June Quarter Production Results

Metro Mining (ASX: MMI) is pleased to provide production and shipping results for the June Quarter.

Bauxite Hills Production Results				
Period	April*	May	June	Quarter
Bauxite Mined (WMT) ('000)	39	161	245	445
Bauxite Shipped (WMT) ('000)	35	150	214	399
Bauxite Mined (WMT per day)	2,768	5,194	8,167	n/a
Bauxite Shipped (WMT per day)	2,500	4,844	7,133	n/a

*NB: April was a partial month due to Cyclone Nora and mining did not commence until 17 April 2018

The Bauxite Hills Mine experienced a steady ramp-up during the quarter and is now approaching the budgeted operating rates and achieving very consistent results on a daily basis.

In particular:

- June mining rates averaged 8,167 WMT per day
- The trend in ship loading rates continue to rise with the last ship loading in 7.1 days

Metro is on track to meet its production and shipping guidance of 1.965 – 2.075Mt (WMT) for 2018 CY.



Commenting on this quarterly operating performance, Metro's Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer, Mr Simon Finnis, said:

"While it was a challenging start to the quarter, I am extremely proud of how the site team and our contract partners responded to resolving issues as they arose. All aspects of the operation have finished the quarter performing strongly, and I look forward to the project reaching targeted operating rates during the September quarter".







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