## **Scoping Study 2022 Presentation**

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Please find attached for release to the market, Xanadu Mines Ltd's *Scoping Study 2022 Presentation* for the investor webinar to be held today at 11:00am AEST.

Shareholder, investors, analyst, media and other interested parties can access the webinar via the link:

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#### About Xanadu Mines Ltd:

Xanadu is an ASX and TSX listed Exploration company operating in Mongolia. We give investors exposure to globally significant, large-scale copper-gold discoveries and low-cost inventory growth. Xanadu maintains a portfolio of exploration projects and remains one of the few junior explorers on the ASX or TSX who control a globally significant copper-gold deposit in our flagship Kharmagtai project. For information on Xanadu visit: www.xanadumines.com.

This Announcement was authorised for release by Xanadu's Board of Directors.

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Discovering & growing globally significant copper deposits in Mongolia



#### **Cautionary Statements**

The Study has been undertaken to assess viability of developing the Kharmagtai Copper-Gold Project by constructing an open cut mine and processing facility to produce copper concentrate for export. It is a preliminary technical and economic Study of the potential viability of the Kharmagtai Project. It is based on low level technical and economic assessments that are not sufficient to support the estimation of ore reserves. Further exploration and evaluation work and appropriate studies are required before Xanadu will be in a position to estimate any ore reserves or to provide any assurance of an economic development case. The Study is based on the material assumptions in this document. These include assumptions about the availability of funding. While Xanadu considers all of the material assumptions to be based on reasonable grounds, there is no certainty that they will prove to be correct or that the range of outcomes indicated by the Study will be achieved. To achieve the range of outcomes indicated in the Study, funding of in the order of US\$700 million will likely be required. Investors should note that there is no certainty that Xanadu will be able to raise that amount of funding when needed. It is also possible that such funding may only be available on terms that may be dilutive to or otherwise affect the value of Xanadu's existing shares. It is also possible that Xanadu could pursue other 'value realisation' strategies such as a sale, partial sale or joint venture of the project. If it does, this could materially reduce Xanadu proportionate ownership of the project. Given the uncertainties involved, investors should not make any investment decisions based solely on the results of the Study. There is a low level of geological confidence associated with inferred mineral resources and there is no certainty that further exploration work will result in the determination of indicated mineral resources or that the production target itself will be realised. The Study is based on the December 2021 Mineral Resource Estimate, is based on low-level technical and economic assessments, and is insufficient to support estimation of Ore Reserves or to provide assurance of an economic development case at this stage, or to provide certainty that the conclusions of the Study will be realised. The Study has been completed to a level of accuracy of +/-35% in line with industry standard accuracy for this stage of development. The Company has reasonable grounds for disclosing a Production Target, given that in the first seven years of production, 100% of the mill feed is scheduled from the Indicated Resource category, which exceeds the economic payback period for the project by 3 years. Approximately 55% of the Life of Mine Production Target is in the Indicated Mineral Resource category, and 45% is in the Inferred Mineral Resource category. There is a lower level of geological confidence associated with Inferred Mineral Resources, and while the Company considers all the material assumptions in this Study to be based on reasonable grounds, there is no certainty that they will prove to be correct or that the range of outcomes indicated will be achieved. The Mineral Resources underpinning the production target in the Study have been prepared by a Competent Person in accordance with the requirements of Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves (JORC Code 2012). The Competent Person's Statement is found in the Geology and Resources section of this Study. For full details of the Mineral Resource Estimate, please refer to Xanadu ASX/TSX Announcement dated 25 February 2022. Xanadu confirms that it is not aware of any new information or data that materially affects the information included in that release. All material assumptions and technical parameters underpinning the estimates in that Announcement continue to apply and have not materially changed. Note that unless otherwise stated, all currency in this Study is US dollars.

#### **Forward Looking Statements**

Certain statements contained in this Study, including information as to the future financial or operating performance of Xanadu and its projects may also include statements which are 'forward-looking statements' that may include, amongst other things, statements regarding targets, estimates and assumptions in respect of mineral reserves and mineral resources and anticipated grades and recovery rates, production and prices, recovery costs and results, capital expenditures and are or may be based on assumptions and estimates related to future technical, economic, market, political, social and other conditions. These 'forward-looking statements' are necessarily based upon a number of estimates and assumptions that, while considered reasonable by Xanadu, are inherently subject to significant technical, business, economic, competitive, political and social uncertainties and contingencies and involve known and unknown risks and uncertainties that could cause actual events or results to differ materially from estimated or anticipated events or results reflected in such forward-looking statements. Xanadu disclaims any intent or obligation to update publicly or release any revisions to any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events, circumstances or results or otherwise after the date of this Study or to reflect the occurrence of unanticipated events, other than required by the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth) and the Listing Rules of the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX) and Toronto Stock Exchange (TSX). The words 'believe', 'expect', 'anticipate', 'target', 'plan', 'intends', 'contemplate', 'target', 'plan', 'intends', 'continue', 'budget', 'estimate', 'may', 'will', 'schedule' and similar expressions identify forward-looking statements. All 'forward-looking statements' made in this Study are qualified by the foregoing cautionary statements. Investors are cautioned that 'forward-looking statements' are not a guarantee of future performance and accordingly investors are cautioned not to put undue reliance on 'forward-looking statements' due to the inherent uncertainty therein. Xanadu has concluded that it has a reasonable basis for providing these forward-looking statements and the forecast financial information included in this Study. To achieve the range of Kharmagtai Copper-Gold Project outcomes indicated in the 2022 Study, funding of in the order of an approximately US\$700 million will likely be required by the Company. Based on current market conditions and the results of studies undertaken, there are reasonable grounds to believe the Project can be financed via a combination of equity and debt, as has been done for numerous comparable projects in Mongolia and other jurisdictions in Asia in recent years. Debt may be secured from several sources including Australian banks, international banks, the high yield bond market, resource credit funds, and in conjunction with product sales of offtake agreements. It is also possible the Company may pursue alternative funding options, including undertaking a corporate transaction, seeking a joint venture partial asset sale. There is, however, no certainty that Xanadu will be able to source funding as and when required. Whilst no formal funding discussions have concluded, the Company has engaged with several potential financiers of the Kharmagtai Copper-Gold Project and these financial institutions and corporations have expressed an interest in being involved in funding of the Project. This ASX Study has been prepared in compliance with the current JORC Code (2012) and the ASX Listing Rules. All material assumptions, including sufficient progression of all JORC modifying factors, on which the production target and forecast financial information are based have been included in this ASX Study.

# **Scoping Study Summary**

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## **PROJECT TIMELINE**

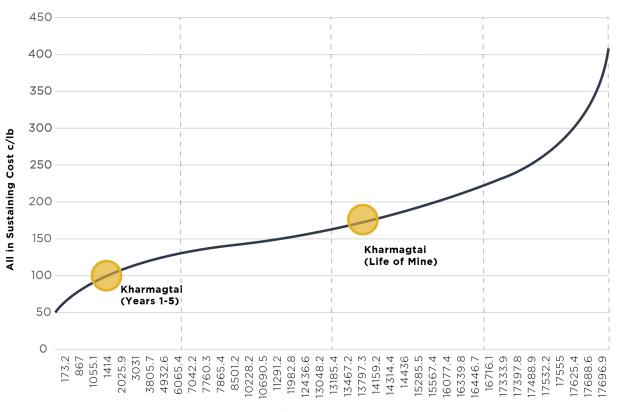
An indicative summary of key expected milestones is summarised as follows:



# **Two Stage Operation, Low Quartile Cost Producer**

XANADU POSITION ON THE COST CURVE

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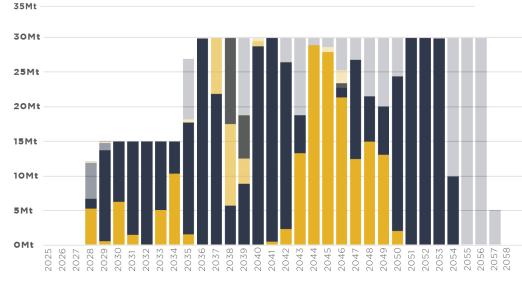
**Cumulative Production kt Cu** 

Area	Measure	Unit	Stage 1 Initial	Stage 2 Expansion	LOM
Production	Period	Years	5	25	30
	Ore process rate	Mtpa	15	30	15-30
	Feed from Indicated Resource	%	100%	50%	55%
	Ore processed	Mt	70	690	760
	Average copper grade	%	0.29	0.21	0.21
	Average gold grade	g/t	0.30	0.16	0.18
	Copper produced	Mt	0.2	1.3	1.5
	Gold produced	Moz	0.5	2.8	3.3
Capital	Project Capital	US\$M	690	620	1,310
	Sustaining Capital	US\$M	40	530	570
Operating Cost	All In Sustaining Costs	US\$/Ib	1.02	1.99	1.87
Economic Assumptions	Copper Price	US\$/Ib	4.00	4.00	4.00
	Gold Price	US\$/oz	1,700	1,700	1,700
Financials (after tax)	Net Present Value (NPV) @ 8%	US\$M			630
	Internal Rate of Return (IRR)	% (real)			20
	Capital Payback	Years	4	1	4
	Free Cash Flow (after tax)	US\$M (real)	155	3,260	3,420

# Low Strip Ratio, Straightforward Scheduling

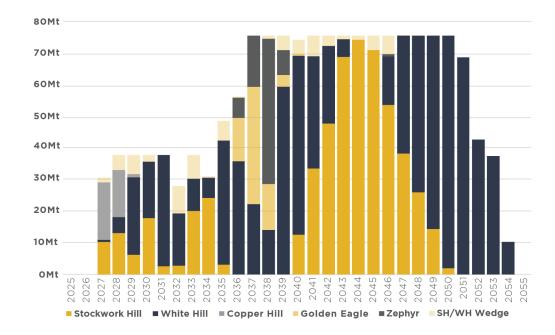
**ANNUAL PROCESSING BY PIT** 

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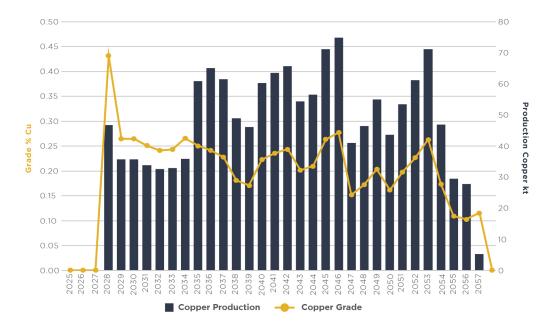
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#### **ANNUAL MINING SCHEDULE BY PIT**

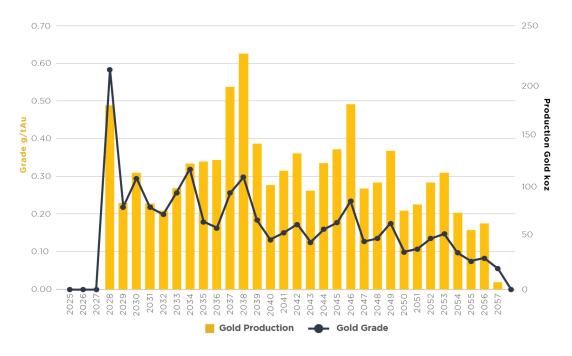


# Long Life, with Higher Grade Early

## **ANNUAL PRODUCTION SCHEDULE - COPPER**



## ANNUAL PRODUCTION SCHEDULE - GOLD

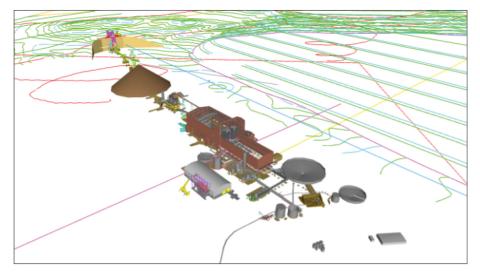


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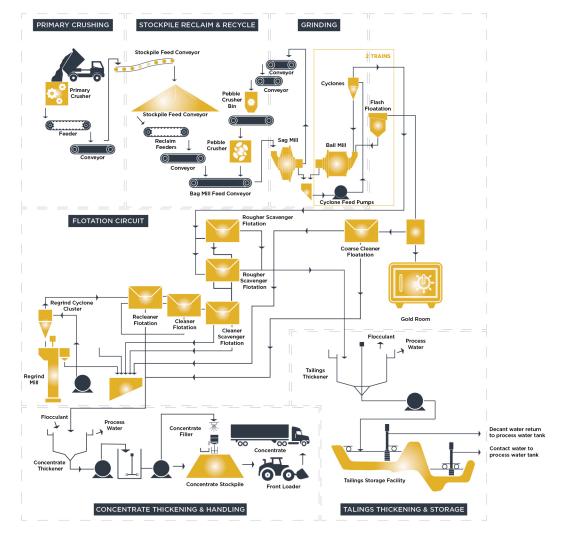
# **Conventional Sulphide Flotation Design**

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## **PROCESS PLANT LAYOUT**



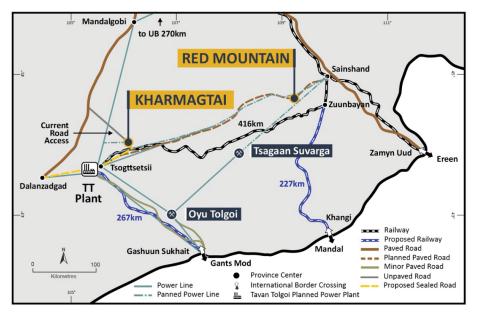
### **PROCESS FLOW DIAGRAM**



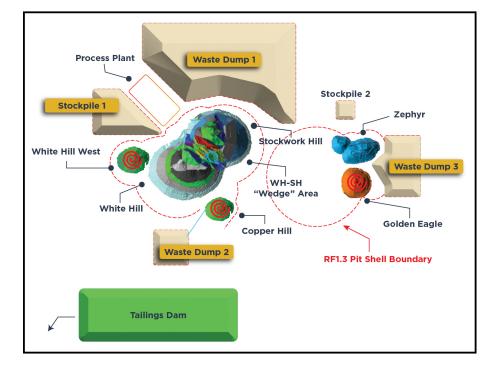
# New Regional Infrastructure, Simple Site Layout

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#### SOUTH GOBI REGIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE



## **PROJECT LAYOUT**



# **Clearly Mapped Permitting & Effective ESG**

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#### **OPERATIONAL PERMITTING STEPS**



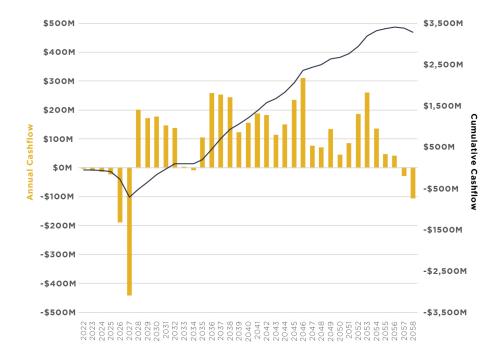
#### KINDERGARTEN CLASSROOM REFURBISH PROJECT 2021

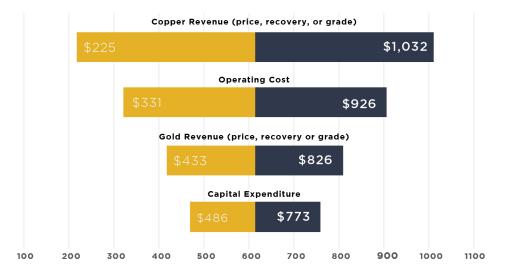


# **Robust Cash Flows**

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## ANNUAL CASHFLOW (US\$M)



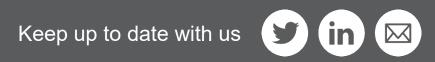


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