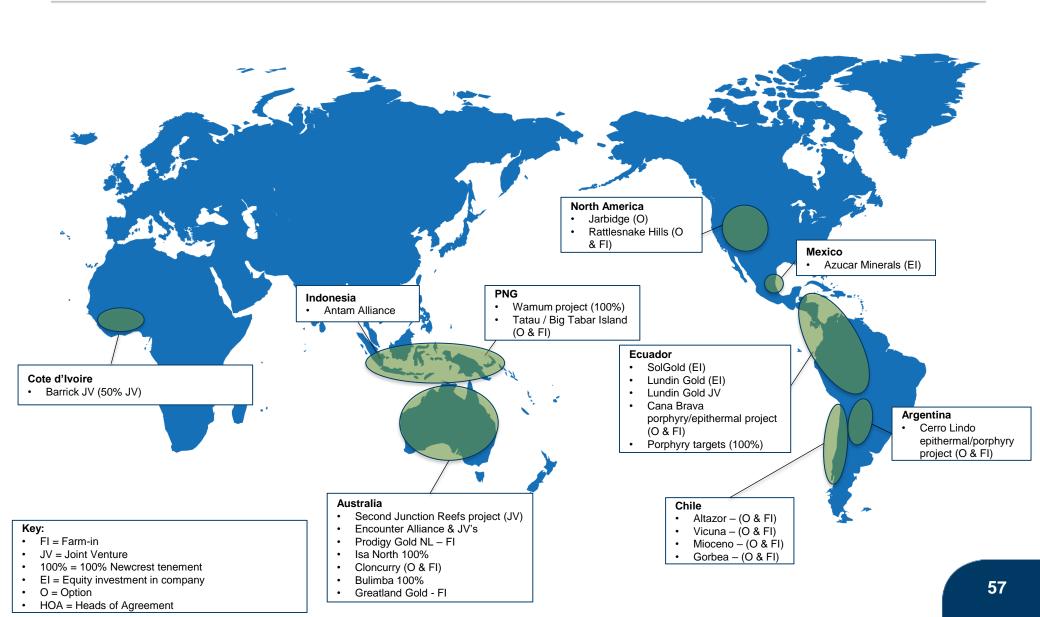
### What is a Tier 1 deposit?

"We aspire to a portfolio within 10 years of 5 x Tier 1 assets, 2 - 4 x Tier 2 assets and a strong pre-production pipeline ..."

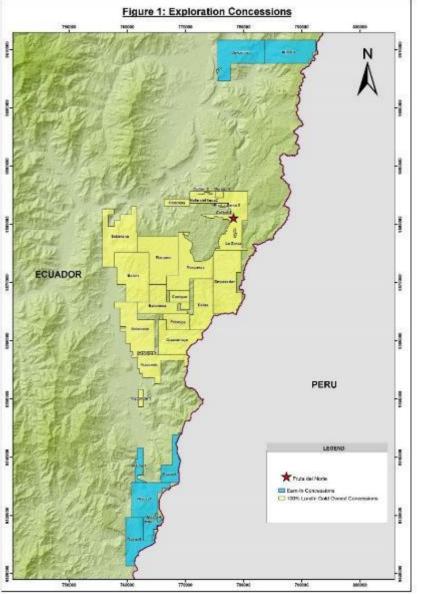
Definitions of Tier 1 and Tier 2 assets below used to guide portfolio optimisation decisions:

	Tier 1	Tier 2		
Scale	Potential for > 300 kozpa Au	Potential for > 200 kozpa Au		
Mine Life	Potential for > 15 year mine life preferred	Potential for > 10 year mine life preferred		
Cost position (AISC/oz)	<\$800	<\$900		
Value Upside	Significant resource or exploration upside likely	Moderate resource or exploration upside likely		

#### **Current exploration footprint**



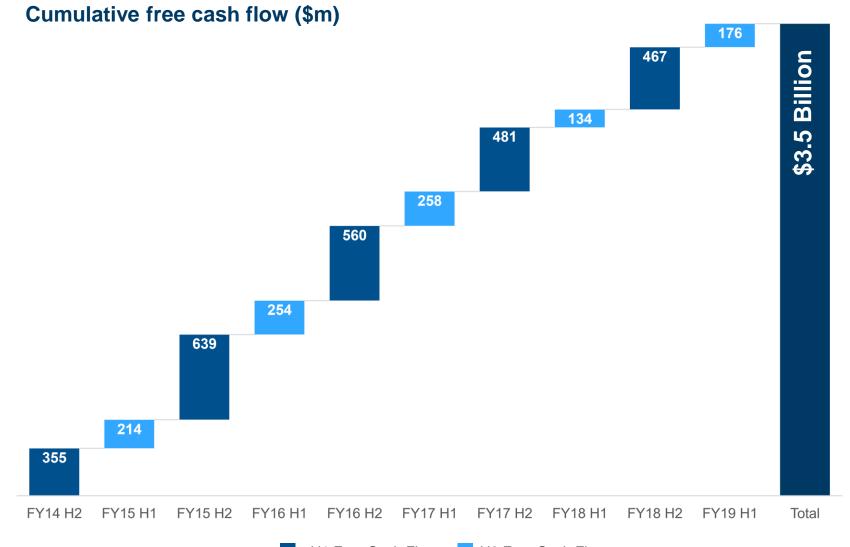
### Lundin Gold strategic partnership



#### **Exploration earn-in**

- HoA to form a JV to explore eight early stage exploration concessions north and south of Fruta del Norte
- Up to 50% interest earn-in → \$20m over a 5yr period, incl. minimum \$4m in first 2 yrs
- Newcrest to manage exploration activities
- Synergies to be realised through considerable combined experience of discovering epithermal gold and deep goldcopper porphyries
- Aligns with our strategy of building a high-quality exploration portfolio

#### Ten consecutive halves of strong free cash flow



### **Strong balance sheet**

#### Debt, Cash and Leverage<sup>1,2</sup>

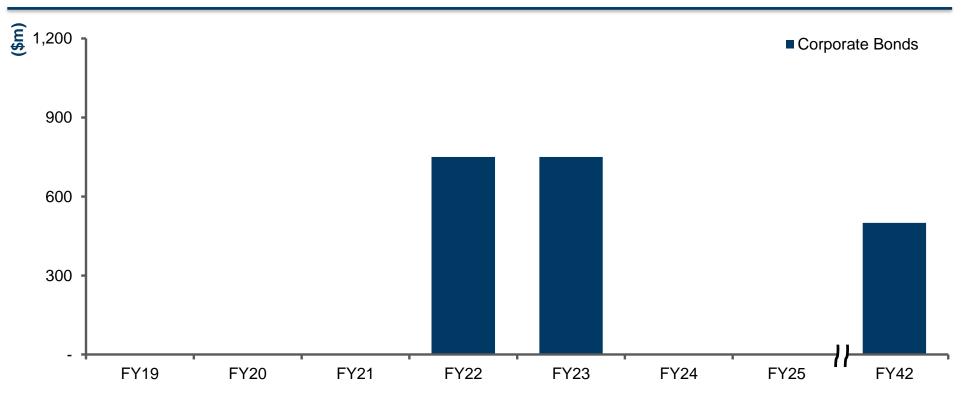


1 Data is at end of the financial year shown (i.e. 30 June), except for H1 FY19 where data is as at 31 December 2018. Where necessary, data converted to US\$ at end of period exchange rate. Only drawn debt is shown

2 Leverage ratio is Net Debt to trailing 12 month EBITDA

### Good debt structure and clean balance sheet

#### Maturity profile as at 31 December 2018<sup>1</sup>



- No goodwill remaining on the balance sheet
- Relatively low level of future mine rehabilitation costs<sup>2</sup>

2 Relative to other major gold peers. Provision (discounted) of \$324m at 31 December 2018, reflecting an estimate of \$349m (undiscounted).

# **Improving financial policy metrics**

	Element	Target	30 June 2017	30 June 2018	31 December 2018
trics	Leverage ratio (Net Debt / EBITDA)	Less than 2.0x (for trailing 12 months)	1.1x	0.7x	0.6x
Financial Metrics	Gearing Ratio	Less than 25%	16.6%	12.2%	11.5%
ancia	Credit rating	Aim to maintain investment grade	Investment grade	Investment grade	Investment grade
Fin	Coverage	Cash and committed undrawn bank facilities of at least \$1.5bn, ~1/3 in cash	\$2.5bn (\$492m cash)	\$3.0bn (\$953m cash)	\$3.1bn (\$1,035m cash)
Context	Pr	ofitability Mar condi		Capex requirements	

H1 FY19 interim dividend of US 7.5 cents per share

#### **Dividend Policy**<sup>1</sup>

Newcrest's dividend policy seeks to balance financial performance and capital commitments with a prudent leverage and gearing level for the Company.

Newcrest looks to pay ordinary dividends that are sustainable over time having regard to its financial policy, profitability, balance sheet strength and reinvestment options in the business.

Newcrest is targeting a total dividend payment of at least 10-30% of free cash flow generated for that financial year, with the dividend being no less than US15 cents per share on a full year basis.

### Newcrest's long-term metal price assumptions used for Reserves and Resources estimates<sup>1</sup>

Long Term Metal Price Assumptions	Newcrest & MMJV
Mineral Resources Estimates	
Gold Price	US\$1,300/oz
Copper Price	US\$3.40/lb <sup>2</sup>
Silver Price	US\$21.00/oz
Ore Reserves Estimates	
Gold Price	US\$1,200/oz
Copper Price	US\$3.00/lb <sup>3</sup>
Silver Price	US\$18.00/oz
Long Term FX Rate AUD:USD	0.75

1 As per Newcrest Annual Statement of Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves as at 31 December 2018

2 US\$3.40/lb is the equivalent of US\$7,496/t

3 US\$3.00/lb is the equivalent of US\$6,614/t

#### 31 December 2018 Gold Mineral Resources<sup>1</sup>

Dec-18 Mineral Resources		Measured	Resource	Indicated	Resource	Inferred Resource		Dec-18	Total Re	source		arison to l tal Resour	
Gold Mineral Resources (inclusive of Gold Ore Reserves)	C ompetent P erson	D ry Tonnes (m illion)	Gold Grade (g/t Au)	Dry Tonnes (million)	Gold Grade (g/t Au)	Dry Tonnes (million)	Gold Grade (g/t Au)	Dry Tonnes (million)	Gold Grade (g/t Au)	Insitu Gold (million ounces)	Dry Tonnes (million)	Gold Grade (g/t Au)	Insitu Gold (million ounces)
Operational Provinces	1												
Cadia East Underground		-	-	2,900	0.36	-	-	2,900	0.36	34	3,000	0.37	35
Rid ge way Underg round	Vik Singh	-	-	110	0.57	41	0.38	150	0.52	2.4	150	0.52	2.4
Other		33	0.30	80	0.35	11	0.70	120	0.37	1.5	300	0.43	4.1
Total Cadia Province										38			42
Main Dome Open Pit (ind.stockpiles)		5.5	0.38	18	0.67	0.27	0.25	24	0.60	0.46	40	0.68	0.87
West Dome Open Pit	Ashok Doorgapershad	-	-	150	0.63	0.15	0.41	150	0.63	3.1	200	0.62	4.0
Tel fer Underground	Asilok Doorgapeisilau	-	-	39	1.7	12	1.5	50	1.6	2.7	61	1.6	3.1
Other		-	-	0.44	2.9	4.4	1.1	4.9	1.3	0.20	4.9	1.3	0.20
Total Telfer Province										6.4			8.2
Lihir	Glenn Patterson-Kane	85	2.0	540	2.3	67	2.3	690	2.3	50	710	2.3	52
Go so wong <sup>1</sup>	DennyLesmana	-	-	2.8	10	0.57	9.2	3.3	10	1.1	3.7	10	1.2
Seguela	Paul Kitto	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.8	2.3	0.43
Total Operational Provinces										96			100
Non-Operational Provinces													
MMJV - Golpu / Wafi & Nambonga (50%) <sup>2</sup>	David Finn / Greg Job	-	-	400	0.86	100	0.72	500	0.83	13	500	0.83	13
Namosi JV (71.82%) <sup>3</sup>	Vik Singh	-	-	1,300	0.11	120	80.0	1,400	0.11	4.9	1,600	0.11	5.4
Total N on-Operational Provinces										18			19
Total Gold Mineral Resources										110			120

NOTE: Data are reported to two significant figures to reflect appropriate precision in the estimate and this may cause some apparent discrepancies in totals

<sup>1</sup> Gosowong (inclusive of Toguraci and Kencana) is owned and operated by PT Nusa Halmahera Minerals, an incorporated joint venture company (Newcrest 75%). The figures shown represent 100% of the Mineral Resource.

<sup>2</sup> MMJV refers to projects owned by the Morobe Mining unincorporated joint ventures between subsidiaries of Newcrest (50%) and Harmony Gold Mining Company Limited (50%). The figures shown represent 50% of the Mineral Resource.

<sup>3</sup> Namosi refers to the Namosi unincorporated joint venture, in which Newcrest has a 71.82% interest. The figures shown represent 71.82% of the Mineral Resource at December 2018 compared to 71.42% of the Mineral Resource at December 2017.

#### **31 December 2018 Copper Mineral Resources<sup>1</sup>**

Dec-18 Mineral Resources		Measured	Resource	Indicated	Resource	Inferred Resource		Dec-18	8 Total R	esource	Comparison to Dec-17 Total Resource		
Copper Mineral Resources (inclusive of Copper Ore Reserves)	Competent Person	Dry Tonnes (million)	Copper Grade (% Cu)	Insitu Copper (million tonnes)	Dry Tonnes (million)	Copper Grade (% Cu)	Insitu Copper (million tonnes)						
Operational Provinces													
Cadia East Underground		-	-	2,900	0.26	-	-	2,900	0.26	7.6	3,000	0.26	7.7
Ridgeway Underground	Vik Singh	-	-	110	0.30	41	0.40	150	0.33	0.48	150	0.33	0.48
Other		33	0.13	80	0.19	11	0.52	120	0.20	0.25	300	0.16	0.48
Total Cadia Province										8.3			8.7
Main Dome Open Pit (incl.stockpiles)		5.5	0.094	18	0.093	0.27	0.013	24	0.092	0.022	33	0.077	0.026
West Dome Open Pit		-	-	150	0.062	0.15	0.026	150	0.062	0.095	200	0.058	0.12
Tel fer Underground	Ashok Doorgapershad	-	-	39	0.39	12	0.42	50	0.40	0.20	61	0.40	0.24
Other		-	-	-	-	14	0.37	14	0.37	0.052	14	0.37	0.052
O'C alla ghans		-	-	69	0.29	9.0	0.24	78	0.29	0.22	78	0.29	0.22
Total Telfer Province										0.59			0.66
Total Operational Provinces										8.9			9.3
Non-Operational Provinces													
MMJV - Golpu / Waf & Nambonga (50%) 4	David Finn / Greg Job	-	-	340	1.1	92	0.68	440	1.0	4.4	430	1.0	4.4
Namosi JV (71.82%) <sup>5</sup>	Vik Singh	-	-	1,300	0.35	330	0.37	1,600	0.35	5.7	1,600	0.35	5.4
Total Non-Operational Provinces										10			10
Total Copper Mineral Resources	s									19			19

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1 As per Newcrest Annual Statement of Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves as at 31 December 2018.

### **Newcrest's Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves**

#### 31 December 2018 Gold Ore Reserves<sup>1</sup>

Dec-18 Ore Reserves		Proved	Reserve	Probable	Reserve	Dec-1	8 Total Re	serve	-	arison to tal Reser	
Gold Ore Reserves	Competent Person	Dry Tonnes (million)	Gold Grade (g/t Au)	Dry Tonnes (million)	Gold Grade (g/t Au)	Dry Tonnes (million)	Gold Grade (g/t Au)	Insitu Gold (million ounces)	Dry Tonnes (million)	Gold Grade (g/t Au)	Insitu Gold (million ounces)
Operational Provinces											
Cadia East Underground		-	-	1,400	0.47	1,400	0.47	21	1,400	0.48	22
RidgewayUnderground	Geoffrey Newcombe	-	-	80	0.54	80	0.54	1.4	80	0.54	1.4
Other		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	86	0.53	1.5
Total Cadia Province								22			25
Main Dome Open Pit (incl. stockpiles)		5.5	0.38	3.7	0.72	9.3	0.52	0.15	21	0.56	0.38
West Dome Open Pit	Otto Richter	-	-	63	0.75	63	0.75	1.5	65	0.76	1.6
Telfer Underground		-	-	4.9	1.9	4.9	1.9	0.30	8.0	1.7	0.43
Total Telfer Province								2.0			2.4
Lihir	Steven Butt	85	2.0	240	2.4	330	2.3	24	340	2.3	25
Gosowong <sup>8</sup>	Jimmy Suroto	-	-	1.4	8.1	1.4	8.1	0.37	1.9	8.0	0.48
Total Operational Provinces								49			53
Non-Operational Provinces											
MMJV - Golpu (50%) <sup>9</sup>	Pasqualino Manca	-	-	200	0.86	200	0.86	5.5	190	0.91	5.5
Namosi JV (71.82%) <sup>10</sup>	Geoffrey Newcombe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	950	0.12	3.7
Total Non-Operational Provinces								5.5			9.2
Total Gold Ore Reserves								54			62

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### **Newcrest's Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves**

#### 31 December 2018 Copper Ore Reserves<sup>1</sup>

Dec-18 Ore Reserves		Proved I	Reserve	Probable	Reserve	Dec-1	8 Total Re	serve	Compari	son to Dec Reserve	-17 Total
Copper Ore Reserves	Competent Person	Dry Tonnes (million)	Copper Grade (% Cu)	Dry Tonnes (million)	Copper Grade (% Cu)	Dry Tonnes (million)	Copper Grade (% Cu)	Insitu Copper (million tonnes)	Dry Tonnes (million)	Copper Grade (% Cu)	Insitu Copper (million tonnes)
Operational Provinces											
Cadia East Underground		-	-	1,400	0.30	1,400	0.30	4.1	1,400	0.28	4.0
Ridgeway Underground	Geoffrey Newcombe	-	-	80	0.28	80	0.28	0.23	80	0.28	0.23
Other		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	86	0.15	0.13
Total Cadia Province								4.3			4.3
Main Dome Open Pit (incl. stockpiles)		5.5	0.094	3.7	0.080	9.3	0.088	0.0082	15	0.090	0.013
West Dome Open Pit	Otto Richter	-	-	63	0.076	63	0.076	0.048	65	0.074	0.048
Telfer Underground	Ollo Riciliei	-	-	4.9	0.29	4.9	0.29	0.014	8.0	0.28	0.023
O'Callaghans		-	-	44	0.29	44	0.29	0.13	44	0.29	0.13
Total Telfer Province								0.20			0.21
Total Operational Provinces								4.5			4.5
Non-Operational Provinces											
MMJV - Golpu (50%) 11	Pasqualino Manca	-	-	200	1.2	200	1.2	2.5	190	1.3	2.4
Namosi JV (71.82%) 12	Geoffrey Newcombe	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	950	0.37	3.6
Total Non-Operational Provinces								2.5			5.9
Total Copper Ore Reserves								7.0			10

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### **Operating costs – exchange rate exposure estimates**

Newcrest is a US dollar reporting entity, its operating costs will vary in accordance with the movements in its operating currencies where those costs are not denominated in US dollars. The table below shows indicative currency exposures on operating costs for H1 FY19 by site:

	USD	AUD	PGK	IDR	Total
Cadia	10%	90%	-	-	100%
Telfer	15%	85%	-	-	100%
Lihir	30%	30%	40%	-	100%
Gosowong	10%	5%	-	85%	100%
Group	20%	60%	10%	10%	100%

### **Operating costs – indicative costs by type**

The below represents an indicative exposure on operating costs<sup>1</sup> by a variety of spend types (H1 FY19)

	Labour <sup>2</sup>	Consumables	Maintenance (excl labour) and Parts	Energy and Fuel	<b>Other</b> <sup>3</sup>	Total
Cadia	35%	10%	15%	25%	15%	100%
Telfer	30%	10%	15%	15%	30%	100%
Lihir	40%	15%	20%	15%	10%	100%
Gosowong	30%	20%	15%	15%	20%	100%
Group	35%	15%	15%	15%	20%	100%

1 Operating costs excludes realisation costs including royalties, concentrate freight and TC/RCs

2 Labour data includes salaries, on costs, contractor costs, consultant costs, training and incentive payments (in some instances it is not possible to isolate contractor labour costs from other costs)

3 Other includes a range of costs, including equipment hire, community and environment, inward freight and insurance

### **Foreign exchange sensitivities**<sup>1</sup> and oil hedges

Site	Parameter	Movement	Approximate Half Year EBIT Impact (US\$m)
Cadia	AUD/USD	+0.01 AUD $(0.75 \rightarrow 0.76)$	(4)
Telfer	AUD/USD	+0.01 AUD (0.75 → 0.76)	(2)
Lihir	USD/PGK	-0.1 PGK (3.20 → 3.10)	(4)
Gosowong	USD/IDR	-1,000 IDR (14,500 → 13,500)	(6)
Group	AUD/USD	+0.01 AUD $(0.75 \rightarrow 0.76)$	(7)

Site <sup>2</sup>	Fuel	July 2018 – June 2019 Hedge volume/rate	Unit
Cadia	Gasoil	-	'000 bbl
Lihir	Gasoil	296	'000 bbl
Telfer	Gasoil	239	'000 bbl
Gosowong	Gasoil	143	'000 bbl
Total	Gasoil	678	'000 bbl
Average hedge rate		74	\$/bbl
Lihir	HSFO	146	'000 Metric tonne
Average hedge rate		361	\$/Metric tonne

1 Each sensitivity is calculated on a standalone basis and formulated on the basis of assumptions which, amongst other things, include the level of costs incurred, the currency in which those costs are incurred and production levels. Information provided on current information and is subject to market and operating conditions

2 Rates rounded to nearest \$1 (rate) and volume to the nearest thousand (bbl, Mt). Totals may not match sum due to rounding. At the time the hedges were placed, they represent approximately 65% of power generation usage at Lihir and Gosowong, approximately 65% of non-power usage at Lihir to June 2019, and approximately 70% of non-power usage at Telfer to June 2019

### **AISC and AIC to cost of sales reconciliation**

	6 months to 31	December 2018	6 months to 31	December 2017
	US\$m	US\$/oz	US\$m	US\$/oz
Gold sales (koz)	1,194		1,126	
Cost of Sales <sup>1,2</sup>	1,267	1,061	1,349	1,198
less Depreciation and amortisation	(335)	(280)	(388)	(344)
less By-product revenue <sup>2</sup>	(280)	(234)	(258)	(229)
plus Gold concentrate treatment and refining deductions <sup>2</sup>	16	13		
plus Corporate costs	46	38	40	35
plus Sustaining exploration	5	4	6	5
plus Production stripping and underground mine development	56	47	83	73
plus Sustaining capital expenditure	111	93	126	112
plus Rehabilitation accretion and amortisation	6	5	11	10
All-In Sustaining Costs	892	747	969	860
plus Non-sustaining capital expenditure	74	63	65	58
plus Non-sustaining exploration	32	26	34	30
All-In Cost	998	836	1,068	948

1. For the 6 months ended 31 December 2017, cost of sales includes an earnings normalisation, which was recognised in the September quarter, relating to the seismic event at Cadia in April 2017 (\$43/oz for the Group)

2. During the current period Newcrest adopted AASB 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers and elected to apply the modified retrospective method of adoption. Under this method, comparative figures are not required to be restated and continue to be presented under the previous standard AASB 118 Revenue. Accordingly, prior period treatment and refining costs of \$54 million associated with the sale of concentrate are presented in cost of sales and not as a reduction in revenue.

### H1 FY19 results

Element	Cadia	Lihir	Telfer	Goso- wong	Bonikro	Wafi- Golpu	Corp / Other	Group
Gold Production (koz)	453	433	215	102	-	-	-	1,203
Copper Production (kt)	44	-	8	-	-	-	-	52
AISC (\$m)	61	388	287	106	-	-	50	892
Capital Expenditure								
- Production Stripping <sup>1</sup>	-	25	38	-		-	-	63
- Sustaining Capital <sup>1</sup>	40	29	24	12		-	6	111
- Major Capital	38	22	1	-		13	-	74
Total Capital	78	76	63	12		13	6	248
Exploration <sup>2</sup>								37
Depreciation								342

Production stripping and sustaining capital shown above are included in All-In Sustaining Cost Exploration is not included in Total Capital 1

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# **FY19 guidance<sup>1</sup>**

Element	Cadia	Lihir	Telfer	Goso- wong	Wafi- Golpu	Corp / Other	Group
Gold production (koz)	800-880	950-1,050	400-460	200-240	-	-	2,350-2,600
Copper production (kt)	~90	-	~13	-	-	-	100-110
AISC (\$m) <sup>2,3</sup>	85-155	880-935	530-575	230-250	-	95-110	1,870-1,970
Capital expenditure							
- Production stripping <sup>2</sup>	-	85-95	60-70	-	-	-	145-165
- Sustaining capital <sup>2,3</sup>	70-80	95-110	40-45	30-40	-	10-15	245-290
- Major projects <sup>3</sup>	100-120	55-65	~5	-	40-45	-	200-235
Total capital	170-200	235-270	105-120	30-40	40-45	10-15	590-690
Exploration <sup>3</sup>						90-100	
Depreciation							750-800

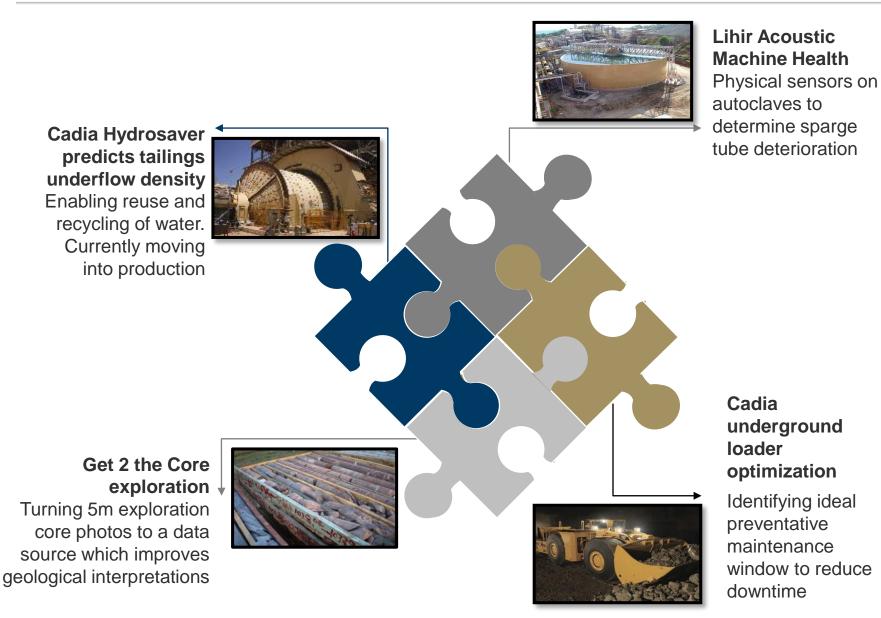
1 Achievement of guidance is subject to operating and market conditions. The guidance stated assumes weighted average copper price of \$2.70 per pound (\$5,952/t) and AUD:USD exchange rate of 0.75 for FY19.

2 Production stripping and sustaining capital shown above are included in All-In Sustaining Cost

3 Sustaining capital and All-In Sustaining Cost do not include costs associated with repair of the NTF, and Major projects (non-sustaining) does not include execution capital associated with development of the Molybdenum plant at Cadia

4 Exploration is not included in Total Capital

### Newcrest taps global talent pool through crowdsourcing



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