

2024 Chilean copper site tour: Day 1

Presentations & speeches

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Hello everyone, and a very warm welcome to Antofagasta. Thank you for joining us for BHP's 2024 Chilean copper site tour. Knowing you all have very busy schedules and have travelled long distances to be here, we really do appreciate the effort it has taken for you to be here with us today.

It is good to see some familiar faces but for those that don't know me I am Brandon Craig. I was appointed President for BHP's Minerals Americas business about a year ago, and I've been with BHP for 25 years now – mainly in operational leadership roles across various commodities, including aluminium, nickel and steelmaking coal. More recently, I was the President of our iron ore Asset, WAIO, where I met a number of you on our 2022 site tour – which hopefully you found to be of value!

I am very proud to lead a great team here in Minerals Americas, that are fully committed to safety and delivering high performance. As we all know this is essential to unlocking the value from our world-beating resource position.



I'd point everybody to our disclaimer slide, which you all should be broadly familiar with.



First I want to set the scene in terms of how Chile fits into the BHP world.

As you know, BHP has a simple and clear strategy.

Our portfolio focuses on developing and operating large, long-life assets in commodities that benefit from the megatrends playing out around us. Our focus on operational excellence ensures we unlock the maximum value from our assets and capital, and reliably deliver high operating margins. This combination delivers strong, consistent cash flows. Coupled with our strong balance sheet and the discipline embedded from both sequencing our projects and the Capital Allocation Framework means we can fund our growth and deliver attractive returns to shareholders.

Creating broader social value is also vital to our business. This positions us as the partner of choice, and goes handin-hand with long-term shareholder value creation.

We will touch on each of these areas over the next three days.



We are focussed on Chile today but before we dive into our assets in detail, I want to take some time to speak about the wider Minerals Americas portfolio.

As you can see these span North and South America, with operations or projects in seven countries. They comprise copper, potash and iron ore assets – all core commodities for BHP. It includes producing assets, development and exploration projects, both operated and non-operated.

The Americas is becoming an increasingly important part of BHP's business, underpinned by our investments in high-quality, long-life, low-cost expandable assets.

Whilst our Chilean assets – Escondida and Pampa Norte – form the backbone of our copper business we also have other attractive copper assets in our region:

- Antamina is the world's 5th largest copper mine... sits right at the bottom of the cost curve... and has significant life ahead of it.
- Resolution offers significant long-term copper growth optionality.
- And the recent Filo del Sol and Josemaria transaction with Lundin Mining, which once completed, secures our position in what we consider to be one the most significant global discoveries in recent decades.

In terms of our other commodities...

- Jansen is set to become a major low-cost potash producer when it starts production in approximately two years' time... and has significant growth optionality.
- And Samarco, which produces high-quality iron ore that is in strong demand, is set to almost double production through the restart of a second concentrator early in the new year.



In terms of Chile, BHP has been operating here for over 30 years.

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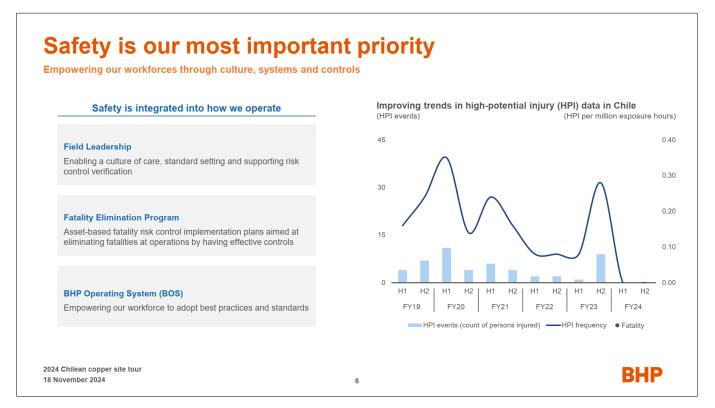
Today, Escondida and Spence account for close on 27% of Chilean copper production and contribute significantly to the economy. This production forms a significant portion of the 5 Mt of concentrate we market as BHP each year.

In FY24, our assets contributed US\$9.4 billion – almost 3% of Chilean GDP... to the government – in the form of royalties and taxation... communities – via social investment... suppliers... and, of course, our workforce.

Across our Chilean operations, we have a workforce of 16,000 people, including 6,000 employees, 42% of whom are female, about three times the average for the Chilean mining industry.

And we're an industry leader when it comes to the sustainability of our operations – building the first desalination plant in Latin America and being one of the first mining companies in Chile to source 100% of our electricity requirements from renewable sources.

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But before I expand on our great assets, let me start with our top priority – which of course, is safety.

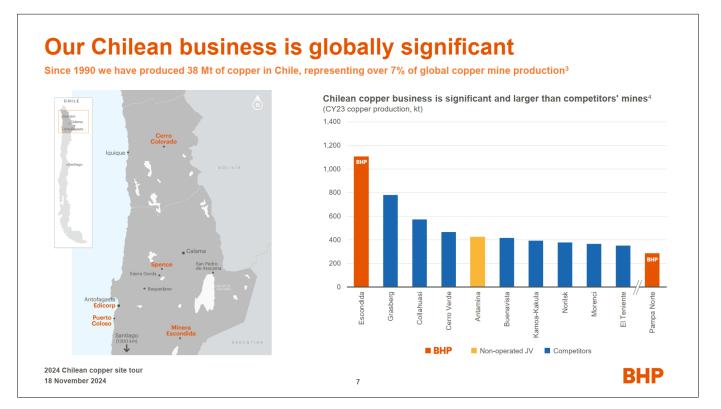
In Chile, as throughout BHP, we integrate safety into how we work, every day – through our culture, leadership, systems and processes.

Our BHP Operating System focuses on empowering our people to enable continuous improvement, every day. And our Field Leadership Program means our leaders spend more time with the frontline workforce to coach our teams, reinforce our standards and verify risk controls.

This creates a positive workplace culture, built on care and trust, and enables us to understand more about conditions in our operations that may increase risk to our workforce and influence how work is executed.

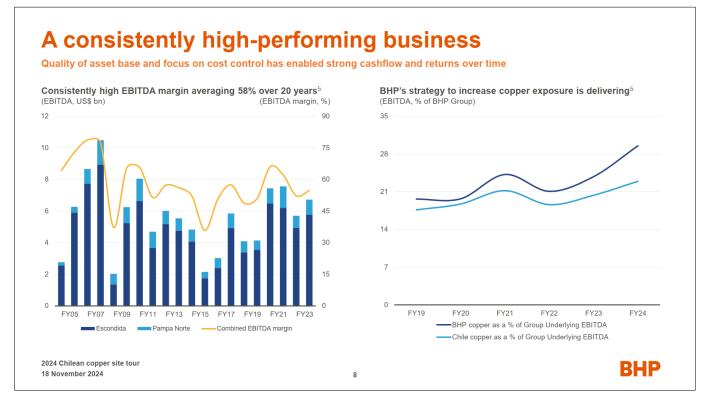
Our Fatality Elimination Program, which was established back in 2021, seeks to address key fatality risks at our operations, predominantly through leveraging technology and introducing higher-order engineering controls.

We have embraced these practices, and the results are clear as you can see on the chart on the right here. Our Total Recordable Injury Frequency is down 26% since 2019, our High Potential Injuries have decreased significantly, and we had none of these events in FY24. Most importantly, we have had no fatalities in over eight years.



Digging deeper into our assets, Escondida is the world's largest copper mine and. as you can see on the chart, 40% larger than Grasberg in Indonesia which is the second largest. Spence is also high up the rankings in terms of size. Cerro Colorado, the other asset in Pampa Norte is currently in care and maintenance – but has been a sizeable producer over the past three decades, and still has an underlying resource base of more than 2 billion tonnes.

To date, these mines have produced 38 Mt of copper – that is around 7% of global mined supply over that period. Last year, they produced close to 1.4 Mt.



Our Chilean operations have also had a significant impact on the BHP portfolio. Our focus on operational excellence, continuous improvement and cost control has delivered strong results.

On the left here you can see that over the past 20 years, despite declining grades and inflation, our Chilean copper assets have delivered a consistently high EBITDA margin – averaging 58%. And over the past five years, they have delivered a return on capital employed of more than 20%. These are compelling numbers.



That's where we are today. But with 30 billion tonnes of copper resource remaining, it's also about the future. And, as we look ahead, we believe we have a number of competitive advantages to deliver the copper the world needs.

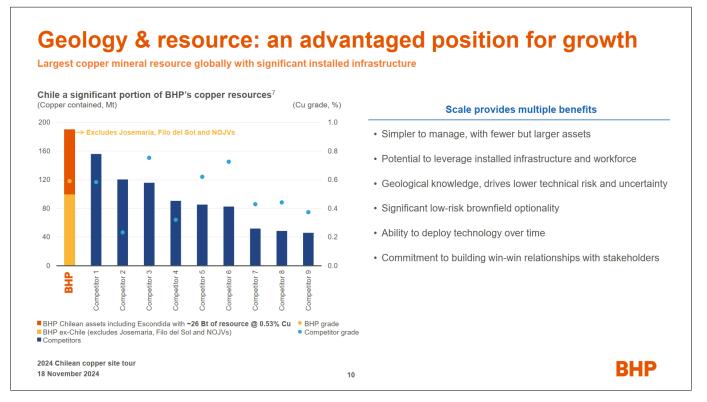
Our world-class resource position and deep understanding of these orebodies provide optionality for many decades to come.

Our focus on operational excellence means we deliver reliable performance – meeting guidance more consistently than our competitors – and allows us to maximise the value of our resource position and invested capital.

These provide a strong platform from which to grow production, across both new and existing facilities.

And we have extensive experience in Chile. Our well-established and trusted relationships with government, communities, suppliers, partners and our workforce... as well as our leading approach to multiple aspects of sustainability and social value positions as a partner of choice, enabling us to achieve our ambitions.

Over the next few days, you'll hear much more about these – but let me unpack this a little further.



As we look forward, our resource base provides numerous opportunities.

As you can see on the chart, BHP has the largest contained copper resource globally, and almost half of that is in Chile. Our 30 billion tonnes of total copper resources in Chile could support almost seven years of global demand. And this excludes our share of Filo del Sol, Josemaria, Antamina and Resolution.

The scale of our resources provides significant benefits.

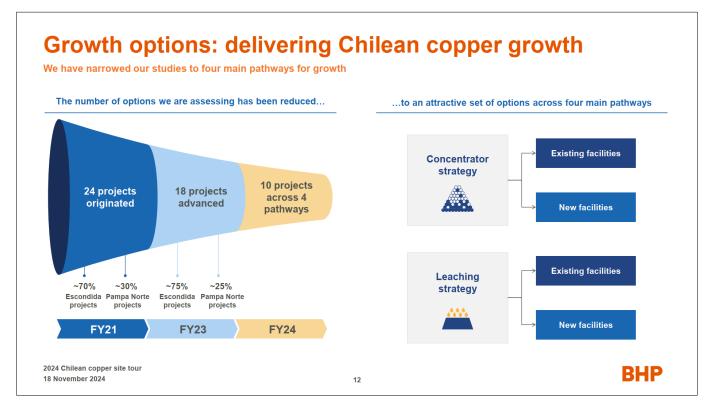
- Our geological knowledge leads to lower technical risk and uncertainty;
- It creates significant low-risk brownfield optionality;
- And the ability to leverage installed infrastructure both at the mines, but also across water and power.



Before we get more into our growth plans, it is important to remember that one of the most valuable things we can do is operate our assets exceptionally well – getting the most out of what we already have. And we pursue this relentlessly, by bringing together our people, systems, technology and innovation.

Our performance-oriented culture, enabled through the BHP Operating System, creates an engaged and empowered workforce. Our global functional model and Centres of Excellence establish deep technical capability, and faster deployment of improvement at scale. And when combined with technology, we accelerate improvements across our value chain, delivering safer, lower-cost, more reliable, and more productive operations.

This is an ongoing journey, and we're seeing really good results, with increased productivity at our Chilean assets – you will hear more about this about over the next few days when on site.



We have also been studying the optimal, most value-accretive way to unlock more from our resource and mitigate the effects of grade decline.

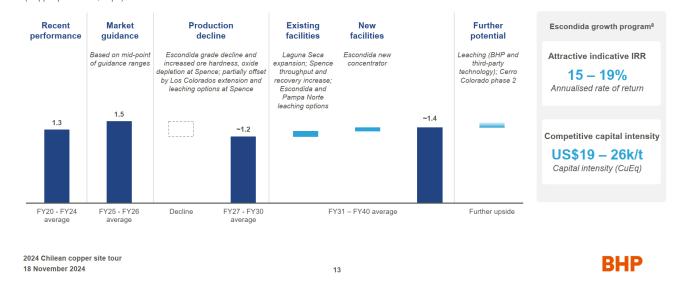
As you can see, we have narrowed our focus to four key pathways. These pathways involve both concentrator and leaching projects, applied to existing facilities and to new facilities.

For example, within our concentrator strategy, we are looking at expansion and debottlenecking for Laguna Seca, as well as a new replacement concentrator for Los Colorados, and concentrator upgrades at Spence. For our leaching strategy, we are focused on applying both BHP and 3rd party technologies for primary sulphide leaching – utilising latent capacity at Escondida, Spence and Cerro.

Maintaining our position in Chile

A program of high-quality projects leveraging existing infrastructure and delivering production growth

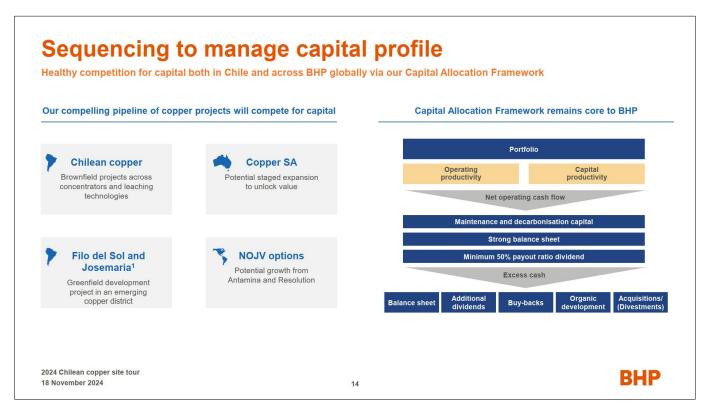
Chilean copper indicative production shows potential pathway to offset decline (Copper production, Mtpa)



In Chile, we have the potential to add around 200 ktpa of incremental copper production. Since our results in August, where we first presented this chart, we have been working hard on our projects and tightening up our assumptions. These continue to have attractive returns at a program level – now in the range of 15-19% IRRs, improved from 14-19% in August. Capital intensities also remain competitive and have also improved to US\$19-26k/t from US\$17-29k/t previously.

We will take a staged approach to sequencing and executing these projects, with some ready for final investment decisions in the next financial year, and the balance expected between FY27 and FY29.

We have options at both Escondida and Spence and at Cerro there is the potential to restart operations a bit further down the line.

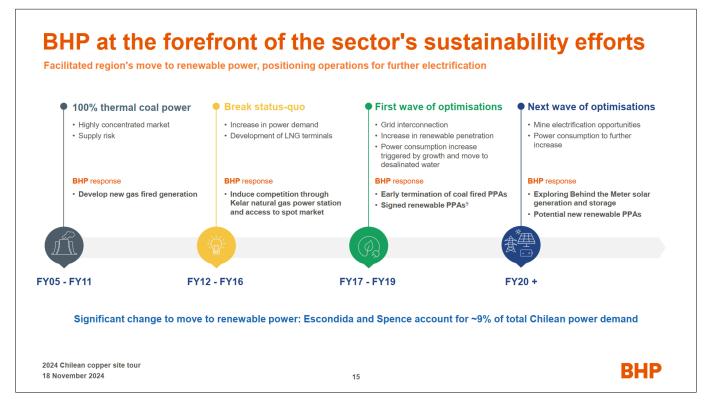


Of course, these projects will compete for capital against <u>all</u> other options within the BHP portfolio – including the copper options shown here at Antamina, Filo del Sol, Josemaria, Resolution and at Copper South Australia.

Our robust investment process informs our disciplined allocation of capital, with sequencing of projects targeted to maximise value.

While the majority of BHP's growth spend is expected to go towards delivering growth in future facing commodities, we don't take this for granted. Our role in Minerals Americas is to ensure these projects are the best they can be and sequenced appropriately so that they stack up against BHP's expanding portfolio of attractive options.

And this is across a range of metrics – not just returns, but other financial, and non-financial metrics – which Fran will cover in a bit more detail later.



Not only are we growing, but we're doing so responsibly. Our stakeholders – governments, communities, suppliers, partners and workforce – value BHP's social value actions, reputation and mindset. And we've been at the forefront of the sector's sustainability efforts for quite some time as this slide shows.

For example, we helped with the development of the Kelar natural gas-fired power plant located north of Antofagasta to supply into the Northern Interconnected System. This plant provided security and stability and permitted an increase in the penetration of renewable energy sources.

Then in FY17, we took the bold decision as a company in Chile to close coal contracts ahead of their maturity and move faster into renewables. This positioned us ahead of the rest of the industry and has produced significant reductions in energy cost.

We started a trend that really moved the needle here, and has made Chile one of the leading countries for renewables in the world.



Since 2022, we've had zero Scope 2 emissions. As you can see from this schematic our next challenge is to displace diesel consumption, while maintaining 100% renewable energy.

Electrification is BHP's preferred pathway to eliminate diesel in our haul trucks – which account for around 80% of our Chilean Scope 1 emissions. But this will need further development and deployment of new technologies, collaboration across industry and academia, as well as field testing and validation.

We are approaching this in two stages. First, we will implement diesel-electric trucks later this decade. After this, next decade, we plan to transition from diesel-electric to the next generation of battery-electric haul trucks.

However, replacing diesel will require us to develop a whole new operational ecosystem to manage the fleet and every part of the mine will be touched by this change. How we control our fleet... how we integrate a mix of static and dynamic charging... how electrification impacts mine design and planning... and, most importantly, how we manage the risks will all be important considerations.



Over the next three days, we'll deep dive into each of the areas I've just touched on.

Today, we'll cover our view on copper as a commodity, the Chilean operating environment, our progress on social value, our financial performance and of course our growth program. We will also tour our port facilities and desalination plant.

This afternoon, we will head to Escondida, and spend tomorrow touring the open pit, the Laguna Seca concentrator, cathodes facility and our leaching demonstration pad.

And on Wednesday, we will travel to Spence, where we'll see the open pit, the truck shop, concentrator and Tailings Storage Facility.

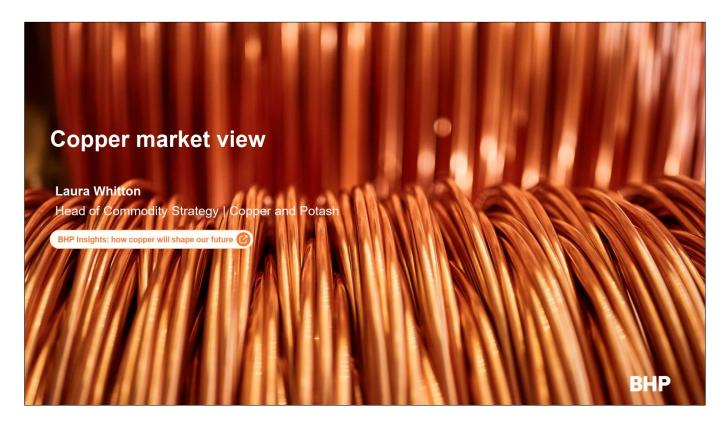
Laura, Rene, Fran, Adam, Pedro, Alejandro and Cristian are just a handful of our team that you'll hear from over the next few days – all of whom have broad and significant experience in mining and minerals processing.

We think we have a good story to tell.

- We have an awesome resource base...
- We have a great team, with a strong track record of delivering on high performance...
- And we have an exciting development program ahead of us, which we believe will unlock significant value...

All of which we're really excited to share with you.

With that, let me hand over to Laura who is going to take you through our copper market view.



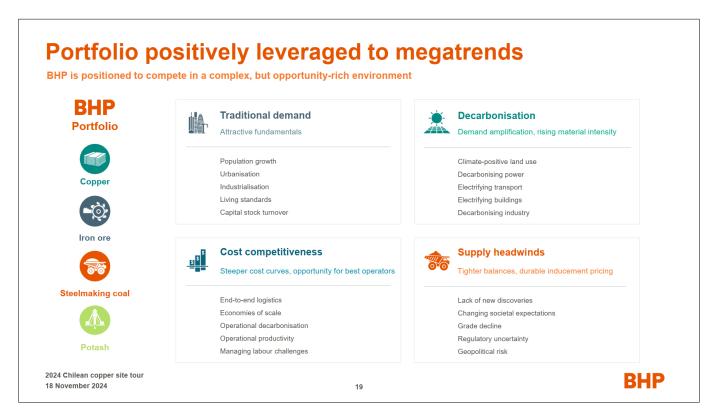
Laura Whitton

Good morning, everyone, and thank you for joining us today.

My name is Laura Whitton, and I'm the head of BHP's commodity strategy for copper and potash. I have close to two decades of experience in the mining industry, working in a range of commercial and strategy roles for mines and projects in Australia, Mongolia, Singapore and the Americas, and I joined BHP in May 2023.

I am delighted to be here to discuss our views on copper markets and how we see supply and demand trends playing out in the future.

If you'd like to learn more about our views on the future for copper, we have also published a more detailed note on the Insights section of our website, which you can access by clicking on the link on this page, to read at your leisure.



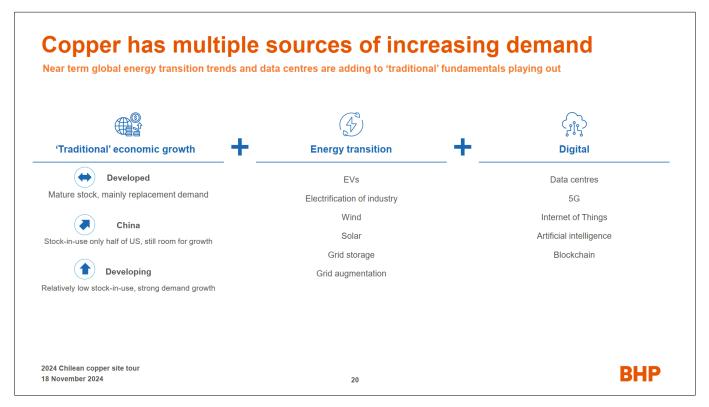
At BHP we believe that our portfolio is well-positioned to benefit from future global trends and copper is a core component. Copper has shaped human history and civilization for millennia, and as we look forward, we believe that copper will continue to play a crucial role in our world.

The key macro trends of the future – and traditional drivers of metals demand – such as population growth, urbanisation, industrialisation and increased living standards are expected to remain strong.

We expect copper to remain an essential building block to modern life as the world seeks to improve living standards for billions of people, transitions towards a net zero economy, and further digitalises its industries and societies.

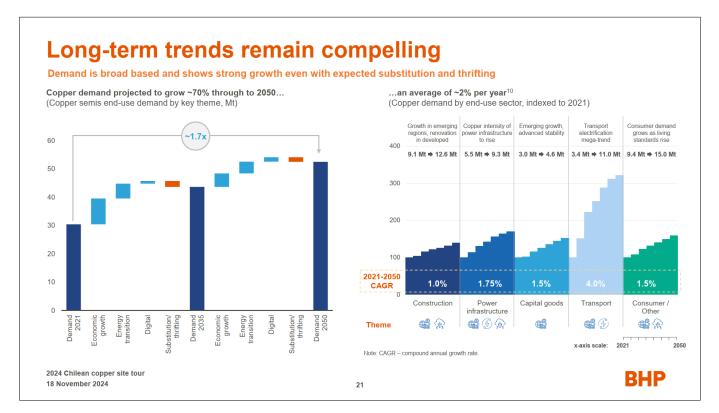
Cost competitiveness will be key to capturing the opportunities from these trends, and our track record of operational excellence positions us well to capture the coming opportunity.

With our experience and expertise we are ready to meet the challenges the industry faces in bringing on new supply. Declining mineral grades, cost headwinds, and the increasing expectations of stakeholders and communities – create an environment where companies like BHP, with our existing operations across a globally significant resource base, strong financials and established social value credentials can capture the significant opportunities ahead.



We think about copper demand into three main areas:

- 'Traditional' demand refers to the basic relationship between economic growth, electricity consumption and copper. Traditional demand is like your foundation: it has broad range of end uses, and deeply embedded in the global economy via its connection to electricity. Traditional demand in the developed world is expected to remain strong and as living standards rise globally, the demand for copper is expected to follow suit. Meanwhile developing economies, which have nearly five times the population of high-income economies, will increasingly strive to achieve the same high standard of living. This transition will lead to a greater need for copper.
- Energy Transition demand captures the additional demand for copper associated with increased electrification. While there are obvious winners in EVs and renewables, we are moving away from fossil fuels in many other parts of the economy such as industrial processes, heating and home cooking the switch to electricity in these end uses is also positive for copper again relatively broad range of use.
- Digital demand has emerged as category more recently, and is largely driven by data centre-related demand, which is expected to grow significantly as AI-enabled technologies require more and more computing power, and AI also has a very wide range of applications and is growing in use... In our forecast global electricity consumption for data centres is expected to rise from around 2% of global demand today to 9% by 2050, with the associated copper demand from data centres increasing six-fold by 2050.



To show this in numbers, in the waterfall chart you can see that we believe that copper demand is on track to add an additional 22 Mt of cumulative demand between now and 2050. We expect global copper demand to grow by around 70% to over 50 Mt. This equates to a compound annual growth rate of around 2% through 2050, with a higher rate of 2.6% between now and 2035.

As I mentioned before, this demand growth is coming from a range of end uses, giving us additional confidence in the forecast as demand is coming from multiple sectors of the global economy, across a broad range of end use categories.

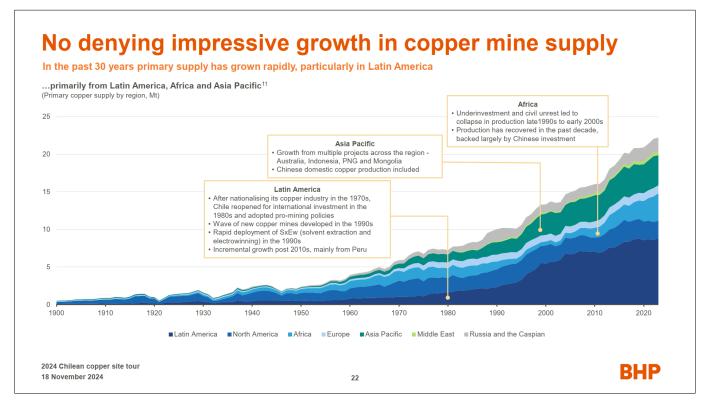
There will be some balancing factors for this significant growth in copper demand, in particular from substitution and thrifting, which have been a feature of the copper industry throughout its history. You can see here that we are making significant adjustments to our forward view reflect the potential of these trends.

On substitution and thrifting, we do anticipate that there will be less copper in particular applications in the future, especially in newer technologies (like EVs and renewables) which will undergo further iteration and improvement. The more traditional uses of copper have been subject to substitution pressures for decades, and most of the easy gains have been made. Further changes to product design, and production lines, new equipment and retraining of workers to use alternate materials are additional considerations beyond simply looking at cost.

Recycled copper is also expected to be an important source of supply to help meet the large copper demand growth over the next 30 years globally. The average 'lifetime' of copper 'in use' is around 20 years: this means that the copper China consumed in its growth boom is now starting to return as scrap. We expect that scrap as a share of total copper demand will grow from around one-third today, to around half by 2050.

But even including these impacts, by our estimates, the world will need about 10 Mtpa of new mined copper, or primary, supply in the next 10 years.

Where will it come from?



Today's known copper reserves and production are concentrated in Latin America, Australia and Africa.

The last 30 years have seen impressive supply growth globally, with production doubling to around 22 Mtpa today. This is primarily due to increases from Latin America, particularly Chile, the Asia Pacific region and more recently from Africa. You can see this growth rate really pick up here on the chart.

The industry's current challenge is to repeat this substantial production growth in less than half the time.

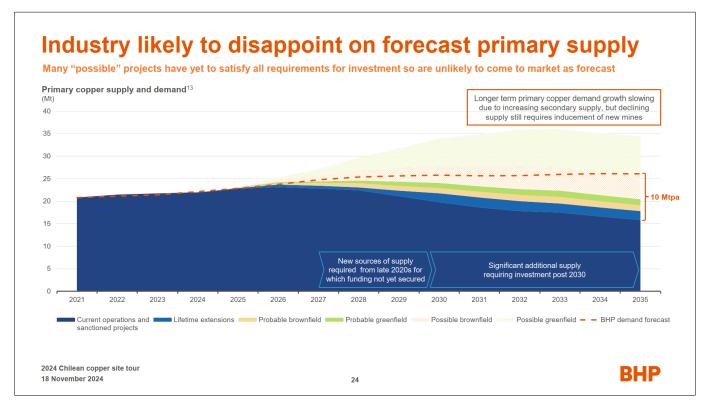


We expect mine supply growth over the next decade to be dominated by the same regions: Latin America, Africa and Asia Pacific.

Africa is expected to have the highest growth rate, albeit off a much lower base, while Latin America will continue to make the most significant contribution in absolute terms.

In our forecasts, we do include some additional volumes from Africa that might be considered less mature in their development cycle, reflecting the impressive project execution seen in African projects over the last decade.

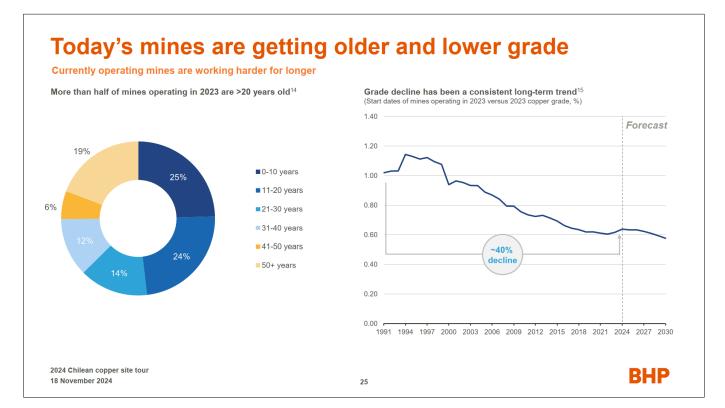
Despite the recent success of African projects, there remain many reasons to be very excited about Latin America, and Chile.



But even under optimistic supply forecasts, which include the development of all probable copper projects, a significant gap to expected demand in 2035 is evident.

The orange dashed line here shows you our view of demand for primary mine supply. Secondary supply or scrap will meet a large portion of future demand, but declining supply still requires inducement of new mines and significant investment is required from now.

Given the significant investment involved, and the time it takes to bring new supply to market, we think it's likely the industry will disappoint relative to more optimistic supply forecasts. Let's dig into the types of supply that might start to meet the rising demand.



Currently operating copper mines are an important part of meeting future global demand over the next decade. Even so, we estimate that existing mines will produce around 15% less copper in 2035 than they do today. This assumes probable mine life extensions.

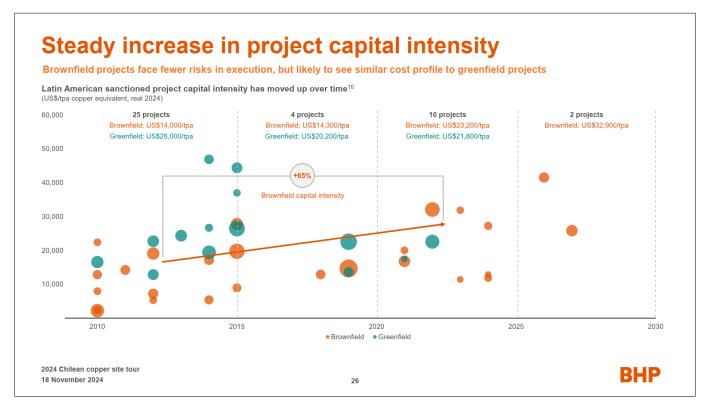
These mines are already mature and are likely to need additional capital investment to replace or upgrade aging infrastructure or processing facilities. You can see here the demographics of current mines. An incredible orebody can make a big difference, but many older operations will move up the cost curve as they progress through their life cycle. Half of today's operating mines are older than 20 years.

Existing copper mines also typically face declining grades, as higher-grade ore is usually mined first, and lower grade ore is left for later. You will see this trend playing out both across the industry here in this chart, but also in our own operations here in Chile, and Adam and Alejandro will speak more about this later today.

However, these mines are likely to take advantage of new technologies that can improve their efficiency or recovery, such as converting oxide leaching plants to sulphide leaching, or recovering additional copper from waste material.

But there will likely be tougher standards to meet when renewing or extending permits and licences, due to the evolving expectations of communities, customers and regulators. There will of course be advantages to knowing your operating environment very well, as we do here in Chile, and this will be a key advantage in navigating the challenges of continuing operations.

Given the strong demand signals, however, we expect the industry to vigorously pursue options to extend the life of these copper mines, and they will remain critically important in meeting future copper demand.



For existing operations with substantial remaining resources, brownfield developments will offer an attractive response to the industry's challenges.

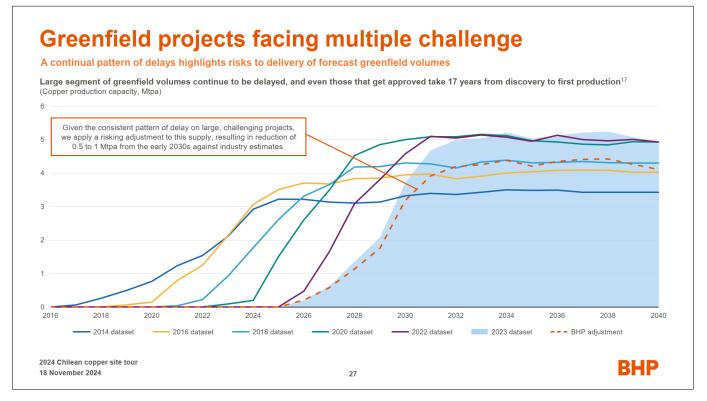
According to our comprehensive global project review, we anticipate that new brownfield supply will contribute up to 30% of the total copper supply by 2035.

Brownfield life extensions and expansions can take advantage of existing infrastructure, facilities, workforce, and expertise. They also generally face lower technical risks and uncertainties. However, they are still subject to changing regulatory and community expectations and standards and may require investment into infrastructure or replacement facilities. This can lead to higher capital intensities, permitting delays, and complexities when existing permits do not cover the entire project's lifespan.

Our recent assessment of global project capital intensities indicates a steady rise in brownfield capital intensity since 2010 and brownfield projects are now at levels similar to greenfield projects.

Several factors contribute to this increase, such as rising material and labour costs, supply chain constraints, and skilled labour shortages. But a significant factor is that copper producers are essentially constructing 'better' mines – incorporating newer technologies and meeting higher health, safety, and environmental performance standards, and addressing community concerns, requiring new or replacement infrastructure. You will see later in Pedro's presentation how our growth options compare to these industry benchmarks.

Despite these cost challenges, we expect high-quality brownfield projects to be highly valued within the industry, given the growing copper demand: technical capabilities developed through years of production, and detailed ore body knowledge remain major benefits, particularly for more complex projects. Strong social values will also be a key enabler, and you will hear more about our commitments in this space from Rene.



Greenfields continue to be challenging and face prolonged lead times, navigating environmental and social concerns for the first time, and uncertainties tied to new jurisdictions or regions. Moreover, not all obstacles can be resolved with money or time; for some projects, it is not a question of investability, but of executability.

This chart shows you the results of our investigation into a selection of the 30 largest undeveloped greenfield projects in 2024. This work showed that analysts, ourselves included, have consistently underestimated the time required to bring on new projects, and overestimated the production volume.

Start dates for more than 20 of these projects have shown a consistent pattern of delay since 2014, and all have been delayed in forecasts made from 2020 onwards. In 2014, the majority of these projects were forecast to be in operation by now. Given this trend, we made an additional risk adjustment to our greenfield potential volumes, reflecting both project delays and in some cases, abandonment.

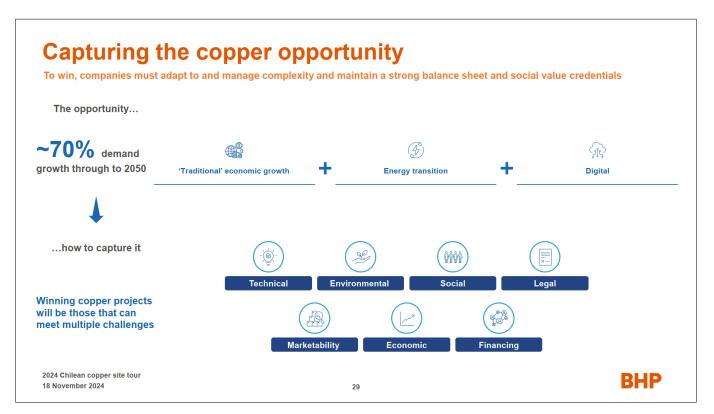
Greenfield development will be needed to meet future demand, but we do not believe that it will come to market quickly or cheaply.

Developments gaining pace but unlikely to solve significant forecast deficits				
	Operating productivity improvements	Sulphide leaching	Deconstraining existing operations	Method substitution of high-cost supply
Potential technologies	AutomationMachine learningCatalytic technology	 Multiple in development across major producers and emerging technology groups 	 Grind-circuit roughing Coarse particle flotation Fine particle comminution Mill circuit preconditioning 	Combined leaching and concentrator optimisation
Potential impact to supply	 Increased annual production volumes A.I. in processing metallurgy has the potential to increase recovery Automation to improve productivity Catalytic technology to increase recoveries from existing leaching operations 	 Increased supply volumes Requires tailored approach at mine level to unlock additional volumes No one single technology for all orebodies Potential to lower operational cut- off grade (operation specific) Lower water usage and tailings risk than current flotation By-product losses may offset gains 	 Increased processing throughput and metal recoveries Reduces energy consumption per t/Cu Potential application on tailings and uneconomic ore 	 Combined leaching and concentrator optimisation Alternative ways to stage development using potential modularisation in leaching technology
Estimated Timing	Incremental from now	 Incremental from now, 2035 onwards for major gains 	Incremental from now	2035 onwards

One way of overcoming these challenges is with technology and you will hear more about that today from my colleagues.

In the next decade, across the industry we expect to see examples of incremental productivity improvements drawing from AI-enabled insights in processing, the repurposing or reinvigorating of older facilities with latent capacity, and adoption of new technologies, specifically relating to processing and leaching. But the impact of these technologies is unlikely to become widespread or disruptive until at least the mid-2030s.

On leaching specifically, at an industry level, we believe that adoption of any primary sulphide leaching technologies will need to complement existing processing infrastructure, and the economic trade-offs remain unclear and require project by project analysis. These technologies create options for growth under the right conditions, and we are working to understand and apply their potential.



In conclusion, copper is crucial for our future, and BHP is dedicated to helping meet the rising demand.

But the mining industry faces significant challenges to bring on sufficient new supply to meet demand. As copper grades decline, operating mines must work harder to maintain the same output. Brownfield projects face higher costs and environmental and social hurdles, while greenfield projects experience delays and budget overruns.

We estimate the total bill for all expansion capex from 2025-2034 to be around a quarter of a trillion US dollars in 2024 dollars. This represents a significant increase from the previous 10 years, where the total spend on copper projects was approximately US\$150 billion.

You need to be able to navigate these complexities, have access to world class ore bodies, a history of managing complex projects, along with strong social value credentials, and a solid financial foundation to thrive. As you'll hear more in the next three days, we believe that our Chilean assets and our team is well positioned to meet these challenges.

Thank you for your attention. I will now turn things over to Rene, who will give you an update on the operating environment here in Chile.



René Muga

Good morning, everyone, and thank you for joining us today.

My name is René Muga, and I'm the VP of Corporate Affairs Latin America for BHP based in Santiago. I joined BHP three years ago and have been in the mining industry more than 15 years. I am delighted to be here to discuss some political and economic context on Chile as a country and also how we are approaching social value in our operations.



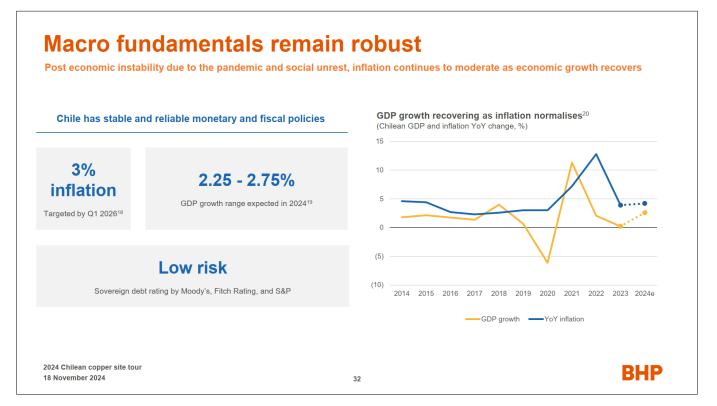
During the last decades, Chile has developed a favourable investment framework and a strong institutional system.

Chile was the first South American country to be accepted as OECD member in 2010 and according to the World Competitiveness Ranking 2024 by the International Institute for Management Development, which measures economic performance, government efficiency, business efficiency, and infrastructure, Chile has first place in Latin America and holds the 44th place worldwide.

In terms of political rights, civil liberties and corruption, Chile also stands out compared to the rest of the region. As you know, in October 2019 the country experienced and unprecedented social unrest. Government response to these protests was to address the discontent through democratic means. A consensus was reached that a Constitutional change could cope with the root causes of the unrest. Two separate referendums to approve new drafts of the Constitution were held and in both cases new proposals were rejected by a large majority of votes. This process demonstrated the strength and resilience of the country's democratic institutions and confirmed for the midterm that there won't be a new attempt to change the Constitution.

Chile is a presidential democracy. Elections for President of the Republic and Congress will be held in November 2025 and candidates will most likely focus their campaigns on economic growth, job creation, and particularly on public security. It is important to highlight that despite having the most left-wing government since the return to democracy, the Executive's agenda has moved towards economic recovery and improving the conditions for attracting more and better investment. Now, more than ever, there seems to be a consensus among all political sectors that we need to bring more investment to the country and the mining sector which is the backbone of Chile's economy.

The opportunity to work on a cross-aisle pro-growth agenda that fosters investment is strong and the investment community is optimistic about the future opportunities for the country in mining.



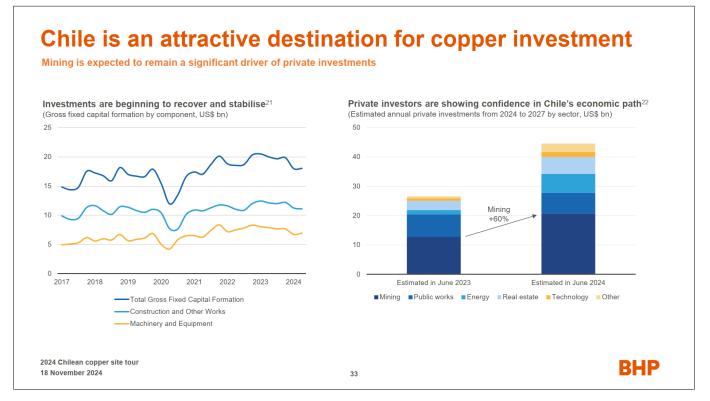
Let's turn now to the economy.

Chile's economic policies are guided by a structural balance fiscal rule and a Fiscal Responsibility Law which has earned recognition from major credit rating agencies, highlighting the country's fiscal stability. The Central Bank's independence, embedded in the Constitution, has allowed for effective monetary policy management, maintaining an average year-on-year inflation rate of 4.2% over the past 30 years.

Recent economic indicators are promising. First, looking at inflation. As you can see on the chart, after peaking at almost 13% in 2022, inflation has been on a downward trend and is projected to reach the Central Bank's 3% target by Q1 2026.

In the case of monetary policy, it has been proactive and responsive. The Central Bank began reducing the monetary policy rate in July 2023, and it currently stands at 5.25%, with further cuts anticipated in the coming months which will continue to support growth and stability in financial markets. Speaking of growth, as you can see on the chart as well, the Central Bank forecasts GDP growth between 2.25% and 2.75% for 2024.

In conclusion, this solid institutional framework positions Chile well for a solid recovery from economic distress.



Copper is essential for Chilean growth. Almost 50% of Chilean exports are copper. This is why mining investments, are key for achieving sustained growth in Chile.

Investments in Chile are beginning to recover and stabilise. As you can see on the left, investments, measured as gross fixed capital formation, are expected to decline slightly in 2024, but rebound with a 5.1% growth rate in 2025.

As well as this, on the right, you can see private investors are showing renewed confidence. For the period between 2024 and 2027, a year ago in June 2023, the estimated annual private investment was US\$26 billion, and then now, a year later, this has increased to US\$44 billion. The mining sector accounts for almost half of this increase, with investment expectations up 60% from a year earlier, partly because of the closure of the tax discussion.

In the context of this growth in investments, BHP has developed a leading position in Chile, ready to capitalise on the expected growth in investment. Our strong network of stakeholder relationships and exceptional reputation will be fundamental to support our projects that you will see in Pedro's presentation later on.



In May 2023, the Chilean Congress approved the Government's Royalty bill with a significant majority, concluding over two years of intense discussions. In our view, this majority assures that no further discussion on Mining taxation will be re-opened in the medium term.

This process was marked by continuous dialogue between the Government and the mining sector. As BHP we lead the industry, by actively participating and sharing our perspectives in Congress and engaging with the Minister of Finance and other key authorities. Our direct advocacy efforts were further supported by the work done through the Mining Council where we also took a leading role. This discussion is now closed, and even with a left-leaning government, we have achieved a stable and predictable tax environment for the years ahead.

While the new Effective Tax Rate represents a notable increase in the mining sector's total tax burden, it is important to highlight that the final version of the bill is more balanced than the initial proposal from 2021, which had suggested an average industry Effective Tax Rate exceeding 70%. The final outcome demonstrates the Government's willingness to consider industry positions and negotiate for a more reasonable tax burden.

Importantly, as you can see at the bottom of the slide, the bill does not affect the existing tax stability agreements that BHP holds. Consequently, Escondida began paying the new tax in 2024, and Spence will follow from 2033 onwards.

During royalty discussions we asked for measures to compensate for the loss of competitiveness in Chile and drive the attention of the authorities to the permitting system.

Permitting reform discussion underway

Congress is discussing two different bills to streamline permitting processes



2024 Chilean copper site tour 18 November 2024 In January 2024 the Executive submitted two bills to Congress to reform the permit system • Reform to the Environmental Assessment System (SEIA Reform)

Reform to the Sectoral Permits System

The Executive's goal is to reduce permit processing times by ~30%

BHP is actively participating in this debate

- · International benchmarking report shared with relevant authorities
- Direct engagement with relevant Government officials and congress
 members

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The permitting system in Chile has become fragmented, lengthy, unpredictable, and costly. This issue gained significant attention last year during the Royalty bill discussions, highlighting its impact on the country's competitiveness.

BHP played an active role in proposals to streamline permitting processes to offset the competitiveness loss – including by commissioning and sharing and international benchmarking report, and proactive engagements.

The need for a better permitting system is now a shared priority across all political sectors, and the Government has made it a legislative agenda priority.

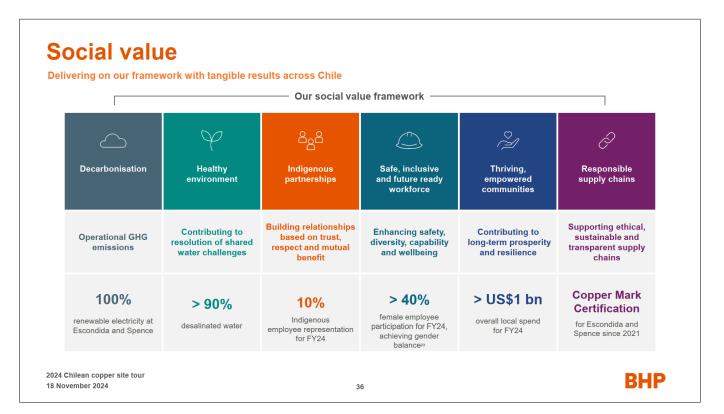
After many years of inaction, the current government has successfully advanced two bills, marking a positive step towards a more rational permitting process in Chile.

These two bills submitted to Congress by the Executive in January 2024 aim to reform the permit system:

- 1. the Environmental Assessment System (SEIA) Reform; and
- 2. the Sectoral Permits System Reform.

The goal is to reduce permit processing times by 30%.

While the legislative process is still ongoing, there has been progress <u>and</u> both bills are expected to be approved next year. However, despite the good spirit behind these two initiatives, the real effect of both laws will probably fall short of the desired 30% reduction in permit processing times and therefore we anticipate increased activity in the permitting reform discussion moving forward.



Before I close, let me briefly refer to our social value framework and goals, as we are applying them in our Chilean operations. This is just an introduction since most of you are familiar with our social value framework, and you'll get to see many examples of social value in action when you visit our sites in the coming two days.

Social value starts with Our Purpose – to bring people and resources together to build a better world. It is about making a positive contribution to society.

We do this by ensuring that, through the decisions we make every day, we take into account what, in the long-term, is of mutual benefit to our stakeholders, partners, the environment, and our shareholders.

As you can see, we have highlighted examples for BHP Chile Operations in each of the six pillars of our framework.

The good work done here advancing these initiatives underpins our relationships, and positions us well for the future. We've shown what BHP can bring when it comes to engagement for approvals and permitting.

We'll review a couple of them in more detail with my colleagues, but before I conclude I want to touch on the work we're doing with Indigenous peoples.



Indigenous peoples are important partners for BHP's activities. Across our Minerals Americas business, BHP operates on, or close to the traditional lands of Indigenous peoples and we have a deep respect for their distinct cultures, rights, perspectives and aspirations.

Escondida developed a new Indigenous partnership strategy which aims to build stable, long-term relationships, based on trust and mutual benefit, with the five Indigenous communities of Borde Sur, an area more than 100 kilometres away from our operations.

This is also the case at Pampa Norte (Cerro Colorado) where we have engaged all six Indigenous communities, opening a long-term discussion on development. Most of these communities already have an established relationship with Cerro Colorado because of their vicinity to the site.

As you can see on the right, BHP's strategy is focused on resolving past grievances, honouring commitments and creating opportunities for regular and structured dialogue between BHP and Indigenous communities that will contribute to improved relationships, build greater trust and proactively address community concerns.

Focus areas are defined in alignment with BHP's Indigenous People's Policy Statement:

- Firstly, supporting communities on their own social and economic development goals to help co-create new
 opportunities for Indigenous communities;
- And secondly, supporting Indigenous procurement via an increased number of partnerships with Indigenous owned businesses and implementing new projects to create stronger Indigenous businesses.

In Indigenous employment, we successfully surpassed our FY25 Indigenous employee participation aspiration of 10%, 1-year ahead of plan for Escondida as well as for Pampa Norte.

In FY24, we completed an inaugural assessment of the health of our relationships. Six Chilean Indigenous partners were interviewed via a confidential and independently run process conducted by IPSOS. If you look at the bottom left of the slide, you can see they indicated they had seen an improvement in relationship health and are more optimistic about the future health of their relationship with BHP.

We'll continue making efforts in our Indigenous partnership pillar of Social Value taking also the lead in the Chilean Mining industry.

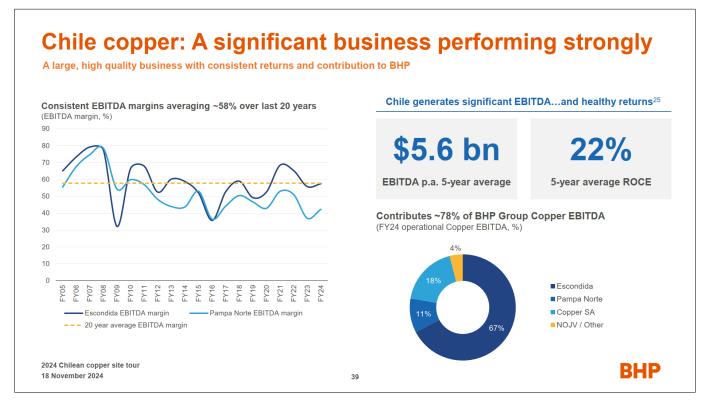
Thank you for your attention and let me now hand over to Frances to talk through our Chilean copper business financial performance.



Frances Summerhayes

Good morning, everyone. I'd like to extend my welcome to you all to Antofagasta today.

My name is Fran Summerhayes, and I am the Vice President Finance for the Minerals Americas region, I am based in Santago de Chile and have been in role almost four years. I have been with BHP for 16 years, having held finance roles in Head office and our assets across the globe.



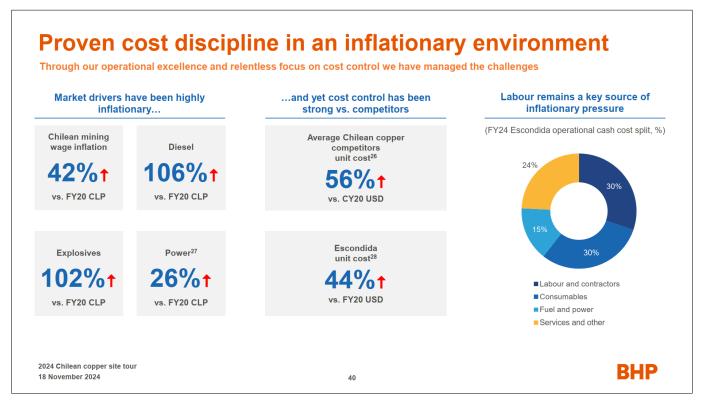
As Brandon mentioned earlier, our Chilean copper business is significant – not just in terms of resource or global position, but for BHP – making up the majority of BHP's copper earnings as highlighted here.

As you can see on the chart on the left, we have consistently delivered high margins over the long term, averaging 58% over the last 20 years.

Over the last five years, we have delivered an average EBITDA of US\$5.6 billion per annum. And while this is impressive, this is based on an average copper price of just US\$3.60 per pound. At today's prices, this would be significantly higher.

This translates to healthy returns, with an average return on capital employed of 22% over this period and demonstrates our exceptional operation of our assets here in Chile. These strong results are thanks to strong cost and operational discipline, underpinned by BHP's Operating System, as well as our continuous improvement culture and disciplined application of our Capital Allocation Framework.

Let's dig into our financials in more detail.

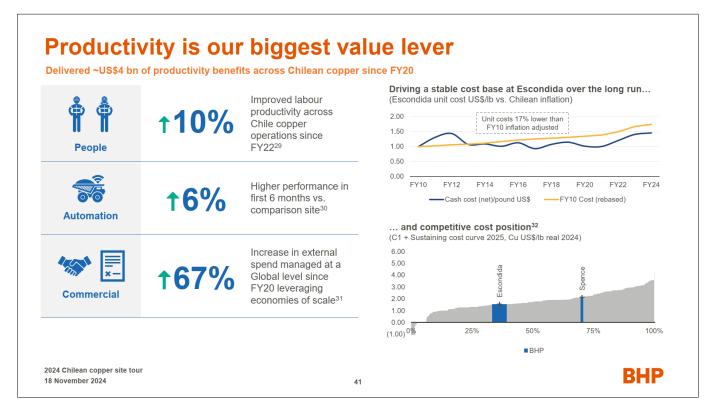


Since FY20, inflation has resulted in significant headwinds for our industry across the globe. The Chilean mining industry has also experienced cost increases beyond headline inflation. With the heavily unionised workforce in Chile, wage inflation across mining has increased by over 40%, and diesel and explosives prices have risen over 100% and power costs have also increased as you can see here. These costs, combined, account for the majority of our cost base, as illustrated on the right side of the slide.

BHP's Chilean copper operations have also had other cost pressures over that period. For example, we're in a period of heavy studies to support our growth options – which come with operating costs – but are necessary to ensure our operations maximise future value. These costs are included in our unit costs – but not the C1 costs reported by many of our competitors. And we've paid Enterprise Agreement, signing bonuses over this period, as we've reached new agreements with our unionised workforce.

Despite these headwinds, we have consistently managed to stay ahead of both inflation and our competitors in keeping our costs under control.

So how have we managed this?



Productivity is, as you will have heard Mike Henry speak to, our biggest value lever. We always strive to get the most out of our existing operations by applying a continuous improvement mindset. Leveraging our people, technology, and substantial position within the industry, we have managed to lift productivity across Chilean copper, delivering approximately US\$4 billion of benefits since FY20.

Three of the main avenues for productivity improvements are people, automation and commercial agreements.

Starting with people, we have improved labour productivity – that is, the amount of activity performed by each person – by 10% over the past couple of years. We've done this by leveraging the BHP Operating System, to ensure we constantly challenge each other to think differently and eliminate inefficiencies to protect our margins. You'll hear and see more on this from Alejandro later today and tomorrow, and Cristian on Wednesday.

In automation, we have tapped into the experience and insights we have gained being part of a global company. We're able to replicate and quickly adopt best practices and technologies ahead of others. For example, we are one of the first mining companies in Chile to start rolling out autonomous haul trucks. This has delivered a ~6% increase in production hours versus the autonomous ramp up at BMA in the less than six months since we became fully autonomous at Spence. Highlighting our continuous improvement mindset, globally sharing best practice.

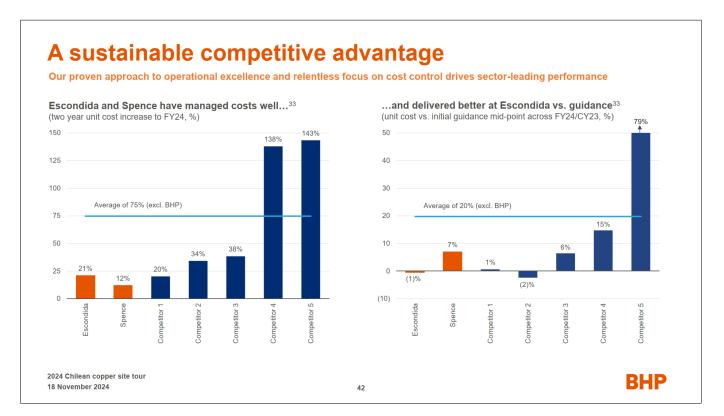
And through our commercial agreements, we're leveraging the relationships, strategy and economies of scale of our Global Procurement Function – for example, in mobile mining equipment, tyres and explosives. This isn't just about price; this is about working with our suppliers to create win-win outcomes.

We have also benefited from our early adoption of 100% renewable Power Purchase Agreements (PPAs), which have outperformed average power costs and shielded us from rising fuel input costs. These lock in flat real power costs into the next decade.

This relentless focus and passion from our teams to drive productivity has kept our costs in check and is expected to do so in the future.

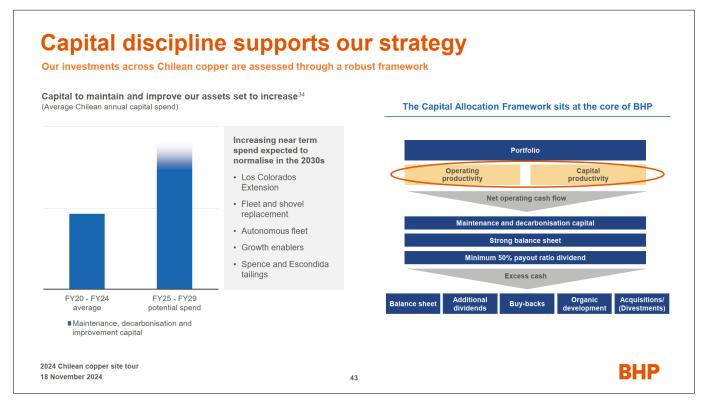
Like all copper mines declining grades, deeper pits, and harder ore sources means we must not sit still with productivity and continuous improvement.

I was Head of Finance at WAIO when we achieved our position as the lowest cost producer globally, since then the WAIO team continue this focus and discipline, sustaining and each year widening our lead against our competitors. This is a challenge I relish and have brought my experiences from into my time in Chile.



So while our costs have increased, they have done so much less than our competitors as you can see in these charts. This is a compelling demonstration that we are the premier operator, disciplined and with a strategy that delivers.

Over the past two years, Escondida and Spence unit costs have increased by 21% and 12%, respectively, versus an average of 75% for our competitors.



Our discipline applies not only to our operating costs but also to our capital, both large and small.

As Brandon mentioned, it is our role in Minerals Americas to ensure our projects compete for capital across BHP. This includes not only spend on major growth projects which you'll hear a lot more about later today from Adam and Pedro, but also across all capital spend – including maintenance, decarbonisation and improvement capital.

Maintenance capital is essential to keep the lights on, and includes spend on asset integrity. For example, spend to extend the life of Escondida's Los Colorados concentrator, and on fleet and shovel replacement. It's important to note that we also include capitalised deferred stripping in this category – as it is necessary to keep operating.

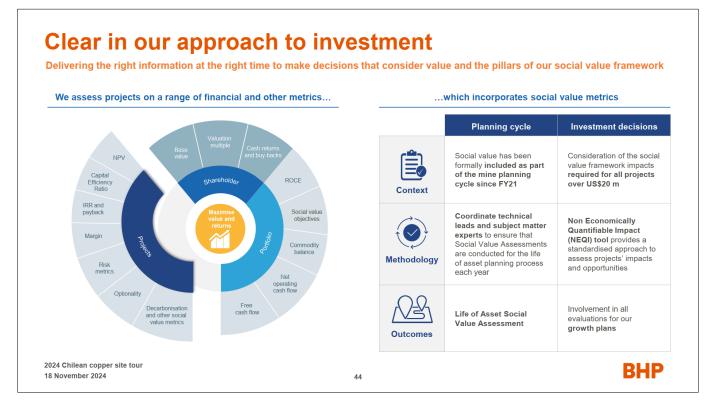
Spend on operational decarbonisation is also vital. While the amounts spent on this today are not large due to the nature of the work – much of which is focused on working with OEMs to test equipment – we do expect spend to increase towards the end of our five-year period as we begin to roll this out.

Improvement projects are generally smaller projects that drive productivity, safety or culture benefits. For example, rolling out autonomous fleet that you will see at Spence on Wednesday.

For our Chilean assets our spend on this capital can be lumpy. We are expecting over the coming years an increase in spend from recent years as you can see from the chart on the left. This includes more spend on what I have just covered but also essential works such as investing in our tailings storage facilities to add capacity and what we call enablers for our growth that Pedro will speak to later. And we expect a more normalised spend in the 2030s.

All projects compete for capital in the BHP Portfolio as you have heard. Majority of these projects beyond FY25 do not have approval for capital spend at this time, this is the hopper of projects and all of these must go through the capital allocation framework. Just because spend in these categories is essential, and in many cases small relative to our major projects, does not mean that they have an open cheque book.

As we do with our major projects these projects are challenged for what we call the Optimise without scenario, are capital value-optimised and then prioritised and scheduled to maximise value. That is what we mean by 'capital productivity' in the Capital Allocation Framework on the right here. And, the more we can improve this spend, the more we have available to spend on major growth.



We use our Capital Allocation Framework to ensure we advance the right projects, at the right time.

We know that, over the long term, capital allocation is perhaps **the** key driver and differentiator of company performance, and that across the industry and within BHP, there have been periods of good capital allocation, and periods of poor capital allocation.

That is why we're so focused on it, and studying our options, in detail, so we make the right decision, at the right time.

In terms of how projects compete, there is no one single metric or hurdle rate that defines a project as superior to another. Instead we look across a range of financial and other metrics illustrated on the left here, all with the ultimate goal of maximising value and returns. Also, we know that the best informed decisions capture the range of uncertainties and avoid anchoring on single deterministic point estimate.

We also consider social value metrics as illustrated on the right here. These are embedded in our approach to investment and also include what we call the Non Economically Quantifiable Impacts. We detailed this framework as part of our social value briefing in June 2022.

We have a track record of strong delivery of projects – large and small – on time and on budget as Pedro will take you through later, with Finance playing a key role in driving discipline and structure in this process.

Strong performance in FY24 with momentum to continue Following a solid year at Escondida and record production at Spence we are set to deliver production growth of +8% into FY25 FY2435 FY25 guidance³⁵ Medium term guidance 35,36 Cost (US\$/lb) Production (kt) Production (kt) Cost (US\$/lb) Production (ktpa) Cost (US\$/Ib) Escondida 1,180 - 1,300 1.30 - 1.60 900 - 1,000 1.50 - 1.80 1,125 1.45 +10% YoY Production (kt) Cost (US\$/lb) Production (kt) Cost (US\$/Ib) Production (ktpa) Cost (US\$/Ib) Spence 240 - 270 2.00 - 2.302.05 - 2.35255 2.13 ~250 0% YoY 2024 Chilean copper site tour BHP 18 November 2024 45

Our Chilean copper business is a significant and high-performing part of BHP. Through our strong cost discipline, productivity improvements, and capital discipline, we have delivered strong returns and we expect to maintain this momentum going forward as reflected by our market guidance.

We've seen significant production growth recently, with Escondida production up 12% over the last two financial years, and expecting a further 10% increase in FY25. Spence had record production in FY24 and is set maintain its momentum into this financial year.

We are committed to delivering value and growth for all our stakeholders, and I am confident in our ability to continue with our success into the future.

Thank you.



Adam Favero

Welcome back everyone after the break.

My name is Adam Favero, and I want to echo the comments from others about what a pleasure it is to welcome you here to Chile.

I am Australian Italian, a chemical engineer by trade, have lived in Chile for 13 years, and have been with BHP for almost nine years. I've spent most of my career in Business Development and Project Development in Energy and Mining, and have worked in various places from Australia, Italy, Russia, the US and now Chile.

I am currently Vice President for Development & Strategic Services – where my team looks after the strategy for growth in the region, and this includes the development studies before handing over to Pedro – who leads the Projects team, to execute on our options.



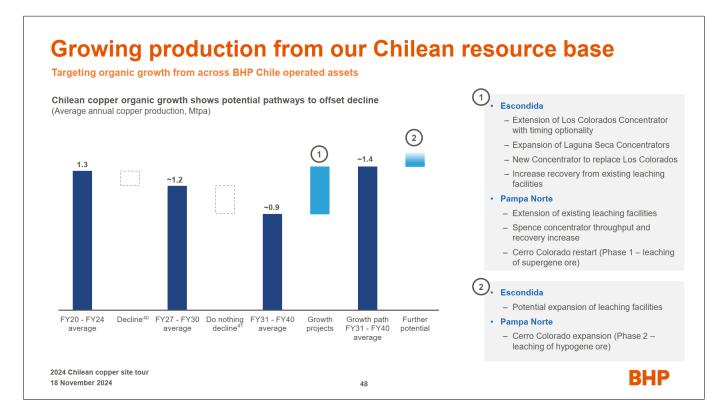
Our starting point for the growth strategy is our set of levers of competitive advantage that you heard Brandon touch on earlier.

We start with BHP's resource base in Chile, underpinned by Escondida that provides the foundation for us to both maintain and grow our production.

We also have latent capacity at our assets such as 300 kt of leaching facility capacity, and also critical supporting infrastructure in place which enables capital efficient production growth.

We have made material investments in innovation and R&D both as BHP globally as well as here with BHP Chile, where we have notable successes borne out of our Leaching Innovation Facility at Escondida with a number of our technologies in action today.

Finally, we have deep project expertise and a strong track record on major project execution as you will hear from Pedro later.



So before we look to the future it is worth considering the context of where we are today.

BHP Chile has produced an average of 1.3 Mtpa for over five years, and improving grades from the PL1 pushback at Escondida will enable this to increase in the short term.

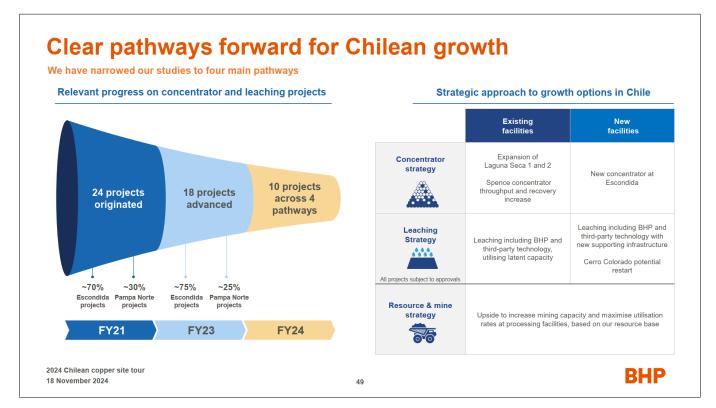
However, the reality of Escondida is that it is a mature asset with over 30 years of production history. In the coming years production declines as grade reduces from greater than 0.9% this financial year to $\sim 0.6\%$ in 2030.

At the same time, ore hardness is increasing, haulage distance and cycle times are increasing, and the Los Colorados concentrator at Escondida will need to be demolished as we look at to access higher-grade ore underneath it in the future.

So, we will have a production decline if we don't take action, where the resulting "do nothing" case you can see here would mean BHP Chile's production reduces to between 0.9 and 1.0 Mtpa in the 2030s.

This decline is why we have been working hard over the past years to re-accelerate our studies to develop plans for growth primarily at Escondida but also at Pampa Norte to deliver growth in the 2030's where we are targeting around 1.4 Mtpa in Chile on average.

Beyond this, as you can see, we have further potential, with options that are less mature, but could potentially increase this to between 1.5 to 1.6 Mtpa on average through the 2030s.



So where are we with our growth studies?

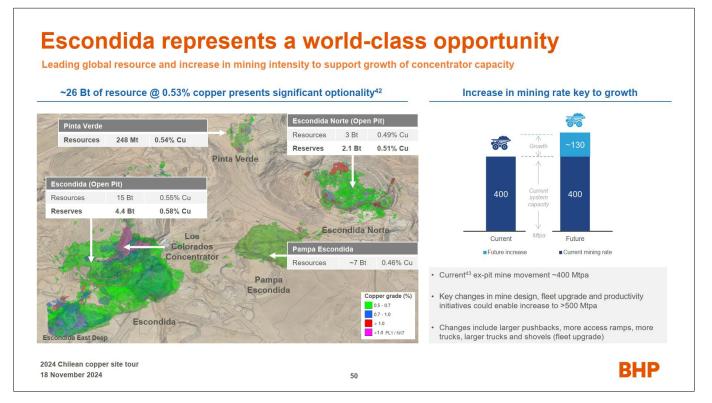
As you heard Brandon speak to earlier, our focus over the past three years has been on maximising the growth optionality across the concentrator and leaching flowsheets, and from both existing and potential new facilities, based on de-constraining capacity of the mines to feed those facilities.

We started with many options and have narrowed it down to well defined growth pathway of 10 projects.

Our concentrator strategy is focused on expansion of existing facilities at both Escondida and Spence, and a potential New Concentrator at Escondida.

Our leaching strategy is differentiated and wide ranging. It focuses on potentially applying BHP and 3rd party technologies at existing facilities at each of our sites in Chile, as well as potential new facilities at Escondida and Cerro Colorado.

The projects are evaluated methodically through our stage gate process based on a range of metrics that Fran showed you earlier. The portfolio has matured to the point where the majority of our growth projects in development have progressed to a more advanced study phase. At the same time, all projects are subject to competition for capital across the BHP portfolio as Brandon has covered.



We have a globally significant resource base in Chile.

At Escondida, the current resource supports a 65-year mine life. Development from multiple ore sources is complementary and provides us with significant flexibility.

Current production is focused on Escondida and Escondida Norte pits, which are the two bigger green areas on the chart, with options to develop East Deep and Pampa Escondida resources which you can also on the map in the long term to complement sulphide ore feed, and to develop Pinta Verde to feed the oxide leach facilities in the future.

You can see on the right of the chart that one key aspect underpinning our growth plans is the increased volume of material needing to be moved to provide the ore supply and bring forward higher grades, to support the increased capacities across all our pathways.

Whilst you will hear more on site, it is important to note that the highest-grade ore is in the northeast of Escondida main pit, which sits under the current Los Colorados concentrator. That's the purple zone here on the chart.



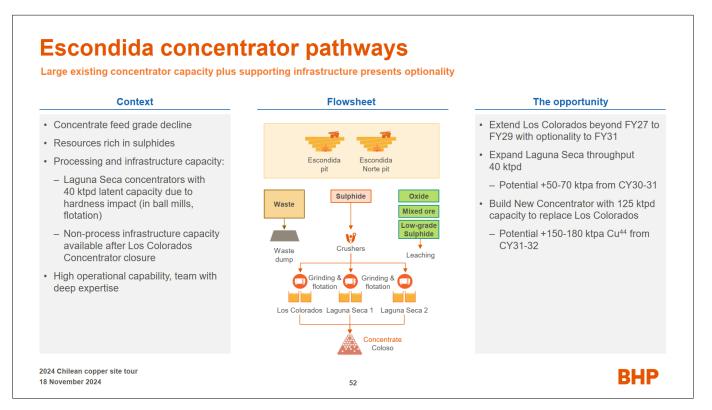
As we've seen, we have a number growth pathways at Escondida, which brings constraints, complementarities, and interdependencies, so we've applied a program approach to integrate the growth workstreams at Escondida – as illustrated by the schematic on the left.

The key objective of this program is to optimise the overall level of production at Escondida. This means considering trade-offs based on mine deliverability and capital to expand existing and new facilities, against the value from increased copper production based on higher throughput and increased recoveries.

A key aspect of the program is that the concentrator and sulphide leaching growth pathways are largely complementary, with higher-grade ore feeding the concentrators and lower-grade ore above a cut-off grade feeding sulphide leach.

The result is that increased ore delivery from the mine benefits copper production from both processes.

So now let's dig into each of the growth pathways in turn.



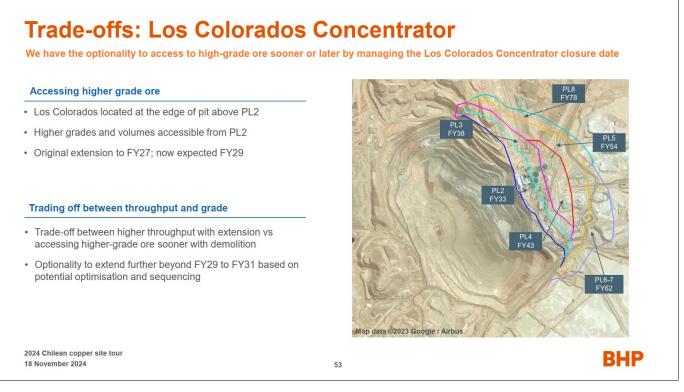
Concentrators are the foundation of our growth program. They are a solid option for growth due to synergies with current facilities, latent capacities and being a relatively low-risk process that we know well.

So, the first opportunity, as shown on the right of the slide, is to extend the life of Los Colorados beyond 2027, and expand the Laguna Seca concentrators to exploit their latent capacity.

This is then complemented by the opportunity to build a new concentrator to replace Los Colorados.

Our concentrator strategy will leverage the latest flotation technologies to improve recoveries, and our concentrator program provides the most relevant contribution to our Chile growth program in the 2030s.

Pedro will step through each of these options in detail in the following presentation.



Looking at Los Colorados extension, the timing is critical and there are trade-offs around this decision.

As we established earlier, access to the higher-grade ore in the PL pushbacks supports Escondida's growth. As you can see on the right of the slide, the PL pushbacks sit right under Los Colorados, which means that we need to remove this concentrator and other key facilities around it to access that grade to support growth in all scenarios.

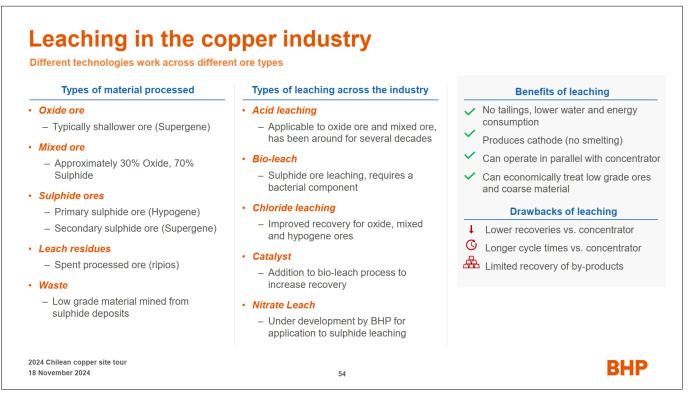
The key question is when.

The optimal shut-down date will depend on the trade-off between higher throughput with extension, and accessing higher-grade ore sooner with the demolition – factoring in a time of about four years to do the demolition then stripping to get to the ore.

Having looked at this for some time, we are targeting in our base case FY29 for closure but retaining the optionality to extend this to FY31.

A key aspect to take away here is that there will always be some level of production gap because of the lag in accessing the higher grade after Los Colorados is shut down.

Now having talked about the concentrators, let's turn to our leaching strategy.



Before I speak to BHP specifically, I think it is worth touching on leaching in general across the copper industry and we have laid this out in this slide here, including on the right some of the benefits and drawbacks.

Leaching processes to recover copper from oxide ores have been known about for decades. And in more recent times recovery of copper from lower grade primary sulphide ore based on bio-leach have become more common – where we have been leaching sulphide ore at Escondida since 2006.

As you can see on the left of the slide, there is potential for application of leaching across a range of different material types, from already leached material, called ripios, very low grade dump leach, low grade run of mine on constructed leach pads, through to higher grade crushed and agglomerated material.

There are multiple new sulphide leaching technologies under development across the industry; from catalysts to improve existing processes, to new processes and pad designs. As Laura spoke to earlier this is no silver bullet for the copper industry, where growth from sulphide leaching is very site and mineralogy specific.

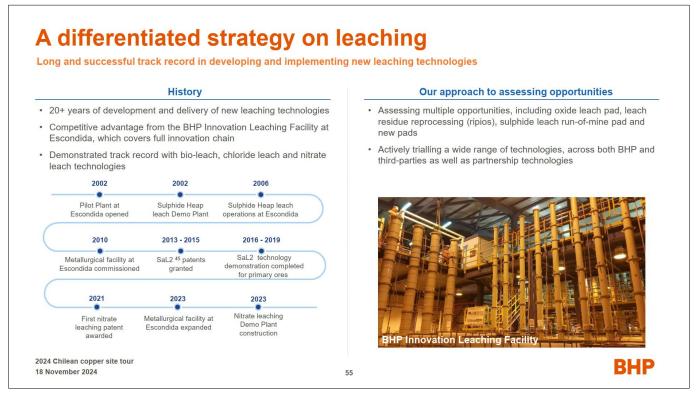
These sulphide leaching technologies can either act as a complement or in some cases potentially a competitor to more traditional concentrator flowsheets.

On the one hand, to target recoveries approaching those achieved by concentrators from some of the new leaching technologies still require crushed and agglomerated ore, which substantially increases the capital investment required.

But on the other hand, at the other end of the spectrum, lower grade run of mine sulphide leaching is subject to strict environmental requirements in most jurisdictions which require construction of lined leach pads, resulting in increased capital investment and higher cut-off grades – limiting the opportunity for very low grade dump leaching – where there are not many places you can actually do that.

Notwithstanding this, we believe that leaching can offer growth under the right conditions, where the sweet spot is where the leaching of run of mine sulphide ore is complementary to concentrator operations as we have at Escondida.

Our leaching strategy has been developed to maximise the optionality using our latent capacity, through potential application of a range of different technologies across a range of locations and materials.



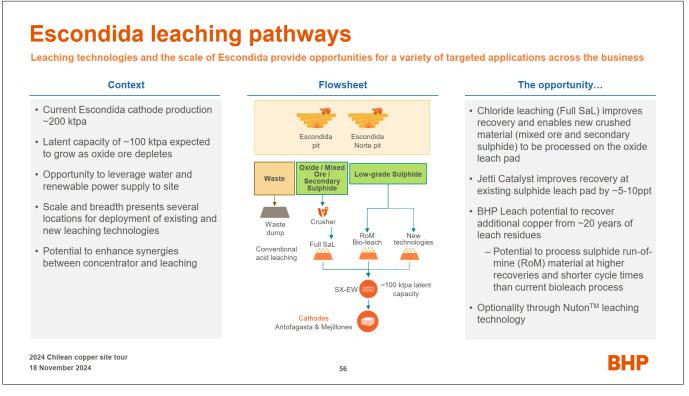
We believe our strategy is differentiated.

As you can see on the left, BHP made a strategic decision to invest in facilities to test and develop leaching technologies more than 20 years ago and we have been successful in implementing in our operations leaching technologies developed in-house such as Full SaL.

We are actively developing and testing new leaching technologies, which gives us optionality to further unlock additional resources.

Tomorrow we will you give an overview of our Leaching Innovation Facility at Escondida that you can see on the right. This is a unique facility that allows us to trial leaching technologies from bench scale to columns to demonstration scale.

We are taking a more open approach than some in trialling third parties technologies as well as our own, all with potential application to our Chilean assets.



The context for our strategy is clear.

We have the resource base and significant latent tankhouse capacity of around 100 kt at Escondida today, with multiple locations identified for the extension or expansion of sulphide leaching. This leads to the opportunity from a number of technologies.

As shown on the right, the first is Full SaL. This is a technology developed and patented by BHP with a copper recovery between 50% and 60%. We are implementing this at Escondida at the oxide leach infrastructure to process mixed and secondary sulphide ores.

Next we have Jetti, which is a 3rd party catalyst technology many of you will have heard of, which can lead to additional recovery of 5-10%pts over and above the base recovery from traditional run of mine sulphide leaching. Jetti is under study at a relatively mature phase of development for application on our sulphide leach run of mine material, with continued testing underway.

Then there is BHP Leach, which delivers recovery between 60% and 80% dependent on ore type and preparation and I'll explain this in a bit more detail on the next slide.

Finally, there is Nuton that delivers a recovery between 75% and 85% with a cycle time of 150-400 days. This is a technology patented by Rio Tinto that involves relatively high capital investment in crushing and agglomeration making it more of a future option for Escondida.



It is safe to say we are excited by the progress we have made with BHP Leach.

This is a patented technology for nitrate leaching of primary sulphide ore, considering run-of-mine or crushed material – and it is 100% in-house developed at our Leaching Innovation Facility at Escondida.

Having passed through multiple stages of testing we are in the process of constructing an industrial scale demonstration leach pad and plant, which you can see here in middle picture and will be visiting tomorrow at Escondida.

We hope to have preliminary results by the end of next calendar year and to illustrate our assessment of the prospectivity, we are investing US\$180 million in the demonstration plant you can see here.

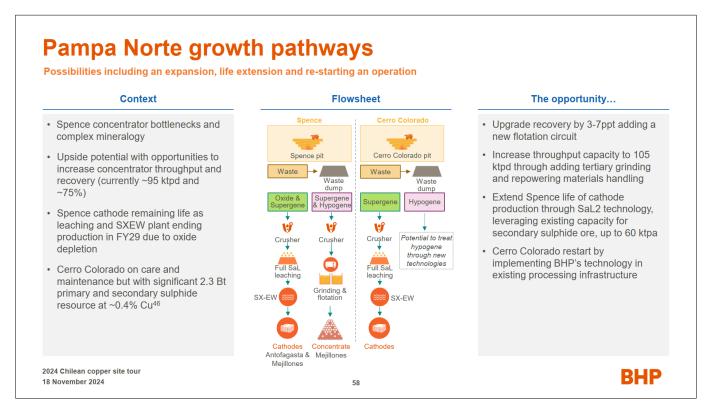
Key themes to determine the feasibility of this technology that will be tested by the demonstration are confirming the copper recovery and reagent consumption, and understanding the generation and management of NOx gases which is critical to its feasibility.

At this time we believe recoveries on run of mine sulphide ore to be high and of the order of 60-70% across a cycle time of just 250-350 days.

We are studying the application of this exciting technology firstly with already leached ore, or ripios, where subject to the demonstration results, we expect the production potential to be 35-55 ktpa, from as early as 2030. Pedro will explain the development of this further.

Looking further into the future, we are studying the potential to roll out BHP Leach to the active run of mine area of Escondida Sulphide Leach in the early 2030s, something that is in the potential upside beyond the 1.4 Mtpa I outlined earlier.

It is relatively early days but this is a prospective technology that we expect can play a key role in our leaching strategy across our Chilean assets.



Turning now to Pampa Norte where we also have good optionality.

The context is that we have been working to improve performance of the Spence concentrator.

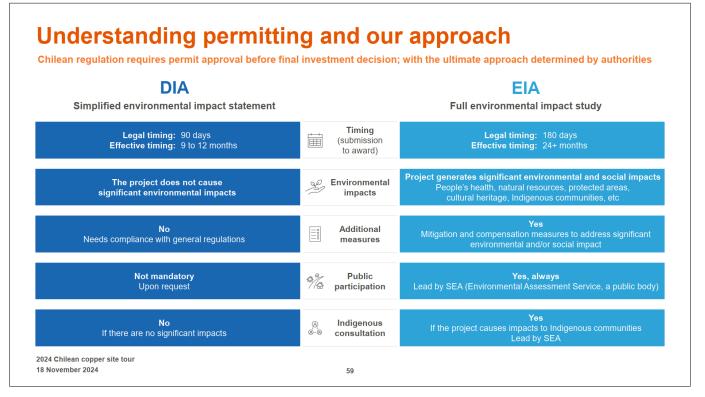
You will hear more on Wednesday regarding the Spence Concentrator Upgrade program, which has materially improved throughput, runtime and recovery from the SGO project outcomes.

In addition, as further context in our non-growth case, our leaching facilities at Spence would close in FY29 due to oxides depletion, and Cerro Colorado has already moved to care and maintenance given the expiry of its permit.

This context creates the opportunity to improve production from both the concentrator and leaching pathways at Pampa Norte, as shown on the right.

At Spence, we have mature studies underway to further increase concentrator recovery and throughput beyond already delivered improvements. In addition, we have a project at an advanced stage to extend the life of the Spence leaching facilities through application of BHP's SaL2 technology, and an EIA permit application is in process.

Beyond this, there is also the potential to restart Cerro Colorado in a phased manner.



Turning to permitting, this is a critical element to delivering on our growth and something we have been progressing in parallel with our growth studies.

To begin with, it is important to understand that in Chile the Environmental Impact Assessment System has been in place since the mid-90s and while the design is generally aligned with international benchmarks, implementation is somewhat lagging – and it tends to be bureaucratic with high potential for delays and challenges.

Our permits are on the critical path for most of our projects, so we have robust strategies in place to maximise chances of accelerated approval.

We have had a centralised team focussed on major permits at the Chile level for three years and have a strategy of having leading environmental credentials and leveraging our strong stakeholder relationships to support our permit applications, and at the same time shape the conversation on permitting reform as you heard from Rene earlier.

So how does this tie into our planned approach?

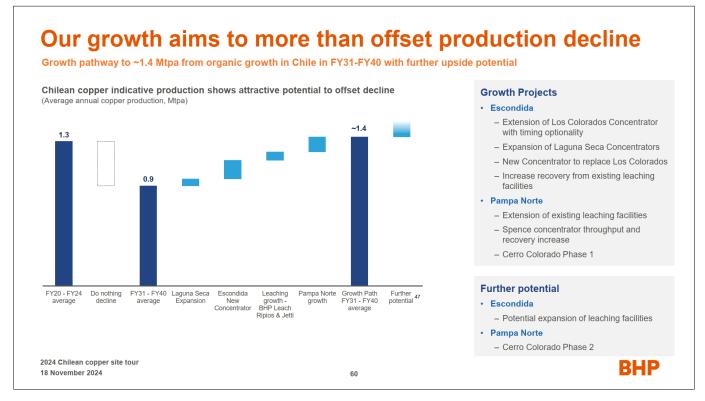
An important aspect to understand in Chile are the two different environmental permitting instruments, which we've illustrated on the slide.

- A DIA, or environmental impact declaration, represents a simplified accelerated processes where the project does not cause environmental impacts.
- In contrast, an EIA, or environmental impact study, applies to a project that causes significant impacts and needs measures to address them, which typically takes materially more time.

Our strategy involves taking a proactive approach to maximise the chances of achieving DIA's for both the Laguna Seca expansion and the new concentrator at Escondida. However, it will ultimately be the authorities' discretion that determines whether this is possible.

This is why we take a rigorous approach to our permit preparation while incorporating environmental aspects into our design, with proactive engagement with stakeholders and relevant agencies.

The timing for these permits, and specifically our success in achieving approval through DIA's, will be critical to the delivery of our projects as per the schedules Pedro will outline shortly, but we are confident that we start from a position of strength.



Putting it all together, we have an extensive portfolio of growth opportunities that have been originated and developed in the past three years.

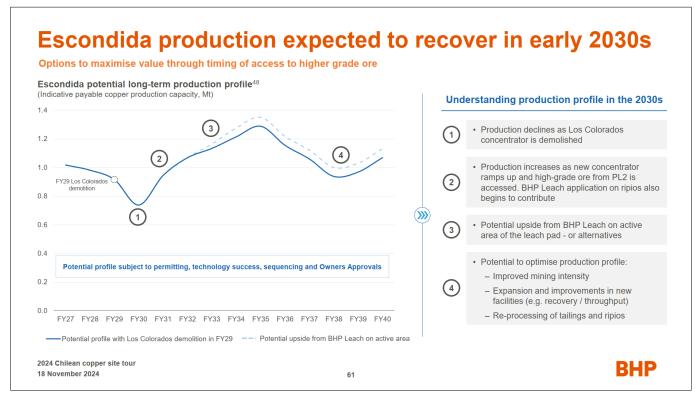
Key growth options are well advanced, and you can see these broken out in the build up towards our target of 1.4 Mtpa through the 2030s.

We have advanced with our key growth studies such as the expansion of the Laguna Seca concentrators and a New Concentrator at Escondida to replace Los Colorados.

We are in a similar position for leaching growth at Escondida underpinned by the prospective BHP Leach application to the ripios area, and growth at Spence and the potential restart at Cerro Colorado.

There remain further studies which are less mature, such as the BHP Leach application to the active area of Escondida sulphide leach, and a potential larger second stage of Cerro Colorado, which could still provide potential further growth to an aspiration of approximately 1.5 to 1.6 Mtpa.

With multiple avenues for growth, we are confident that we have the right strategy and the right options that can compete for capital and deliver significant value for BHP.



So, what could the profile look like for Escondida from here? In this chart, we've aimed to illustrate the indicative production outcomes into the 2030s.

A key assumption here is that Los Colorados closes in 2029. You can see here that this results in a dip around 2030, as that throughput comes offline. It is then picked up at the new concentrator comes online in FY31-32 and then the higher grade from PL2 comes in from around FY33.

As a caveat, despite the maturing level of the studies, there are a number factors which will continue to shape this profile in the coming years so it should be taken purely as illustrative rather than as a firm forecast. This is not guidance. As outlined on the slide, these factors include the permitting, technology success, sequencing, and approval outcomes.

However, overall, given the maturity and breadth of our options, we have the confidence that the growth at Escondida will support us in achieving our copper growth targets for Chile that we've discussed.

Now you hopefully understand more on our growth strategy here in Chile, I will pass over to Pedro to talk more to execution of our projects.

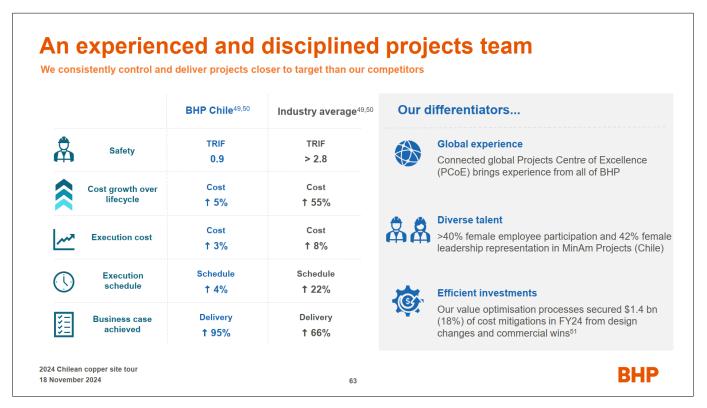


Pedro Correa

Thank you, Adam, and welcome again. It's really a pleasure to host you here in Chile to discuss our growth program.

My name is Pedro Correa, and I am the Vice President of Projects for Minerals America. I bring 25 years of multicultural experience – working in Japan, the United States, and in Chile. I joined BHP in 2005, more than 20 years ago, serving in several different capacities across our operations, both in Minerals America and Petroleum.

Since 2021, I have had the pleasure of leading the Projects team, building the foundations for the growth program that we are presenting to you today.



Our team in Minerals Americas has consistently shown a disciplined and safe approach to delivery.

This slide shows how well we compare to our industry benchmarks.

But firstly, I want to call your attention to safety. As called out by Brandon, my colleagues, and all the people you will be seeing over the next few days, safety is our most important priority. Thus, you should be living and breathing safety everyday while you are here with us.

Now let's talk about some of the other measures of success that we have in Minerals Americas.

As you know, we have been focused on delivering to cost and schedule. However, now we are shifting to seeing the full delivery of the business case as our primary measure of success.

You will hear us talking about delivery of investments, not only projects. This is a strategic shift.

Our post-investment reviews confirm that we have delivered 95% of our business cases in our investments. As explained before, this goes beyond cost and schedule. It includes all our key value drivers, internal rate of return, NPV, among others.

Let's talk now about cost growth through phases.

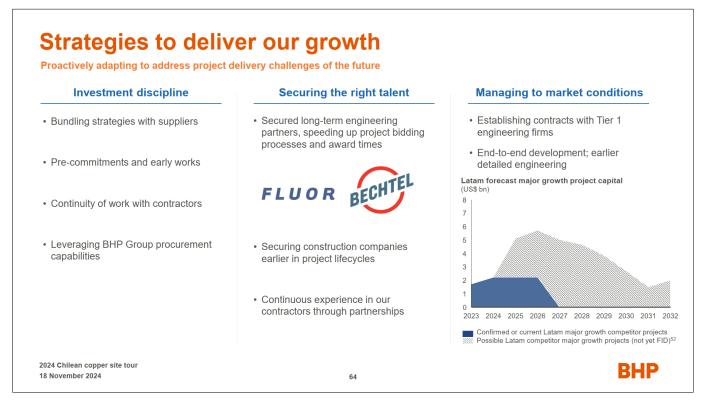
The industry benchmarking is showing that during the lifecycle of a project, cost will grow 55% from conceptual studies all the way to execution. This is nothing to feel proud of.

In the past years, we have gone through a journey to beat the benchmark and create the foundations for predictable delivery. And as a result, we have managed to achieve today only 5% growth in costs for our portfolio.

How have we done this? By focusing on optimising the project designs, quantities, commercial terms and controlling cost creep. For example, last year alone, we achieved 18% cost mitigation through our program. That equates to US\$1.4 billion in our portfolio.

Finally, an important role is being played by our global structure, our colleagues in Australia and Canada, and our engineering partners that share their expertise.

But most importantly, the main role is played by the great teams that deliver our growth program.



Successful investment delivery is not just about having the right credentials. It is also about having the right strategies to deal with the challenges that we will be facing.

As Fran mentioned earlier, the cost environment has become challenging with higher inflation. We foresee a tighter contractor market here in Chile in the next few years.

As you saw from Laura's presentation, we could see the industry trying to bring on a lot of additional copper supply in the Latin American region. There will be ferocious competition for contractors and suppliers.

So externally, we are securing the right talent. We have shifted from re-tendering the engineering work in each phase of the project, to locking in engineering and construction companies early in study phases for services all the way to execution. This will optimise the bidding process, award times and transfers from one project to another, to deliver an agile approach. We want to reduce waste, inefficiency and ineffectiveness.

I'm happy to announce that we recently decided to partner with Fluor for our expansion of the Laguna Seca concentrator and the new concentrator, and with Bechtel to partner for our initial application of our BHP Leach technology at Escondida.

We have been addressing cost inflation by implementing bundling strategies, creating positive tension between our suppliers, and providing continuity of work for our contractors. This should result in reduced delivery times, overheads and mobilisation costs among other benefits. In summary, we are leveraging our scale as a competitive advantage.

Internally, we are designing our projects to be fit for purpose, to ensure we allocate our capital efficiently. Moreover, it's important to highlight that we are advancing our engineering further for our projects for pre-commitments, and initiating early detailed engineering for earthworks.

This means we can potentially start construction work while in the late stages of study, ahead of full FID, with the intention to reduce the risk of delivery, schedule and bring on copper sooner.

This is a similar approach to what we did at Jansen Stage 1.



As you can see on the left side of the slide, we have a proven record of delivering large projects.

As an example, Organic Growth Project 1 (OGP1) was completed in FY15 to expand the Laguna Seca concentrator and significantly lift Escondida's production. We also delivered the Spence Growth Option (SGO) in FY22 to construct a brand-new concentrator at the Spence operation. SGO was delivered well by the team, despite the challenges of Covid.

To get to this point in our delivery, we have applied our continuous improvement mindset through the BHP Operating System, as you heard from Brandon and my colleagues, and we have looked for new ways of working to ensure we are prepared to deliver the growth program that we are presenting to you.

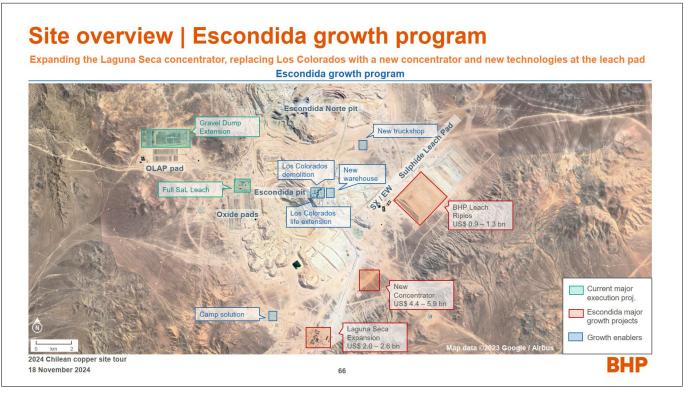
We have reorganised our teams to specialise on major, brownfield types of projects, such as leaching, concentrators or tailings. This lets us build expertise in our teams, growing and maintaining knowledge of complex construction and design, with an end-to-end approach mindset.

There are still lessons to be learned, both internally and externally, and we have taken on board the need for highquality engineering, and better risk management of new technologies, construction, suppliers and brownfield projects.

After the Spence Growth Option, we have had some challenges with the operations of the concentrator. But two years later, Spence has seen record production levels.

We don't just learn from investments in our region – we have replicated good practices from our global BHP projects that are progressing well, like South Flank and Jansen.

We want to be recognised as a continuous investment learning organisation.



Let's talk now about the reason why you are here – the passion that brings us together today. Let me give you an overview of the Escondida projects.

As you can see, the magnitude of the potential transformation is awesome and unprecedented. It's a once-in-ageneration opportunity for us to execute at the world's largest copper mine.

Today, we're going to discuss in detail the growth projects highlighted in red on the map.

Laguna Seca Expansion will take place, as you can see in the map at the bottom-centre of the slide, in the same place we built the concentrator in 2002 and added a second line to in 2015 (OGP1).

To the right of Laguna Seca, we have the planned site for the new concentrator. We chose this position due to lower earthworks and operating cost, thanks to gravity feeding of tailings, reduced length of conveyors, and operational flexibility to feed the primary crusher from both Escondida pits.

Further up and to the right from there, we have the massive sulphide leach pad, where we plan our implementation of BHP's new leaching technology. You will see the scale of it tomorrow when we visit the site with Alejandro.

Now in blue, in the centre of the slide, you will see numerous 'enabler' projects – some of which are required before construction delivery of the concentrator growth projects.

We need to move the truck shop, warehouse and demolish Los Colorados as part of our mine sequencing plan to access PL2. They were built a long time ago, but now we want to access the high-grade ore below them.

Let's take a closer look at each of the key concentrator projects.



Here we have Laguna Seca expansion - a project with two main packages:

- Firstly, we're planning to increase throughput by 15 Mtpa, a 15% increase from today. We'll do this by adding another line and another SAG mill. Why? If we don't do that and add another SAG mill, crushing will become the bottleneck as the ore hardness will increase in the future.
- Secondly, we are planning to increase recovery by 1-4%pts through the new Hydrofloat flotation technology and additional mechanical cells.

Together, these targeted expansions to the concentrator will take advantage of the latent capacity in our flowsheet.

The cost of this project is reasonably high in capex, but will require very little ongoing opex for the incremental copper generated. For this reason, we think it will be an attractive project with a healthy internal rate of return.

In terms of timing, we're planning for the Laguna Seca expansion to be producing copper between 2030 and 2031. And for this, the critical path is permits.

We're looking to submit the Declaration of Impact Assessment (DIA) (a shorter permit compared to an Environmental Impact Study, as explained by Adam), in late FY25 and expect it to last around 12 months. As a DIA, or shorter permit, can only be submitted one at a time for the site, we are submitting the DIA for LSE first, and then later on for the new concentrator. We will talk through the combined timeline on a later slide, however the new concentrator should hit first copper only 1-year later than the expansion.

As I said earlier, we signed a contract with Fluor, and they will be providing an A team, as our engineering partner for this project. Recently, we worked with Fluor on our Spence concentrator, and we're delighted to do so again here. They bring global leading expertise in concentrator design and construction, and experience with current copper projects in Chile.

Pre-commitments are being prepared for long-lead items and earthworks to prepare the site. This will ensure we can hit the ground running.

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The Escondida new concentrator is the largest investment that we are progressing in Chile right now.

We need to replace the ageing Los Colorados concentrator between FY29 and FY31, and we have been working hard assessing options for the design.

We have considered more than 100 different technology options during the conceptual studies, with special attention paid to the technology readiness and risk of each.

After an extensive process, we concluded that the highly innovative technologies did not offer enough gains to compensate for the risk.

As a result, we've chosen a more traditional flowsheet, and selectively incorporated some new technologies.

An example of a new technology we are considering will be the addition of Hydrofloat coarse particle flotation; the change will offer improved recoveries in the range of 2-4%pts.

The use of Hydrofloat particle floatation is a 'fast follower' technology strategy, that is already in use at other copper operations.

We have also selected a throughput capacity of 45 Mtpa, and this will require an increase in mine movement ex-pit from 420 to 520 Mtpa that Alejandro will speak about tomorrow.

The capital intensity is between US\$15-21k/t of copper equivalent – very competitive within the market, and we'll go through a comparison to similar projects later in the presentation.

Like the Laguna Seca expansion, Fluor has been signed as the engineering partner for the new concentrator; we see synergies from this approach.

To discuss timing, we are aiming to submit a DIA for the new concentrator immediately after the Laguna Seca expansion permit has been approved. This will allow us to FID sometime between 2027 and 2028, and to produce first copper between 2031 and 2032 – followed by an approximately 12-month ramp up.

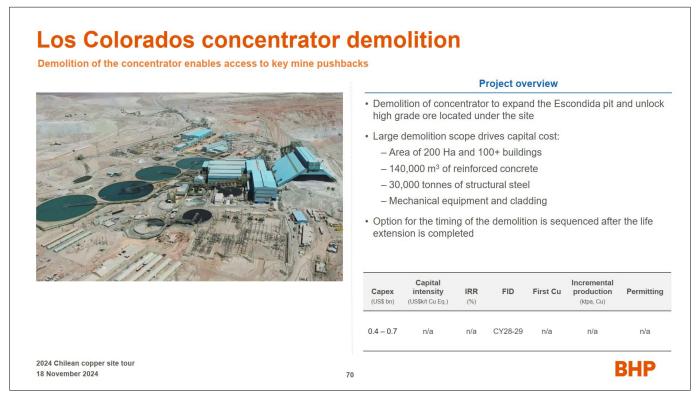


So, let's talk now about the Los Colorados concentrator life extension. As Adam has already gone into detail about the extension of Los Colorados, I will be brief here.

This project will be about keeping production until the new concentrator is almost online.

Los Colorados was built in 1990, and it was designed to have a lifespan of only 20 years. We have already extended it multiple times, making great use of this asset.

The cost of maintaining it further will be between US\$200 and US\$300 million. And there's also no need to apply for an additional environmental permit in order to do so.



Onto the Los Colorados concentrator demolition.

Below the Los Colorados concentrator there is 640 Mt of ore that we want to unlock. This is why demolishing Los Colorados is paramount.

For context, this is 200 hectares of facilities - almost 300 football fields of concrete and steel.

This is a complex project. It's not simply demolishing the whole site – we are also assessing ways to recover equipment and take advantage of some of the infrastructure that will need to be removed or relocated, such as crushers and conveyors.

The cost of the demolition is related to the scope and complexity of the project.



Let's talk now about leaching at Escondida. We have a number of leaching options and technologies being assessed. The most advanced option is to deploy our BHP Leach technology at the ripios portion of the sulphide leach pad.

The BHP Leach technology is promising in terms of improving cycle times and recovery, almost doubling the recovery from conventional leaching, and is being tested at scale at the demonstration plant currently, with good results.

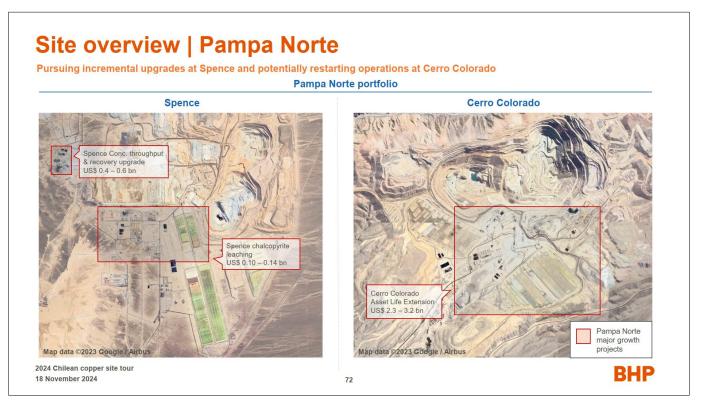
This is our fastest, large-scale deployment option for BHP Leach.

With this new technology we can give the already leached area of the pad a new life. Otherwise, it would sit there until closure.

We're thinking outside the box to economise our resources with this project. It does not compete with our other processing options for additional ex-pit mined ore.

It is showing a promising internal rate of return of 18-24%. And we're very excited to partner with Bechtel to deliver this major leaching project, having previously worked with them to build the Escondida oxide leach area pad, Laguna Seca concentrator, and the Water Supply project, among many others.

This concludes the Escondida portion of the presentation. Now let's talk about Pampa Norte.



The Pampa Norte asset is divided between Spence and Cerro Colorado. Cerro Colorado went into care and maintenance in December 2023, and therefore the only active operation that we have today is Spence.

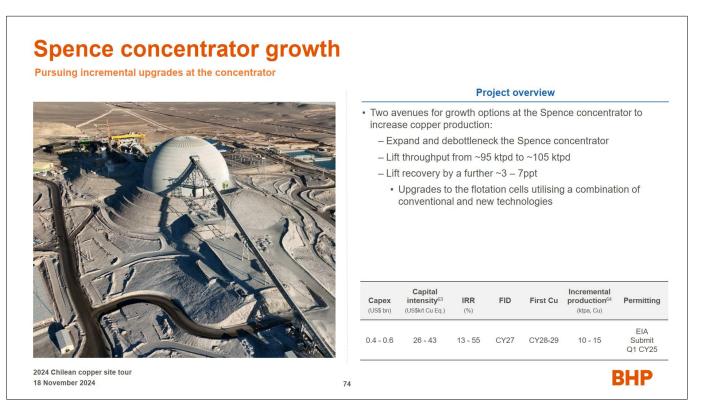
Firstly, we are going to discuss some incremental growth options at Spence, to upgrade our leaching and concentrator production. Then we will discuss the restart of Cerro Colorado.

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We are looking to implement the proven BHP Simple Approach to Leaching (SaL2) leaching technology at the sulphide leach pad in Spence. This is a mature project, that we expect FID sometime in 2025.

By enabling the effective leaching of new types of ores, we can extend the useful life of the cathode process all the way to FY31.

It has a strong business case with relatively little capital deployed, only costing between US\$100 and US\$140 million.



Let's talk now about the Spence concentrator growth.

Since the new Spence concentrator was opened in May 2022, we have successfully implemented upgrades to enhance reliability, throughput and recovery – and the operation has enjoyed record production in FY23 and FY24. You will hear more about that from Cristian when we visit Spence.

We are considering two more upgrades. The first to lift throughput from 95 ktpd to 105 ktpd, and the second to lift recovery by 3-7%pts through upgrades to the flotation cells

It is an efficient expansion of existing facilities and is showing a healthy internal rate of return range of 13-55%.



Cerro Colorado is currently on care and maintenance with a 3-year permit that runs until FY27. But we have the option to extend for an additional two years.

We have developed a phased approach to restarting operations. Phase 1 alone is what we are showing here on the slide.

This is a lower maturity option that we're still actively developing and optimising, and it's an option that could change.

Phase 1 uses the existing BHP Simple Approach to Leaching 1 (SaL1) technology to process the primary sulphide resources.

It takes advantage of existing infrastructure for a more capital-efficient restart and will enable 20 years of processing at Cerro Colorado.

This option will require an investment in sea water supply infrastructure from the coast to site. Let me be very clear – sea water, not desal water.

Beyond Phase 1, there is a further option for Phase 2 to exploit the enormous secondary sulphide resource still left at Cerro Colorado.

Staging our options to maximise value

Taking a disciplined approach to sequencing ensures healthy competition for capital, permitting remains a key variable

Illustrative timeline	Maturity	FY25 FY26 FY27 FY28 FY29 FY30 FY31 FY32 FY33 FY34 FY35+
Escondida projects		
Los Colorados concentrator life extension (LCE) • Near-term life extension of current concentrator		No environmental permit required 1 – 3 year life extension
Laguna Seca concentrator expansion (LSE) Debottlenecking, expansion and recovery increase 		DIA permit process
New concentrator (ENC) Construction of new concentrator to replace Los Colorados 		DIA permit process
Leaching (BHP and third-party technologies) Utilising new BHP leach technology to leach spent primary sulphide ores; studying options for third party technologies		DIA permit process
Pampa Norte projects		
Spence Chalcopyrite leaching (SCPY) Leverage BHP primary sulphide leaching technology (SaL2) to extend life of cathodes process 	4	EIA permit approval
Spence concentrator growth (throughput & recovery) Debottleneck and expand existing concentrator to increase throughput and improve recovery 		EIA permit process
 Cerro Colorado potential restart phase 1⁷⁰ Application of SaL1 leaching technology to restart operations at Cerro Colorado with an autonomous mine 	٢	EIA permit process
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Now that we have had a deep dive into the main growth projects, let's talk through when we are planning to deliver this, and how we will sequence our projects.

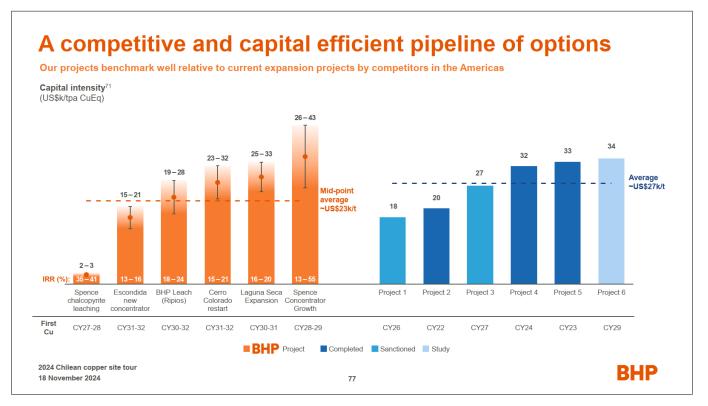
There is a lot of detail here, but crucially this shows that our Escondida concentrator projects will pursue a DIA followed by DIA route.

Timing and sequencing of our growth projects are heavily dependent on permits – they are on the critical path. However, as we have explained, we believe the strategy that we have put forward and the controls to mitigate the risk will help us achieve our goals.

While first copper is predicted to be at the start of the orange bars, the length shows our estimated ramp-up period.

Generally, both the concentrator projects at Escondida and the leaching projects at Spence could take around 12 months.

The maturity levels shown here are meant to be only indicative of our internal analysis of how advanced each of the growth pathways are.



Let me show you now the capital intensity of our projects.

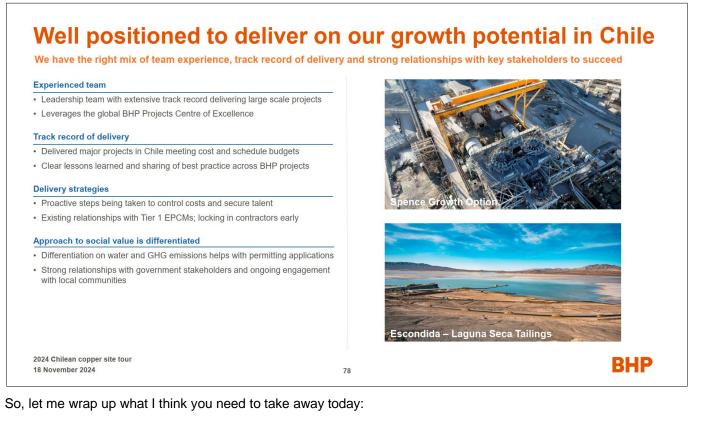
So, how do we benchmark against our competitors? Ranking our capital intensity against recently executed projects in Chile, and other projects in execution or study across the Americas, our projects are stacking up well, with our midpoint average of US\$23k/t lower than our competitor's US\$27k/t.

We have shown the BHP projects as ranges from high to low cases, and an indicative mid-point. As you can see, even projects with a higher capital intensity are demonstrating attractive rates of return.

It's not just a comparison against our peers. It is a highly competitive process to advance projects through the Capital Allocation Framework at BHP.

We feel confident as our Chilean expansion projects will compete against global options and other commodities.

With our projects in early study phases, we expect to use our rigorous processes to improve the economics of the projects between now and execution.



- 1. We deliver projects safely.
- 2. We have the right strategy, with plans that are delivering results.
- 3. We have a track record of delivering projects on cost and schedule therefore we are predictable.
- 4. We have the right team internally at BHP; we have locked in Tier 1 engineering firms with their A teams, from studies all the way to execution; plus also locking in construction companies to deal with our massive pipeline of projects.
- 5. We are leveraging our scale at BHP.

In summary, for these reasons, we believe we are the trusted hands to execute the exciting range of growth projects that we have both at Escondida and Pampa Norte.

Thank you.



Brandon Craig

Thanks, Pedro.

I appreciate that was a significant amount of information and we've given you a lot to think about.

Before we move into the Q&A session, I thought it would be useful to step back and think through what I see as the key takeaways.

Firstly, we have a high-quality team with the right culture in place, really focused on delivering these growth programs. We also have a relentless focus on operational excellence that is delivering today and will continue to improve our performance into the future.

Secondly, we've worked hard to assess a broad range of options, and what we have outlined today is a compelling program of projects with attractive returns. Delivering these will mean Escondida likely maintains its position as the largest copper mine in the world, and that our Chilean operations will likely average copper production of 1.4 Mtpa on average through the 2030s.

Finally, I want to emphasise that we will remain disciplined in our approach – both on sequencing our projects and optimising them to ensure they are as capital efficient as possible. Our projects will also need to compete for capital under the Capital Allocation Framework with those across the broader BHP portfolio – something that will help maximise the value for our shareholders.

As I said in my introduction, I am very proud to lead a great team here in Minerals Americas that are fully committed to safety and delivering high performance. It is an exciting time for us, and we look forward to showing you more in the coming days.

Thank you.

Footnotes

- Slide 4, 14: BHP has agreed to jointly acquire Filo Corp with Lundin Mining, through a Canadian plan of arrangement, and form a 50/50 joint venture to progress the Filo del Sol and Josemaria projects. The transaction is expected to complete in Q3 FV25, subject to regulatory

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71.	Slide 77: ENC is shown on an absolute (total production out of facility) basis. All other projects are shown on an incremental basis. Incremental production (ktpa CuEq) over a ten-year period (FY31-40), unless otherwise stated. Capex adjusted from nominal to real terms
	benchmarking purposes. Third-party projects based on full execution investment required to deliver production. Competitor projects include Bagdad expansion, Centinela expansion, Collahuasi debottlenecking, Los Pelambres INCO, QB2, Quellaveco.

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	Maturity	Estimated capital expenditure (US\$ bn)	FID (Final Investment Decision)	Completion / First production	Potential production (ktpa Cu) ¹	IRR at consensus copper price at sanction (nominal,%) ²
Escondida projects						
Laguna Seca concentrator expansion (LSE) • Debottlenecking, expansion and recovery increase	•	2.0 - 2.6	CY27-28	CY30-31	50 – 70	16 - 20
Replacement concentrator (ENC) - Construction of new concentrator to replace Los Colorados		4.4 - 5.9	CY27-28	CY31-32	220 – 260	13 - 16
Los Colorados concentrator extension (LCE) • Near-term life extension of current concentrator	•	0.2 - 0.3	CY25-CY26	CY27-28	130 – 145	N/A
Escondida BHP Leach ripios application Utilising new BHP leach technology to leach spent primary sulphide ores; studying options for third party technologies		0.9 - 1.3	CY27-28	CY30-32	35 – 55	18 - 24
Production outputs based on 10 year average. Copper consensus price based on \$4.50/lb (real 2024).						
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	Maturity	Estimated capital expenditure (US\$ bn)	FID	Completion / First production	Potential production (ktpa Cu) ¹	IRR at consensus copper price at sanction (nominal,%) ²
Pampa Norte projects						
Spence Chalcopyrite leaching (SCPY) Leverage BHP primary sulphide leaching technology (SaL2) to extend life of cathodes process 		0.10 - 0.14	CY25	CY27-28	30 - 40	35 – 41
Spence concentrator growth Debottleneck and expand existing concentrator to increase throughput and improve recovery 		0.4 - 0.6	CY27	CY28-29	10 - 15	13 – 55
Cerro Colorado potential restart • Application of SaL1 leaching technology to restart operations at Cerro Colorado with an autonomous mine	٠	2.3 - 3.2	CY28	CY31-32	85 - 100	15 – 21
 Production outputs based on 10 year average. Copper consensus price based on \$4.50/lb (real 2024). 						
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Chile Copper Ore Res

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Understanding leaching in copper

No single approach fits all ores, different technologies work across different ore types and applications are site specific

Technology	Oxide	Mixed (30% Oxide, 70% Sulphide)	Secondary sulphide (Supergene)	Primary Sulphide (Hypogene)	Leach residue reprocessing (mainly chalcopyrite)	Crushed or uncrushed material	Recovery	Cycle time	Capital cost	Production potential
Acid leach	√	~	×	x	x	Crushed	50 - 75%	Short	Existing process	Existing process
RoM bio-leach	x	~	✓	✓	x	Uncrushed	30 - 40%		Existing process	Existing process
Jetti™ (Catalyst)	×	×	✓	✓	√	Uncrushed	+5-10ppt on Bioleach		\$\$\$ Low	Low
SaL1 (Chloride)	✓	~	✓	x	x	Crushed	70 - 80%	Short	Existing process	Existing process
SaL2 (Chloride)	x	~	✓	✓	√	Crushed	60 - 65%	Medium	\$ \$ \$ High	Medium
BHP Leach	v	,	1	1	,	Uncrushed	60 - 70%	0	\$\$\$ Medium	
(Nitrate)	×	\checkmark	v	~	~	Crushed	70 - 80%	Short	\$\$\$ High	High
Nuton™	✓	~	✓	✓	×	Crushed	75 - 85%	Short	\$ \$ \$ _{High}	High
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Competent Person Statement: Copper Ore Reserves

_ .		30 June 2024 Proved Reserves		Probable Reserves			Total Reserves		
Deposit	Ore type	Tonnes (Mt)	% Cu	Tonnes (Mt)	% Cu	Tonnes (Mt)	% Cu	BHP interest (9	
Chile copper operations									
Escondida	Full SaL Oxide Sulphide Sulphide Leach	180 3,370	0.80 - 0.63	36 - 1,400	0.61 - 0.54	216 - 4,770	0.77 - 0.60 0.38	57.5	
Spence	Oxide Supergene Sulphide Transitional Sulphide	1,260 12 44 11 390	0.38 0.63 0.60 0.55 0.57	239 0.6 37 0.2 385	0.37 0.53 0.51 0.41 0.50	1,500 13 81 11 775	0.63 0.56 0.55	100	
	Transitional Sulphide Hypogene Sulphide	11 390	0.55 0.57	0.2 385	0.41 0.50	11 775	0.55 0.54		

Competent Person Statement: Copper Mineral Resources

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		Measured R	esources	Indicated R	esources	Inferred Re	sources		Total Resources			
Deposit	Ore Type	Tonnes (Mt)	% Cu	Tonnes (Mt)	% Cu	Tonnes (Mt)	% Cu	Tonnes (Mt)	% Cu	Contained Metal (Cu kt)	BHP Interest (%	
	Oxide	90	0.57	14	0.54	2	0.51	106	0.56	594	57.5	
Escondida	Mixed	50	0.48	37	0.48	20	0.45	107	0.47	503	57.5	
	Sulphide	5,080	0.58	4,000	0.53	9,060	0.53	18,100	0.55	99,550	57.5	
	Oxide	68	0.61	113	0.62	5.7	0.58	187	0.62	1,159	100	
Cerro Colorado	Supergene Sulphide	48	0.58	97	0.58	22	0.64	167	0.59	985	100	
Cerro Colorado	Transitional Sulphide	72	0.45	104	0.41	29	0.42	205	0.43	882	100	
	Hypogene Sulphide	-	-	-	-	1,700	0.36	1,700	0.36	6,120	100	
	Oxide	14	0.63	1.6	0.59	-	-	16	0.63	101	100	
Spence	Supergene Sulphide	82	0.55	29	0.45	0.3	0.42	111	0.52	577	100	
Spence	Transitional Sulphide	16	0.58	0.2	0.47	-	-	16	0.58	93	100	
	Hypogene Sulphide	736	0.46	696	0.43	786	0.39	2,220	0.43	9,546	100	
opper projects		Tonnes (Mt)	% Cu	Tonnes (Mt)	% Cu	Tonnes (Mt)	% Cu	Tonnes (Mt)	% Cu	Cu (kt)	BHP Interest	
Pampa Escondida	Sulphide	294	0.53	1,150	0.55	5,400	0.44	6,840	0.46	31,464	57.5	
Pinta Verde	Oxide	109	0.59	64	0.52	15	0.54	188	0.56	1,053	57.5	
	Sulphide	-	-	23	0.50	37	0.45	60	0.47	282	57.5	
Chimborazo	Sulphide	-	-	135	0.50	80	0.60	215	0.54	1,161	57.5	
Pantera	OC Sulphide	-	-	13	1.28	7.1	1.09	20	1.21	242	100	
Succoth	OC Sulphide	-	-	61	0.57	57	0.52	120	0.54	648	100	
Copper gold operations		Tonnes (Mt)	% Cu	Tonnes (Mt)	% Cu	Tonnes (Mt)	% Cu	Tonnes (Mt)	% Cu	Cu (kt)	BHP Interest	
Pedra Branca	UG Sulphide	0.58	1.57	7.9	1.67	7.3	1.38	16	1.53	245	100	
Carrapateena	UG Sulphide	130	0.98	470	0.62	300	0.26	900	0.55	4,950	100	
Prominent Hill	UG Sulphide	42	1.15	50	0.86	66	0.85	158	0.93	1,469	100	
	SP Sulphide	0.3	1.04	1.6	0.11	-	-	1.9	0.24	5	100	
	SP Low-grade	-	-	2.2	0.16	-	-	2.2	0.16	4	100	
		Tonnes (Mt)	% Cu	Tonnes (Mt)	% Cu	Tonnes (Mt)	% Cu	Tonnes (Mt)	% Cu	Cu (kt)	BHP Interest	
opper gold project Fremantle Doctor	UG Sulphide	-	-	-	-	100	0.51	100	0.51	510	100	
Fremantle Doctor		- Tonnes (Mt)	_ % Cu	- Tonnes (Mt)	_ % Cu	100 Tonnes (Mt)	0.51 % Cu	100 Tonnes (Mt)	0.51 % Cu	510 Cu (kt)	100 BHP Interest	
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