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Phase 1 Smelter – Aerial View



Phase 1 Smelter – Cooling Tower



Phase 1 Smelter – Oxygen Plant



Phase 1 Smelter – Acid Storage



Phase 1 Smelter – Substation



Phase 1 Smelter – Strong Acid and Converter Area



Sentinel – Rougher Flotation



Sentinel – Cleaner Flotation



Sentinel – Tails Thickener



Sentinel – Filtration Building



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Sentinel – Concentrate Storage



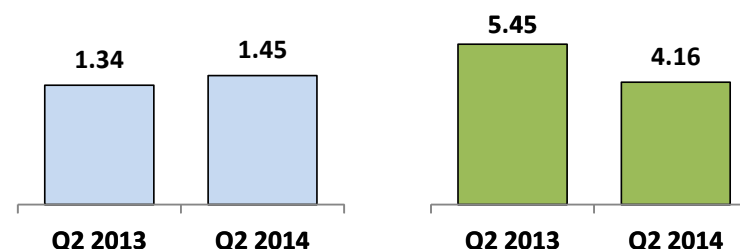
Q2 2014 Highlights

Higher copper and nickel production

Production	Q2 2014	vs Q2 2013
Copper ('000 tonnes)	108k	+ 4k
Nickel ('000 tonnes)	12.2k	+ 1.3k
Gold ('000 ounces)	61k	- 3k

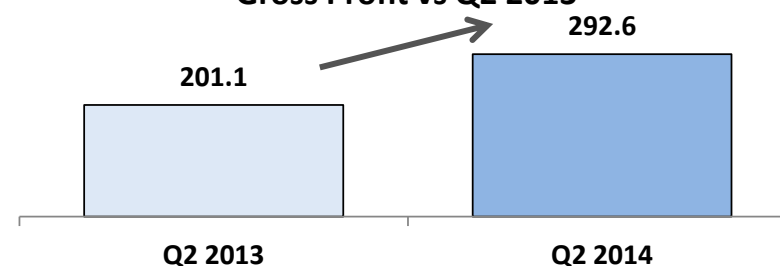
Reduction in nickel C1 cost whilst copper C1 cost 8% higher

Copper C1 Cost 8% higher Nickel C1 Cost 24% lower



Gross Profit 45 % higher than the prior year quarter

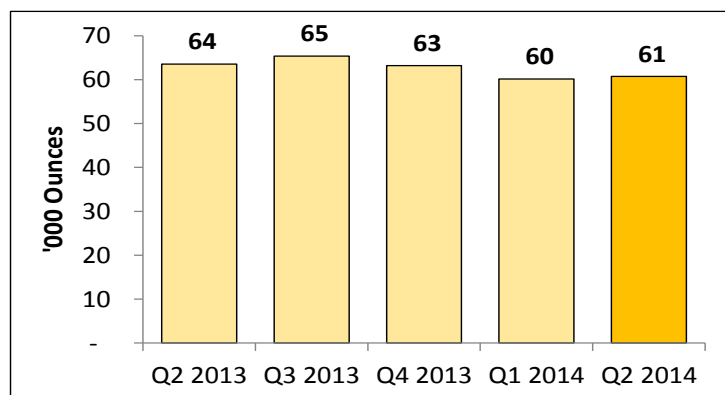
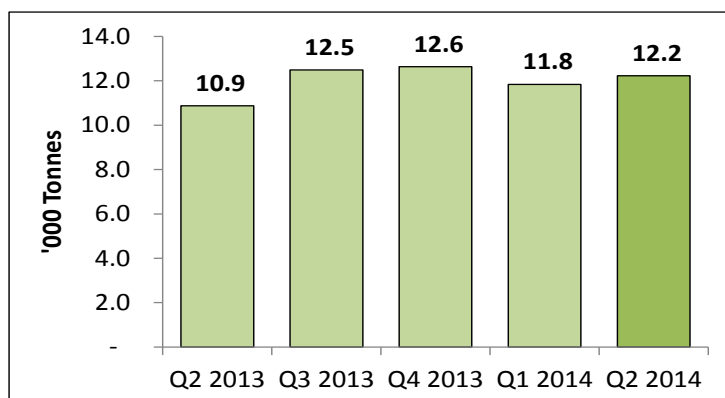
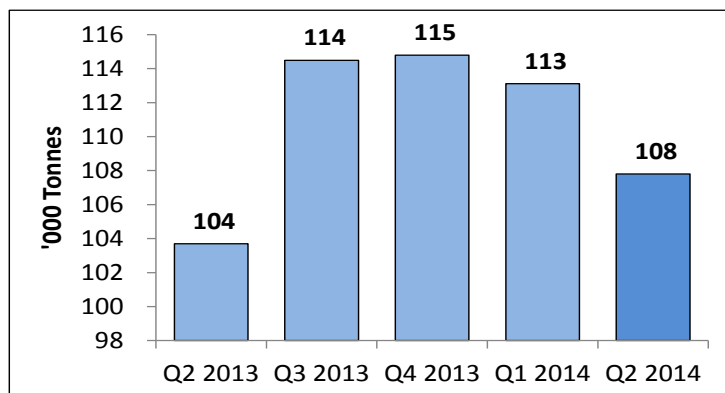
Gross Profit vs Q2 2013



Better overall performance driven by higher copper sales volumes and lower costs

- 20% higher copper sales volumes
- Lower overall costs excluding depreciation, mainly Ravensthorpe and Las Cruces
- Benefit from higher nickel prices offset by lower copper and gold prices

Production



Copper production +4% vs Q2 2013

- Kansanshi 4% higher on higher oxide ore processed
- Las Cruces and Kevitsa both higher than Q2 2013 production, with Guelb Moghrein lower with grades and recoveries impacted by processing ore with lower copper-to-arsenic ratio

Nickel production +12% vs Q2 2013

- Ravensthorpe higher throughput and improved recoveries more than offsetting lower grades
- Kevitsa 33% higher on increased throughput following a 3 week maintenance shutdown in Q2 2013

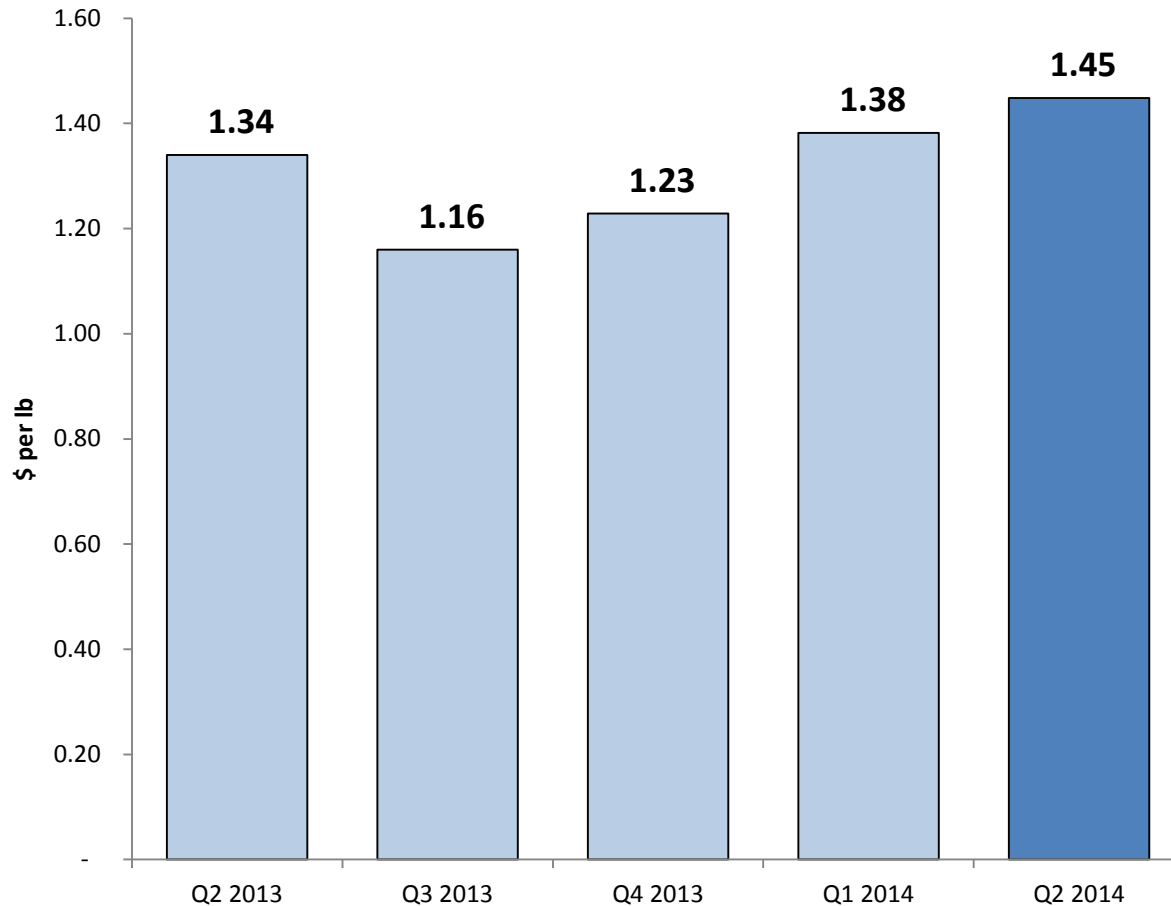
Gold production -4% vs Q2 2013

- Kansanshi lower recoveries and Guelb Moghrein unfavourable grades
- Kevitsa 29% higher following Q2 2013 shutdown



Copper C1 Cost

Higher Group copper C1 cost impacted by Kansanshi and Guelb Moghrein



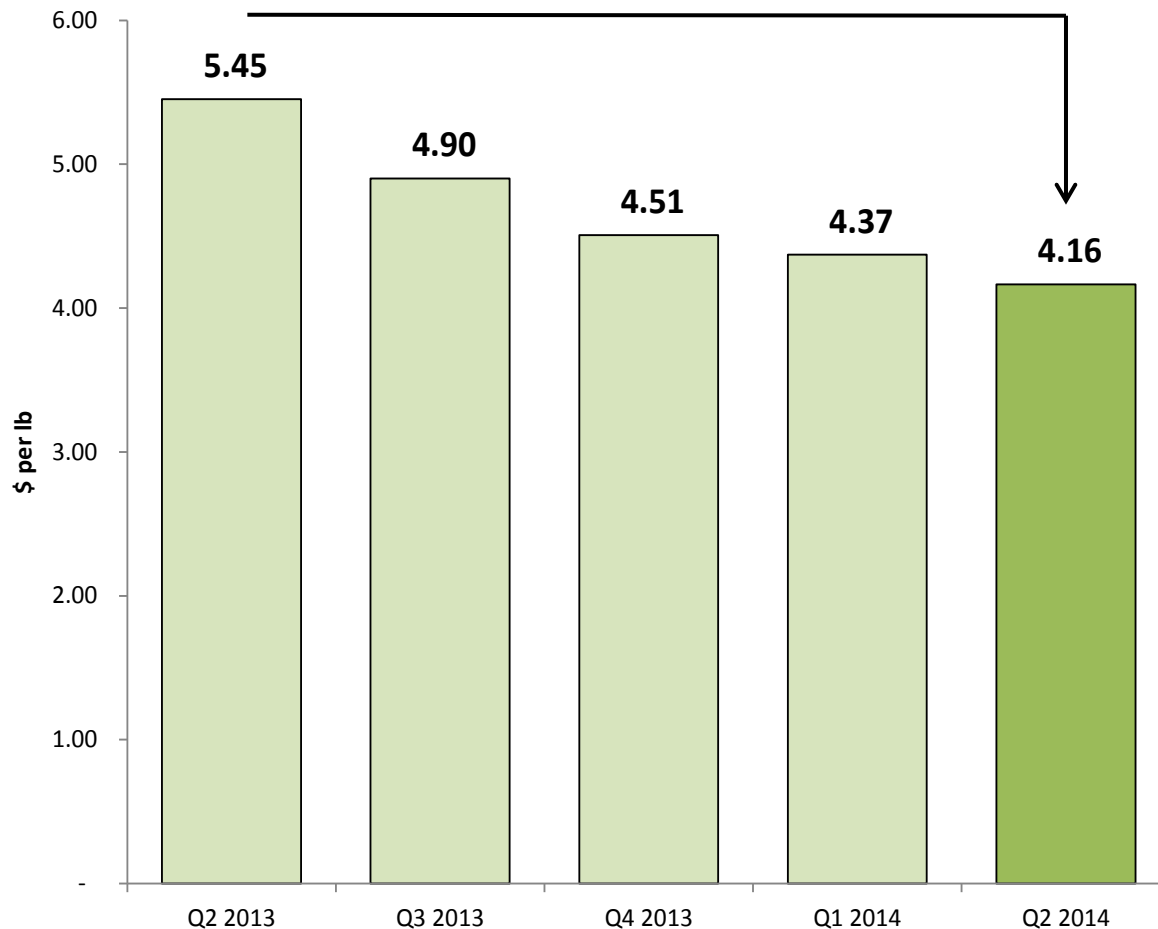
Group copper \$0.11/lb higher than Q2 2013

- Kansanshi higher mining costs associated with exposing oxide ore, plus higher treatment charges
- Guelb Moghrein higher mainly due to lower production and a lower gold credit
- Kevitsa lower due to reduced processing costs and higher by-product credits
- Las Cruces lower benefiting from higher production following the reactor fire in Q2 2013

Nickel C1 Cost

Processing efficiencies at Ravensthorpe and Kevitsa driving nickel C1 cost significantly lower

Nickel C1 cost 24% lower vs Q2 2013



Ravensthorpe \$1.39/lb lower vs Q2 2013

- Processing costs \$1.01/lb lower mainly from workforce efficiencies, lower cost of sulphur and higher production
- Mining and site administration costs also lower along with a higher cobalt credit

Kevitsa \$0.69/lb lower vs Q2 2013

- Lower contractor costs and maintenance costs within processing
- Lower treatment and refining charges

Financial Overview

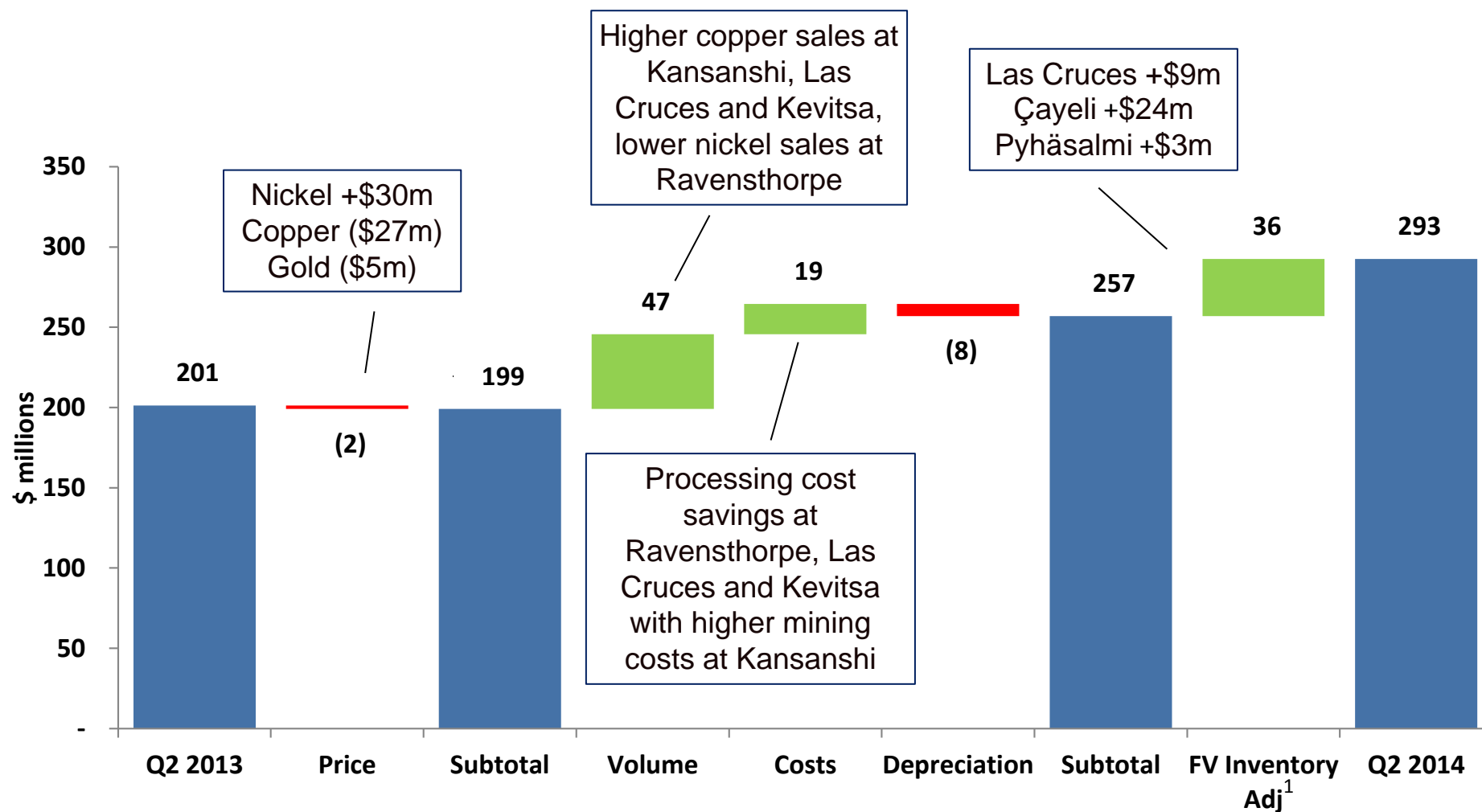
Comparative EBITDA increased \$50m on Q2 2013 from higher copper sales & lower costs

\$ million	Q2 2014	Q2 2013 ⁽¹⁾	Q1 2014	Gross profit 45% higher vs Q2 2013 and 4% higher than prior quarter <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Higher copper sales volumes Lower costs overall Impact of higher nickel prices offset by lower realized copper and gold prices. Q2 2013 gross profit impacted by non-recurring acquisition adjustments on acquired inventory
Revenue	945	869	891	
Gross Profit	293	201	282	
Operating Profit	235	154	234	
EBITDA	382	284	364	
Comparative EBITDA	382	332	364	
Comparative Earnings	134	104	127	
Comparative EPS (Basic) (\$)	0.23	0.12	0.22	
Comparative Effective Tax Rate (%)	39	40	39	
Net Debt	(4,346)	(1,817)	(3,728)	

(1) Q2 2013 gross profit includes Inmet acquisition fair value depletion adjustments.

Gross Profit

Higher copper sales volumes combined with lower costs at Ravensthorpe and Kevitsa



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Quarterly Net Debt Movement

Opening Net Debt at start of Quarter (\$m)	(3,728)
EBITDA	382
Working capital	(139)
Taxes paid	(65)
Capital expenditure	(619)
Net interest paid ⁽¹⁾	(26)
Dividends paid ⁽²⁾	(150)
Other	(1)
Net debt movement	(618)
Closing Net Debt at end of Quarter (\$m)	(4,346)
Net Debt comprised of:	
Cash & cash equivalents ⁽³⁾	769
Total debt ⁽⁴⁾	(5,115)
Available committed undrawn debt facilities at end of Quarter	1,900

- (1) Includes \$25m of capitalized interest
- (2) Dividends include \$50m interim dividend to FQM shareholders and \$100m paid to minority interests
- (3) Includes cash and cash equivalents (\$682m) and restricted cash (\$87m).
- (4) Includes \$176m shareholder loan from minority interest.

2014 Market Guidance

Q2 Production guidance higher nickel and platinum, lower zinc

Copper production⁽¹⁾

418 – 444k tonnes

Nickel production

45 – 48k contained tonnes

Q1 guidance: 42 – 47k tonnes

Gold production

221 – 242k ounces

Zinc production

55 – 60k tonnes

Q1 guidance: 59 – 65k tonnes

Palladium

22 – 24k ounces

Platinum

26 – 29k ounces

Q1 guidance: 22 – 24k ounces

Copper C1 cost guidance unchanged

Nickel C1 cost guidance unchanged

Copper C1 cost⁽¹⁾

\$1.32 - \$1.48 per lb

Nickel C1 cost

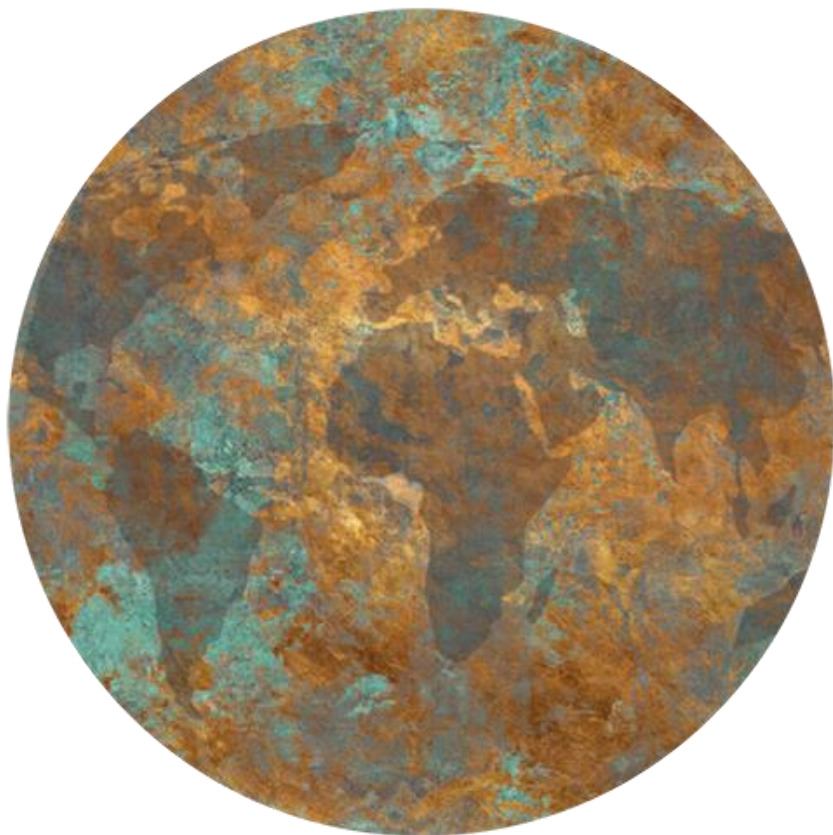
\$4.40 - \$4.90 per lb

Capital expenditure higher

Expected total 2014 capital expenditure⁽²⁾ is approximately **\$2.2 to \$2.4 billion**, increased from Q1 guidance of \$2.1 to \$2.2 billion

(1) Excludes Sentinel mine with staged commissioning scheduled to commence from Q3 2014 and commercial production from Q1 2015.

(2) Excludes capitalization of any pre-commercial production costs and capitalized interest.



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