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# Size, Growth & Development Optionality at Low Elevation in Chile

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The NI 43-101 Technical Report Mineral Resource Estimate Update dated April 8, 2024, with an effective date of February 26, 2024 (the "Technical Report") relating to the disclosure in this Presentation has been posted on the Company's website at [www.hotchili.net.au](http://www.hotchili.net.au) and filed on SEDAR+ ([www.sedarplus.ca](http://www.sedarplus.ca)) under the Company's issuer profile. For readers to fully understand the information in this Presentation, they should read the Technical Report in its entirety, including all qualifications, assumptions, limitations and exclusions that relate to the information set out in this Presentation that qualifies the technical information contained in the Technical Report. The Technical Report is intended to be read as a whole, and sections should not be read or relied upon out of context. The technical information in this Presentation is subject to the assumptions and qualifications contained in the Technical Report.



# Copper

## THE Critical Commodity



Copper inventories at critical levels with deficit projected to continue



Fiscal & geopolitical uncertainty



Declining copper production grades & lack of major new discoveries



Increasing copper demand from NET ZERO mandates



Committed NEW copper capacity lacking



Material delays in permitting NEW & LARGE copper projects

# Costa Fuego Copper-Gold Project, Chile



*One of the largest scale, lowest elevation copper resources in the world (not controlled by a major miner)*

## Top 10 Undeveloped Copper Resource (S&P 2022)

- Indicated Resource of 798 Mt grading 0.45% CuEq<sup>1</sup> & Inferred Resource of 203 Mt grading 0.31% CuEq<sup>1</sup> (Feb 2024) containing:
  - 2.9 Mt Copper (Cu) Indicated, 0.5 Mt Copper Inferred
  - 2.6 Moz Gold (Au) Indicated, 0.4 Moz Gold Inferred
  - 68.1 kt Molybdenum (Mo) Indicated, 12.5 kt Molybdenum Inferred
  - 12.8 Moz Silver (Ag) Indicated, 2.4 Moz Silver Inferred
- Extremely leveraged to looming structural shortage in copper supply

## PEA – Strong Economics & Leverage

- Post-tax NPV<sub>8%</sub> of US\$1.10 B
- Pre-tax NPV<sub>8%</sub> of US\$1.54 B
- Low start-up capital, fast payback
- 16-year mine life for open pit and underground operations
- 112 ktpa CuEq<sup>2</sup> average production: 95 kt Cu & 49 koz Au for first 14 years
- 97% of PEA inventory is Indicated Resource
- Post-tax NPV<sub>8%</sub> increases by US\$100 M for every US\$0.10/lb increase in copper price above US\$3.85/lb

## Low Risk – Elevation, Infrastructure & Permitting

- Low elevation (<1,000 m), 50 km from port and located along the Pan American Highway, 600 km north of Santiago
- Maritime water concession, power connection, easements and surface rights secured Environmental Impact Assessment significantly advanced
- No requirement for large-scale desalination plant or expensive high altitude water pipeline

## Next Growth Phase & Up-Scale Strategy

- Costa Fuego PFS delivery planned for Q1 2025
- Delivery of Huasco Water Business Case Study expected in Q1 2025
- 30,000 m drill program continuing
- Further consolidation opportunities being pursued
- Targeting a potential increase in study scale toward 150 ktpa copper project for +20 years through resource growth and optimisation initiatives

The Preliminary Economic Assessment contained within the Technical Report (the “PEA”) is preliminary in nature and includes 3% of production feed from Inferred Mineral Resources that are considered too speculative geologically to have the economic considerations applied to them that would enable them to be categorised as Mineral Reserves (NI 43-101) or Ore Reserves (JORC 2012), and there is no certainty that the PEA will be realised. Mineral Resources that are not Mineral Reserves or Ore Reserves do not have demonstrated economic viability. References to “Mineral Reserves” in this Presentation include Ore Reserves (JORC 2012). See Slides 2 and 36 for additional cautionary language.

For further information on this PEA, refer to the Technical Report entitled “NI 43-101 Technical Report Mineral Resource Estimate Update” dated April 8, 2024, with an effective date of February 26, 2024.

<sup>1</sup> The Resource copper-equivalent (CuEq) considers assumed commodity prices and average metallurgical recoveries for the Mineral Resource from testwork. See slide 30 for complete Mineral Resource disclosure of Costa Fuego.

<sup>2</sup> The copper-equivalent (CuEq) annual production rate was based on the combined processing feed (across all sources) and used long-term commodity prices of: Copper US\$ 3.85/lb, Gold US\$ 1,750/oz, Molybdenum US\$ 17/lb, and Silver US\$21/oz; and estimated metallurgical recoveries for the production feed to the following processes: Concentrator (87% Cu, 56% Au, 37% Ag, 58% Mo), Oxide Leach (55% Cu only), & Low-grade Sulphide Leach (40% Cu only).



# Corporate Overview

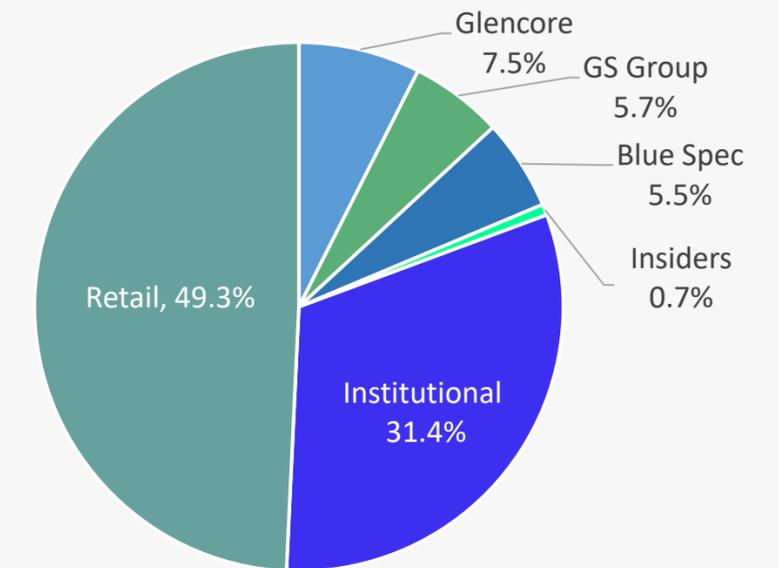
Fully funded into H2 2025

**Advancing funding optionality from a potential water business – Huasco Water**

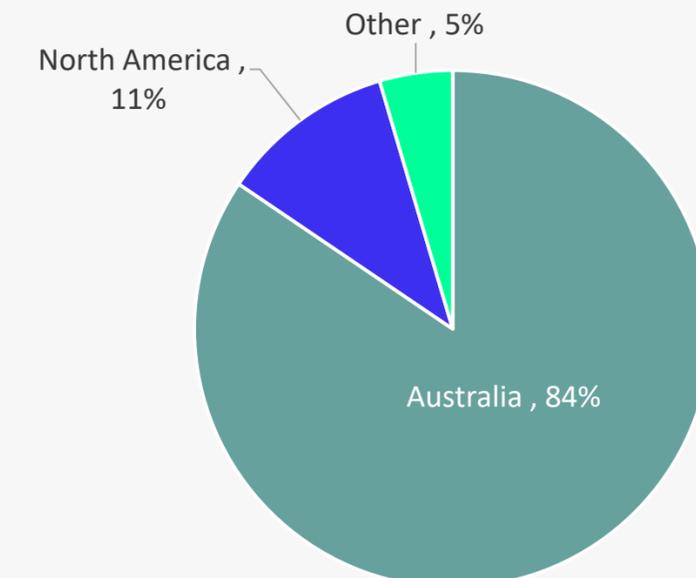
| Capital Structure                  |  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| Exchange                           | ASX/TSXV: HCH<br>OTCQX: HHLKF          |
| Shares Outstanding                 | 151.4 M                                |
| Options & Performance Rights       | 9.1 M                                  |
| Cash                               | A\$25.7 M<br>(as of 30 September 2024) |
| Market Capitalisation <sup>1</sup> | A\$127 M (04 November 2024)            |

| Analyst Coverage   |                 |
|--------------------|-----------------|
| Veritas Securities | Piers Reynolds  |
| Cormark Securities | Stefan Ioannou  |
| Beacon Securities  | Michael Curran  |
| Paradigm Capital   | Jeffrey Woolley |

## INVESTORS BY TYPE



## Investors By Location

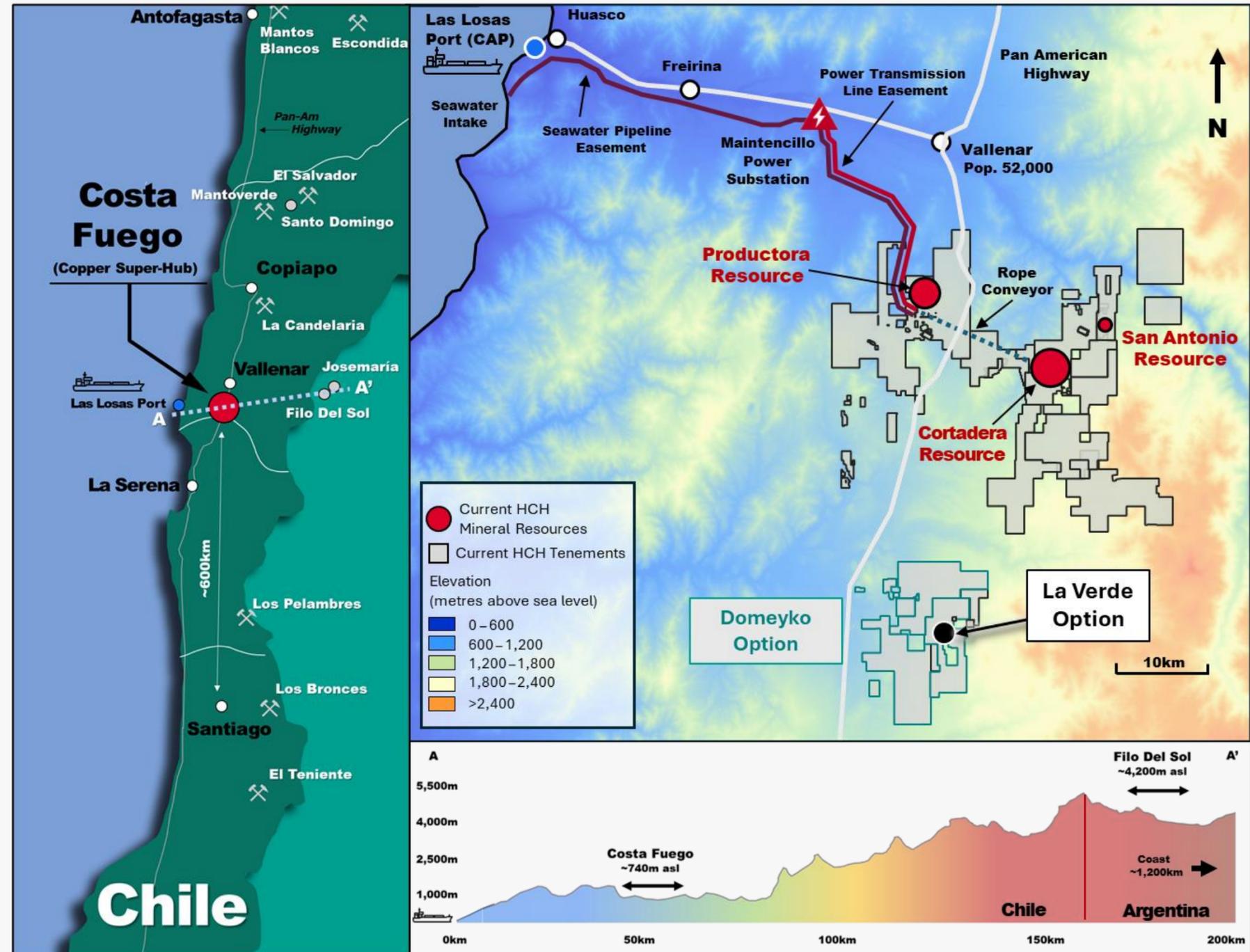


<sup>1</sup>HCH (ASX) share price of AU\$0.84 as of 04 November 2024

# Low Elevation Advantage – Lowers Economic Hurdle

## Long-term Commitment to Risk-Reduction of Future Development

- 1 Water Risk Removed**
  - ✓ Granted maritime concession with land access
  - ✓ All water required for operations secured
- 2 Power Line Risk Removed**
  - ✓ Secured electrical connection to grid
  - ✓ Opportunity to be 100% renewable
- 3 Permitting Timelines Reduced**
  - ✓ Secured easement corridors for power and water pipelines
  - ✓ Secured many of proposed mining infrastructure surface rights
- 4 Access to Existing Infrastructure**
  - ✓ Reduces future capital expenditure
  - ✓ Improves environment, social and governance metrics
- 5 Port MOU Executed**
  - ✓ MOU executed with Puerto Las Losas SA for the right to negotiate a binding Port Services Agreement
- 6 Offtake Not Fully Committed**
  - ✓ Glencore can purchase up to 60% of concentrate for first 8 years life of mine – at benchmark terms but must maintain >7.5% ownership in Company



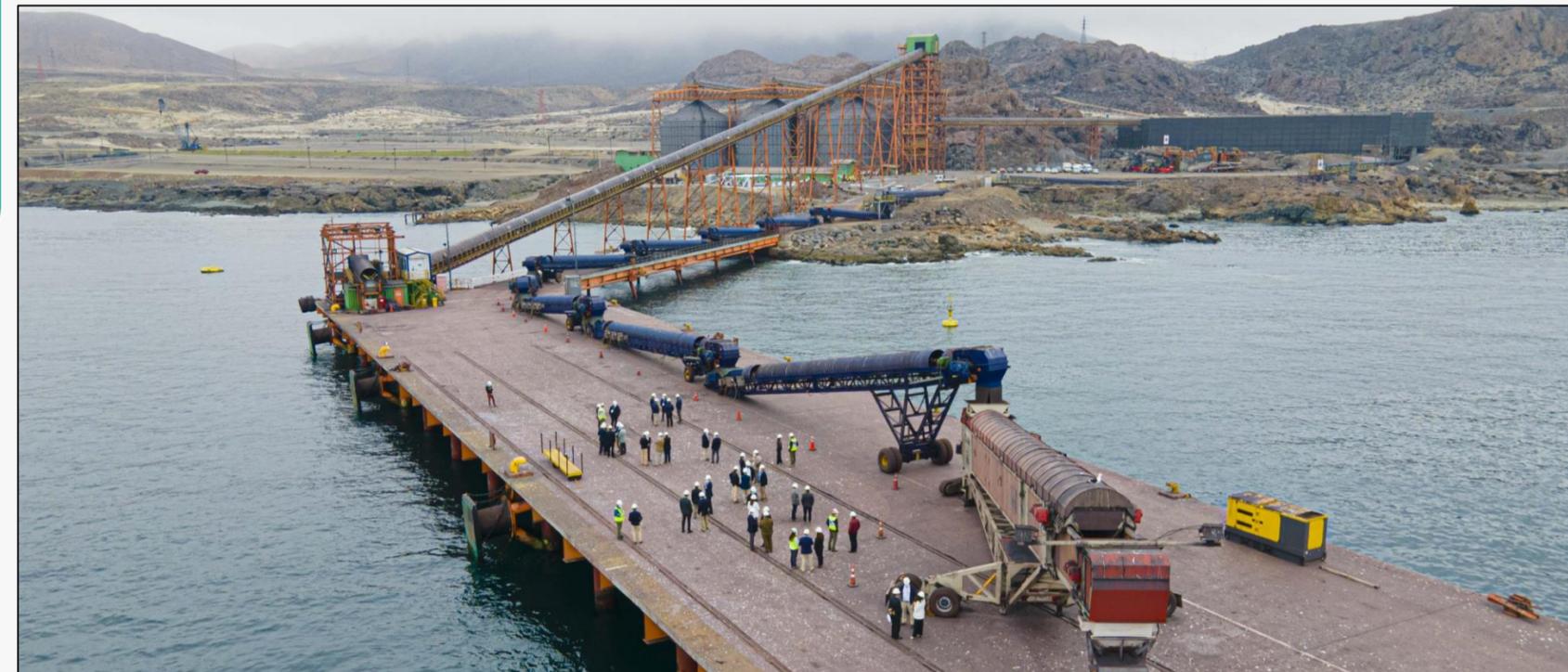
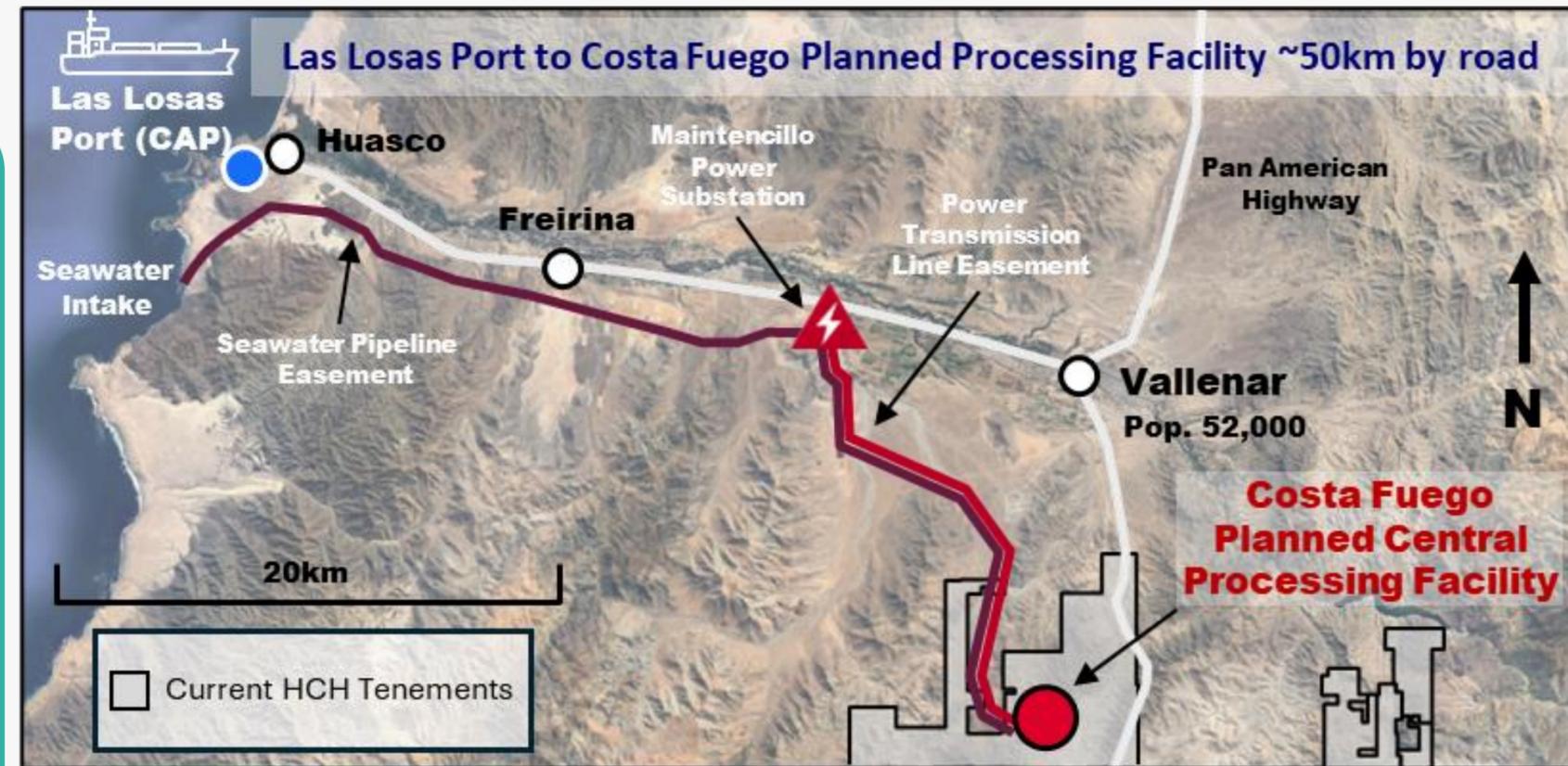
# MOU<sup>1</sup> for Port Services Agreement

Commitment to Jointly Fund Feasibility Study for Bulk Concentrate Exports



## Significant Step Towards Securing Final Infrastructure Advantage for Costa Fuego

- Leveraging an existing port to potentially unlock significant capital and operating cost savings
- MOU<sup>1</sup> with Puerto Las Losas SA for the right to negotiate a binding Port Services Agreement for five years
- Hot Chili will fund 20% of an estimated two-year, US\$4.6 million Feasibility Study for a **bulk tonnage copper concentrate facility**
- Following the Feasibility Study, **Hot Chili shall have a ROFR<sup>2</sup>** to ship copper concentrates through Puerto Las Losas facilities for three years



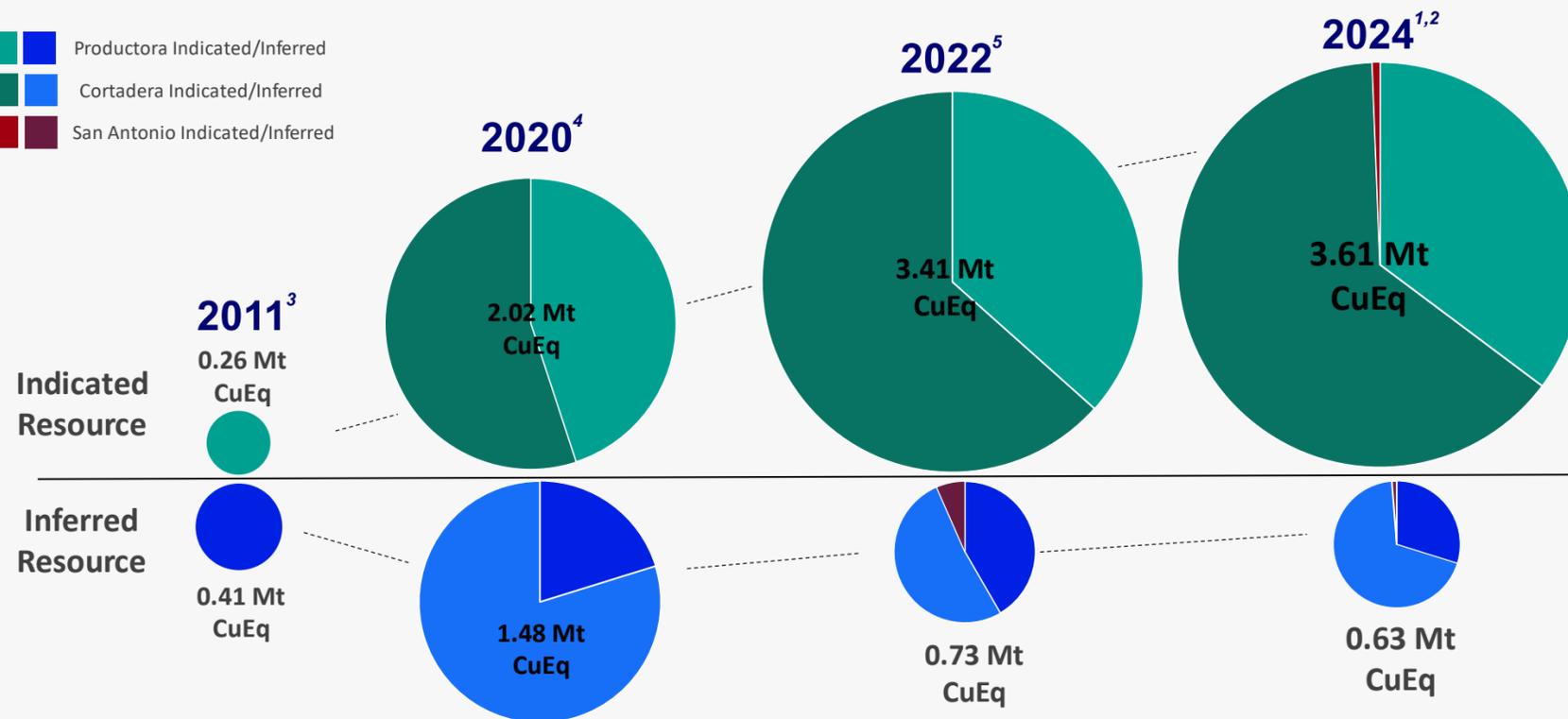
# Costa Fuego Indicated Resource Increased to 798 Mt

Over 85% of Costa Fuego's contained CuEq metal classified as Indicated

## Costa Fuego Mineral Resource update (26 February 2024):

- 6% increase in contained CuEq metal for the total Indicated Resource (798 Mt grading 0.45% CuEq)<sup>1,2</sup>
- 9% increase in contained CuEq metal for the higher-grade (>0.6% CuEq) Indicated Resource (173 Mt grading 0.78% CuEq)<sup>1,2</sup>

■ Productora Indicated/Inferred  
■ Cortadera Indicated/Inferred  
■ San Antonio Indicated/Inferred

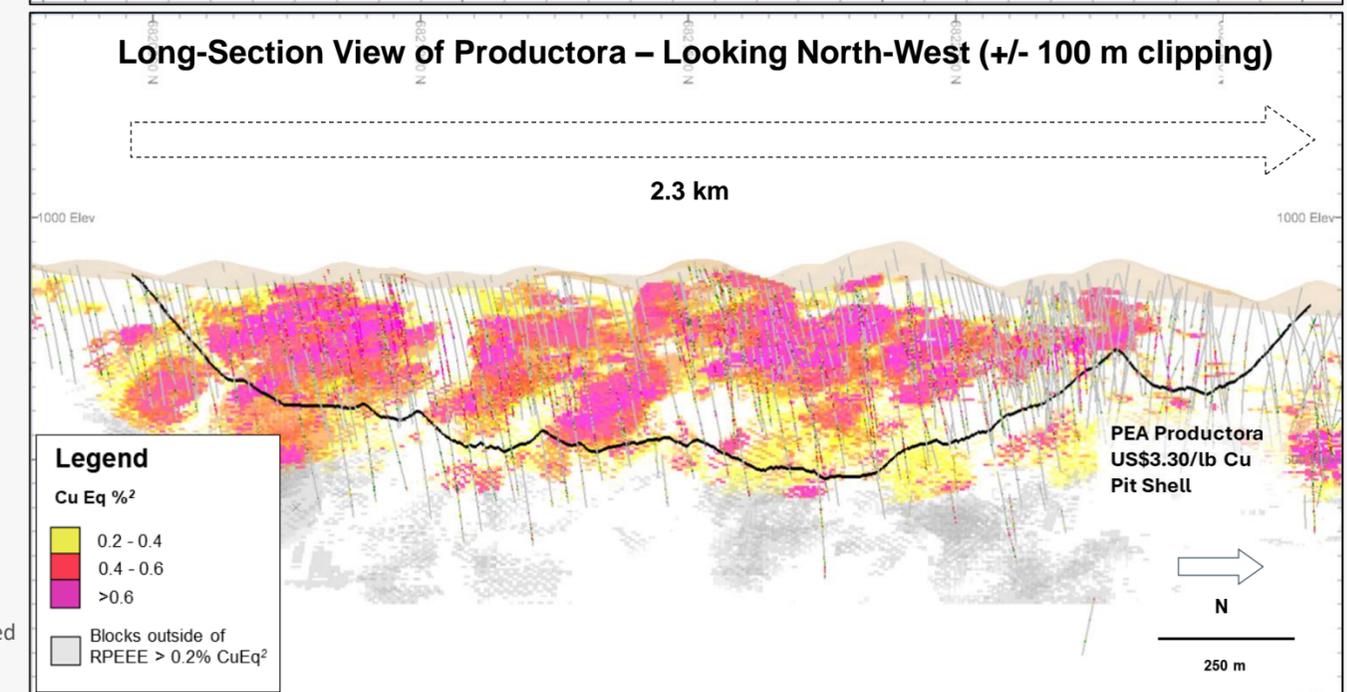
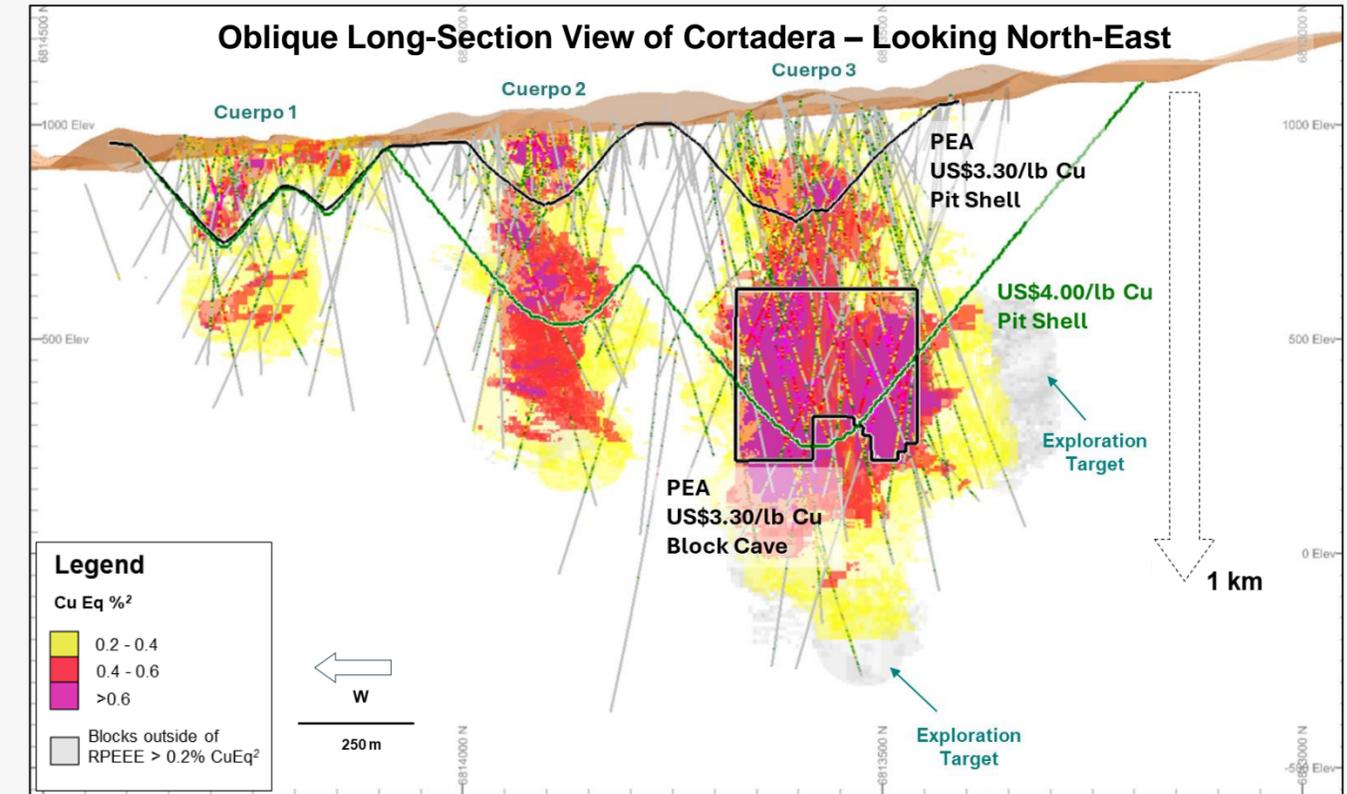


<sup>1</sup> Reported on a 100% Basis - combining Mineral Resource estimates for the Cortadera, Productora, Alice and San Antonio deposits. Figures are rounded, reported to appropriate significant figures, and reported in accordance with CIM and NI 43-101. Metal rounded to nearest thousand, or if less, to the nearest hundred. Total Resource reported at +0.20% CuEq for open pit and +0.27% CuEq for underground. See slide 30 for complete Mineral Resource disclosure of Costa Fuego.

<sup>2</sup>  $CuEq\% = ((Cu\% \times Cu\ price\ 1\% \ per\ tonne \times Cu\_recovery) + (Mo\ ppm \times Mo\ price\ per\ g/t \times Mo\_recovery) + (Au\ ppm \times Au\ price\ per\ g/t \times Au\_recovery) + (Ag\ ppm \times Ag\ price\ per\ g/t \times Ag\_recovery)) / (Cu\ price\ 1\% \ per\ tonne \times Cu\_recovery)$ . The Metal Prices applied in the calculation were: Cu=3.00 USD/lb, Au=1,700 USD/oz, Mo=14 USD/lb, and Ag=20 USD/oz. For Cortadera (Inferred + Indicated) the average Metallurgical Recoveries are Cu=82%, Au=55%, Mo=81%, and Ag=36%. For San Antonio (Indicated + Inferred) the average Metallurgical Recoveries are 85% Cu, 66% Au, 80% Mo and 63% Ag. For Alice (Indicated + Inferred) the average Metallurgical Recoveries are 81% Cu, 47% Au, 52% Mo and 37% Ag. For Productora (Inferred + Indicated), the average Metallurgical Recoveries are Cu=84%, Au=47%, Mo=48% and Ag=18%. For Costa Fuego (Inferred + Indicated), the average Metallurgical Recoveries are Cu=83%, Au=53%, Mo=71% and Ag=26%.

<sup>3</sup> See announcement dated 6th September 2011 "First Resource at Productora" for details on historical MRE reporting. <sup>4</sup> See announcement dated 12th October 2020 "Costa Fuego Becomes a Leading Global Copper Project" for details on historical MRE reporting

<sup>5</sup> See announcement dated 31st March 2022 "Hot Chili Delivers Next Level of Growth" for details on historical MRE reporting.

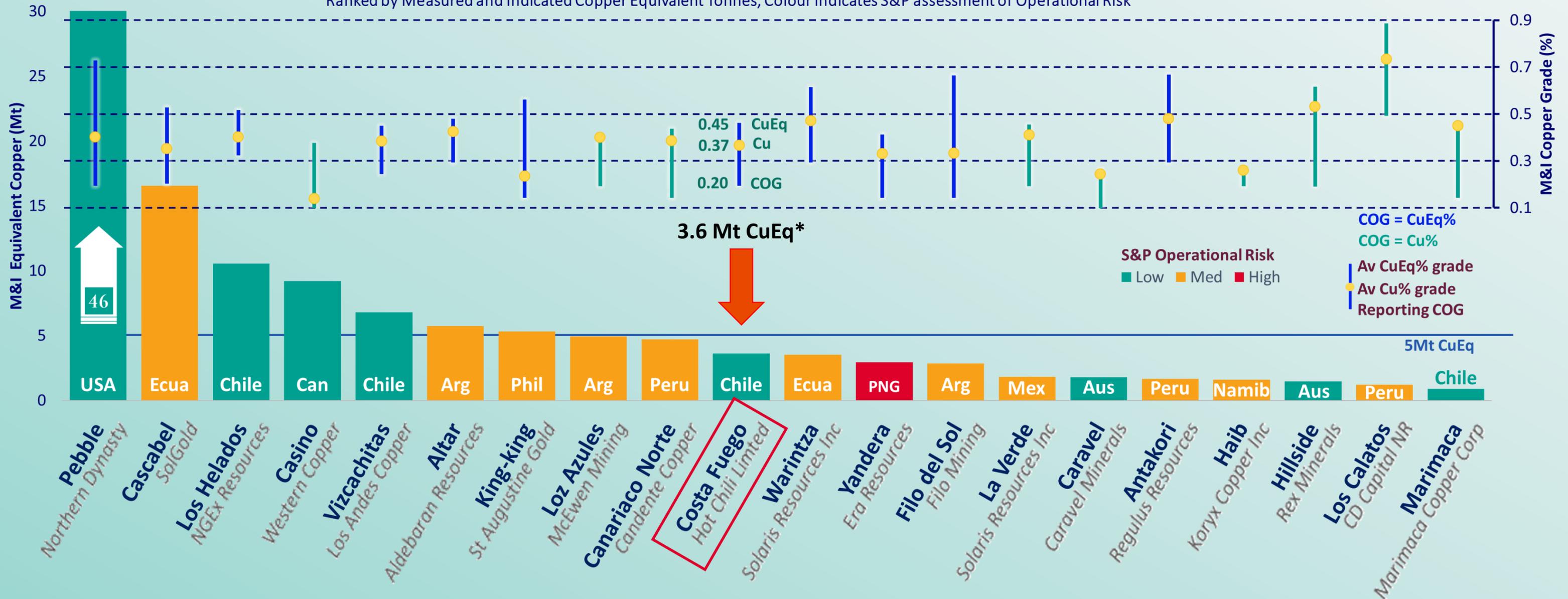


# World's Largest Undeveloped Copper Mineral Resources

Peer benchmark – projects not controlled by a major mining company

## World's Largest Undeveloped Copper Mineral Resources Not Controlled by a Major Mining Company

Ranked by Measured and Indicated Copper Equivalent Tonnes, Colour indicates S&P assessment of Operational Risk



The Global Resource Peer Group of Mineral Resources were selected on the following basis: Top 20 largest global primary copper Mineral Resources (not controlled by a major miner) ranked by contained CuEq\* metal (Measured and Indicated classification). All Mineral Resources are published and are reported in accordance with JORC Code (2012) and NI 43-101 standards.

\*Resource copper-equivalent (CuEq) on graph was constructed from public information (used without the consent of the source) and normalised using this price deck: Copper US\$3.30/lb, Gold US\$1,700/oz, Molybdenum US\$14/lb, Silver US\$20/oz, Platinum US\$1,050/oz, Palladium US\$1,400 USD/oz, Cobalt US\$14/lb, Nickel US\$7/lb. CuEq grade and tonnes calculated using these prices and recoveries declared in each Project's public company documents. Hot Chili assembled the data from S&P and company public reports and announcements available on 16 February 2024. See slides 31, 32 & 33 for all Mineral Resource disclosures.

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# Costa Fuego PEA Highlights

Strong financial results using 8% discount rate & long-term US\$3.85/lb copper price and US\$1,750/oz gold price

|   |  |   |
|---|--|---|
| <p>Post-Tax NPV<sub>8%</sub></p> <p><b>US\$1.10 B</b></p> <p>Post-Tax IRR</p> <p><b>21%</b></p>   | <p>Pre-Tax NPV<sub>8%</sub></p> <p><b>US\$1.54 B</b></p> <p>Pre-Tax IRR</p> <p><b>24%</b></p>                      | <p>Primary Annual Production Rate (First 14 Years)</p> <p><b>112 kt CuEq<sup>1</sup></b><br/>(or 248 Mlbs CuEq)</p> <p>Equal to</p> <p><b>95 kt Cu &amp; 49 koz Au</b><br/>(or 210 Mlbs Cu &amp; 49 koz Au)</p> |
| <p>Low Start-Up Capital</p> <p><b>US\$1.05 B</b></p> <p>First Quartile Capital Intensity</p> <p><b>US\$10,110</b></p> <p>per tonne of CuEq* produced annually</p> | <p>Post-Tax, Life of Mine Free Cashflow</p> <p><b>US\$3.28 B</b></p> <p>Payback Period</p> <p><b>3.5 Years</b></p> | <p>C1 Cash Cost<sup>2</sup> (Net of By-Product Credits)</p> <p><b>US\$1.33/lb Cu</b></p> <p>Open Pit Strip Ratio</p> <p><b>1.8</b></p>  |



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<sup>2</sup> See Slides 2 and 36 for discussion of non-IFRS measures.

NPV = Net Present Value, IRR = Internal Rate of Return.

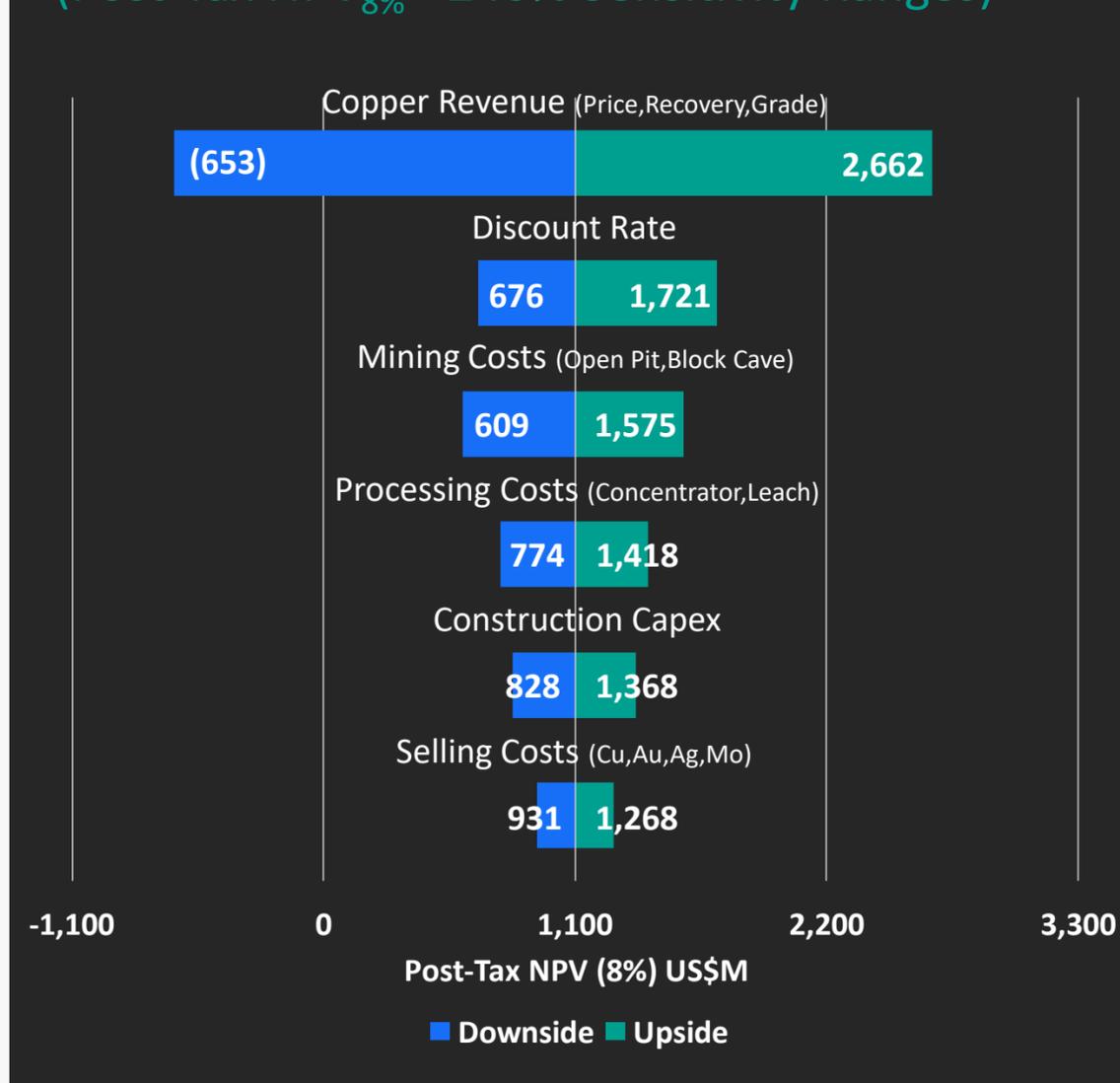


# Strong Leverage to Copper Price

50% increase in long-term copper price from US\$3.85/lb near triples post-tax NPV<sub>8%</sub> and doubles IRR

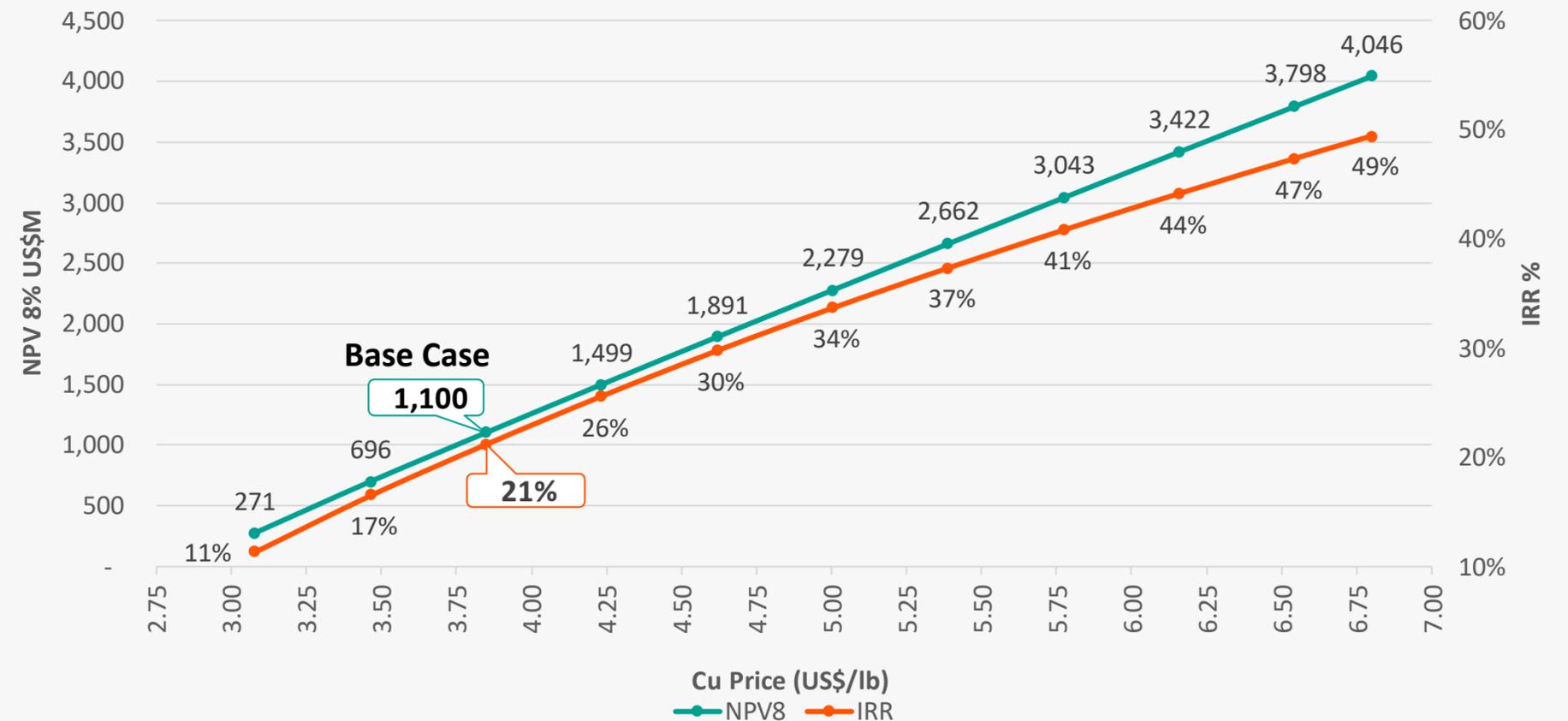
## Sensitivity Analysis

(Post-Tax NPV<sub>8%</sub> - ±40% Sensitivity Ranges)



## Sensitivity to Copper Price

(Post-Tax NPV<sub>8%</sub> & IRR)



PEA sensitivity analysis used a copper price minimum of US\$3.0/lb and maximum of US\$6.8/lb based on the range of forecast copper prices from 27 banks in 2023.

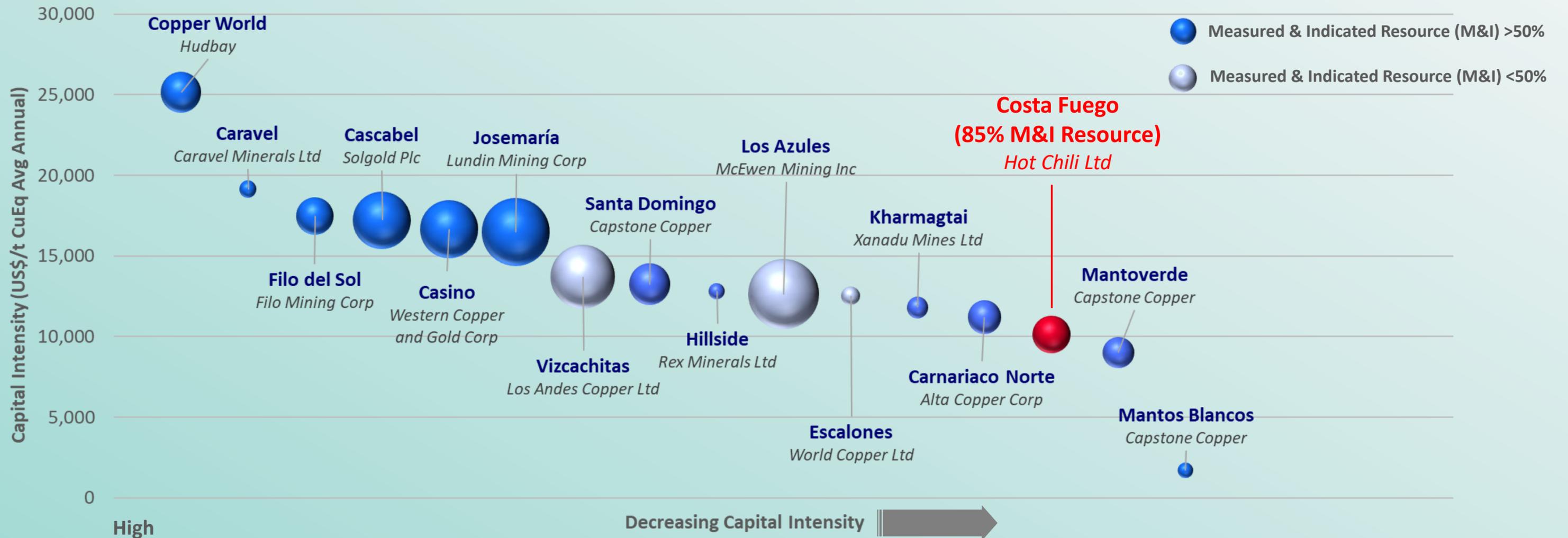


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Capex = Capital Expenditure, NPV = Net Present Value, IRR = Internal Rate of Return

# Capital Intensity

Peer benchmark – capital intensity and average annual copper equivalent\* production



Sphere size represents projected Life of Mine Average Annual CuEq\* Production. Grey spheres contain majority Inferred material in study schedule.

\* The copper-equivalent (CuEq) annual production rate was based on the combined processing feed (across all sources) and used long-term commodity prices of: Copper US\$ 3.85/lb, Gold US\$ 1,750/oz, Molybdenum US\$ 17/lb, and Silver US\$21/oz; and estimated metallurgical recoveries for the production feed to the following processes: Concentrator (87% Cu, 56% Au, 37% Ag, 58% Mo), Oxide Leach (55% Cu only), & Low-grade Sulphide Leach (40% Cu only).

The Global Developer Peer Group of project studies were selected on the following basis: Global primary copper projects (not controlled by a major miner), net of by-product credits where applicable, reporting studies of average annual life-of-mine copper production of greater than 40 kt, which have been published within the last 4 years. Projects with older studies were considered to be on hold. Significant projects such as Pebble and King-king were excluded due to high perceived geopolitical risk, limiting the probability of development. Projects controlled by mid-tier mining companies near Costa Fuego were also included (Josemaría, Santa Domingo, Mantos Blanco and Mantoverde) for comparison purposes. References to active mines and other mineral projects is for illustration purposes only. There can be no assurances the Company will achieve comparable results.

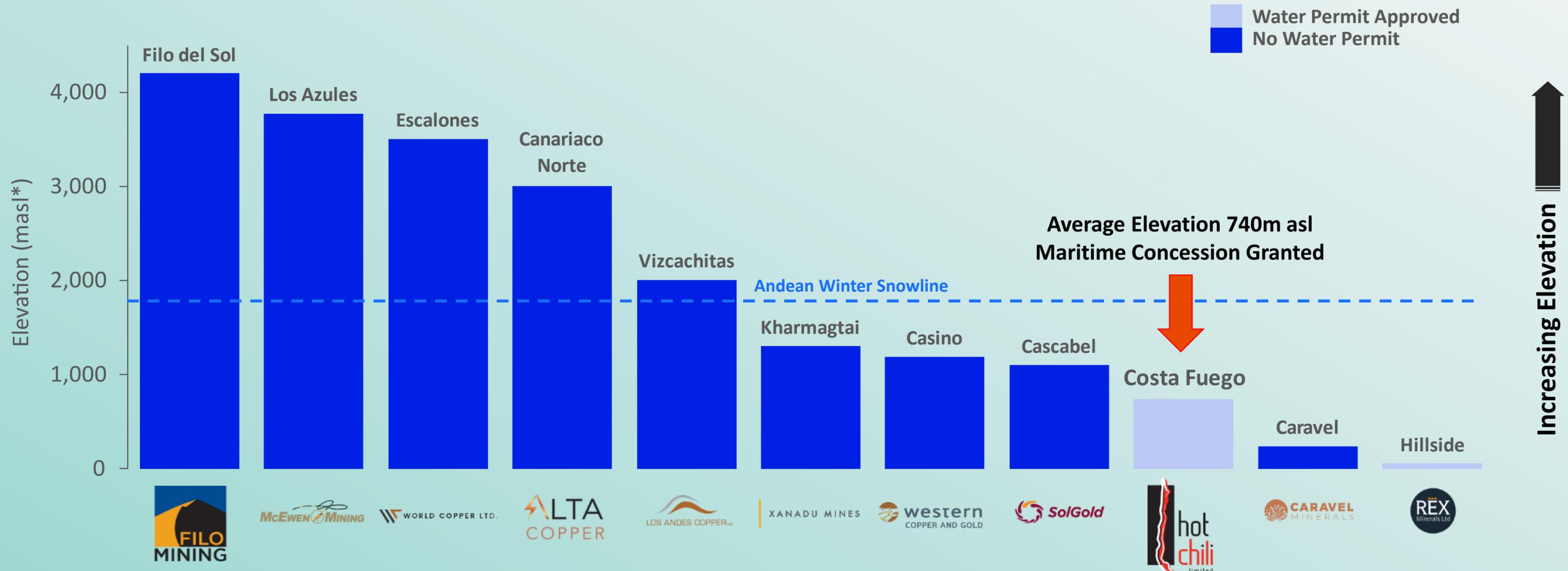
Source: Published Company reports on studies undertaken on projects that were not in production at the time of the studies. Information from projects has been sourced from publicly available data that has been provided under differing economic assumptions. Public information for projects has been adjusted to provide a standardised data set under a US\$3.85/lb Cu price. Published sensitivity data provided results that bracketed an US\$3.85/lb Cu price, which was then calculated. Details of the adjustment are provided in the reference table on Benchmarking Data in the appendix (see slides 34 to 35).

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# Elevation & Water Permits for Copper Development Projects

Peer benchmark – elevation above sea level and water permits (maritime or terrestrial)



The Global Market Developer Peer Group of market-listed companies were selected on the following basis: Global copper development companies (not controlled by a major miner), with by-product metals where applicable, reporting development studies of average annual life-of-mine copper production of greater than 40 kt, which have been published within the last 4 years. Companies with older studies were considered to have their development project on hold. Companies with significant projects such as Pebble and King-king were excluded by Hot Chili due to high perceived geopolitical risk, limiting the probability of development. Mining companies already in production but part of the Global Developer Peer Group were excluded (Lundin - Josemaría, Capstone Mining - Santa Domingo, Mantos Blanco and Mantoverde).

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asl = above sea level



# Market Valuation of Measured & Indicated Copper Resources

Peer benchmark – market capitalisation / M&I CuEq\* mineral resources (US¢/lb)



The Global Market Resource Peer Group of market-listed companies were selected on the following basis: Global copper developers (not controlled by a major miner), with by-product metals where applicable, with Mineral Resource Estimates which have been published within the last 4 years. Companies with significant projects such as Pebble and King-king were excluded due to high perceived geopolitical risk, limiting the probability of development. Mining companies already in production but part of the Global Developer Peer Group were excluded (Lundin - Josemaría, Capstone Mining - Santa Domingo, Mantos Blanco and Mantoverde).

Source: Published Company reports on studies undertaken on projects that were not in production at the time of the studies.

\* Resource copper-equivalent (CuEq) on graph was constructed from public information (used without the consent of the source) and normalised using this price deck: Copper US\$3.30/lb, Gold US\$1,700/oz, Molybdenum US\$14/lb, Silver US\$20/oz, Platinum US\$1,050/oz, Palladium US\$1,400 USD/oz, Cobalt US\$14/lb, Nickel US\$7/lb. CuEq grade and tonnes calculated using these prices and recoveries declared in each Project's public company documents. Hot Chili assembled the data from S&P and company public reports and announcements available on 16 February 2024. See slides 31, 32 and 33 for all Mineral Resource disclosures.

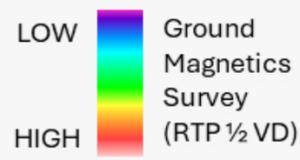
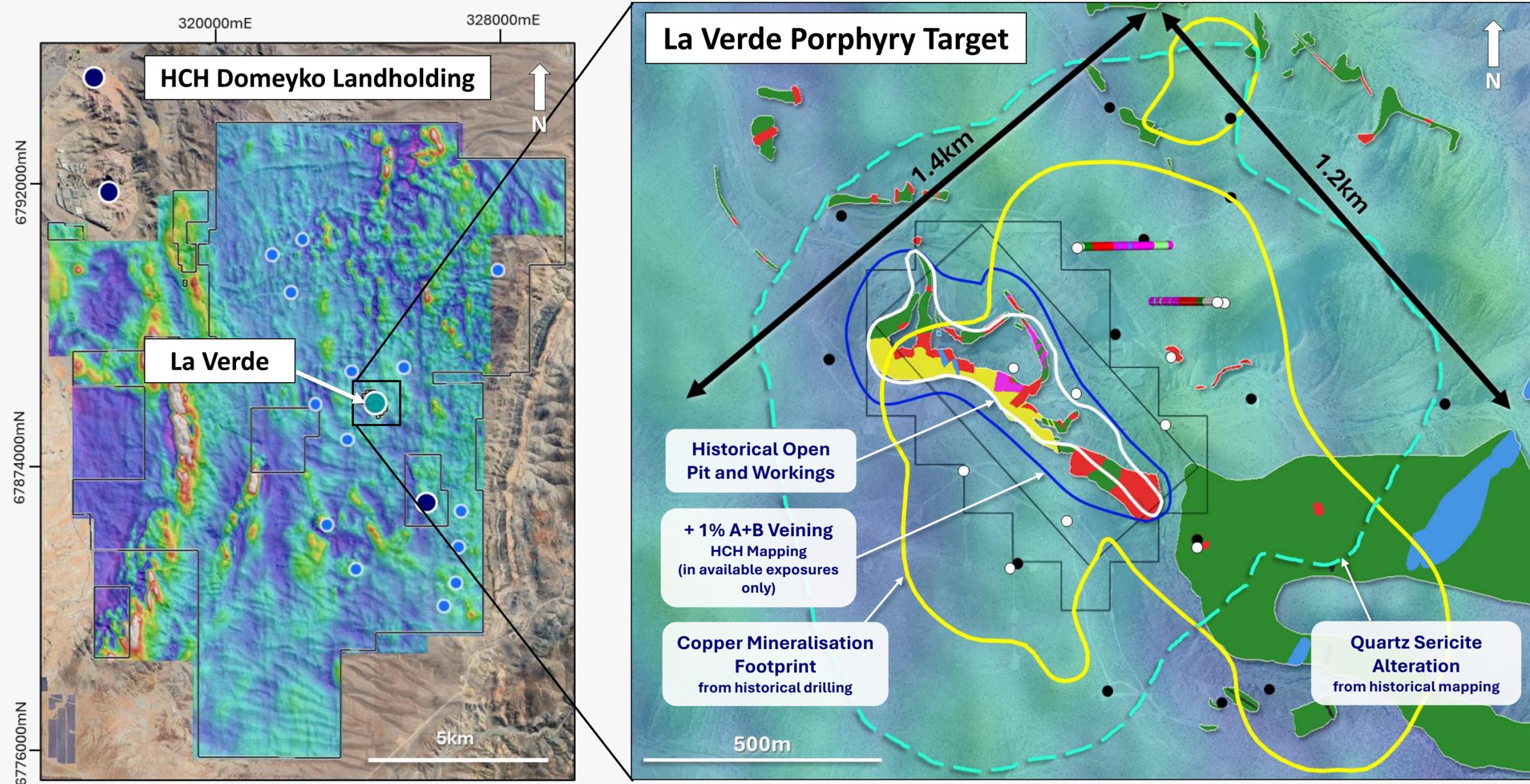
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Weighted average of Market Capitalisation / Measured & Indicated CuEq\* Mineral Resources (US¢/lb) reduces impact of outliers by weighting for Measured & Indicated CuEq\* Mineral Resource.



# Exploration Drilling Underway at La Verde

First-pass RC program to test potential of newly acquired bulk-tonnage porphyry target<sup>1</sup>



- La Verde Target
- Areas of Interest
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Party Mines

- Dioritic Porphyry
- Tonalitic Porphyry
- Late Tonalitic Porphyry

- Intermediate Volcanics
- Proximal Hornfels
- Late Andesite

- Hydrothermal Breccia
- Planned Drillhole Collar
- Historic Drillhole Collar



<sup>1</sup> See Announcement 'Hot Chili Adds La Verde to its Costa Fuego Coastal Copper Hub in Chile, Drilling Underway' dated 11 November 2024

# Environment, Social & Governance Focused

*Over a decade of responsible and respectful Investment*



## 1 Environment Water & Land

- Minimising environmental footprint by leveraging off existing infrastructure (port, power & roads)
- Maritime concession and land access granted to supply raw seawater for processing
- Seawater processing preserves regional groundwater resources

## 2 Environment Energy

- Connection to Chilean national grid at Maitencillo substation
- Able to use up to 100% renewable energy sources in future power supply
- Expected low energy intensive project (no desalination)



## 3 Social

- Funding of orphanages in Vallenar and Freirina
- Providing sociological and psychiatric support programs
- Chilean goods and services focused; local employer
- Provide fresh water to local families for irrigation



## 4 Governance

- Development of a Board ESG Committee
- Broad view of diversity throughout company
- Chilean nationals across Board and Management
- Independent Chairman and Directors

# Huasco Water

- **New Joint Venture water company established.** Hot Chili (80% interest) & CMP<sup>1</sup> (20% interest)
- Long lead-time items secured, including a **granted maritime water concession** to extract seawater and a permit for **coastal land access**
- **Transfer of all water assets** to Huasco Water **in-progress**
- **International Engineering firm ILF appointed** to complete regional Water Supply Business Case Study (PFS-Engineering) with targeted completion in Q1 2025
- **Water off-taker and joint infrastructure partnership discussions advancing**



**Hot Chili's water business is the potential solution to unlocking copper supply in the Huasco Region of the Atacama**

<sup>1</sup> CMP refers to Compañía Minera del Pacífico

<sup>2</sup> See Announcement 'Hot Chili Launches New Water Company - Huasco Water' dated 08 July 2024

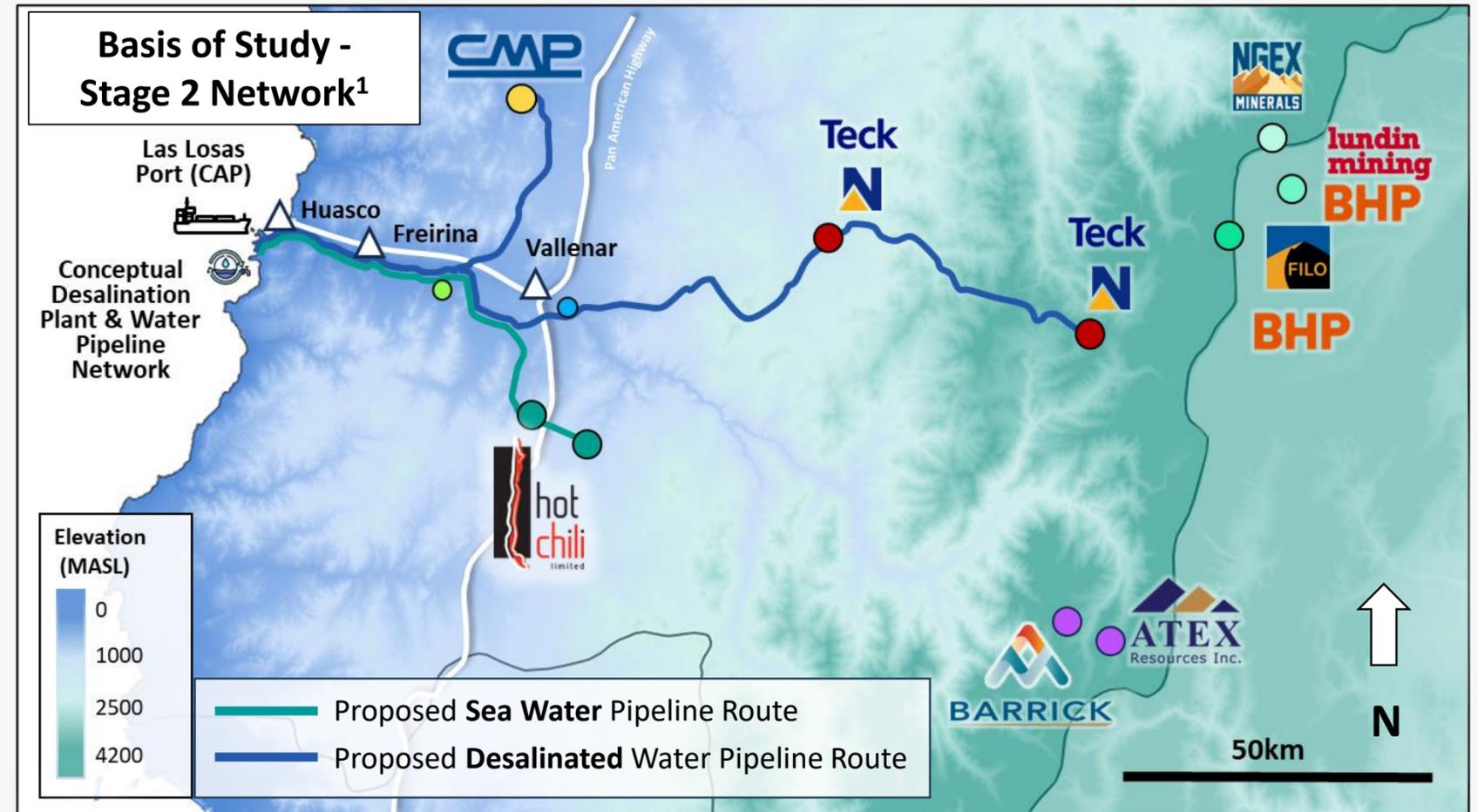
# Huasco Water – Conceptual Basis of Study<sup>1</sup>

Proposed three-stage approach aligned with Costa Fuego development plan

**Stage 1<sup>1</sup>:** Establishment of sea water intake, principal pipeline route and infrastructure connection to supply minimum 600 L/s seawater to Costa Fuego.

**Potential Stage 2<sup>1</sup>:** Baseline modular desalination plant, desalination pipeline and supply to Los Colorados, Nueva Union projects and nearby communities

**Potential Stage 3<sup>1</sup>:** Desalination upgrade and extension to higher Andean projects for 2050 and beyond



| Potential Customers Considered in Study <sup>1</sup> |                                | Basis of Study - Water Demand (L/s) <sup>1</sup> |                  |                            |       |
|--|--------------------------------|--|------------------|----------------------------|-------|
|  |                                | Preliminary Feasibility Study                    |                  | Scoping Study <sup>2</sup> |       |
|  |                                | Stage 1 - Year 1                                 | Stage 2 - Year 3 | Stage 3 - Year 23+         |       |
| Seawater   | Costa Fuego                    | 600  | 600              | -                          |       |
|  | <b>Seawater Total</b>          | <b>600</b>                                       | <b>600</b>       | <b>-</b>                   |       |
| Desalinated Water                                    | Huasco Valley Communities      | -  | 100              | 100                        |       |
|  | CMP                            | -  | 200              | 200                        |       |
|  | Nueva Union                    | Relincho   | -                | 740                        | 1,340 |
|  |                                | La Fortuna                                       | -                | 100                        | 100   |
|  | ATEX                           | -  | -                | 400                        |       |
|  | Other                          | -  | 165              | 165                        |       |
|  | <b>Desalinated Water Total</b> | <b>-</b>   | <b>1,305</b>     | <b>2,305</b>               |       |



<sup>1</sup> Conceptual water demands and timeframes are for the purposes of the Huasco Water PFS-level Engineering Study only. They do not represent a forecast of actual water supply or demand, nor do they imply that potential customers will go into production and would enter into water offtake agreements with Huasco Water.

<sup>2</sup> Stage 3 study work will only be completed at a Scoping Study level, reflecting an appropriate level of investment to inform decisions which remain on a 20+ year time-frame

# Project Roadmap

Developing the Costa Fuego Project into an operating asset



# Investment Highlights

*Costa Fuego is a large scale, low-cost, low elevation primary copper development project located in Chile*

## Costa Fuego

1

### High-quality, Long-life, Low-cost Near-term Copper Development Project

- After-tax NPV<sub>8%</sub> of US\$1.10 bn and IRR of 21% based on an initial mine life of 16 years<sup>1</sup>
- Competitive cost curve position over life of mine & low upfront capital intensity

2

### Located in Tier 1 Jurisdiction, Access to Regional Infrastructure

- Chile has a competitive sovereign rating among key copper producing countries
- Low elevation (740 m asl(2)), ~50 km from port and adjacent to established road network and grid connected power

3

### Clear Development Plan, Pathway to Final Investment Decision

- Release of Pre-feasibility Study for Costa Fuego & Huasco Water targeted for Q1 2025
- Environmental Impact Assessment (“EIA”) is significantly advanced and targeted for submission in mid 2025

4

### Substantial Resource Base with Potential for Growth

- Indicated Resource of 3.62 Mt CuEq (798 Mt @ 0.45% CuEq<sup>2</sup>). Over 85% of Mineral Resource classified in Indicated category
- Targeting an increase in project scale to 150 ktpa Cu over 20 years through resource growth & optimization initiatives

5

### Environment, Social & Governance Focused

- Minimising environmental footprint by leveraging existing infrastructure and preserving limited regional groundwater resources
- Strong relationships formed with local stakeholders



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<sup>2</sup> Reported on a 100% Basis - combining Mineral Resource estimates for the Cortadera, Productora, Alice and San Antonio deposits. Figures are rounded, reported to appropriate significant figures, and reported in accordance with CIM and NI 43-101. Metal rounded to nearest thousand, or if less, to the nearest hundred. Total Resource reported at +0.20% CuEq for open pit and +0.27% CuEq for underground. See slide 30 for complete Mineral Resource disclosure of Costa Fuego.

# Appendices

A new **copper & water** supplier is coming



# Board Members



**Dr Nicole Adshead-Bell**  
Independent Chairman



**Christian Easterday**  
Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer



**Stephen Quin**  
Independent Non-Executive Director



**Roberto de Andraca Adriasola<sup>1</sup>**  
Non-Executive Director



**Mark Jamieson**  
Non-Executive Director  
(Glencore Nominee)



<sup>1</sup> Chilean National, resides in Chile

# Management



**José Ignacio Silva<sup>1</sup>**  
Executive Vice President – Chile



**Grant King**  
Chief Operating Officer



**Carol Marinkovich**  
Company Secretary



**Andrea Aravena<sup>1</sup>**  
Geology Manager – Chile



**Kirsty Sheerin**  
Resource Development Manager



**Ryan Finkelstein**  
Chief Financial Officer



**Marcelo Hernando<sup>1</sup>**  
Engineering Manager



**Cristobal Julia<sup>1</sup>**  
Environmental Manager

# Key Consultants



**Dr Steve Garwin**  
Chief Technical Advisor



**Dr John Beeson**  
Lead Structural Geologist



**Elizabeth Haren**  
Independent Resource Consultant

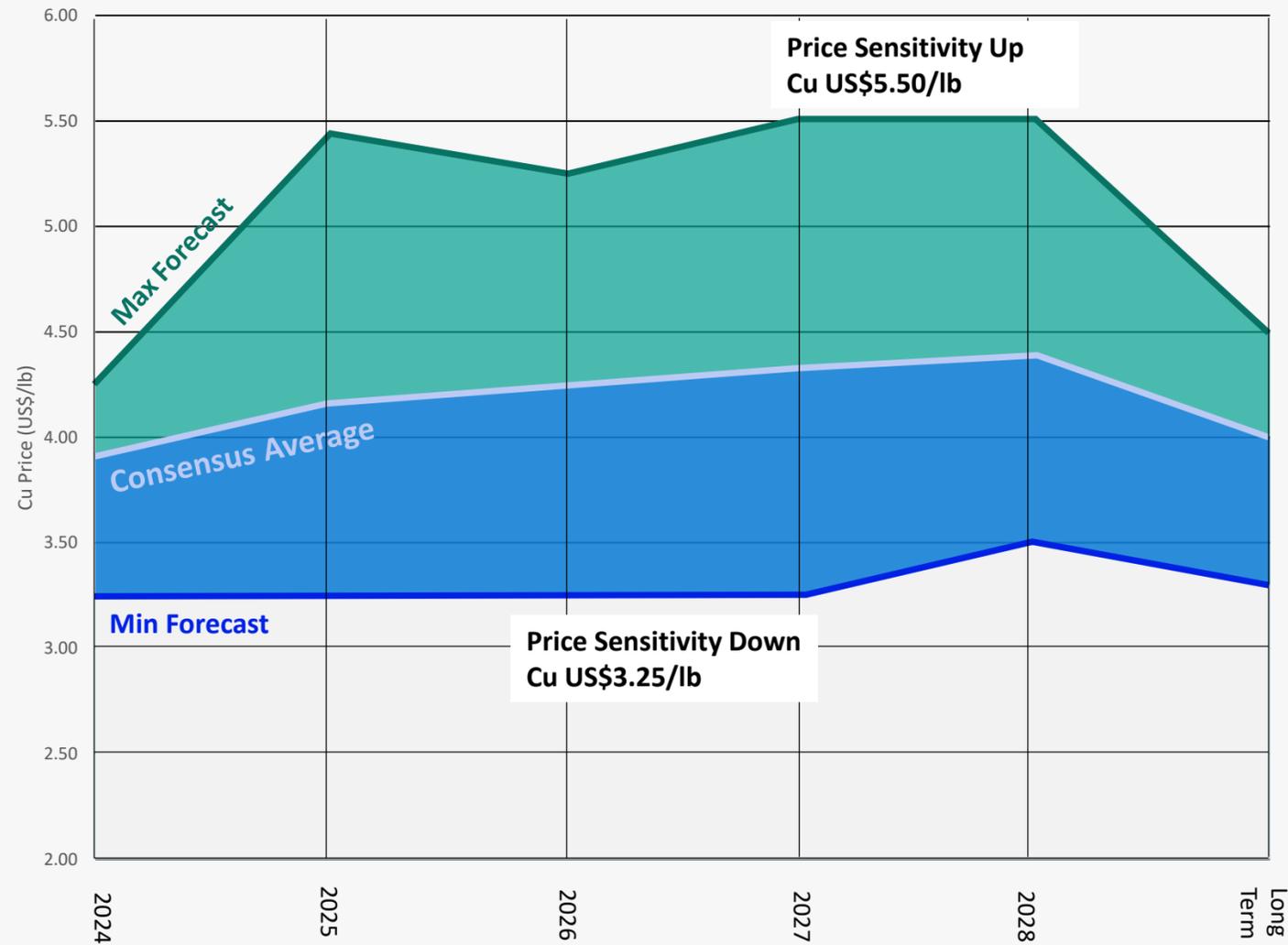
The Costa Fuego PEA was compiled by Wood Australia Pty Ltd, with support from experienced and reputable independent Qualified Persons (QPs) and Key Consultants, based in Chile and Australia:



| Consultant                    | Role   | Area of responsibility  |
|-------------------------------|--|---|
| Wood Australia Pty Ltd        | Primarily Responsible for PEA Qualified Person | Documentation, Metallurgy, Processing, Project Capital and Operating Cost Estimation and Validation, Economic Analysis and Project Schedule |
| Haren Consulting              | Qualified Person                               | Mineral Resource Estimate   |
| ABGM                          | Qualified Person                               | Mine Design, Cut-off Grade, Mining Schedule, Mine Capital and Operating Cost Estimates  |
| Doppelmayr                    | Independent Consultant                         | Infrastructure  |
| Knight Piésold Pty Ltd        | Independent Consultant                         | Tailings Storage Facility   |
| Ingeroc                       | Independent Consultant                         | Geotechnical Engineering  |
| Gestión Ambiental Consultores | Independent Consultant                         | Environmental and Community   |

# 24-Bank Consensus Forecast

Provided by National Bank Financial – Feb 2024



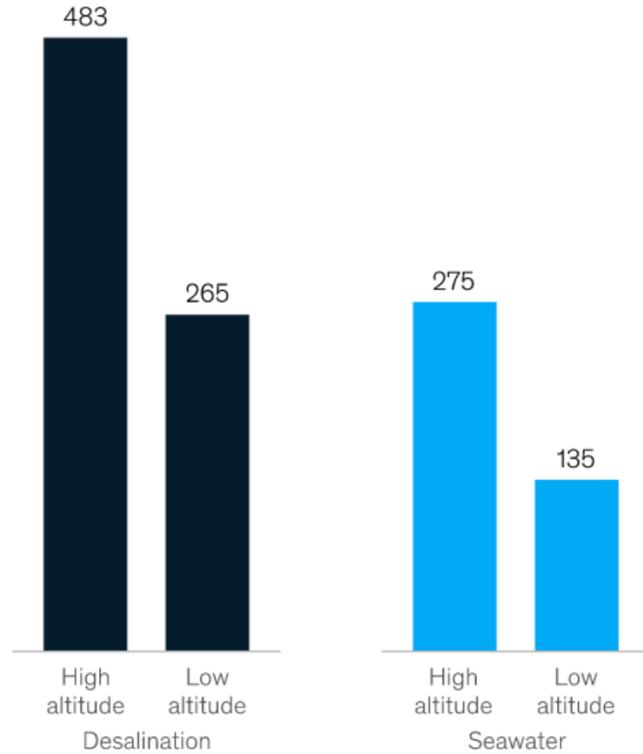
| Broker                   | Copper Price (US\$/lb) |               |               |               |               |               |
|--------------------------|------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
|                          | 2024 Estimate          | 2025 Estimate | 2026 Estimate | 2027 Estimate | 2028 Estimate | Long Term     |
| Barclays                 | \$3.90                 | \$4.00        | n.a.          | n.a.          | n.a.          | \$3.75        |
| Bell Potter              | \$3.92                 | \$4.13        | \$4.24        | n.a.          | n.a.          | n.a.          |
| BMO                      | \$3.78                 | \$3.63        | \$3.97        | \$4.26        | n.a.          | \$3.95        |
| Canaccord                | \$4.25                 | \$4.50        | \$4.50        | \$4.50        | \$4.50        | \$4.50        |
| Cantor Fitzgerald        | \$3.25                 | \$3.25        | \$3.25        | \$3.25        | n.a.          | n.a.          |
| CIBC                     | \$4.00                 | \$4.25        | n.a.          | n.a.          | n.a.          | \$4.25        |
| Citigroup                | \$3.72                 | \$5.44        | n.a.          | n.a.          | n.a.          | \$4.08        |
| Cormark                  | n.a.                   | n.a.          | \$3.85        | \$3.85        | \$3.85        | \$3.85        |
| Desjardins               | \$3.75                 | \$3.75        | \$4.05        | n.a.          | n.a.          | n.a.          |
| Deutsche                 | \$3.95                 | \$4.54        | \$4.76        | n.a.          | n.a.          | \$4.26        |
| Eight                    | \$4.25                 | \$4.50        | \$4.25        | \$3.75        | n.a.          | n.a.          |
| Goldman Sachs            | \$4.17                 | \$4.76        | \$4.95        | \$5.05        | \$5.10        | \$4.44        |
| Haywood                  | n.a.                   | n.a.          | \$4.25        | \$4.25        | \$4.25        | n.a.          |
| HSBC                     | \$4.00                 | \$3.92        | n.a.          | n.a.          | n.a.          | \$3.30        |
| Jefferies                | \$3.95                 | \$4.65        | \$5.25        | \$5.50        | \$5.50        | \$4.00        |
| JP Morgan                | \$3.86                 | \$3.90        | \$4.05        | n.a.          | n.a.          | \$4.10        |
| Macquarie                | \$3.69                 | \$3.86        | \$4.08        | \$4.54        | \$4.24        | n.a.          |
| NBF                      | \$3.90                 | \$3.90        | \$3.80        | \$3.80        | \$3.65        | \$3.65        |
| PI Financial             | \$3.85                 | \$3.85        | \$3.85        | \$3.85        | \$3.85        | \$3.85        |
| Raymond James            | \$3.93                 | \$4.00        | n.a.          | n.a.          | n.a.          | \$4.00        |
| RBC                      | \$4.25                 | \$4.50        | \$4.50        | \$4.50        | \$4.50        | \$4.00        |
| Scotia                   | \$4.00                 | \$4.50        | \$5.00        | \$5.25        | \$5.50        | \$4.25        |
| TD                       | \$4.09                 | \$4.25        | \$4.50        | \$5.00        | \$4.25        | \$4.25        |
| UBS                      | \$4.00                 | \$4.00        | \$4.00        | \$4.00        | \$4.50        | \$4.00        |
| <b>Consensus Average</b> | <b>\$3.92</b>          | <b>\$4.17</b> | <b>\$4.24</b> | <b>\$4.33</b> | <b>\$4.40</b> | <b>\$4.00</b> |
| <b>Max</b>               | <b>\$4.25</b>          | <b>\$5.44</b> | <b>\$5.25</b> | <b>\$5.50</b> | <b>\$5.50</b> | <b>\$4.50</b> |
| <b>Min</b>               | <b>\$3.25</b>          | <b>\$3.25</b> | <b>\$3.25</b> | <b>\$3.25</b> | <b>\$3.50</b> | <b>\$3.30</b> |



# Water Fundamentals for Copper in Chile

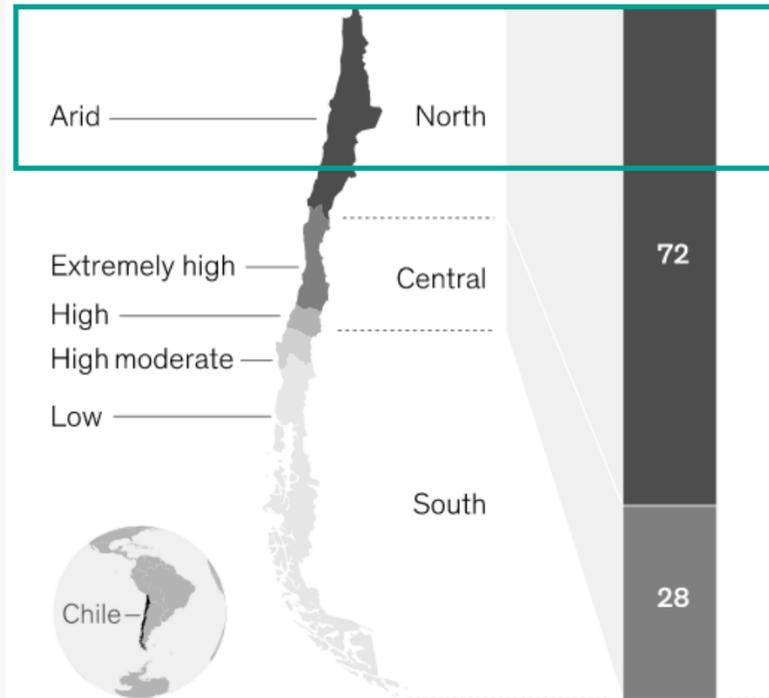
Seawater and elevation advantage – low cost and security of supply

Operational expenditures by altitude, 2028 forecast, \$ per metric ton of payable metal



Source: Press Search; McKinsey Analysis

Water stress in Chile, 2020

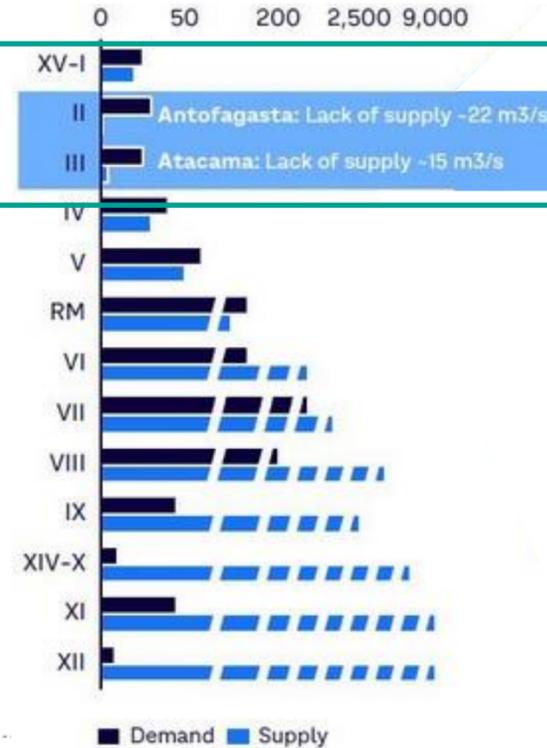


Note: Figures may not sum to 100%, because of rounding.  
Source: Aqueduct Water Risk Atlas; Cochilco; press search; Water Atlas, MineSpans by McKinsey

Share of copper production, %

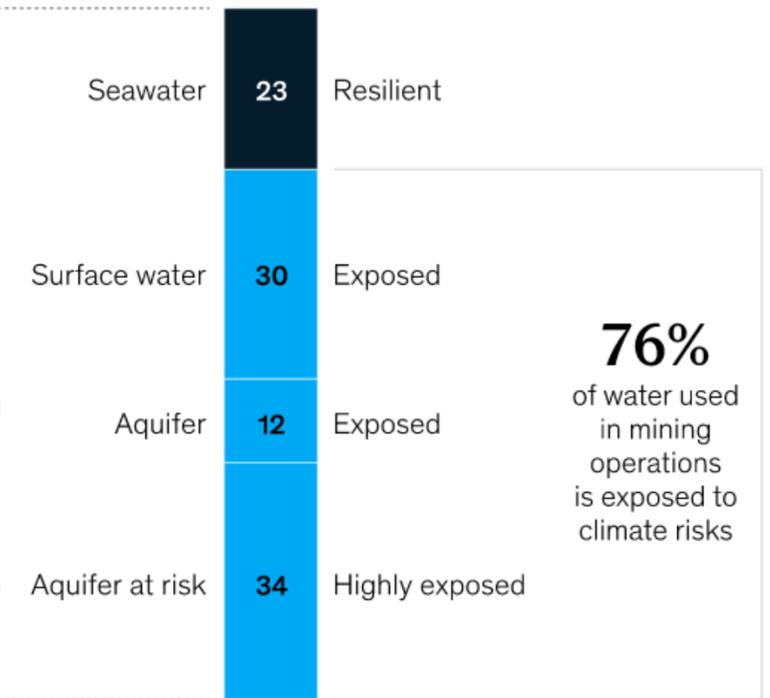


Fresh water supply and demand across regions



Source: Arthur D. Little

Sources of water used in Chilean mining and exposed to climate risk, 2017, %



- **Seawater extraction permitted and pipeline easement secured for Costa Fuego (Unique)**
- Low altitude seawater supply forecast to be half the operating cost of high-altitude supply
- Unlimited supply, resilient to climate risk
- No desalination required, reducing energy consumption and environmental impact



# ESG - Our People

*Hot Chili values and embraces diversity*

As an Australian company, operating in Chile and with North American stakeholders, our Board and Employees represent the places where we work.

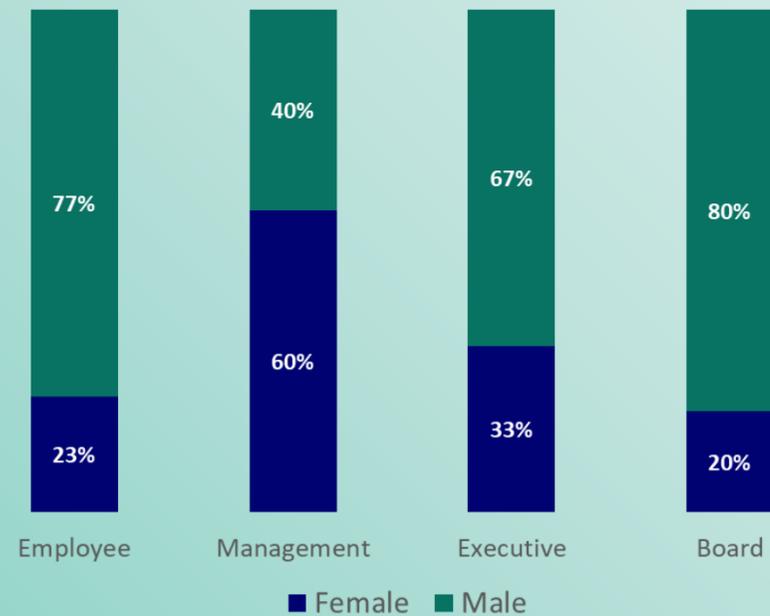
## International Team

- 67% of Company Employees are Chilean Nationals
- Chilean, Australian and Canadian representation on Board



## Gender Diversity

- Women represent 28% of HCH's workforce, with representation at all levels of leadership

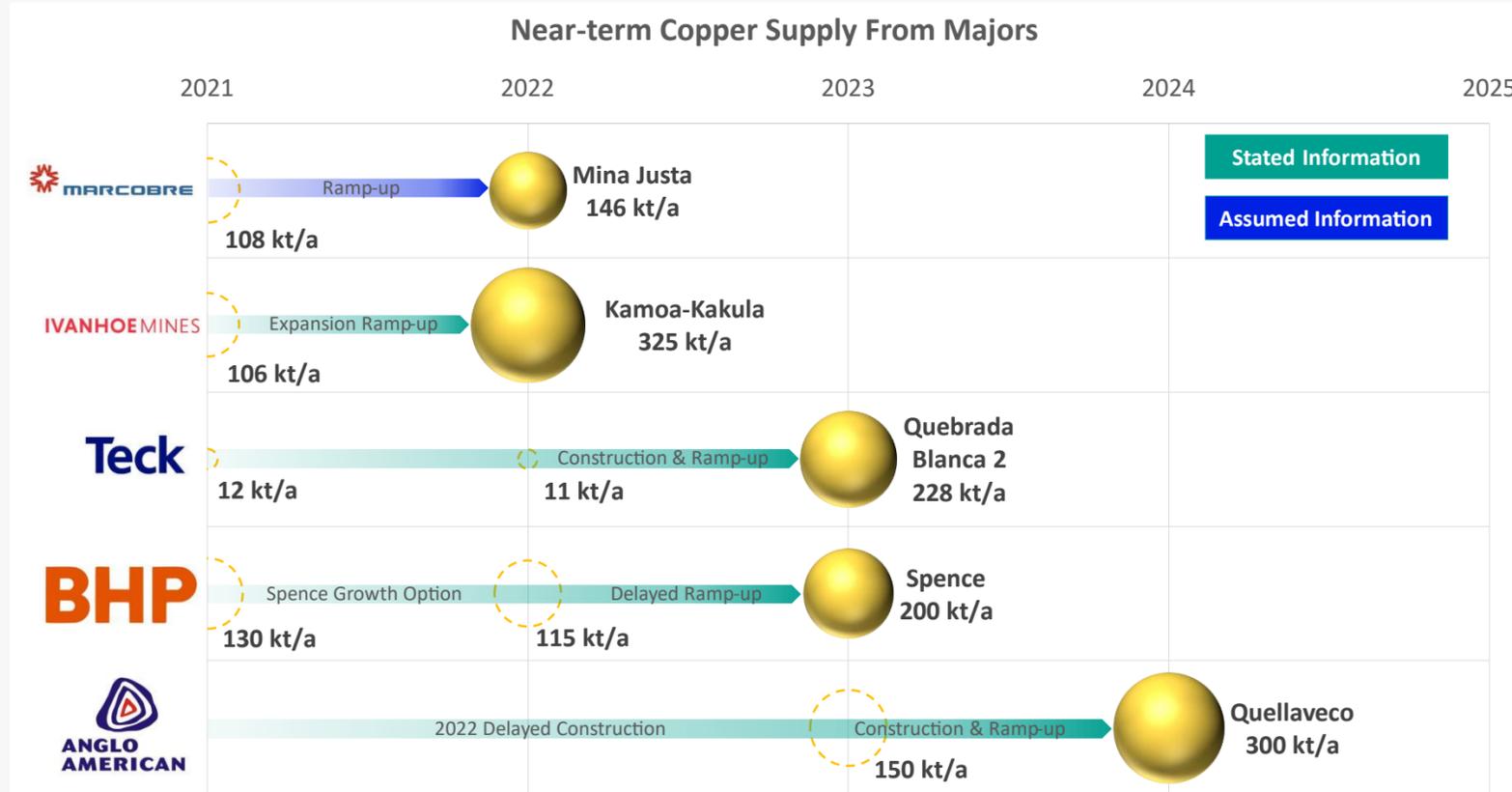


Water Tank Delivered by Hot Chili to Diaguita Community - 2023

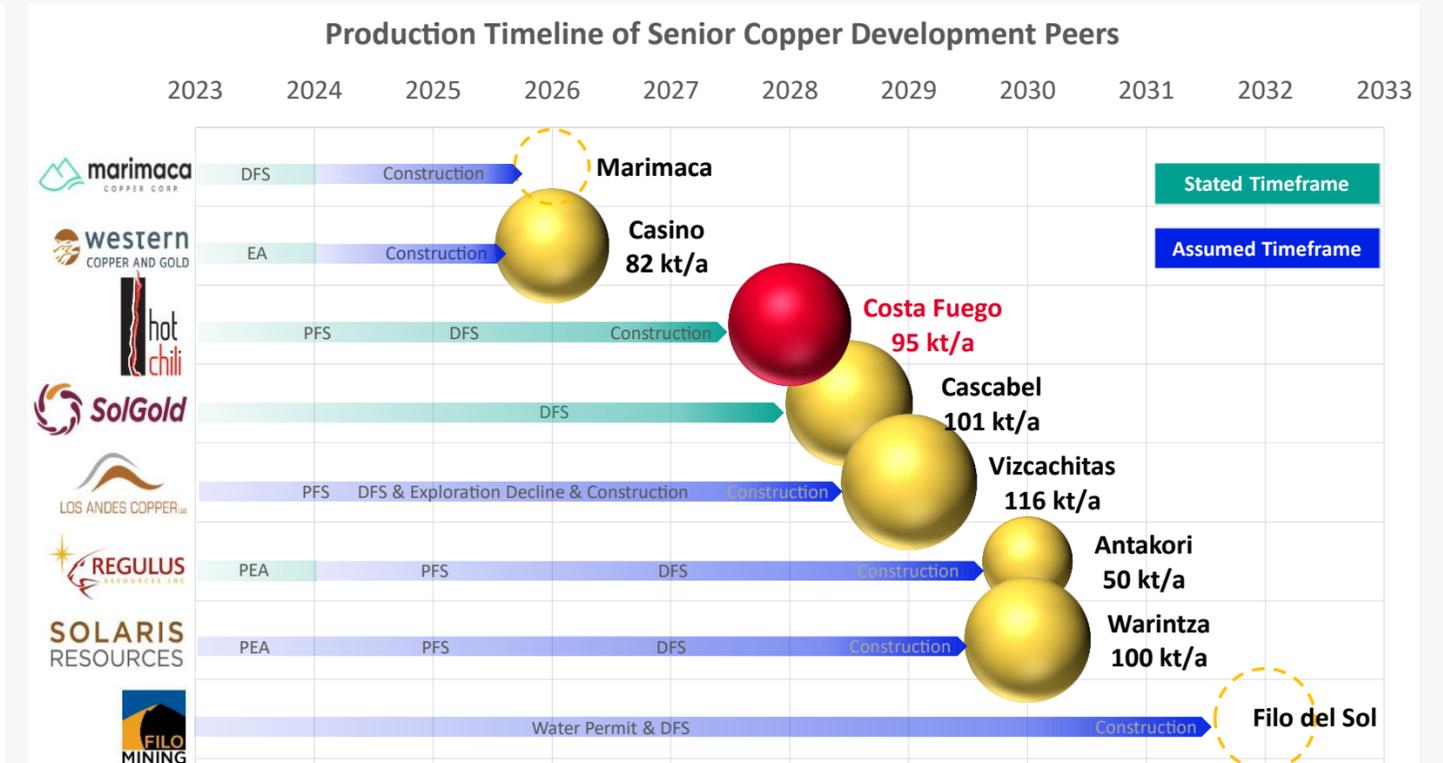


Vallenar-based Hot Chili Employees Christmas Gathering - 2023

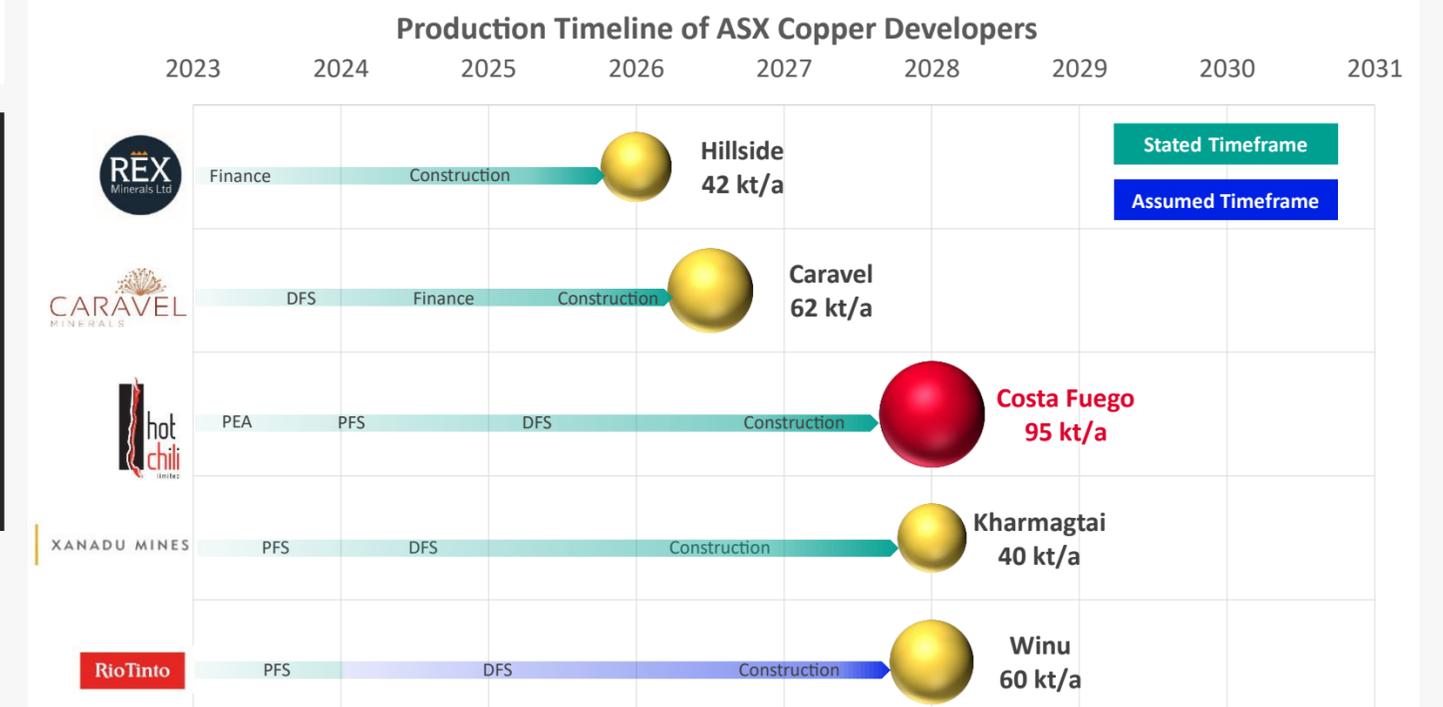
# New Material Copper Supply



The Near Term Copper Supply from Majors Peer Group was selected from projects that were approved since 2015 (refer Copper Project Approvals below) and mines that have commenced and are ramping up to full production as of December 2022. Mina Justa, Kamoa Kakula, Quebrada Blanca 2 and Spence are already producing and completing ramp up phase. Reported production for ramp up stages shown as dashed bubbles.



The Production Timeline of Senior Copper Development Peers group was selected from mines that Hot Chili assessed as being capable of production before 2031. Average life of mine annual copper production for Antakori, Warintza and Fil del Sol (dashed bubbles) are estimated based on resource size, grade and complicating factors (split production for Antakori).



The Production Timeline of ASX Copper Developers was selected from ASX Copper developers that Hot Chili assessed as being capable of production before 2031.

## Hot Chili is well positioned as one of the first new ~100 ktpa copper suppliers outside of the major miners

- Forecast new copper demand of an additional 7 – 8 Mtpa by 2030\*
- Visible new copper supply to 2030 currently accounts for 2 - 3 Mtpa

Stated timeframes and average life of mine annual copper production for projects (bubble sized) based on the most current public company documents for December 2022. Only +35 ktpa copper developments were considered material for global supply. Assumed timeframes are used where no information is provided and consider 1 year for a Preliminary Economic Analysis (PEA) and 2 years for each of the stages of Pre-feasibility Study (PFS), Definitive Feasibility Study (DFS) and Construction. Financing is assumed to be run in parallel with the DFS.

\* Source: Glencore and Goldman Sachs (December 2022)





# Concentrate Specification

*Defined by 5  
Locked-Cycle Tests*

| Copper-Gold-Silver-Molybdenum Concentrate Assays |      |                 |
|--|------|-----------------|
| Element  | Unit | Value           |
| Cu   | %    | 26              |
| Au   | ppm  | 5               |
| Mo   | ppm  | 7,411           |
| Ag   | ppm  | 24              |
| Co   | ppm  | 263             |
| Cl   | ppm  | 238             |
| Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>                   | %    | 2               |
| As   | ppm  | 44              |
| Ba   | ppm  | 55              |
| Bi   | ppm  | 24              |
| CaO  | %    | 1               |
| Cd   | ppm  | 7               |
| F  | ppm  | ND <sup>2</sup> |
| Fe   | %    | 28              |
| Hg   | ppm  | 1               |
| K  | ppm  | 3,842           |
| MgO  | ppm  | 3,527           |

| Copper-Gold-Silver-Molybdenum Concentrate Assays |      |       |
|--|------|-------|
| Element  | Unit | Value |
| Mn   | ppm  | 98    |
| Na   | ppm  | 2,392 |
| Ni   | ppm  | 82    |
| P  | ppm  | 154   |
| Pb   | ppm  | 136   |
| S  | %    | 32    |
| Sb   | ppm  | 11    |
| Se   | ppm  | 86    |
| SiO <sub>2</sub>                                 | %    | 7     |
| Sn   | ppm  | 9     |
| Sr   | ppm  | 21    |
| Te   | ppm  | 2     |
| Th   | ppm  | 5     |
| Ti   | %    | 0.1   |
| V  | ppm  | 29    |
| Zn   | ppm  | 262   |
| Zr   | ppm  | 80    |

<sup>1</sup> Molybdenum content is high since assay is taken before Molybdenum is floated to create a specific Molybdenum Concentrate and a Copper-Gold-Silver Concentrate

<sup>2</sup> ND – not detected, below detection limit of assay technique

# Notes to Mineral Resource Disclosure – Costa Fuego

## Costa Fuego Project Mineral Resource Estimate, 26 February 2024

| Costa Fuego OP Resource     |            | Grade       |             |             |             |           | Contained Metal  |                  |                  |                   |               |
|-----------------------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| Classification              | Tonnes     | CuEq        | Cu          | Au          | Ag          | Mo        | Copper Eq        | Copper           | Gold             | Silver            | Molybdenum    |
| (+0.20% CuEq <sup>1</sup> ) | (Mt)       | (%)         | (%)         | (g/t)       | (g/t)       | (ppm)     | (tonnes)         | (tonnes)         | (ounces)         | (ounces)          | (tonnes)      |
| Indicated                   | 736        | 0.46        | 0.37        | 0.11        | 0.50        | 85        | 3,370,000        | 2,720,000        | 2,480,000        | 11,700,000        | 62,800        |
| <b>M+I Total</b>            | <b>736</b> | <b>0.46</b> | <b>0.37</b> | <b>0.11</b> | <b>0.50</b> | <b>85</b> | <b>3,370,000</b> | <b>2,720,000</b> | <b>2,480,000</b> | <b>11,700,000</b> | <b>62,800</b> |
| Inferred                    | 170        | 0.30        | 0.25        | 0.06        | 0.36        | 65        | 520,000          | 420,000          | 340,000          | 1,900,000         | 11,000        |

| Costa Fuego UG Resource     |           | Grade       |             |             |             |           | Contained Metal |                |                |                  |              |
|-----------------------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|------------------|--------------|
| Classification              | Tonnes    | CuEq        | Cu          | Au          | Ag          | Mo        | Copper Eq       | Copper         | Gold           | Silver           | Molybdenum   |
| (+0.27% CuEq <sup>1</sup> ) | (Mt)      | (%)         | (%)         | (g/t)       | (g/t)       | (ppm)     | (tonnes)        | (tonnes)       | (ounces)       | (ounces)         | (tonnes)     |
| Indicated                   | 62        | 0.39        | 0.31        | 0.08        | 0.55        | 85        | 250,000         | 190,000        | 160,000        | 1,100,000        | 5,300        |
| <b>M+I Total</b>            | <b>62</b> | <b>0.39</b> | <b>0.31</b> | <b>0.08</b> | <b>0.55</b> | <b>85</b> | <b>250,000</b>  | <b>190,000</b> | <b>160,000</b> | <b>1,100,000</b> | <b>5,300</b> |
| Inferred                    | 33        | 0.35        | 0.29        | 0.07        | 0.41        | 46        | 120,000         | 96,000         | 76,000         | 430,000          | 1,500        |

| Costa Fuego Total Resource                                  |            | Grade       |             |             |             |           | Contained Metal  |                  |                  |                   |               |
|---|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| Classification  | Tonnes     | CuEq        | Cu          | Au          | Ag          | Mo        | Copper Eq        | Copper           | Gold             | Silver            | Molybdenum    |
| (+0.20% CuEq <sup>1</sup> OP<br>0.27% CuEq <sup>1</sup> UG) | (Mt)       | (%)         | (%)         | (g/t)       | (g/t)       | (ppm)     | (tonnes)         | (tonnes)         | (ounces)         | (ounces)          | (tonnes)      |
| Indicated   | 798        | 0.45        | 0.37        | 0.10        | 0.50        | 85        | 3,620,000        | 2,910,000        | 2,640,000        | 12,800,000        | 68,100        |
| <b>M+I Total</b>  | <b>798</b> | <b>0.45</b> | <b>0.37</b> | <b>0.10</b> | <b>0.50</b> | <b>85</b> | <b>3,620,000</b> | <b>2,910,000</b> | <b>2,640,000</b> | <b>12,800,000</b> | <b>68,100</b> |
| Inferred  | 203        | 0.31        | 0.25        | 0.06        | 0.36        | 61        | 640,000          | 516,000          | 416,000          | 2,330,000         | 12,500        |

<sup>1</sup> Mineral Resources are reported on a 100% Basis - combining Mineral Resource estimates for the Cortadera, Productora, Alice and San Antonio deposits. All figures are rounded, reported to appropriate significant figures and reported in accordance with the Joint Ore Reserves Committee Code (2012). Mineral resource estimation practices are in accordance with CIM Estimation of Mineral Resource and Mineral Reserve Best Practice Guidelines (November 29, 2019) and CIM Environmental, Social and Governance Guidelines for Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserve Estimation (September 8, 2023) and reported in accordance CIM Definition Standards for Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves (May 10, 2014) that are incorporated by reference into NI 43-101.

<sup>2</sup> The Productora deposit is 100% owned by Chilean incorporated company Sociedad Minera El Aguila SpA (SMEA). SMEA is a joint venture (JV) company – 80% owned by Sociedad Minera El Corazón SDpA (a 100% subsidiary of Hot Chili Limited), and 20% owned by Compañía Minera del Pacífico S.A (CMP).

<sup>3</sup> The Cortadera deposit is controlled by a Chilean incorporated company Sociedad Minera La Frontera SpA (Frontera). Frontera is a subsidiary company – 100% owned by Sociedad Minera El Corazón SpA, which is a 100% subsidiary of Hot Chili Limited.

<sup>4</sup> The San Antonio deposit is controlled through Frontera (100% owned by Sociedad Minera El Corazón Limitada, which is a 100% subsidiary of Hot Chili Limited) and has an Option Agreement with a private party to earn a 100% interest.

<sup>5</sup> The Mineral Resource Estimates in the tables above form coherent bodies of mineralisation that are considered amenable to a combination of open pit and underground extraction methods based on the following parameters: Base Case Metal Prices: Copper US\$ 3.00/lb, Gold US\$ 1,700/oz, Molybdenum US\$ 14/lb, and Silver US\$20/oz.

<sup>6</sup> All Mineral Resource Estimates were assessed for Reasonable Prospects of Eventual Economic Extraction (RPEEE) using both Open Pit and Block Cave Extraction mining methods at Cortadera and Open Pit mining methods at Productora, Alice and San Antonio.

<sup>7</sup> Metallurgical recovery averages for each deposit consider Indicated + Inferred material and are weighted to combine sulphide flotation and oxide leaching performance. Process recoveries:

Cortadera – Weighted recoveries of 82% Cu, 55% Au, 81% Mo and 36% Ag.  $CuEq(\%) = Cu(\%) + 0.55 \times Au(g/t) + 0.00046 \times Mo(ppm) + 0.0043 \times Ag(g/t)$

San Antonio - Weighted recoveries of 85% Cu, 66% Au, 80% Mo and 63% Ag.  $CuEq(\%) = Cu(\%) + 0.64 \times Au(g/t) + 0.00044 \times Mo(ppm) + 0.0072 \times Ag(g/t)$

Alice - Weighted recoveries of 81% Cu, 47% Au, 52% Mo and 37% Ag.  $CuEq(\%) = Cu(\%) + 0.48 \times Au(g/t) + 0.00030 \times Mo(ppm) + 0.0044 \times Ag(g/t)$

Productora – Weighted recoveries of 84% Cu, 47% Au, 48% Mo and 18% Ag.  $CuEq(\%) = Cu(\%) + 0.46 \times Au(g/t) + 0.00026 \times Mo(ppm) + 0.0021 \times Ag(g/t)$

Costa Fuego – Recoveries of 83% Cu, 53% Au, 71% Mo and 26% Ag.  $CuEq(\%) = Cu(\%) + 0.53 \times Au(g/t) + 0.00040 \times Mo(ppm) + 0.0030 \times Ag(g/t)$

<sup>8</sup> Resource Copper Equivalent (CuEq) grades are calculated based on the formula:  $CuEq\% = ((Cu \times Cu \text{ price } 1\% \text{ per tonne} \times Cu\_recovery) + (Mo \text{ ppm} \times Mo \text{ price per g/t} \times Mo\_recovery) + (Au \text{ ppm} \times Au \text{ price per g/t} \times Au\_recovery) + (Ag \text{ ppm} \times Ag \text{ price per g/t} \times Ag\_recovery)) / (Cu \text{ price } 1\% \text{ per tonne} \times Cu \text{ recovery})$ . The base case cut-off grade for mineral resources considered amenable to open pit extraction methods at the Cortadera, Productora, Alice and San Antonio deposits is 0.20% CuEq while the cut-off grade for Mineral Resources considered amenable to underground extraction methods at the Cortadera deposit is 0.27% CuEq.

<sup>9</sup> Mineral Resources are not Mineral Reserves and do not have demonstrated economic viability. These Mineral Resource estimates include Inferred Mineral Resources that are considered too speculative geologically to have economic considerations applied to them that would enable them to be categorised as Mineral Reserves. It is reasonably expected that the majority of Inferred mineral resources could be upgraded to Measured or Indicated Mineral Resources with continued exploration.

<sup>10</sup> The effective date of the estimate of Mineral Resources is February 26th, 2024. Refer to JORC Code Table 1 information in the announcement “Hot Chili Indicated Resource at Costa Fuego Copper-Gold Project Increases to 798 Mt” dated 26 February 2024 related to the Costa Fuego Resource Estimate (MRE) by Competent Person Elizabeth Haren, constituting the MREs of Cortadera, Productora, Alice and San Antonio (which combine to form Costa Fuego).

<sup>11</sup> Hot Chili Limited is not aware of political, environmental or other risks that could materially affect the potential development of the Mineral Resources.





# Global Resource Peer Group

## Benchmarking Data

| Project         | Company             | Class        | Mt    | Cu%  | Cu Mt | Au g/t | Au Moz | Ag g/t | Ag Moz | Mo ppm | Mo Mt | Mo kt | CuEq% | CuEq Mt | Average Processing Recovery                            | Reported Level of Study         | Report Date | Report Source |  |
|-----------------|---------------------|--------------|-------|------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|---------|--|---------------------------------|-------------|---------------|--|
| Pebble          | Northern Dynasty    | MI           | 6,456 | 0.40 | 25.8  | 0.34   | 71     | 1.7    | 345    | 240    | 1.55  | 1,551 | 0.72  | 46.4    | Cu=84%, Au=73%, Mo=80%                                 | Preliminary Economic Assessment | 2021        | SEDAR+        |  |
|                 |                     | Inf          | 4,454 | 0.25 | 11.1  | 0.25   | 36     | 1.2    | 170    | 226    | 1.01  | 1,007 | 0.50  | 22.5    |  |                                 |             |               |  |
| Cascabel        | SolGold             | MI           | 3,191 | 0.35 | 11.2  | 0.24   | 25     | 1.1    | 110    |        |       |       | 0.52  | 16.6    | Cu=92%, Au=82%, Ag=66%                                 | Pre-feasibility Study           | 2022        | SEDAR+        |  |
|                 |                     | Inf          | 649   | 0.24 | 1.6   | 0.12   | 2.5    | 0.6    | 13     |        |       |       | 0.33  | 2.1     |  |                                 |             |               |  |
| Los Helados     | NGEX Resources      | Ind          | 2,099 | 0.38 | 8.0   | 0.15   | 10     | 1.4    | 93     |        |       |       | 0.49  | 10.2    | Cu=88%, Au=78%, Mo=48%                                 | Mineral Resource Estimate       | 2019        | SEDAR+        |  |
|                 |                     | Inf          | 827   | 0.32 | 2.6   | 0.10   | 2.7    | 1.3    | 35     |        |       |       | 0.39  | 3.3     |  |                                 |             |               |  |
| Casino          | Western Copper      | Mill MI      | 2,173 | 0.16 | 3.4   | 0.18   | 13     | 1.4    | 100    | 169    | 0.37  | 368   | 0.35  | 7.6     | Cu=87%, Au=66%, Mo=71%                                 | Preliminary Economic Assessment | 2022        | SEDAR+        |  |
|                 |                     | Mill Inf     | 1,430 | 0.10 | 1.5   | 0.14   | 6.4    | 1.2    | 54     | 102    | 0.15  | 146   | 0.24  | 3.5     |  |                                 |             |               |  |
|                 |                     | Leach MI     | 217   | 0.03 | 0.1   | 0.25   | 1.8    | 1.9    | 13     |        |       |       | 0.76  | 1.6     |  |                                 |             |               |  |
|                 |                     | Leach Inf    | 31    | 0.03 | 0.01  | 0.17   | 0.2    | 1.7    | 2      |        |       |       | 0.52  | 0.2     |  |                                 |             |               |  |
| Altar           | Aldebaran Resources | Sulphide MI  | 913   | 0.42 | 3.8   | 0.09   | 2.7    | 1.0    | 28     |        |       |       | 0.46  | 4.2     | Cu=92%, Au=50%, Ag=51%                                 | Mineral Resource Estimate       | 2021        | SEDAR+        |  |
|                 |                     | Sulphide Inf | 175   | 0.42 | 0.7   | 0.06   | 0.35   | 0.8    | 4      |        |       |       | 0.45  | 0.8     |  |                                 |             |               |  |
|                 |                     | Oxide MI     | 305   | 0.44 | 1.4   | 0.86   | 1.2    | 4.8    | 13     |        |       |       | 0.82  | 2.5     |  |                                 |             |               |  |
|                 |                     | Oxide Inf    | 16    | 0.41 | 0.1   | 0.66   | 0.06   | 6.1    | 1      |        |       |       | 0.71  | 0.1     |  |                                 |             |               |  |
| Vizcachitas     | Los Andes Copper    | MI           | 1,541 | 0.38 | 5.9   |        |        | 0.0    | 54     | 155    | 0.24  | 239   | 0.44  | 6.8     | Cu=91%, Mo=80%   | Preliminary Economic Assessment | 2023        | SEDAR+        |  |
|                 |                     | Inf          | 1,823 | 0.34 | 6.2   |        |        | 0.94   | 55     | 123    | 0.22  | 224   | 0.39  | 7.1     |  |                                 |             |               |  |
| King-king       | St Augustine Gold   | MI           | 962   | 0.23 | 2.2   | 0.32   | 10     |        |        |        |       |       | 0.55  | 5.3     | Cu=71%, Au=75%   | Pre-feasibility Study           | 2013        | SEDAR+        |  |
|                 |                     | Inf          | 189   | 0.22 | 0.4   | 0.26   | 1.6    |        |        |        |       |       | 0.45  | 0.9     |  |                                 |             |               |  |
| Los Azules      | McEwen Mining       | Ind          | 1,235 | 0.40 | 4.9   | 0.01   | 0.5    | 0.3    | 10     |        |       |       | 0.40  | 4.9     | Cu=72.8%   | Preliminary Economic Assessment | 2023        | SEDAR+        |  |
|                 |                     | Inf          | 4,509 | 0.27 | 12.1  | 0.03   | 4.3    | 1.0    | 150    |        |       |       | 0.33  | 12.1    |  |                                 |             |               |  |
| Canariaco Norte | Candente Copper     | MI           | 1,094 | 0.39 | 4.2   | 0.06   | 2.1    | 1.7    | 59     |        |       |       | 0.43  | 4.7     | Cu=88%, Au=65%, Ag=57%                                 | Preliminary Economic Assessment | 2022        | SEDAR+        |  |
|                 |                     | Inf          | 795   | 0.35 | 2.8   | 0.07   | 1.7    | 0.2    | 33     |        |       |       | 0.39  | 3.1     |  |                                 |             |               |  |
| Northmet        | PolyMet Mining      | Class        | Mt    | Cu%  | Cu Mt | Au g/t | Au Moz | Ag g/t | Ag Moz |        |       |       | CuEq% | CuEq Mt | Cu=92%, Ni=64%, Pt=75%, Pd=79%, Au=60%, Co=37%, Ag=59% | Feasibility Study               | 2019        | SEDAR+        |  |
|                 |                     | MI           | 636   | 0.25 | 1.6   | 0.03   | 0.7    | 0.9    | 19     |        |       |       | 0.54  | 3.5     |  |                                 |             |               |  |
|                 |                     | Inf          | 400   | 0.25 | 1.0   | 0.03   | 0.4    | 0.9    | 12     |        |       |       | 0.54  | 2.2     |  |                                 |             |               |  |
|                 |                     | Class        | Mt    | Ni % | Ni Mt | Pt g/t | Pt Moz | Pd g/t | Pd Moz | Co ppm |       | Co Mt |       |         |  |                                 |             |               |  |
|                 |                     | MI           | 636   | 0.07 | 0.3   | 0.07   | 0.7    | 0.2    | 2.6    | 68     |       | 0.02  |       |         |  |                                 |             |               |  |
| Costa Fuego     | Hot Chili Limited   | Ind          | 798   | 0.37 | 2.9   | 0.10   | 2.6    | 0.5    | 13     | 85     | 0.07  | 68    | 0.45  | 3.6     | Cu=83%, Au=53%, Mo=71%, Ag=26%                         | Preliminary Economic Assessment | 2024        | SEDAR+        |  |
|                 |                     | Inf          | 203   | 0.25 | 0.5   | 0.06   | 0.4    | 0.36   | 2      | 61     | 0.01  | 12    | 0.31  | 0.6     |  |                                 |             |               |  |
| Yandera         | Era Resources       | Float MI     | 665   | 0.33 | 2.2   | 0.07   | 1.4    |        |        | 104    | 0.07  | 69    | 0.41  | 2.7     | Cu=87%, Au=63%, Mo=78%                                 | Mineral Resource Estimate       | 2016        | SEDAR+        |  |
|                 |                     | Float Inf    | 212   | 0.29 | 0.6   | 0.04   | 0.2    |        |        | 52     | 0.01  | 11    | 0.33  | 0.7     |  |                                 |             |               |  |
|                 |                     | Leach MI     | 64    | 0.34 | 0.2   | 0.08   | 0.2    |        |        | 63     | 0.004 | 4     | 0.39  | 0.2     |  |                                 |             |               |  |
|                 |                     | Leach Inf    | 19    | 0.26 | 0.05  | 0.03   | 0.02   |        |        | 54     | 0.001 | 1     | 0.28  | 0.1     |  |                                 |             |               |  |

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Copper Equivalent grade and tonnes calculated using these prices and recoveries declared in each project's public company documents.

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# Global Resource Peer Group (continued)

## Benchmarking Data

| Project        | Company               | Class        | Mt  | Cu%  | Cu Mt | Au g/t | Au Moz | Ag g/t | Ag Moz | Mo ppm | Mo Mt | Mo kt | CuEq% | CuEq Mt | Average Processing Recovery                                     | Reported Level of Study         | Report Date | Report Source    |
|----------------|-----------------------|--------------|-----|------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|---------|---|---------------------------------|-------------|------------------|
| Filo del Sol   | Filo Mining           | Ind Oxide    | 362 | 0.34 | 1.2   | 0.33   | 3.8    | 13.3   | 155    |        |       |       | 0.68  | 2.4     | Oxide: Cu=77%, Au=72%, Ag=71%; Sulphide: Cu=84%, Au=70%, Ag=77% | Pre-feasibility Study           | 2023        | SEDAR+           |
|                |                       | Inf Oxide    | 133 | 0.25 | 0.3   | 0.30   | 1.3    | 9.93   | 42     |        |       |       | 0.54  | 0.7     |   |                                 |             |                  |
|                |                       | Ind Sulphide | 70  | 0.30 | 0.2   | 0.35   | 0.8    | 2.52   | 6      |        |       |       | 0.54  | 0.4     |   |                                 |             |                  |
|                |                       | Inf Sulphide | 79  | 0.31 | 0.25  | 0.33   | 0.83   | 3.14   | 8      |        |       |       | 0.54  | 0.4     |   |                                 |             |                  |
| Warintza       | Solaris Resources Inc | MI           | 579 | 0.47 | 2.7   | 0.05   | 0.9    |        |        | 265    | 0.15  | 153   | 0.61  | 3.5     | Cu=90%, Au=70%, Mo=85%  | Mineral Resource Estimate       | 2022        | SEDAR+           |
|                |                       | Inf          | 887 | 0.39 | 3.5   | 0.04   | 1.1    |        |        | 145    | 0.13  | 129   | 0.47  | 4.2     |   |                                 |             |                  |
| La Verde       | Solaris Resources Inc | MI           | 408 | 0.41 | 1.7   | 0.03   | 0.4    | 2.4    | 32     |        |       |       | 0.45  | 1.8     | Cu=89%, Au=75% Ag=76%   | Preliminary Economic Assessment | 2018        | SEDAR+           |
|                |                       | Inf          | 338 | 0.37 | 1.3   | 0.02   | 0.2    | 1.9    | 21     |        |       |       | 0.40  | 1.3     |   |                                 |             |                  |
| Caravel        | Caravel Minerals      | MI           | 699 | 0.24 | 1.7   |        |        |        |        | 50     | 0.03  | 35    | 0.26  | 2       | Cu=85%, Au=55% Ag=50%   | Pre-feasibility Study           | 2023        | ASX Announcement |
|                |                       | Inf          | 578 | 0.23 | 1.3   |        |        |        |        | 44     | 0.03  | 25.70 | 0.24  | 1       |   |                                 |             |                  |
| Antakori       | Regulus Resources     | Ind          | 250 | 0.48 | 1.2   | 0.29   | 2.3    | 7.5    | 61     |        |       |       | 0.66  | 1.6     | Cu=85%, Au=55% Ag=50%   | Mineral Resource Estimate       | 2019        | SEDAR+           |
|                |                       | Inf          | 267 | 0.41 | 1.1   | 0.26   | 2.2    | 7.8    | 67     |        |       |       | 0.57  | 1.5     |   |                                 |             |                  |
| Haib           | Koryx Copper Inc      | MI           | 612 | 0.26 | 1.6   |        |        |        |        |        |       |       |       |         | Cu only   | Preliminary Economic Assessment | 2020        | SEDAR+           |
|                |                       | Inf          | 565 | 0.25 | 1.4   |        |        |        |        |        |       |       |       |         |   |                                 |             |                  |
| Los Calatos    | CD Capital NR         | MI           | 137 | 0.73 | 1.0   |        |        |        |        | 435    | 0.06  | 59    | 0.88  | 1.2     | Cu=87%, Mo=68%  | Scoping Study                   | 2015        | ASX Announcement |
|                |                       | Inf          | 216 | 0.78 | 1.7   |        |        |        |        | 245    | 0.05  | 53    | 0.86  | 1.8     |   |                                 |             |                  |
| Marimaca       | Marimaca Copper Corp  | MI           | 200 | 0.45 | 0.9   |        |        |        |        |        |       |       | 0.45  | 0.9     | Heap Leach = 76%, ROM Leach = 40%                               | Preliminary Economic Assessment | 2023        | SEDAR+           |
|                |                       | Inf          | 37  | 0.38 | 0.1   |        |        |        |        |        |       |       | 0.38  | 0.1     |   |                                 |             |                  |
| Santo Domingo  | Capstone Copper       | Class        | Mt  | Cu%  | Cu Mt | Au g/t | Au Moz | Fe %   | Fe Mt  |        |       |       | CuEq% | CuEq Mt | Cu=89%, Au=79%, Fe=83%  | Preliminary Economic Assessment | 2020        | SEDAR+           |
|                |                       | MI           | 537 | 0.30 | 1.63  | 0.04   | 0.7    | 25.7   | 138    |        |       |       | 0.54  | 2.9     |   |                                 |             |                  |
|                |                       | Inf          | 48  | 0.19 | 0.09  | 0.03   | 0.0    | 23.6   | 11     |        |       |       | 0.42  | 0.2     |   |                                 |             |                  |
| Mantoverde     | Capstone Copper       | Float MI     | 594 | 0.47 | 2.8   | 0.1    | 1.9    |        |        |        |       |       | 0.53  | 3.1     | Cu=89%, Au=71%  | Feasibility Study               | 2020        | SEDAR+           |
|                |                       | Float Inf    | 572 | 0.37 | 2.1   | 0.1    | 1.5    |        |        |        |       |       | 0.42  | 2.4     |   |                                 |             |                  |
|                |                       | Leach MI     | 534 | 0.21 | 1.1   | 0.0    | 0.0    |        |        |        |       |       | 0.21  | 1.1     |   |                                 |             |                  |
|                |                       | Leach Inf    | 76  | 0.15 | 0.1   | 0.0    | 0.0    |        |        |        |       |       | 0.15  | 0.1     |   |                                 |             |                  |
| Mantos Blancos | Capstone Copper       | Float MI     | 211 | 0.66 | 1.4   |        |        | 5.2    | 35     |        |       |       | 0.71  | 1.5     | Cu=83%, Au=00%, Ag=77%  | Feasibility Study               | 2020        | SEDAR+           |
|                |                       | Float Inf    | 20  | 0.48 | 0.1   |        |        | 3.4    | 2.2    |        |       |       | 0.51  | 0.1     |   |                                 |             |                  |
|                |                       | Leach MI     | 51  | 0.30 | 0.2   |        |        |        |        |        |       |       | 0.30  | 0.2     |   |                                 |             |                  |
|                |                       | Leach Inf    | 18  | 0.21 | 0.0   |        |        |        |        |        |       |       | 0.21  | 0.0     |   |                                 |             |                  |

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# Global Developer and Market Peer Group

## Resource benchmarking data

| Project                                       | Units      | Costa Fuego                               | Hillside            | Mantos Blancos       | Caravel              | Kharmagtai            | Filo del Sol                       | Escalones        | Santo Domingo                    | Casino                                       | Mantoverde                          | Canariaco Norte                   | Copper World                     | Cascabel                           | Josemaria                          | Vizcachitas                      | Los Azules        |
|---|------------|---|---------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------------|------------------|----------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| Company                                       |            | Hot Chili                                 | Rex Minerals Ltd    | Capstone Copper      | Caravel Minerals Ltd | Xanadu Mines Ltd      | Filo Mining Corp                   | World Copper Ltd | Capstone Copper                  | Western Copper and Gold Corp                 | Capstone Copper                     | Alta Copper Corp                  | Hudbay                           | Solgold Plc                        | Lundin Mining Corp                 | Los Andes Copper Ltd             | McEwen Mining Inc |
| Reported Level of Study                       |            | PEA                                       | FS                  | DFS                  | PFS                  | PEA                   | PFS                                | PEA              | PEA                              | FS   | DFS                                 | PEA                               | PEA                              | PFS                                | FS                                 | PFS                              | PEA               |
| Report Year                                   |            | 2022                                      | 2022                | 2021                 | 2022                 | 2022                  | 2023                               | 2023             | 2020                             | 2022   | 2021                                | 2022                              | 2022                             | 2022                               | 2020                               | 2023                             | 2023              |
| Effective Date                                |            | 13/05/2022                                | 14/12/2022          | 29/11/2021           | 1/07/2022            | 4/04/2022             | 28/02/2023                         | 23/02/2023       | 19/02/2020                       | 13/06/2022                                   | 29/11/2021                          | 8/02/2022                         | 1/05/2022                        | 31/03/2022                         | 28/09/2020                         | 23/02/2023                       | 9/05/2023         |
| Release Date                                  |            | 16/05/2022                                | 14/12/2022          | 5/01/2022            | 12/07/2022           | 23/06/2022            | 17/03/2023                         | 22/03/2022       | 23/03/2022                       | 9/08/2022                                    | 5/01/2022                           | 15/03/2022                        | 14/07/2022                       | 1/06/2022                          | 5/11/2020                          | 10/04/2023                       | 31/05/2023        |
| Report Source                                 |            | SEDAR                                     | ASX                 | SEDAR                | ASX                  | SEDAR                 | SEDAR                              | SEDAR            | SEDAR                            | SEDAR  | SEDAR                               | SEDAR                             | SEDAR                            | SEDAR                              | SEDAR                              | SEDAR                            | SEDAR             |
| Index Number                                  |            | 1   | 3                   | 4                    | 5                    | 6                     | 7                                  | 8                | 9                                | 10   | 11                                  | 12                                | 13                               | 14                                 | 15                                 | 16                               | 17                |
| Resource Category Split                       |            |   |                     |                      |                      |                       |                                    |                  |                                  |  |                                     |                                   |                                  |                                    |                                    |                                  |                   |
| Mesaured/Indicated                            | %          | 85%                                       | 67%                 | 0%                   | 59%                  | 64%                   | 71%                                | 31%              | 0%                               | 74%  | 0%                                  | 60%                               | 0%                               | 89%                                | 0%                                 | 49%                              | 28%               |
| Inferred                                      | %          | 15%                                       | 33%                 | 0%                   | 41%                  | 36%                   | 29%                                | 69%              | 0%                               | 26%  | 0%                                  | 40%                               | 0%                               | 11%                                | 0%                                 | 51%                              | 72%               |
| Elevation                                     | masl       | 740                                       | 50                  | 0                    | 240                  | 1300                  | 4200                               | 3500             | 0                                | 1190   | 0                                   | 3000                              | 0                                | 1100                               | 0                                  | 2000                             | 3775              |
| Nominal Annual Copper Output                  | kt/yr      | 88  | 38                  | 40                   | 46                   | 48                    | 51                                 | 50               | 61                               | 74   | 81                                  | 84                                | 100                              | 106                                | 136                                | 154                              | 146               |
| Produced Metal                                |            | Cu=1406kt, Au=718koz, Mo=22kt, Ag=1699koz | Cu=907kt, Au=642koz | Cu=717kt, Ag=1722koz | Cu=1246kt            | Cu=1444kt, Au=1568koz | Cu=658kt, Au=1987koz, Ag=110856koz | Cu=1008kt        | Cu=1100kt, Au=351koz, Fe=75000kt | Cu=2004kt, Au=6896koz, Mo=185kt, Ag=41456koz | Cu=1617kt, Au=486koz, CaCO3=25900kt | Cu=2354kt, Au=960koz, Ag=21889koz | Cu=4397kt, Mo=55kt, Ag=105764koz | Cu=2751kt, Au=6557koz, Ag=18587koz | Cu=2586kt, Au=4480koz, Ag=22017koz | Cu=4001kt, Mo=124kt, Ag=32717koz | Cu=3932kt         |
| CAPEX 2022 Real Initial                       | US\$       | 1,046                                     | 555                 | 75                   | 883                  | 695                   | 1,837                              | 630              | 1,631                            | 2,803  | 810                                 | 1,043                             | 2,801                            | 2,746                              | 3,275                              | 2,633                            | 2,462             |
| Startup Capital Intensity (\$/nominal ann cu) | US\$/t Cu  | 11,897                                    | 14,689              | 1,872                | 19,139               | 14,439                | 36,293                             | 12,511           | 26,696                           | 37,765                                       | 10,021                              | 12,406                            | 28,028                           | 25,953                             | 24,061                             | 17,110                           | 16,879            |
| Discount Rate                                 | %          | 0.08                                      | 0.05                | 0.08                 | 0.07                 | 0.08                  | 0.08                               | 0.08             | 0.08                             | 0.08   | 0.08                                | 0.08                              | 0.08                             | 0.08                               | 0.08                               | 0.08                             | 0.08              |
| Copper Study Price                            | US\$/lb Cu | 3.75                                      | 3.75                | 3.60                 | 4.00                 | 3.50                  | 3.65                               | 3.60             | 3.00                             | 3.50   | 3.45                                | 3.50                              | 3.50                             | 3.60                               | 3.00                               | 3.68                             | 3.75              |
| Post-tax NPV                                  | US\$       | 1,100                                     | 521                 | 670                  | -                    | 629                   | 1,310                              | 1,500            | 1,032                            | 1,727  | 1,283                               | 1,010                             | 2,044                            | 2,900                              | 1,530                              | 2,776                            | 2,659             |
| Profitability Index                           |            | 1.05                                      | 0.94                | 8.99                 | 1.03                 | 0.91                  | 0.71                               | 2.38             | 0.63                             | 0.62   | 1.58                                | 0.97                              | 0.73                             | 1.06                               | 0.47                               | 1.05                             | 1.08              |
| Metal Prices                                  |            |   |                     |                      |                      |                       |                                    |                  |                                  |  |                                     |                                   |                                  |                                    |                                    |                                  |                   |
| Cu  | US\$/lb    | 3.85                                      | 3.85                | 3.85                 | 3.85                 | 3.85                  | 3.85                               | 3.85             | 3.85                             | 3.85   | 3.85                                | 3.85                              | 3.85                             | 3.85                               | 3.85                               | 3.85                             | 3.85              |
| Au  | US\$/oz    | 1,750                                     | 1,750               | 1,750                | 1,750                | 1,750                 | 1,750                              | 1,750            | 1,750                            | 1,750  | 1,750                               | 1,750                             | 1,750                            | 1,750                              | 1,750                              | 1,750                            | 1,750             |
| Mo  | US\$/lb    | 17  | 17                  | 17                   | 17                   | 17                    | 17                                 | 17               | 17                               | 17   | 17                                  | 17                                | 17                               | 17                                 | 17                                 | 17                               | 17                |
| Ag  | US\$/oz    | 21  | 21                  | 21                   | 21                   | 21                    | 21                                 | 21               | 21                               | 21   | 21                                  | 21                                | 21                               | 21                                 | 21                                 | 21                               | 21                |
| Fe  | US\$/t     | 100                                       | 100                 | 100                  | 100                  | 100                   | 100                                | 100              | 100                              | 100  | 100                                 | 100                               | 100                              | 100                                | 100                                | 100                              | 100               |
| Ni  | US\$/t     | 17,919                                    | 17,919              | 17,919               | 17,919               | 17,919                | 17,919                             | 17,919           | 17,919                           | 17,919                                       | 17,919                              | 17,919                            | 17,919                           | 17,919                             | 17,919                             | 17,919                           | 17,919            |
| Co  | US\$/t     | 56,986                                    | 56,986              | 56,986               | 56,986               | 56,986                | 56,986                             | 56,986           | 56,986                           | 56,986                                       | 56,986                              | 56,986                            | 56,986                           | 56,986                             | 56,986                             | 56,986                           | 56,986            |
| Pt  | US\$/oz    | 974                                       | 974                 | 974                  | 974                  | 974                   | 974                                | 974              | 974                              | 974  | 974                                 | 974                               | 974                              | 974                                | 974                                | 974                              | 974               |
| Pd  | US\$/oz    | 2,201                                     | 2,201               | 2,201                | 2,201                | 2,201                 | 2,201                              | 2,201            | 2,201                            | 2,201  | 2,201                               | 2,201                             | 2,201                            | 2,201                              | 2,201                              | 2,201                            | 2,201             |
| Normalised to US\$3.85/lb Cu Price            |            |   |                     |                      |                      |                       |                                    |                  |                                  |  |                                     |                                   |                                  |                                    |                                    |                                  |                   |
| Total Revenue (Adjusted)                      | US\$M      | 14,040                                    | 8,820               | 6,443                | 10,574               | 14,996                | 11,390                             | 8,551            | 17,447                           | 36,863                                       | 14,573                              | 22,115                            | 41,592                           | 35,208                             | 30,248                             | 39,279                           | 33,369            |
| Annualised Production (CuEq tpa) - ave        | kt/yr      | 103,413                                   | 43,307              | 42,185               | 46,153               | 58,908                | 103,252                            | 50,389           | 114,226                          | 160,901                                      | 85,873                              | 93,078                            | 111,400                          | 159,588                            | 187,615                            | 178,038                          | 145,647           |
| Post-Tax NPV (Scaled @ \$3.85/lb)             | US\$M      | 1,100                                     | 511                 | 916                  | 1,125                | 478                   | 1,540                              | 1,701            | 2,041                            | 1,936  | 1,726                               | 1,332                             | 2,715                            | 3,271                              | 3,500                              | 3,127                            | 2,842             |
| Post-Tax IRR (Scaled @ \$3.85/lb)             | %          | 21%                                       | 18%                 | 0%                   | 18%                  | 18%                   | 24%                                | 51%              | 33%                              | 19%  | 0%                                  | 19%                               | 33%                              | 21%                                | 23%                                | 26%                              | 22%               |
| Interpolated from Sensitivity Data            |            |   |                     |                      |                      |                       |                                    |                  |                                  |  |                                     |                                   |                                  |                                    |                                    |                                  |                   |
| Upper Published NPV                           | US\$M      | -   | 551                 | 1,091                | 1,300                | 629                   | 1,730                              | 1,822            | 2,041                            | 2,062  | 2,045                               | 1,654                             | 1,721                            | 3,781                              | 3,500                              | 4,137                            | 3,003             |
| Estimated NPV @\$3.85/lb                      | US\$M      | -   | 511                 | 916                  | 1,125                | 478                   | 1,540                              | 1,701            | 2,041                            | 1,936  | 1,726                               | 1,332                             | 2,715                            | 3,271                              | 3,500                              | 3,127                            | 2,842             |
| Lower Published NPV                           | US\$M      | -   | 384                 | 883                  | 715                  | 427                   | 1,310                              | 1,500            | 1,627                            | 1,727  | 1,665                               | 1,010                             | 2,715                            | 2,907                              | 2,920                              | 2,776                            | 2,639             |
| Upper Published IRR                           | %          | 0%  | 19%                 | 0%                   | 21%                  | 20%                   | 26%                                | 54%              | 33%                              | 20%  | 0%                                  | 21%                               | 21%                              | 22%                                | 23%                                | 30%                              | 23%               |
| Estimated IRR @\$3.85/lb                      | %          | 0%  | 18%                 | 0%                   | 18%                  | 18%                   | 24%                                | 51%              | 33%                              | 19%  | 0%                                  | 19%                               | 33%                              | 21%                                | 23%                                | 26%                              | 22%               |
| Lower Published IRR                           | %          | 0%  | 13%                 | 0%                   | 12%                  | 17%                   | 20%                                | 46%              | 29%                              | 18%  | 0%                                  | 16%                               | 33%                              | 19%                                | 21%                                | 24%                              | 21%               |

Source: Published Company reports on studies undertaken on projects that were not in production at the time of the studies. Information from projects has been sourced from publicly available data that has been provided under differing economic assumptions. Public information for projects has been adjusted to provide a standardised data set under an 8% discount rate and US\$ 3.85/lb Cu price.

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The peer group of projects were selected based on the following basis:

- Primary copper projects with by-product revenues where applicable, located within the Americas and including the 3 largest ASX listed Copper projects, Kharmagtai (Mongolia), Hillside and Caravel (Australia).
- Projects that were near Costa Fuego, specifically within the Atacama. This included Santa Domingo, Mantos Blanco and Mantoverde
- Studies published within the last 4 years. Projects with older studies were considered to be on hold. This excluded La Verde, Los Calatos and Yandera.
- Significant projects such as Pebble and King-king were excluded due to high perceived geopolitical risk, limiting the probability of development.

The PEA is preliminary in nature and includes Inferred Mineral Resources that are considered too speculative geologically to have the economic considerations applied to them that would enable them to be categorised as Mineral Reserves, and there is no certainty that the PEA will be realised. Mineral Resources that are not Mineral Reserves do not have demonstrated economic viability. See Slides 2 and 40 for additional cautionary language.



# Global Developer and Market Peer Group

## Resource benchmarking data (continued)

| Project               | Units      | Costa Fuego | Hillside         | Caravel              | Kharmagtai       | Filo del Sol     | Escalones        | Casino                       | Canariaco Norte  | Cascabel    | Vizcachitas          | Los Azules        | Marimaca        | Antakori          | Warintza/<br>La Verde |
|-----------------------|------------|-------------|------------------|----------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------------------|------------------|-------------|----------------------|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| Company               |            | Hot Chili   | Rex Minerals Ltd | Caravel Minerals Ltd | Xanadu Mines Ltd | Filo Mining Corp | World Copper Ltd | Western Copper and Gold Corp | Alta Copper Corp | Solgold Plc | Los Andes Copper Ltd | McEwen Mining Inc | Marimaca Copper | Regulus Resources | Solaris Resources     |
| M&I CuEq              | Blbs       | 7.98        | 3.20             | 3.70                 | 7.25             | 6.24             | 1.97             | 20.27                        | 10.34            | 36.50       | 14.80                | 11.10             | 1.47            | 3.63              | 11.75                 |
| INF CuEq              | Blbs       | 1.41        | 1.59             | 2.57                 | 4.04             | 2.52             | 4.47             | 7.28                         | 6.88             | 4.65        | 15.44                | 28.93             | 0.71            | 3.38              | 12.18                 |
| Market Cap 2024-02-16 | M          | 131         | 122              | 79                   | 73               | 2,774            | 9                | 223                          | 32               | 202         | 360                  | 307               | 338             | 113               | 594                   |
| Currency              |            | AUD         | AUD              | AUD                  | AUD              | CAD              | CAD              | CAD                          | CAD              | GBP         | CAD                  | USD               | CAD             | CAD               | CAD                   |
| Exchange Rate to US\$ | US         | 0.65        | 0.65             | 0.65                 | 0.65             | 0.74             | 0.74             | 0.74                         | 0.74             | 1.26        | 0.74                 | 1.00              | 0.74            | 0.74              | 0.74                  |
| Market Cap            | US\$M      | 85          | 79               | 51                   | 48               | 2,053            | 7                | 165                          | 23               | 254         | 266                  | 307               | 250             | 84                | 440                   |
| Price                 | US\$/share | 0.73        | 0.10             | 0.10                 | 0.03             | 15.70            | 0.06             | 0.99                         | 0.28             | 0.08        | 9.03                 | 6.20              | 2.69            | 0.67              | 2.92                  |
| Shares OS             | M          | 119         | 764              | 524                  | 1,716            | 131              | 125              | 166                          | 84               | 3,001       | 29                   | 49                | 93              | 125               | 151                   |

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Reference data – hyperlinks

| Index | Company                    | Project         | Hyperlink   |
|-------|----------------------------|-----------------|---|
| 1     | Hot Chili Ltd              | Costa Fuego     | <a href="https://www.hotchili.net.au/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/NI-43-101-Costa-Fuego-Resources-FINAL.pdf">https://www.hotchili.net.au/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/NI-43-101-Costa-Fuego-Resources-FINAL.pdf</a>   |
| 2     | Rex Minerals Ltd           | Hillside        | <a href="https://static1.squarespace.com/static/5dcb886c7d6813437e9216a8/t/6398f110a364e6373945714e/1670967581248/40+-+20221214+-+Rex+commits+to+next+phase+of+Hillside+Copper-Gold+Project.pdf">https://static1.squarespace.com/static/5dcb886c7d6813437e9216a8/t/6398f110a364e6373945714e/1670967581248/40+-+20221214+-+Rex+commits+to+next+phase+of+Hillside+Copper-Gold+Project.pdf</a> |
| 3     | Capstone Copper            | Mantos Blancos  | <a href="https://capstonecopper.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/12/Mantos-Blancos-Technical-Report-January-2022.pdf">https://capstonecopper.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/12/Mantos-Blancos-Technical-Report-January-2022.pdf</a>   |
| 4     | Caravel Minerals Ltd       | Caravel         | <a href="https://app.sharelinktechnologies.com/announcement/asx/95ace9b930eced7b0cfc5aa3c4ab8dab">https://app.sharelinktechnologies.com/announcement/asx/95ace9b930eced7b0cfc5aa3c4ab8dab</a>   |
| 5     | Xanadu Mines Ltd           | Kharmagtai      | Search on SEDAR - Not on Company Website  |
| 6     | Filo Mining Corp           | Filo            | <a href="https://filo-mining.com/site/assets/files/6939/filo-del-sol-pfs-ni-43-101-technical-report-update-final.pdf">https://filo-mining.com/site/assets/files/6939/filo-del-sol-pfs-ni-43-101-technical-report-update-final.pdf</a>   |
| 7     | World Copper Ltd           | Escalones       | <a href="https://worldcopperltd.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/03/World-Copper-Escalones-PEA-FINAL-2022-03-21.pdf">https://worldcopperltd.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/03/World-Copper-Escalones-PEA-FINAL-2022-03-21.pdf</a>   |
| 8     | Capstone Copper            | Santo Domingo   | <a href="https://capstonecopper.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/12/Santo-Domingo-TR-Final-24March2020.pdf">https://capstonecopper.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/12/Santo-Domingo-TR-Final-24March2020.pdf</a>   |
| 9     | Western Copper & Gold Corp | Casino          | <a href="http://westerncopperandgold.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/08/M3-PN200352-Casino-Feasibility-Study-NI-43-101-Technical-Report_compressed.pdf">http://westerncopperandgold.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/08/M3-PN200352-Casino-Feasibility-Study-NI-43-101-Technical-Report_compressed.pdf</a>   |
| 10    | Capstone Copper            | Mantoverde      | <a href="https://capstonecopper.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/12/MV-Technical-Report-Final-Jan-5-2022pdf.pdf">https://capstonecopper.com/wp-content/uploads/2022/12/MV-Technical-Report-Final-Jan-5-2022pdf.pdf</a>   |
| 11    | Alta Copper Corp           | Canariaco Norte | <a href="https://altacopper.com/site/assets/files/5816/canariaco_norte_ni_43-101_technical_report_final_march_15_2022.pdf">https://altacopper.com/site/assets/files/5816/canariaco_norte_ni_43-101_technical_report_final_march_15_2022.pdf</a>   |
| 12    | Hudbay Minerals Inc        | Copper World    | Search on SEDAR - Not on Company Website  |
| 13    | SolGold Plc                | Cascabel        | <a href="https://www.sedar.com/DisplayCompanyDocuments.do?lang=EN&amp;issuerNo=00043090">https://www.sedar.com/DisplayCompanyDocuments.do?lang=EN&amp;issuerNo=00043090</a>   |
| 14    | Lundin Mining Corp         | Josemaria       | <a href="https://lundinmining.com/site/assets/files/8410/josemaria_resources_technical_report.pdf">https://lundinmining.com/site/assets/files/8410/josemaria_resources_technical_report.pdf</a>   |
| 15    | Los Andes Copper Ltd       | Vizcachitas     | <a href="https://losandescopper.com/site/assets/files/3685/techreport.pdf">https://losandescopper.com/site/assets/files/3685/techreport.pdf</a>   |
| 16    | McEwen Mining Inc          | Los Azules      | <a href="https://s21.q4cdn.com/390685383/files/technical_reports/los_azules/LosAzulesPEA_2023.pdf">https://s21.q4cdn.com/390685383/files/technical_reports/los_azules/LosAzulesPEA_2023.pdf</a>   |

# Qualifying Statements

## Financial Risk Management

The risks, uncertainties, contingencies and other factors that may cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed or implied by the forward-looking information are described under the heading “Risk Factors” in the Company’s long form prospectus dated December 20, 2021, filed on SEDAR and under Financial Risk Management in the Company’s most recent Annual Report available on SEDAR. Should one or more risk, uncertainty, contingency or other factor materialise or should any factor or assumption prove incorrect, actual results could vary materially from those expressed or implied in the forward-looking information. Accordingly, you should not place undue reliance on forward looking information. Hot Chili does not assume any obligation to update or revise any forward -looking information after the date of this Presentation or to explain any material difference between subsequent actual events and any forward-looking information, except as required by applicable law.

## Qualified Person - NI 43 101

The information pertaining to the Mineral Resource Estimates included in this Presentation has been reviewed and approved by Ms. Elizabeth Haren (MAUSIMM (CP) & MAIG) of Haren Consulting Pty Ltd. All other scientific and technical information in this Presentation, has been reviewed and approved by Mr Christian Easterday, MAIG, Hot Chili’s Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer. Each of Ms. Haren and Mr. Easterday are a qualified person within the meaning of NI 43-101.

A technical report prepared in accordance with NI 43-101 containing the full details with respect to the updated Mineral Resource Estimate and existing and still current PEA was filed with the applicable Canadian securities regulators on SEDAR+ (www.sedarplus.ca) on April 8th 2024.

The Metallurgical information contained in this Presentation has been approved by Mr Dean David, a full-time employee of Wood Pty Ltd and an independent consultant to Hot Chili. Mr David is a qualified person within the meaning of NI 43-101.

The Market Studies and Contracts, Economic Analysis contained in this Presentation has been approved by Mr Piers Wendlandt, a full-time employee of Wood Pty Ltd and an independent consultant to Hot Chili. Mr Wendlandt is a qualified person within the meaning of NI 43-101.

The Capital and Operating Costs contained in this Presentation has been approved by Mr Jeffrey Steven, a full-time employee of Wood Pty Ltd and an independent consultant to Hot Chili. Mr Steven is a qualified person within the meaning of NI 43-101.

The Mine Planning and Scheduling information contained in this Presentation has been approved by Mr Anton von Wielligh, a full-time employee of ABGM Consulting Pty Ltd and an independent consultant to Hot Chili. Mr von Wielligh is a qualified person within the meaning of NI 43-101.

The Environmental Studies, Permitting and Social or Community Impact information contained in this Presentation has been approved by Mr Edmundo Laporte, a full-time employee of GAC and an independent consultant to Hot Chili. Mr Laporte is a qualified person within the meaning of NI 43-101.

The Project Infrastructure information contained in this Presentation has been approved by Mr Dave Morgan, a full-time employee of Knight Piésold Pty Ltd and an independent consultant to Hot Chili. Mr Morgan is a qualified person within the meaning of NI 43-101.

Disclosure regarding mine planning and infrastructure in this Presentation has been reviewed and approved by Mr Grant King, FAUSIMM, Hot Chili’s Chief Operations Officer and a qualified person within the meaning of NI 43-101.

## Joint Ore Reserves Committee Code (JORC) 2012 (Reporting Standard ASX)

The PEA referred to in this announcement has been undertaken to confirm the potential of the Costa Fuego project to proceed to the intended PFS. It is a preliminary technical and economic study of the potential viability of Costa Fuego. It is based on technical and economic assessments that are insufficient to support the estimation of ore reserves. Further resource delineation and appropriate studies are required before the Company will be in a position to estimate ore reserves or provide any assurance of an economic development case.

The PEA is based on the material assumptions outlined below. These include assumptions about the availability of funding. While the Company 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 PEA will be achieved.

To achieve the range of outcomes indicated in the PEA, including reaching Definitive Feasibility Study (“DFS”) stage, funding of in the order of \$1.10 Billion will likely be required. Investors should note that there is no certainty the Company 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 the Company’s existing shares.

It is also possible that the Company 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 the Company’s proportionate ownership of the project

Given the uncertainties involved, investors should not make any investment decisions based solely on the results of the PEA.

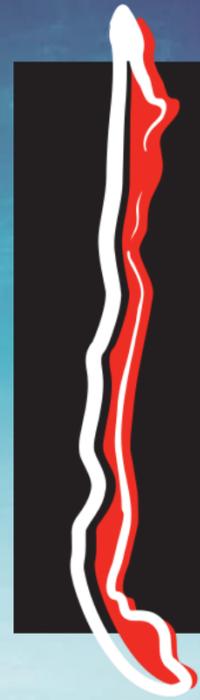
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The risks, uncertainties, contingencies and other factors that may cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed or implied by the forward looking information are described under the heading headings “Forward Looking Statements “ and “Risk Factors” in the Company’s Final long form prospectus filed on SEDAR and under Financial Risk Management in the Company’s most recent Annual Report available on SEDAR and under the heading “Forward Looking Statements” in our news release dated 4 April 2023 Should one or more risk, uncertainty, contingency or other factor materialize or should any factor or assumption prove incorrect, actual results could vary materially from those expressed or implied in the forward looking information Accordingly, you should not place undue reliance on forward looking information. Hot Chili does not assume any obligation to update or revise any forward-looking information after the date of this Presentation or to explain any material difference between subsequent actual events and any forward-looking information, except as required by applicable law.

## Competent Person’s Statement - JORC

The information in this Presentation that relates to Mineral Resources for the Costa Fuego Project is based on information compiled by Ms Elizabeth Haren, Mr Dean David, Mr Piers Wendlandt, Mr Jeffrey Steven, Mr Anton von Wielligh, Mr Edmundo Laporte and Mr Dave Morgan. Ms Haren is a full-time employee of Haren Consulting Pty Ltd and a Member and Chartered Professional of The Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy and a Member of the Australian Institute of Geoscientists. Mr David is a full-time employee of Wood Pty Ltd and a Fellow of The Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. Mr Wendlandt is a full-time employee of Wood Pty Ltd and a Registered Professional Engineer in the State of Colorado. Mr Steven is a full-time employee of Wood Pty Ltd and a Registered Professional Engineer in the State of British Columbia. Mr von Wielligh is a full-time employee of ABGM Consulting Pty Ltd and a Fellow of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. Mr Laporte is a full-time employee of GAC and a registered Professional Engineer in Alberta, Nova Scotia and Ontario, Registered Member of the Society for Mining, Metallurgy & Exploration and a Chartered Professional Engineer in Australia. Mr Morgan is a full-time employee of Knight Piésold Pty Ltd and a Member of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy and Chartered Professional Engineer.

Ms Haren, Mr David, Mr Wendlandt, Mt Steven, Mr von Wielligh, Mr Laporte and Mr Morgan have sufficient experience, which is relevant to the style of mineralisation and types of deposits under consideration and to the activities undertaken, to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 Edition of the ‘Australasian Code of Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves’.



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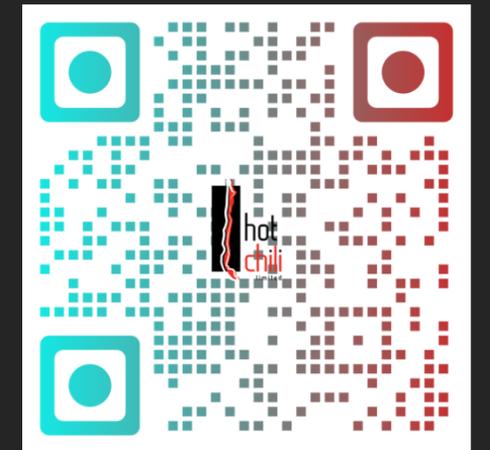
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