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This annual information form contains references to United States dollars and Canadian dollars. All dollar amounts referenced, unless otherwise indicated, are expressed in United States dollars. Canadian dollars are referred to herein as “Canadian dollars” or “C\$”. See page 103 for details on currency presentation and exchange rate information.

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CORPORATE STRUCTURE

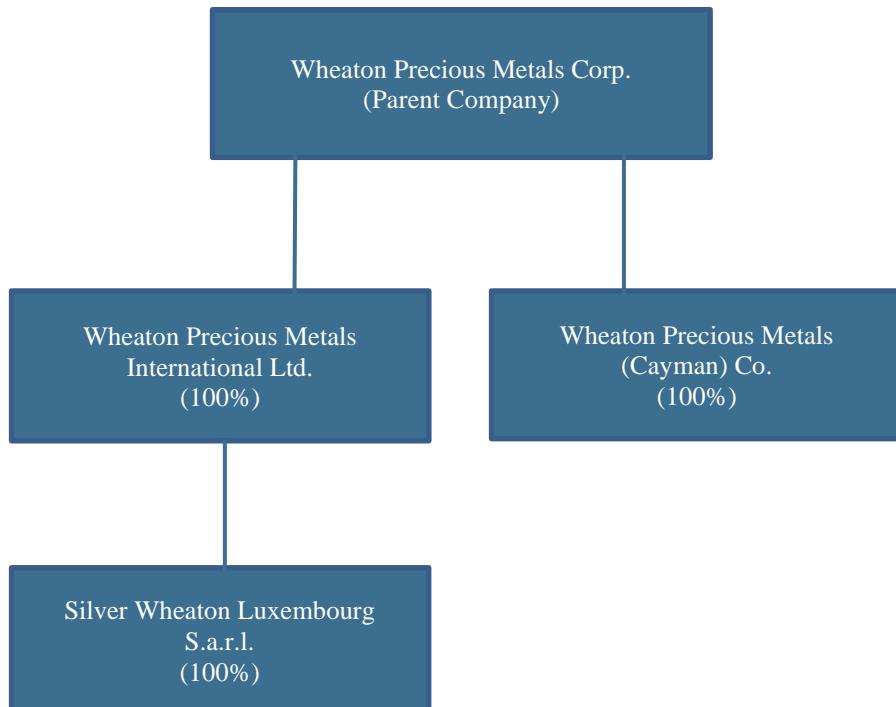
Wheaton Precious Metals Corp. (“Wheaton” or the “Company”) is a corporation that, pursuant to Articles of Continuance dated December 17, 2004, is governed by the *Business Corporations Act* (Ontario) (the “Act”).

Wheaton’s head office is located at 3500 – 1021 West Hastings Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, V6E 0C3 and its registered office is located at Suite 2100, 40 King Street West, Toronto, Ontario, M5H 3C2.

The Company’s active subsidiaries are Wheaton Precious Metals International Ltd. (“Wheaton International”) (formerly Silver Wheaton (Caymans) Ltd.) and Wheaton Precious Metals (Cayman) Co. (“Wheaton Cayman”), each of which is wholly-owned by the Company and is governed by the laws of the Cayman Islands, and Silver Wheaton Luxembourg S.a.r.l. (“Silver Wheaton Luxembourg”) which is wholly-owned by Wheaton International and is governed by the laws of Luxembourg. As used in this annual information form, except as otherwise required by the context, reference to “Wheaton” or the “Company” means Wheaton Precious Metals Corp., Wheaton International, Silver Wheaton Luxembourg and Wheaton Cayman.

On May 10, 2017, the Company changed its name from “Silver Wheaton Corp.” to “Wheaton Precious Metals Corp.” and changed its Toronto Stock Exchange (“TSX”) and New York Stock Exchange (“NYSE”) ticker symbol from “SLW” to “WPM.” Concurrent with the name change, the Company’s web domain changed to www.wheatonpm.com. Information contained on Wheaton’s website should not be deemed to be a part of this annual information form or incorporated by reference herein. On October 28, 2020, the common shares of the Company (“Common Shares”) commenced trading on the London Stock Exchange (“LSE”).

WHEATON AND ITS PRINCIPAL SUBSIDIARIES



GENERAL DEVELOPMENT OF THE BUSINESS

Three Year History

The following is a summary of the three-year history of the Company. Further details concerning these and other transactions can be found under “Description of the Business”.

<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>
<p style="text-align: center;">February</p> <p>Extension of maturity date of revolving credit facility by one year and continued use of letter of guarantee with CRA</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">February</p> <p>Extension of maturity date of revolving credit facility by one year</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">February</p> <p>Extension of maturity date of revolving credit facility by one year</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">February</p> <p>Ms. Marilyn Schonberger joined Board of Directors</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">September</p> <p>Joined UN Global Compact and endorsed the World Gold Council's Responsible Gold Mining Principles</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">March</p> <p>Increased quarterly dividend by 11% for 2020</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">May</p> <p>Termination of existing stream and entered into new mineral stream on San Dimas with First Majestic Silver Corp. (“First Majestic”)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">September/October</p> <p>Amended gold stream with Pembridge Resources plc (“Pembridge”) on the Minto mine to increase the gold production payment to 75% gold market price for a limited period and operations at the Minto mine recommenced</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">April</p> <p>Initiated \$300 million At-The-Market Equity Program</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">June</p> <p>Acquired cobalt stream on Vale’s Voisey’s Bay mine for total upfront consideration of \$390 million</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">November</p> <p>Provided loan to assist Kutcho Copper Corp. (“Kutcho”) in advancing the Kutcho project</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">May</p> <p>Mr. Glenn Ives joined Board of Directors</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">July</p> <p>Acquired gold and palladium stream on Stillwater and East Boulder mines for total upfront consideration of \$500 million</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">December</p> <p>Provided \$10 million funding to Gold X Mining Corp. (“Gold X”) to assist in their acquisition of the Toroparu project property package</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">October</p> <p>Completed listing of the Common Shares on the LSE</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">December</p> <p>Reached settlement with CRA on appeal of transfer pricing reassessments resulting in no additional cash taxes for 2005 – 2010 tax years</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">December</p> <p>Reached settlement in principle on the outstanding United States class action within limits of Wheaton’s insurance</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">November</p> <p>Entered into new mineral stream on Marmato mine with Aris Gold Corporation (<i>formerly Caldas Gold Corp.</i>) (“Aris Gold”)</p>
		<p style="text-align: center;">December</p> <p>Increased quarterly dividend by 20% for fourth quarter</p>
		<p style="text-align: center;">December</p> <p>Entered into new mineral stream on Cozamin mine with Capstone Mining Corp. (“Capstone”)</p>

DESCRIPTION OF THE BUSINESS

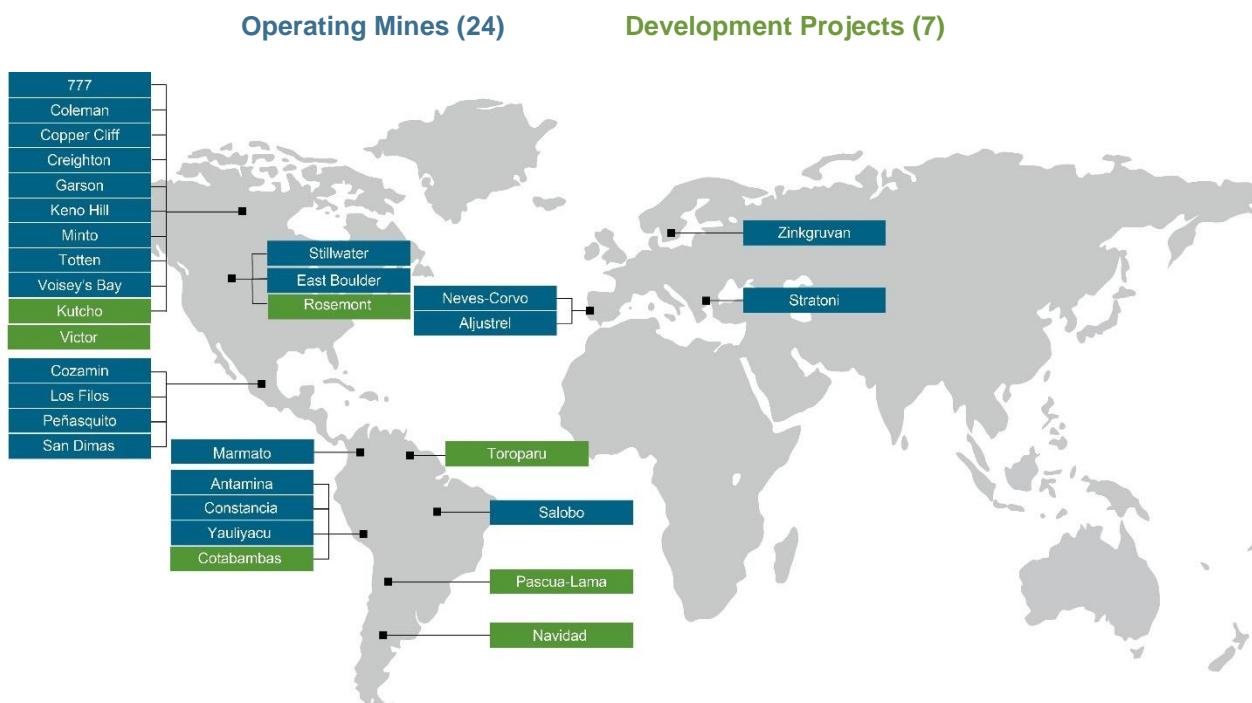
Acquisition & Production History

Wheaton is a streaming company which generates its revenue primarily from the sale of precious metals. Wheaton enters into purchase agreements (“precious metal purchase agreements” or “PMPAs”) to purchase all or a portion of the precious metals or cobalt production from mines located around the globe for an upfront payment and an additional payment upon the delivery of the precious metal.

As of December 31, 2020, the Company has entered into 25 long-term purchase agreements (three of which are early deposit precious metal purchase agreements), with 19 different mining companies, for the purchase of precious metals and cobalt (“precious metal purchase agreements” or “PMPA”) relating to 24 mining assets which are currently operating, seven which are at various stages of development and one of which has been placed in care and maintenance, located in 12 countries. Wheaton acquires metal production from the counterparties for an initial upfront payment plus an additional cash payment for each ounce or pound delivered which is fixed by contract, generally at or below the prevailing market price. The primary drivers of the Company’s financial results are the volume of metal production at the various mines to which the precious metal purchase agreements relate and the price realized by Wheaton upon sale of the metals received. Attributable metal production as referred to in this annual information form is the metal production to which Wheaton is entitled pursuant to the various precious metal purchase agreements.

The Company is actively pursuing future growth opportunities, primarily by way of entering into additional long-term precious metal purchase agreements. There is no assurance, however, that any potential transaction will be successfully completed. The following map illustrates the geographic location of the Company’s diversified portfolio of interests in the 24 operating mines and seven development projects comprising its high-quality asset base.

The Common Shares are listed and posted for trading on the LSE (symbol: WPM), the NYSE (symbol: WPM) and the TSX (symbol: WPM).



Principal Product

The Company's principal products are precious metals and cobalt that it has agreed to purchase pursuant to PMPAs. The following tables summarize the mineral stream interests currently owned by the Company (collectively, the "Mining Operations"). Note that statements made in this section contain forward-looking information. Please see "*Cautionary Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements*" for material risks, assumptions and important disclosure associated with this information.

Mineral Stream Interests	Mine Owner ¹	Mine Location ¹	Attributable Production	Per Ounce Production Payment ^{2,3}	Total Upfront Consideration Paid to Date ³	Cash Flow Generated to Date ³	Ounces Received to Date ³	Q4-2020 PBND ^{3,4}	Term ¹	Date of Original Contract
Gold										
Salobo	Vale	BRA	75%	\$412	\$ 3,059,360	\$ 1,357,225	1,411,229	44,568	LOM	28-Feb-13
Sudbury ⁵	Vale	CAN	70%	\$400	623,572	209,688	224,201	15,056	20 years	28-Feb-13
Constancia	Hudbay	PER	50% ⁶	\$408	135,000	77,821	80,654	263	LOM	8-Aug-12
San Dimas	FM	MEX	variable ⁷	\$606	220,000	94,278	105,233	2,993	LOM	10-May-18
Stillwater ⁸	Sibanye	USA	100%	18% of spot	237,880	38,121	30,604	4,886	LOM	16-Jul-18
Other					400,342	481,090	489,648	3,824		
Minto	PERE	CAN	100% ⁹	75% of spot					LOM	20-Nov-08
Rosemont	Hudbay	USA	100%	\$450					LOM	10-Feb-10
777 ¹⁰	Hudbay	CAN	50%	\$425					LOM	8-Aug-12
Marmato ¹¹	Aris	CO	6.5% ¹¹	18% of spot					LOM	5-Nov-20
					\$ 4,676,154	\$ 2,258,223	2,341,569	71,590		
Silver										
Peñasquito	Newmont	MEX	25%	\$4.29	\$ 485,000	\$ 999,292	59,801	1,190	LOM	24-Jul-07
Antamina	Glencore	PER	33.75% ¹²	20% of spot	900,000	404,619	29,422	1,773	LOM	3-Nov-15
Constancia	Hudbay	PER	100%	\$6.02	294,900	128,001	11,554	43	LOM	8-Aug-12
Other					880,408	1,290,530	94,376	1,480		
Los Filos	Equinox	MEX	100%	\$4.46					25 years	15-Oct-04
Zinkgruvan	Lundin	SWE	100%	\$4.46					LOM	8-Dec-04
Yauliyacu	Glencore	PER	100% ¹³	\$8.94					LOM	23-Mar-06
Stratoni	Eldorado	GRC	100%	\$11.43					LOM	23-Apr-07
Neves-Corvo	Lundin	PRT	100%	\$4.34					50 years	5-Jun-07
Aljustrel	Almina	PRT	100% ¹⁴	50% of spot					50 years	5-Jun-07
Keno Hill	Alexco	CAN	25%	variable ¹⁵					LOM	2-Oct-08
Minto	PERE	CAN	100%	\$4.31					LOM	20-Nov-08
Pascua-Lama	Barrick	CHL/ARG	25%	\$3.90					LOM	8-Sep-09
Rosemont	Hudbay	USA	100%	\$3.90					LOM	10-Feb-10
777 ¹⁰	Hudbay	CAN	100%	\$6.26					LOM	8-Aug-12
Navidad	PAAS	ARG	12.5%	\$4.00					LOM	n/a ¹⁶
Marmato ¹¹	Aris	CO	100% ¹¹	18% of spot					LOM	5-Nov-20
Cozamin	Capstone	MEX	50% ¹⁷	10% of spot					LOM	10-Dec-20
					\$ 2,560,308	\$ 2,822,442	195,153	4,486		
Palladium										
Stillwater ⁸	Sibanye	USA	4.5% ¹⁸	18% of spot	\$ 262,120	\$ 69,781	49,449	5,597	LOM	16-Jul-18
Cobalt										
Voisey's Bay	Vale	CAN	42.4% ¹⁹	18% of spot	\$ 390,000	\$ -	-	-	LOM	11-Jun-18
Total					\$ 7,888,582	\$ 5,150,446				

- 1) Abbreviations as follows: FM = First Majestic Silver Corp; PERE = Pembridge Resources plc; PAAS = Pan American Silver Corp; BRA = Brazil; CAN = Canada; CHL = Chile, PER = Peru; MEX = Mexico; USA = United States; SWE = Sweden; GRC = Greece; PRT = Portugal; ARG = Argentina; CO = Colombia; and LOM = Life of Mine.
- 2) Please refer to the section entitled "Contractual Obligations and Contingencies – Mineral Stream Interests" in the Company's management's discussion and analysis ("MD&A") for the year ended December 31, 2020 for more information.
- 3) All figures in thousands except gold and palladium ounces produced but not delivered ("PBND") and per ounce amounts. The total upfront consideration paid to date excludes closing costs and capitalized interest, where applicable. Please refer to the section entitled "Other Contractual Obligations and Contingencies" in the Company's MD&A for the year ended December 31, 2020 for details of when the remaining upfront consideration to be paid becomes due.
- 4) Payable gold, silver and palladium ounces PBND are based on management estimates. These figures may be updated in future periods as additional information is received.
- 5) Comprised of the operating Coleman, Copper Cliff, Garson, Creighton and Totten gold interests as well as the non-operating Stobie and Victor gold interests. As of December 31, 2020, the Company has received approximately \$210 million of operating cash flows relative to the Sudbury PMPA. Should the market value of gold delivered to Wheaton through the 20 year term of the contract, net of the per ounce cash payment, be lower than the initial \$670 million refundable deposit, the Company will be entitled to a refund of the difference at the conclusion of the term.
- 6) As Hudbay failed to achieve a minimum level of throughput at the Pampacancha deposit during 2019, Wheaton received an additional 8,020 ounces of gold in 2020. Should Hudbay fail to achieve a minimum level of throughput at the Pampacancha deposit during the 18 months ended June 30, 2021, Wheaton will be entitled to an additional 8,020 ounces of gold to be delivered in 4 quarterly installments beginning in the third quarter of 2021.
- 7) The original San Dimas SPA (as defined below), entered into on October 15, 2004, was terminated on May 10, 2018 and concurrently the Company entered into the new San Dimas PMPA (as defined below). Under the terms of the San Dimas PMPA, the Company is entitled to an amount equal to 25% of the payable gold production plus an additional amount of gold equal to 25% of the payable silver production converted to gold at a fixed gold to silver exchange ratio of 70:1 from the San Dimas mine. If the average gold to silver price ratio decreases to less than 50:1 or increases to more than 90:1 for a period of six months or more, then the "70" shall be revised to "50" or "90", as the case may be, until such time as the average gold to silver

price ratio is between 50:1 to 90:1 for a period of 6 months or more in which event the "70" shall be reinstated. Effective April 1, 2020, the fixed gold to silver exchange ratio was revised to 90:1, with the 70:1 ratio being reinstated on October 15, 2020.

- 8) Comprised of the Stillwater and East Boulder gold and palladium interests.
- 9) The Company is entitled to acquire 100% of the first 30,000 ounces of gold produced per annum and 50% thereafter.
- 10) As of December 31, 2020, the Company has received approximately \$323 million of operating cash flows relative to the 777 PMPA (as defined below). Should the market value of gold and silver delivered to Wheaton through the initial 40 year term of the contract, net of the per ounce cash payment, be lower than the initial \$455 million upfront consideration, the Company will be entitled to a refund of the difference at the conclusion of the 40 year term.
- 11) Once Wheaton has received 190,000 ounces of gold and 2.15 million ounces of silver the Company's attributable gold and silver production will be reduced to 3.25% and 50%, respectively.
- 12) Once Wheaton has received 140 million ounces of silver under the Antamina PMPA (as defined below), the Company's attributable silver production will be reduced to 22.5%.
- 13) Glencore will deliver a per annum amount to Wheaton equal to the first 1.5 million ounces of payable silver produced at Yauliyacu and 50% of any excess.
- 14) Wheaton only has the rights to silver contained in concentrate containing less than 15% copper at the Aljustrel mine.
- 15) Effective July 2020, the price paid per ounce of silver delivered under the Keno Hill PMPA (as defined below) has been modified to be between 10% of the spot price of silver, when the market price of silver is at or above \$23.00 per ounce, to 90% of the spot price of silver when the market price of silver is at or below \$15.00 per ounce.
- 16) Wheaton and PAAS (as defined below) have not yet finalized the definitive terms of the agreement.
- 17) Once Wheaton has received 10 million ounces of silver under the Cozamin PMPA (as defined below), the Company's attributable silver production will be reduced to 33%.
- 18) Once the Company has received 375,000 ounces of palladium under the Stillwater agreement, the Company's attributable palladium production will be reduced to 2.25%, and once the Company has received 550,000 ounces of palladium under the agreement, the Company's attributable palladium production will be reduced to 1%.
- 19) Once the Company has received 31 million pounds of cobalt under the Voisey's Bay PMPA (as defined below), the Company's attributable cobalt production will be reduced to 21.2%.

The following table summarizes the early deposit mineral stream interests currently owned by the Company:

Early Deposit Mineral Stream Interests	Mine Owner	Location of Mine	Upfront Consideration Paid to Date ¹	Upfront Consideration to be Paid ^{1, 2}	Total Upfront Consideration ¹	Attributable Production to be Purchased		Term of Agreement	Date of Original Contract
						Gold	Silver		
Toroparu	Gold X	Guyana	\$ 15,500	\$ 138,000	\$ 153,500	10%	50%	Life of Mine	11-Nov-13
Cotabambas	Panoro	Peru	10,000	130,000	140,000	25% ³	100% ³	Life of Mine	21-Mar-16
Kutcho	Kutcho	Canada	7,000	58,000	65,000	100% ⁴	100% ⁴	Life of Mine	14-Dec-17
			\$ 32,500	\$ 326,000	\$ 358,500				

¹⁾ Expressed in thousands of United States dollars; excludes closing costs and capitalized interest, where applicable.

²⁾ Please refer to the section entitled "Other Contractual Obligations and Contingencies" in the Company's MD&A for details of when the remaining upfront consideration to be paid becomes due.

³⁾ Once 90 million silver equivalent ounces attributable to Wheaton have been produced, the attributable production will decrease to 16.67% of gold production and 66.67% of silver production for the life of mine.

⁴⁾ Once 51,000 ounces of gold and 5.6 million ounces of silver have been delivered to Wheaton, the stream will decrease to 66.67% of gold and silver production for the life of mine.

Further details regarding the PMPAs entered into by the Company in respect of these mineral stream interests can be found below:

San Dimas Mine

Mine Name:	San Dimas
Operator:	First Majestic Silver Corp.
Location:	Mexico
Stream:	25% Gold plus 25% silver production converted to Gold
Term:	Life of Mine
WPM party:	Wheaton International

On October 15, 2004, the Company entered into a precious metal purchase agreement (the “San Dimas SPA”) with Goldcorp Inc. (“Goldcorp”) to acquire an amount equal to 100% of the silver produced by Goldcorp’s Luismin mining operations in Mexico (owned at the date of the transaction) for a period of 25 years. The Luismin operations consisted primarily of the San Dimas mine (the “San Dimas mine”) and Los Filos mine (the “Los Filos mine”). On August 6, 2010, Goldcorp completed the sale of the San Dimas mine to Primero Mining Corp. (“Primero”). In conjunction with the sale, Wheaton amended the San Dimas SPA. The term of the San Dimas SPA, as it related to San Dimas, was extended to the life of mine. During the first four years following the closing of the transaction, Primero

delivered to Wheaton a per annum amount equal to the first 3.5 million ounces of payable silver produced at the San Dimas mine and 50% of any excess, plus Wheaton received an additional 1.5 million ounces of silver per annum delivered by Goldcorp. Beginning in the fifth year after closing, Primero delivered a per annum amount to Wheaton equal to the first six million ounces of payable silver produced at the San Dimas mine and 50% of any excess. In addition, a per ounce cash payment of the lesser of \$4.04 per ounce of silver (subject to an annual inflationary adjustment) or the prevailing market price was due, for silver delivered under the San Dimas SPA. Goldcorp guaranteed the delivery by Primero of all silver produced and owing to the Company until 2029 (the “Goldcorp Guarantee”).

In connection with First Majestic’s acquisition of all the issued and outstanding common shares of Primero (the “Acquisition”), on May 10, 2018, the Company terminated the San Dimas SPA and entered into a new precious metal purchase agreement with First Majestic (the “San Dimas PMPA”) to purchase an amount of gold equal to 25% of the life of mine payable gold production from the San Dimas mine plus an additional amount of gold equal to 25% of the life of mine payable silver production from the San Dimas mine converted to gold at a fixed gold to silver exchange ratio of 70:1.¹ The Company paid a total upfront cash payment of \$220 million for the San Dimas PMPA and, in addition, will make ongoing payments of \$600 per gold ounce delivered. As consideration for terminating the San Dimas SPA, the Company received a cash payment of \$220 million and 20,914,590 First Majestic common shares with a fair value of \$151 million (the “First Majestic Shares”), and the Goldcorp Guarantee was terminated in exchange for a payment of \$10 million.

Mexican Tax Dispute – In February 2016, Primero announced that its Mexican subsidiary, Primero Empresa Minera S.A. de C.V. (“PEM”), received a legal claim from the Mexican tax authorities, the Servicio de Administración Tributaria (“SAT”), seeking to nullify the Advance Pricing Agreement issued by SAT in 2012 (“APA”). The APA confirmed PEM’s ability to pay taxes in Mexico on the sale of silver on actual prices realized by its Mexican subsidiary in connection with silver sales under the San Dimas SPA for the tax years 2010 through 2014.

As disclosed by First Majestic in their MD&A for the period ended December 31, 2020, during 2019, as part of the ongoing annual audits of PEM’s tax returns, the SAT issued reassessments for the 2010 to 2012 tax years in the amount of \$246.6 million inclusive of interest, inflation, and penalties. The key items relate to the view that PEM should pay taxes based on the market price of silver and denial of the deductibility of interest expense and service fees in Mexico. First Majestic also indicates that in April 2020, SAT issued notifications to PEM to attempt to secure amounts it claims are owed pursuant to its reassessments issued. These notifications impose certain restrictions on PEM including its ability to dispose of its concessions and real properties. First Majestic has challenged SAT’s reassessments and dismissals through all domestic means available to them, including annulment suits before the Mexican Federal Tax Court on Administrative Matters (“Federal Court”). In September 2020, First Majestic was served with a decision made by the Federal Court to nullify the APA granted to PEM. The Federal Court’s decision directs SAT to re-examine the evidence and basis for the issuance of the APA with retroactive effect, for the following key reasons:

- (i) SAT’s errors in analyzing PEM’s request for the APA and the evidence provided in support of the request; and
- (ii) SAT’s failure to request from PEM certain additional information before issuing the APA.

¹ If the average gold to silver price ratio decreases to less than 50:1 or increases to more than 90:1 for a period of 6 months or more, then the “70” shall be revised to “50” or “90”, as the case may be, until such time as the average gold to silver price ratio is between 50:1 to 90:1 for a period of 6 months or more in which event the “70” shall be reinstated. Effective April 1, 2020, the fixed gold to silver exchange ratio was revised to 90:1, with the 70:1 ratio being reinstated on October 15, 2020.

First Majestic states that they filed an appeal of the decision to the Mexican Circuit Courts on November 30, 2020.

First Majestic indicates that if the SAT is successful in retroactively nullifying the APA and issuing reassessments, it would likely have a material adverse effect on First Majestic's results of operations, financial condition and cash flows. PEM would have rights of appeal in connection with any reassessments. First Majestic states that they continue to believe PEM's filings were appropriate and continue to believe its tax filing position based upon the APA is correct. However, they note that should PEM ultimately be required to pay tax on its silver revenues based on market prices without any mitigating adjustments, the incremental income tax for the years 2010-2018 would be approximately \$219.2 million, before interest or penalties.

First Majestic has indicated in their MD&A for the period ended December 31, 2020 that while it continues to vigorously defend the validity of the APA and its transfer pricing position, it is also engaging in dialogue with the SAT seeking to resolve matters and bring tax certainty through a negotiated solution. To the extent that First Majestic is not able to defend the validity of the 2012 APA or the SAT determines that the appropriate price to tax sales under the former San Dimas SPA or the new San Dimas PMPA is significantly different from the actual realized prices thereunder, it may have an adverse impact on First Majestic's business, financial condition or results of operations. If the Company was unable to purchase any further gold under the San Dimas PMPA, it may have a material adverse effect on Wheaton's business, financial condition, results of operation and cash flows. In addition, should this occur, there is no assurance that Wheaton would be successful in enforcing its rights under the security interest granted by First Majestic or its other remedies under the San Dimas PMPA. On March 2, 2021, First Majestic announced that it has submitted a Request for Arbitration to the International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes, on its own behalf and on behalf of PEM, based on Chapter 11 of the North American Free Trade Agreement.

During the second quarter of 2020, operations at the San Dimas mine were temporarily suspended due to government restrictions focused on reducing the impacts of COVID-19. On May 13, 2020, the federal government of Mexico announced the designation of mining as an essential activity beginning May 18, 2020 and the San Dimas operations resumed during the third quarter and remained in operation for the balance of the year. See "*Risks Relating to the Company – Impact of Epidemics*".

See "*Risks Relating to the Company – Security Over Underlying Assets*", "*Risks Relating to the Company – Counterparty Credit and Liquidity Risk*" and "*Risks Relating to the Mining Operations – International Operations*".

Los Filos Mine

Mine Name:	Los Filos
Operator:	Equinox
Location:	Mexico
Stream:	100% of Silver
Term:	25 years
WPM party:	Wheaton International

The Los Filos mine is located in the Nukay mining district of central Guerrero State in southern Mexico. Wheaton International entered into an agreement with Goldcorp to acquire 100% of the silver production from the Los Filos mine for a period of 25 years, commencing October 15, 2004 (the "Los Filos PMPA"). On April 7, 2017, Leagold Mining Corporation ("Leagold") completed the acquisition of the Los Filos mine from Goldcorp. In connection with the acquisition, the Los Filos PMPA was amended to

include a corporate guarantee from Leagold. Goldcorp's guarantee of deliveries in respect of the Los Filos mine remains in place. On March 10, 2020, Leagold and Equinox Gold Corp. ("Equinox") announced that they had completed their previously announced arrangement pursuant to which Equinox acquired all of the issued and outstanding shares of Leagold and assumed Leagold's obligations under the Los Filos PMPA.

During the second quarter of 2020, operations at the Los Filos mine were temporarily suspended due to government restrictions focused on reducing the impacts of COVID-19. On May 13, 2020, the federal government of Mexico announced the designation of mining as an essential activity beginning May 18, 2020 and the Los Filos operations resumed during the third quarter. See "*Risks Relating to the Company – Impact of Epidemics*".

Equinox reported on September 4, 2020 that mining activities at its Los Filos mine were suspended as the result of an illegal road blockade by members of the nearby Carrizalillo community. On December 23, 2020, Equinox reported that the blockade had been removed and access to the mine restored. In Equinox's MD&A for the period ended December 31, 2020, Equinox confirmed that Los Filos resumed operations in late December 2020.

Zinkgruvan Mine

Mine Name:	Zinkgruvan
Operator:	Lundin
Location:	Sweden
Stream:	100% of Silver
Term:	Life of Mine
WPM party:	Wheaton International

On December 8, 2004, Wheaton International entered into an agreement with Lundin Mining Corporation (“Lundin”) and Zinkgruvan Mining AB (“Zinkgruvan AB”) to acquire 100% of the payable silver produced by Lundin’s Zinkgruvan mining operations (the “Zinkgruvan mine”) in Sweden for the life of mine for the lesser of \$3.90 per ounce of silver (subject to an annual inflationary adjustment) and the then prevailing market price per ounce of silver. Upfront consideration payable to

Zinkgruvan AB was approximately \$77.9 million. In connection with the Zinkgruvan agreement, Lundin provided Wheaton with a corporate guarantee and a pledge of charge deed over mining operations.

Yauliyacu Mine

Mine Name:	Yauliyacu
Operator:	Glencore
Location:	Peru
Stream:	100% of Silver up to 1.5Mozs and 50% excess per annum
Term:	Life of Mine
WPM party:	Wheaton International

On March 23, 2006, Wheaton International entered into a PMPA with Glencore International AG (“Glencore International”) and its subsidiary Anani Investments Ltd. (“Anani”) to acquire an amount equal to 100% of the payable silver produced from the Yauliyacu mining operations (the “Yauliyacu mine”) in Peru, up to a maximum of 4.75 million ounces per year, for a period of 20 years commencing in March of 2006, for \$3.90 per ounce of silver (subject to an annual inflationary adjustment).

On November 30, 2015, Wheaton International amended the Yauliyacu mine PMPA. The term of the agreement, which was set to expire in 2026, was extended to the life of mine. Additionally, effective January 1, 2016, Anani will deliver to Wheaton a per annum amount equal to the first 1.5 million ounces of payable silver produced at the Yauliyacu mine and 50% of any excess. The price paid for each ounce of silver delivered under the agreement has been increased by an additional \$4.50 per ounce plus, if the market price of silver exceeds \$20 per ounce, 50% of the excess, to a maximum of \$40 per ounce.

During the term of the contract, Wheaton International has a right of first refusal on any future sales of silver streams from the Yauliyacu mine and a right of first offer on future sales of silver streams from any other mine owned by Glencore International or any of its affiliates at the time of the initial transaction. In addition, Glencore International provided Wheaton with a corporate guarantee.

On March 24, 2020 Glencore International reported that it had put the Yauliyacu mine on care and maintenance in response to the Peruvian emergency decree related to the COVID-19 virus pandemic. The Peruvian government issued a decree on May 3, 2020 indicating large mines would be able to reopen subject to approval of certain protocols and Yauliyacu resumed operations during the third quarter and remained in operation for the balance of the year. See “*Risks Relating to the Company – Impact of Epidemics*”.

Stratoni Mine

Mine Name:	Stratoni
Operator:	Hellas Gold (Eldorado Gold)
Location:	Greece
Stream:	100% of Silver
Term:	Life of Mine
WPM party:	Wheaton International

On April 23, 2007, Wheaton International entered into a PMPA (the “Stratoni PMPA”) with European Goldfields Limited (“European Goldfields”) (which was acquired by Eldorado on February 24, 2012), and Hellas Gold S.A. (“Hellas Gold”), a 95%-owned subsidiary of European Goldfields, pursuant to which Wheaton International agreed to purchase 100% of the payable silver produced by Hellas Gold from the Stratoni mine (the “Stratoni mine”) located in Greece over its entire mine life, for total upfront cash consideration of \$57.5 million, plus a payment equal to the

lesser of \$3.90 per ounce of delivered silver (subject to an annual inflationary adjustment after April 23, 2010) and the then prevailing market price per ounce of silver. During the term of the Stratoni PMPA, Wheaton International has a right of first refusal on any future sales of silver streams from any other mine owned by Hellas Gold or European Goldfields. In connection with the Stratoni PMPA, Hellas Gold and European Goldfields provided certain covenants in respect of their obligations.

In October 2015, in order to incentivize additional exploration and potentially extend the limited remaining mine life of the Stratoni mine, Wheaton International and Eldorado agreed to modify the Stratoni PMPA. The primary modification was to increase the production price per ounce of silver delivered to Wheaton International over the current fixed price by

one of the following amounts: (i) \$2.50 per ounce of silver delivered if 10,000 metres of drilling is completed outside of the existing ore body and within Wheaton International's defined area of interest ("Expansion Drilling"); (ii) \$5.00 per ounce of silver delivered if 20,000 metres of Expansion Drilling is completed; and (iii) \$7.00 per ounce of silver delivered if 30,000 metres of Expansion Drilling is completed. Drilling in all three cases was to be completed by December 31, 2020 in order for the agreed upon increase in production price to be initiated. Eldorado completed a total of 30,000 metres of Expansion Drilling, resulting in a \$7.00 per ounce of silver increase.

Peñasquito Mine

Mine Name:	Peñasquito
Operator:	Newmont
Location:	Mexico
Stream:	25% of Silver
Term:	Life of Mine
WPM party:	Silver Wheaton Luxembourg

On July 24, 2007, Silver Wheaton Luxembourg entered into a PMPA (the "Peñasquito PMPA") with Goldcorp and Minera Peñasquito, S.A. de C.V. ("Minera Peñasquito"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Goldcorp, pursuant to which Silver Wheaton Luxembourg agreed to purchase 25% of the payable silver produced by Minera Peñasquito from the Peñasquito mine located in Mexico (the "Peñasquito mine") over its entire mine life, for upfront consideration of \$485 million, plus a payment equal to the lesser of \$3.90 per ounce of delivered silver (subject to an annual inflationary adjustment three years after commercial production commences) and the then prevailing market price per ounce of silver. Silver Wheaton Luxembourg and Wheaton International entered into a back to back PMPA in respect of the Peñasquito mine. The area of interest for the stream is limited to specific concessions set out in the Peñasquito PMPA. In connection with the Peñasquito PMPA, Goldcorp also provided Silver Wheaton Luxembourg with a corporate guarantee. In April 2019, Newmont Corporation ("Newmont") completed the previously announced acquisition of Goldcorp.

Newmont reported on April 22, that Peñasquito reached a definitive agreement with the San Juan de Cedros community (one of 25 neighboring communities) in Zacatecas, Mexico on land use, water availability, infrastructure and social investments. This includes access to 10,000 hectares for exploration and operational purposes, and resolves all outstanding issues with the community. Newmont confirms that the agreement was reached with the support of Mexico's Ministry of Interior (SEGOB) and representatives of the State of Zacatecas and was signed by elected representatives of the Cedros community and that the agreement expressly states that any future disputes will be resolved through dialogue and free of blockades.

During early April, 2020, operations at the Peñasquito mine were placed on care and maintenance due to government restrictions focused on reducing the impacts of COVID-19. On May 13, 2020, the federal government of Mexico announced the designation of mining as an essential activity beginning May 18, 2020 and the Peñasquito mine resumed operations by the third quarter and remained in operation for the balance of the year. See "*Risks Relating to the Company – Impact of Epidemics*".

See "*Further Disclosure Regarding Mineral Projects on Material Properties - Peñasquito Mine, Mexico*" for details regarding the Peñasquito mine.

Keno Hill Mines

Mine Name:	Keno Hill
Operator:	Alexco
Location:	Canada
Stream:	25% of Silver
Term:	Life of Mine
WPM party:	Wheaton

On October 2, 2008, the Company entered into a PMPA (the "Alexco PMPA") with Alexco and Elsa Reclamation & Development Company Ltd. and Alexco Keno Hill Mining Corp. (formerly called Alexco Resource Canada Corp.), each of which are wholly-owned subsidiaries of Alexco Resources Corp. ("Alexco"), pursuant to which the Company agreed to pay, subject to the completion of certain conditions, an upfront cash payment of \$50 million in order to acquire 25% of all payable silver produced from the Keno Hill district, including the currently producing Bellekeno mine in the Yukon Territory, Canada (the "Keno Hill mines"), over its entire mine-life, for the lesser of \$3.90 (subject to an annual inflationary adjustment beginning in year four after the achievement of specific operating targets) and the then prevailing market price per ounce of delivered silver. Wheaton is not required to contribute to further capital or exploration expenditures and Alexco has provided a completion guarantee with certain minimum production criteria by specific dates. In connection with the Alexco PMPA, Alexco and each of the parties to the Agreement provided Wheaton with corporate guarantees and certain other security over their assets and the Keno Hill mines.

On June 6, 2014, the Company amended the Alexco PMPA to increase the production payment to be a function of

the silver price at the time of delivery. In addition, the area of interest was expanded to include properties currently owned by Alexco and properties acquired by Alexco in the future which fall within a one kilometre radius of existing Alexco holdings in the Keno Hill district. The proposed amendment to this production payment was not applicable to the Birmingham deposit area. The amended Alexco PMPA was conditional upon Alexco paying Wheaton \$20 million by December 31, 2015, or at Alexco's option up to March 31, 2017. Alexco did not exercise its option to increase the production payment as set out in the June 2014 amendment.

On March 29, 2017, the Company and Alexco agreed to amend the Alexco PMPA to adjust the silver production payment so that it will be a percentage of the spot silver price that increases with lower mill silver head grades and lower silver prices, and decreases with higher mill silver head grades and higher silver prices, subject to certain ceiling and floor grades and prices. In addition, the outside completion date was extended to December 31, 2019 and the area of interest for the Alexco PMPA was expanded to include properties currently owned by Alexco and properties acquired by Alexco in the future which fall within a one kilometre radius of existing Alexco holdings in the Keno Hill mines silver district. As consideration, Alexco issued to Wheaton three million common shares of Alexco which had a fair value of \$5 million.

On October 2, 2017, in connection with an option granted by Alexco to Banyan Gold Corp. ("Banyan") over claims covered by the Alexco PMPA, the Company and Banyan entered into an accession agreement under which Banyan agreed to be bound by the terms of the Alexco PMPA in respect of those claims. On December 20, 2018, the Company agreed to amend the Alexco PMPA to extend the outside completion date under the Alexco PMPA to December 31, 2020 and on April 21, 2020, the Company agreed to further extend the outside completion date to December 31, 2021.

On June 24, 2020, Alexco noted its intent to recommence mining operations in the Keno Hill mines. In order to help facilitate the resumption of mining, on August 5, 2020, the Company agreed to modify the PMPA as it relates to the delivery payment per ounce of silver in exchange for two million common share purchase warrants from Alexco. Under the amendment, the price paid per ounce of silver delivered has been modified to be between 10% of the spot price of silver, when the market price of silver is at or above \$23.00 per ounce, to 90% of the spot price of silver when the market price of silver is at or below \$15.00 per ounce.

Silverstone Acquisition

On May 21, 2009, the Company completed the acquisition of all of the outstanding common shares of Silverstone Resources Corp. ("Silverstone") by way of a statutory plan of arrangement. Each common share of Silverstone was exchanged for 0.185 of a Common Share, resulting in the issuance of approximately 23.4 million Common Shares. The following interests were acquired as a result of the acquisition of Silverstone:

Minto Mine (Canada) – A PMPA (the "Minto PMPA") to acquire 100% of the silver produced from the Minto mine (the "Minto mine") in Canada and 100% of the first 30,000 ounces of gold produced per annum and 50% thereafter for the lesser of \$3.90 per ounce of silver and \$300 per ounce of gold (subject to an annual inflationary adjustment after three years) and the then prevailing market price per ounce of silver or gold. If gold production from the Minto mine exceeds 30,000 ounces per year, the Company has committed to purchase 50% of the amount that production exceeds those thresholds for the same per ounce payment noted above. Capstone, the former owner of the Minto mine, has also provided Wheaton with a corporate guarantee under the Minto PMPA. In October 2017, in order to incentivize Capstone to extend to Minto mine life, the Company agreed to amend the Minto PMPA. The primary modification was to increase the production payment per ounce of gold delivered to the Company over the current fixed price in periods where the market price of copper is lower than \$2.50 per pound. In consideration for this contract amendment and certain other agreements made between the Company and Capstone, the Company received shares of Capstone with a value of \$8 million. In October 2018, Capstone announced that it was putting the Minto mine on care and maintenance. The Minto mine was sold by Capstone to Pembridge effective June 3, 2019 and Pembridge assumed Capstone's obligations under the Minto PMPA. According to Pembridge's news release dated October 16, 2019, milling operations at the Minto mine recommenced on October 10, 2019. In conjunction with the resumption of mining activity at the Minto mine, the Company has amended the Minto PMPA such that the cash payment per ounce of gold delivered will be 75% of the spot price of gold for each ounce of gold delivered under the Minto PMPA. This amended pricing will end on the earlier of (i) 14 months after the first delivery is due; or (ii) once 11,000 ounces of gold have been delivered to the Company.

Cozamin Mine (Mexico) (Completed) – A PMPA to acquire 100% of the silver produced from the Cozamin mine (the "Cozamin mine") in Mexico, owned by Capstone until 2017 for the lesser of \$4.00 (subject to an annual inflationary adjustment after three years) and the then prevailing market price per ounce of silver. Capstone had also provided Wheaton International with a corporate guarantee under the Cozamin mine agreement. Under the terms of the agreement, all deliveries

under this agreement ceased as of April 4, 2017. The Company has subsequently entered into a new PMPA with Capstone in respect of the Cozamin mine. See “*Description of the Business – Principal Product – Cozamin Mine*”.

Neves-Corvo Mine (Portugal) – A PMPA to acquire 100% of the silver produced from the Neves-Corvo mine (the “Neves-Corvo mine”) in Portugal, owned by Lundin for the life of mine (nominal term of 50 years) for the lesser of \$3.90 (subject to an annual inflationary adjustment after three years) and the then prevailing market price per ounce of silver. Lundin has also provided Wheaton International with a corporate guarantee under the Neves-Corvo mine agreement.

Aljustrel Mine (Portugal) – A PMPA to acquire 100% of the silver produced from the Aljustrel mine (the “Aljustrel mine”) in Portugal, owned by I'M SGPS for the life of mine (nominal term of 50 years) for the lesser of \$3.90 (subject to an annual inflationary adjustment after three years) and the then prevailing market price per ounce of silver. As part of an agreement with I'M SGPS dated July 16, 2014, Wheaton agreed to waive its rights to silver contained in copper concentrate at the Aljustrel mine. The Company has not waived its rights to the silver contained in zinc and lead concentrate. I'M SGPS has also provided Wheaton International with a corporate guarantee under the Aljustrel mine agreement. In May 2018, Wheaton International agreed to amend the Aljustrel mine PMPA to increase the production payment per ounce of silver to 50% of the spot price of silver, to fix the silver payable rates for a period of two years with certain restrictions on changes thereafter and to make certain other modernization amendments.

Loma de La Plata Project (Argentina) – A debenture with PAAS (formerly with Aquiline Resources Inc.) convertible into an agreement to purchase 12.5% of the life of mine silver production from the Loma de La Plata (the “Loma de La Plata project”) zone of the Navidad project in Argentina. On February 25, 2010, the Company elected to convert the debenture with PAAS into an agreement to acquire an amount equal to 12.5% of the life of mine silver production from the Loma de La Plata project. As such, Wheaton will make total upfront cash payments of \$32.4 million following the satisfaction of certain conditions, including PAAS receiving all necessary permits to proceed with the mine construction. In addition, a per ounce cash payment of the lesser of \$4.00 per ounce and the prevailing market price is due for silver delivered under the agreement. The terms of the definitive PMPA continue to be negotiated.

Barrick Mines and Pascua-Lama Project

Mine Name:	Barrick Mines & Pascua-Lama
Operator:	Barrick
Location:	Peru/Argentina
Stream:	100% of Silver for Lagunas Norte, Pierina and Veladero (up to 8% of silver in ore); 25% of Silver for Pascua-Lama
Term:	April 1, 2018 for Lagunas Norte, Pierina and Veladero; Life of Mine for Pascua-Lama
WPM party:	Wheaton International

On September 8, 2009, the Company entered into a PMPA (the “Pascua-Lama PMPA”) with Barrick pursuant to which the Company agreed to purchase an amount of silver equivalent to 25% of the life of mine payable silver production from Barrick’s Pascua-Lama project (the “Pascua-Lama project”) located on the border of Chile and Argentina, as well as an amount of silver equivalent to 100% of the silver production from its Lagunas Norte mine (the “Lagunas Norte mine”) and Pierina mine (the “Pierina mine”), which are both located in Peru, and its Veladero mine (the “Veladero mine”) (Wheaton’s attributable silver production is subject to a maximum of 8% of the silver contained in the ore processed at the Veladero mine during the period), which is located in Argentina, until the end of 2015 (the “Barrick Transaction”). Wheaton International made a total upfront cash payment to Barrick of \$625 million (the “Upfront Payment”). In addition, per ounce cash payments of the lesser of \$3.90 (subject to an annual inflationary adjustment starting three years after achieving project completion at Pascua-Lama) and the prevailing market price is due for silver delivered under the Pascua-Lama PMPA. In connection with the Pascua-Lama PMPA, Barrick provided Wheaton International with a corporate guarantee.

As a result of Barrick’s decision to suspend construction activities at the Pascua-Lama project, and the various amendments to the Pascua-Lama PMPA, Wheaton International was entitled to 100% of the silver production from Barrick’s Lagunas Norte mine, Pierina mine (now in closure) and Veladero mine until the earlier of April 1, 2018 and the date Barrick satisfied the completion test. In 2013 Barrick initiated the closure of its Pierina mine and in accordance with the terms of the Pascua-Lama PMPA, all deliveries from the Pierina mine, Lagunas Norte mine and Veladero mine ceased as of April 1, 2018.

As part of the original agreement, Barrick provided the Company with a completion guarantee, requiring Barrick to complete the Pascua-Lama project to at least 75% design capacity by December 31, 2015, which was subsequently extended to December 31, 2016 and then to June 30, 2020. As the requirements of the completion test were not satisfied by the completion test deadline of June 30, 2020, Wheaton International was entitled, within 90 days of such date, to provide to Barrick notice of termination of the PMPA and demand repayment of the upfront payment of \$625 million reduced by the

cash flows received relative to the Lagunas Norte mine, Pierina mine and Veladero mine. Wheaton elected not to terminate the PMPA in exchange for a refund.

Pascua-Lama SMA Regulatory Sanctions – As per Barrick’s annual financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2020, in May 2013, Compañía Minera Nevada (“CMN”), Barrick’s Chilean subsidiary that holds the Chilean portion of the Pascua-Lama project, received a resolution (the “Original Resolution”) from Chile’s environmental regulator (the Superintendencia del Medio Ambiente, or “SMA”) that required Barrick to complete the water management system for the Pascua-Lama project in accordance with the Pascua-Lama project’s environmental permit before resuming construction activities in Chile. The Original Resolution also required CMN to pay an administrative fine of approximately \$16 million for deviations from certain requirements of the Pascua-Lama project’s Chilean environmental approval, including a series of reporting requirements and instances of non-compliance related to the Pascua-Lama project’s water management system.

Barrick also disclosed in its annual financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2020 that in June 2013, a group of local farmers and indigenous communities challenged the Original Resolution. The challenge, which was brought in the Environmental Court of Santiago, Chile (the “Environmental Court”), claims that the fine was inadequate and requested more severe sanctions against CMN including the revocation of the project’s environmental permit. Barrick disclosed that on March 3, 2014, the Environmental Court annulled the Original Resolution and remanded the matter back to the SMA for further consideration in accordance with its decision (the “Environmental Court Decision”). In particular, the Environmental Court ordered the SMA to issue a new administrative decision. The Environmental Court did not annul the portion of the Original Resolution that required Barrick to halt construction on the Chilean side of the Pascua-Lama project until the water management system was completed in accordance with the Pascua-Lama project’s environmental permit. Barrick further stated that on April 22, 2015, CMN was notified that the SMA has initiated a new administrative proceeding for alleged deviations from certain requirements of the Pascua-Lama project’s environmental approval, including with respect to the Pascua-Lama project’s environmental impact and a series of monitoring requirements. Barrick states that on June 8, 2016, the SMA consolidated the two administrative proceedings against CMN into a single proceeding encompassing both the reconsideration of the Original Resolution in accordance with the decision of the Environmental Court and the alleged deviations from the Project’s environmental approval notified by the SMA in April 2015. In January 2018, the Company was notified that Barrick had received a revised resolution (“Revised Resolution”) from the SMA requiring the closure of existing infrastructure on the Chilean side of the Pascua-Lama project. Barrick reported that CMN filed an appeal of the Revised Resolution on February 3, 2018 with the First Environmental Court of Antofagasta (the “Antofagasta Environmental Court”) and on October 12, 2018, the Antofagasta Environmental Court issued an administrative ruling ordering review of the significant sanctions ordered by the SMA. In its ruling, the Antofagasta Environmental Court rejected four of the five closure orders contained in the Revised Resolution and remanded the related environmental infringements back to the SMA for further consideration. Barrick reported that CMN appealed the Revised Resolution. A hearing on the appeal was held on November 6, 2018. Barrick also reported in its annual financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2020 that on March 14, 2019, the Chilean Supreme Court annulled the October 12, 2018 administrative decision of the Antofagasta Environmental Court on procedural grounds and remanded the case back to the Antofagasta Environmental Court for review by a different panel of judges. On September 28, 2020, Barrick announced that it accepted the Antofagasta Environmental Court’s decision to uphold the closure order and sanctions the SMA imposed on CMN. Barrick further noted that the ruling drew a line under a legal process that started in 2013 and CMN would not appeal it. Barrick clarified that Pascua would now be transitioned from care and maintenance to closure in accordance with the Environmental Court’s decision.

Rosemont Transaction

Mine Name:	Rosemont
Operator:	Hudbay
Location:	United States
Stream:	100% of Silver and 100% Gold
Term:	Life of Mine
WPM party:	Wheaton International

On February 10, 2010, Wheaton International entered into a PMPA (the “Rosemont PMPA”) with Augusta Resource Corporation (now Hudbay Minerals Inc.) (“Hudbay”) to acquire an amount equal to 100% of the life of mine silver and gold production from its Rosemont copper project (the “Rosemont project”) located in Pima County, Arizona. The payable rate for silver and gold has been fixed at 92.5% of production. Under the Rosemont PMPA, as amended in 2019, Wheaton International is committed to pay Hudbay total upfront cash payments of \$230 million in two installments, with

the first \$50 million being advanced upon Hudbay’s receipt of permitting for the Rosemont project and other customary conditions and the balance of \$180 million being advanced once project costs incurred on the Rosemont project exceed \$98 million and certain other customary conditions. Under the PMPA, the Company is permitted to elect to pay the deposit in cash or the delivery of Common Shares. Additionally, the Company will be entitled to certain delay payments, including where construction ceases in any material respect, or if completion is not achieved within agreed upon timelines. In addition, a per ounce cash payment of the lesser of \$3.90 per ounce of silver and \$450 per ounce of gold (both subject to an inflationary adjustment) or the prevailing market price is due, for silver and gold delivered under the Rosemont PMPA. Hudbay and certain affiliates have provided Wheaton International with a corporate guarantee and other security over their assets.

As per Hudbay’s MD&A for the year ended December 31, 2020, on July 31, 2019, the U.S. District Court for the District of Arizona (“Court”) issued a ruling challenging the U.S. Forest Service’s issuance of the Final Record of Decision (“FROD”) for the Rosemont project. The Court ruled to vacate and remand the FROD thereby delaying the expected start of construction of Rosemont. On June 22, 2020 Hudbay announced that they had filed the initial brief with the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit in relation to appealing this decision. As per Hudbay’s MD&A for the year ended December 31, 2020, final briefs were filed in November 2020, and the oral hearing was completed in February 2021. Hudbay indicates that a decision from the Ninth Circuit is expected in the second half of 2021.

As per Hudbay’s annual financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2020, in March 2019, Hudbay entered into an agreement with United Copper & Moly LLC (“UCM”) to purchase UCM’s remaining 7.95% interest in the Rosemont project and to terminate all of UCM’s remaining earn-in and offtake rights. Hudbay reports that the acquisition provides Hudbay with 100% ownership of the Rosemont project.

Constancia Mine (including Pampacancha Deposit)

Mine Name:	Constancia
Operator:	Hudbay
Location:	Peru
Stream:	100% of Silver and 50% Gold
Term:	Life of Mine
WPM party:	Wheaton International

On August 8, 2012, Wheaton International entered into a PMPA with Hudbay and its subsidiary Hudbay (BVI) Inc. to acquire 100% of the life of mine payable silver production from the Constancia mine in Peru (the “Constancia mine”). On November 4, 2013, Wheaton International amended the PMPA with Hudbay to include the acquisition of an amount equal to 50% of the life of mine payable gold production from the Constancia mine (as amended, the “Constancia PMPA”).

As at the end of the first quarter of 2014, as a result of capital expenditures at the Constancia mine reaching \$1 billion, a \$125 million cash payment was made by Wheaton International to Hudbay. On September 10, 2014, Wheaton International further amended its agreement with Hudbay and as a result of capital expenditures meeting the \$1.35 billion requirement, on September 26, 2014 Wheaton International paid further cash consideration of \$135 million to Hudbay by delivery of 6,112,282 Common Shares, at an average issuance price of \$22.09 per share. As at December 31, 2014, Wheaton International had paid Hudbay total upfront cash consideration of \$429.9 million.

Wheaton International will make ongoing payments of the lesser of \$5.90 per ounce of silver and \$400 per ounce of gold (both subject to an inflationary adjustment of 1% beginning in the fourth year) or the prevailing market price per ounce of silver and gold delivered.

The silver and gold production at the Constancia mine was subject to the same completion test which was satisfied in 2016. Should Hudbay fail to achieve a minimum level of throughput at the Pampacancha deposit (the “Pampacancha deposit”) during 2018, 2019 or by June 30, 2021, Wheaton International is entitled to additional compensation in respect of the gold stream. Hudbay has granted Wheaton International a right of first refusal on any future streaming agreement, royalty agreement, or similar transaction related to the production of silver or gold from the Constancia mine. In connection with the

Hudbay agreement, Hudbay Peru S.A.C. (“Hudbay Peru”) provided Wheaton International with a corporate guarantee and certain other security over its assets and the Constancia mine. Wheaton International has also entered into intercreditor arrangements with lenders to Hudbay.

Recovery rates for gold under the amended agreement have been fixed given the early nature of the metallurgical test work on gold recoveries from the Pampacancha deposit. Recoveries will be set at 55% for the Constancia mine deposit and 70% for the Pampacancha deposit until Wheaton International receives 265,000 payable ounces, after which actual recoveries will be applied.

On March 20, 2020, Hudbay announced a temporary shutdown of operations at the Constancia mine as a result of the limited availability of certain critical mining supplies due to the COVID-19 virus pandemic. The Peruvian government issued a decree on May 3, 2020 indicating large mines would be able to reopen subject to approval of certain protocols, and the Constantia mine resumed operations by third quarter of 2020. See “*Risks Relating to the Company – Impact of Epidemics*”.

As per Hudbay’s MD&A for the year ended December 31, 2020, in early January 2021, Hudbay received the final mining permit for the development and operation of Pampacancha. Additionally, in January 2021, Hudbay commenced limited pre-development activities for Pampacancha, including haul road construction and site preparation work. Hudbay indicate that they continue to advance discussions with the remaining land user family at Pampacancha. Pre-stripping activities are expected to commence once the remaining land user agreement has been completed.

As per Hudbay’s MD&A for the year ended December 31, 2020, in late January 2021, new COVID-19 restrictions were announced by the government of Peru. See “*Risks Relating to the Company – Impact of Epidemics*”. Hudbay notes that as a result of these restrictions and the need to complete the remaining land user agreements, Hudbay no longer expects to mine four million tonnes of ore from the Pampacancha deposit by June 30, 2021. Hudbay also notes that if they fail to meet this milestone, they will be required to deliver an additional 8,020 ounces of gold to the Company in equal quarterly installments, commencing September 30, 2021 in accordance with the Constancia PMPA. Hudbay and the Company are currently in discussions about, among other things, alternatives to defer the additional gold deliveries over the Pampacancha mine life.

777 Mine

Mine Name:	777
Operator:	Hudbay
Location:	Canada
Stream:	100% of Silver and 50% Gold
Term:	Life of Mine
WPM party:	Wheaton

On August 8, 2012, the Company entered into a PMPA (the “777 PMPA”) with Hudbay to acquire 100% of the life of mine payable silver and gold production from its currently producing 777 mine (the “777 mine”), located in Canada. Wheaton’s share of gold production at the 777 mine remained at 100% until the satisfaction of a completion test relating to the Constancia mine, after which it was reduced to 50% for the remainder of the mine life. Wheaton made an upfront cash payment of \$455.1 million in September, 2012 and, in addition, will make ongoing payments of the lesser

of \$5.90 per ounce of silver and \$400 per ounce of gold (both subject to an inflationary adjustment of 1% beginning in the fourth year and subject to being increased to \$9.90 per ounce of silver and \$550 per ounce of gold after the initial 40 year term) or the prevailing market price per ounce of silver and gold delivered. Hudbay has granted Wheaton a right of first refusal on any future streaming agreement, royalty agreement or similar transaction related to the production of silver or gold from the 777 mine. In connection with the 777 PMPA, certain supplier subsidiaries of Hudbay provided Wheaton with a corporate guarantee and certain other security over their assets and the 777 mine.

Hudbay reported on October 11, 2020 that production at its 777 mine had been temporarily suspended due to an incident that occurred on October 9th during routine maintenance of the hoist rope and skip, which is the bucket used to hoist ore from underground. The hoist rope detached from the skip, causing the skip to fall to the bottom of the shaft. On November 25, 2020, Hudbay announced that full production has resumed at its 777 mine following the skip hoist incident in October. Hudbay has noted that the 777 mine is near the end of its mine life in 2022.

Sudbury Mines

Mine Name:	Sudbury
Operator:	Vale
Location:	Canada
Stream:	70% Gold
Term:	20 years
WPM party:	Wheaton

On February 28, 2013, the Company entered into an agreement to acquire from Vale Switzerland SA (“Vale Switzerland”), a subsidiary of Vale S.A. (“Vale”), an amount of gold equal to 70% of the payable gold production from certain of its currently producing Sudbury mines located in Canada, including the Coleman mine, Copper Cliff mine, Garson mine, Stobie mine, Creighton mine, Totten mine and the Victor project (the “Sudbury mines”) for a period of 20 years. Wheaton made a total upfront

cash payment in March, 2013 of \$570 million plus warrants to purchase 10 million Common Shares at a strike price of \$65, with a term of 10 years (refer to “Salobo Mine” below for further details). In addition, Wheaton will make ongoing payments of the lesser of \$400 per ounce of gold or the prevailing market price per ounce of gold delivered. In connection with the Sudbury agreement, Vale also provided Wheaton International with a corporate guarantee.

As of May 2017, the Stobie mine was placed on care and maintenance. Vale indicated that this decision was based upon low metal prices and ongoing market challenges, declining ore grades, and, more recently, seismicity issues that restricted production below the 3,000-foot level.

See “*Description of the Business – Principal Product – Salobo Mine – Operational Update Relative to Vale*” for disclosure regarding the Brumadinho Incident.

Salobo Mine

Mine Name:	Salobo
Operator:	Vale
Location:	Brazil
Stream:	75% Gold
Term:	Life of Mine
WPM party:	Wheaton International

On February 28, 2013, Wheaton International entered into a PMPA (the “Salobo PMPA”) to acquire from Vale an amount of gold equal to 25% of the life of mine gold production from its currently producing Salobo mine (the “Salobo mine”), located in Brazil. Wheaton International paid total upfront cash consideration of \$1.33 billion in March 2013. Vale also provided Wheaton International with a corporate guarantee.

On March 2, 2015, Wheaton International agreed to amend the Salobo PMPA with Vale Switzerland (the “First Amended Salobo PMPA”) to acquire from Vale Switzerland an additional amount of gold equal to 25% of the life of mine gold production from any minerals from the Salobo mine that enter the Salobo mineral processing facility from and after

January 1, 2015. Under the First Amended Salobo PMPA, Wheaton International paid Vale cash consideration of \$900 million on March 24, 2015 for the increased gold stream.

On August 2, 2016, Wheaton International agreed to further amend the First Amended Salobo PMPA (the “Second Amended Salobo PMPA”) to acquire an additional amount of gold equal to 25% of the life of mine gold production in respect of gold production for which an off-taker payment is received after July 1, 2016. Under the Second Amended Salobo PMPA, Wheaton International paid Vale cash consideration of \$800 million and the 10 million warrants expiring on February 28, 2023 were amended to reduce the strike price from \$65 to \$43.75.

With these amendments, Wheaton International increased the gold stream from 25% to 75% of the life of mine gold production from the Salobo mine.

In addition, Wheaton International is required to make ongoing payments of the lesser of \$400 per ounce of gold (subject to a 1% annual inflation adjustment commencing as of January 1, 2019) or the prevailing market price per ounce of gold delivered for the full 75% of gold production.

If actual throughput is expanded above 28 Mtpa, then under the terms of the Second Amended Salobo PMPA, Wheaton will be required to make an additional set payment to Vale based on the size of the expansion, the timing of completion and the grade of the material processed. Under the Second Amended Salobo PMPA, Wheaton International will be required to make an additional payment to Vale, relative to the 75% stream, based on a set fee schedule ranging from \$113 million if throughput is expanded beyond 28 Mtpa by January 1, 2036, to up to \$923 million if throughput is expanded beyond 40 Mtpa by January 1, 2022. There will be no additional deposit due if the expansion is completed after January 1, 2036.

According to Vale’s Fourth Quarter and Year End 2020 Production and Sales Report, throughput at Salobo was impacted due to unscheduled maintenance and an incident which led Vale to review and halt mine and plant activities for a short period, during which changes in maintenance routines were implemented to improve operations and safety conditions.

Salobo III Expansion – In October 2018, Vale’s Board of Directors approved the investment in the Salobo III mine expansion (the “Salobo Expansion”). The Salobo Expansion is proposed to include a third concentrator line and will use Salobo’s existing infrastructure. Vale anticipates that the Salobo Expansion will result in an increase of throughput capacity from 24 Mtpa to 36 Mtpa once fully ramped up. Assuming the Salobo III expansion project achieves 12 Mtpa of additional processing capacity (bringing total processing capacity at Salobo to 36 Mtpa) by the end of 2022, the Company would expect to pay an estimated expansion payment of between \$570 million to \$670 million. The actual amount and timing of any expansion payment may significantly differ from this estimate depending on the size, timing and processed grade of any expansion. As per Vale’s Fourth Quarter and Year End 2020 Performance Report, physical completion of the Salobo Expansion was 68% at the end of the fourth quarter. See “*Further Disclosure Regarding Mineral Projects on Material Properties – Salobo Mine, Brazil*” for details regarding the Salobo mine.

Operational Update Relative to Vale – On January 25, 2019, Vale’s mining operations in Brumadinho, Minas Gerais, Brazil experienced a significant breach and failure of a retaining dam around the tailings disposal area (the “Brumadinho Incident”). Vale reported in February 2021 that it has entered into a global settlement with the State of Minas Gerais, the Public Defender of the State of Minas Gerais and the Federal and the State of Minas Gerais Public Prosecutors Offices, to repair the environmental and social damage resulting from the Brumadinho Incident. Vale reports that the Global Settlement has an economic value of Brazilian Real\$37,689,767,329, contemplating socio-economic and socio-environmental reparation projects. While the Brumadinho Incident did not occur at any mine that is the subject of the Company’s PMPAs, the consequences of the Brumadinho Incident may have an impact on the Company’s business, financial condition and results of operations. See “*Risks Relating to the Company – Counterparty Credit and Liquidity Risk*”, “*Risks Relating to the Company – Security Over Underlying Assets*”, “*Risks Relating to the Company – Mine Operator Concentration Risk*”, “*Risks Relating to the Company – Indebtedness and Guarantees Risk*”, “*Risks Relating to the Mining Operations – International Operations*”, “*Risks Relating to the Mining Operations – Exploration, Development, Operating, Expansion and Improvements Risks*”, and “*Risks Relating to the Mining Operations – Land Title and Indigenous Peoples*”.

Xikrin do Cateté Update – Vale has reported that indigenous associations representing the indigenous community of Xikrin do Cateté in Brazil (“Indigenous Associations”) brought a public civil action against Vale, IBAMA and FUNAI, seeking the suspension of the environmental permitting process of Salobo Mine. Vale has reported that the associations contend that FUNAI and IBAMA have failed to conduct the appropriate studies regarding the affected indigenous

communities during the environmental permitting process and contends that Vale's operations would be contaminating the water of the Itacaunas River and consequently that the indigenous groups affected by this mine have not provided the required consent. Vale notes that the plaintiffs also requested a monthly payment of Brazilian Real \$2 million for each association until the defendants conclude the studies. Vale reports that applicable law provides for mandatory consultation with the indigenous communities located within ten kilometers of the mine, and these indigenous communities are located more than 22 kilometers away from the mine. Vale noted that in October 2017 the court denied plaintiffs' request for an injunction suspending the Salobo mine and that in February 2019, Vale, IBAMA, and the environmental agency Instituto Chico Mendes de Conservacao da Biodiversidade filed a joint answer in court, rebutting the plaintiff's claims, and reaffirming the legality of the environmental permitting process of Salobo mine and the fulfillment of all conditions imposed by relevant authorities.

Vale noted that in March 2019, the Federal Prosecution Office presented an opinion for the suspension of the activities in the Salobo mine. A decision by the federal court is pending. In July 2019, the Judge of the Federal Court of Maraba partially granted an injunction requested by the Indigenous Associations, ordering Vale and Salobo to prepare the indigenous component study of the Salobo Mine project, and rejected all other requests filed by the plaintiff, including project shutdown and monthly fund payments.

In December 2019, in accordance with the procedure established in the legislation for the preparation of indigenous component studies, Vale presented the curriculum of the professionals who will prepare such study, as well as the work plan for the acknowledgement and approval by FUNAI. A response from FUNAI is pending. Vale announced that the decision held by the Federal Court of Maraba does not affect its operations at the Salobo mine. Vale appealed this decision and announced that it would continue to vigorously contest the action. However, if as a result of these proceedings it is determined that the activities at the Salobo mine should be suspended then, the ability of the Company to receive gold under the terms of the Salobo PMPA would be materially impacted which in turn could have a material impact on the Company's financial conditions, results of operations and cash flows. See "*Risks Relating to the Mining Operations – Land Title and Indigenous Peoples*".

Early Deposit Gold and Silver Interest – Toroparu Project

Mine Name:	Toroparu
Operator:	Gold X Mining Corp.
Location:	Guyana
Stream:	10% Gold and 50% Silver
Term:	Life of Mine
WPM party:	Wheaton International

On November 11, 2013, Wheaton International entered into a life of mine early deposit precious metal purchase agreement (the “Toroparu Early Deposit Agreement”) to acquire from Gold X Mining Corp. (formerly Sandspring Resources Ltd.) (“Gold X”) an amount of gold equal to 10% of the gold production from its Toroparu project (the “Toroparu project”) located in the Republic of Guyana, South America. Under the Toroparu Early Deposit Agreement, the Company agreed to pay Gold X total upfront cash consideration of \$148.5 million, of which \$13.5 million has been paid to date, with the additional \$135 million payable on an installment basis to partially fund construction of the mine. In addition, the Company will make ongoing payments of the lesser \$400 per ounce of gold (subject to an inflationary adjustment of 1% beginning in the fourth year of satisfaction of the completion test) or the prevailing market price per ounce of gold delivered.

to date, with the additional \$135 million payable on an installment basis to partially fund construction of the mine. In addition, the Company will make ongoing payments of the lesser \$400 per ounce of gold (subject to an inflationary adjustment of 1% beginning in the fourth year of satisfaction of the completion test) or the prevailing market price per ounce of gold delivered.

On April 22, 2015, the Company amended the Toroparu Early Deposit Agreement to include the acquisition of an amount equal to 50% of the payable silver production from the Toroparu project. Wheaton International will make a total upfront cash payment of \$5 million in connection with this amendment, of which \$2 million has been paid to date, and \$3 million will be payable on an installment basis to partially fund construction of the mine. In addition, Wheaton International will make ongoing payments of the lesser of \$3.90 per ounce of silver (subject to an inflationary adjustment of 1% beginning in the fourth year of satisfaction of the completion test) or the prevailing market price per ounce of silver delivered. As a result of the addition of the silver stream to the Toroparu Early Deposit Agreement, Wheaton International will pay Gold X a total upfront cash consideration of \$153.5 million. In connection with the amendment to the Toroparu Early Deposit Agreement, Gold X and ETK Inc., the owner of the Toroparu project, provided Wheaton International with corporate guarantees and certain other security over their assets.

Gold X announced results from a Preliminary Economic Assessment (“PEA”) of its Toroparu project in a news release dated June 4, 2019, and subsequently filed the PEA on July 23, 2019. As per the PEA, the Toroparu project has been re-scoped to include the Sona Hill satellite deposit, modification of the processing strategy to start with gold-only production from a Carbon-in-Leach circuit for the initial ten years, and an expansion in year 11 to add flotation processing capacity. Under the amended Toroparu Early Deposit Agreement, the due date for the feasibility study, environmental study and impact assessment and other related documents (collectively the “Toroparu Feasibility Documentation”) was extended to December 31, 2021. There will be a 60 day period following the delivery of Toroparu Feasibility Documentation, or after December 31, 2021 if the Toroparu Feasibility Documentation has not been delivered to Wheaton International by such date, where Wheaton International may elect not to proceed with the Toroparu Early Deposit Agreement. If Wheaton elects to terminate, Wheaton International will be entitled to a return of the amounts advanced less \$2 million which is non-refundable or, at Gold X’s option, the gold stream percentage will be reduced from 10% to 0.909% and the silver stream percentage will be reduced from 50% to nil.

Gold X has indicated that it has estimated revised, lower potential upfront payments from Wheaton as a result of the revised scope of the project, however such revised payments have not been approved by Wheaton.

Effective December 24, 2019, in connection with the Toroparu Early Deposit Agreement, the Company advanced \$10 million to Gold X as part of a \$20 million 10% secured convertible debenture private placement offering completed by Gold X (the “Gold X Convertible Note”). The funds raised by Gold X in the convertible debenture private placement offering were used to acquire 100% of the interest in and to certain of Gold X’s joint venture Toroparu project properties. On July 14, 2020, the Company elected to convert the Gold X Convertible Note (and accrued interest) and received 4,467,317 common shares of Gold X.

On March 15, 2021, Gold X announced that it had entered into an agreement with Gran Colombia Gold Corp. (“Gran Colombia”) under which Gran Colombia would acquire all of the shares of Gold X. Gold X has noted that completion of the acquisition is subject to the approval of both Gold X and Gran Colombia shareholders, receipt of court and stock exchange approvals, and other customary closing conditions for transactions of this nature. Gold X has announced that the parties are working towards closing the transaction in late May or early June, 2021.

Antamina Mine

Mine Name:	Antamina
Operator:	Glencore via CMA
Location:	Peru
Stream:	100% of Glencore 33.75% silver, reduced to 22.5% after receiving 140Mozs
Term:	Life of Mine
WPM party:	Wheaton International

On November 3, 2015, Wheaton International entered into a PMPA (the “Antamina PMPA”) to acquire from Anani, a subsidiary of Glencore plc (“Glencore”), an amount of silver equal to 33.75% of the silver production from the Antamina mine in Peru until the delivery of 140 million ounces of silver and 22.5% of silver production thereafter for the life of mine at a fixed 100% payable rate. Wheaton International paid total upfront cash consideration of \$900 million for the silver stream in December 2015 by using cash on hand together with amounts drawn from the Company’s \$2 billion Revolving Facility (as defined herein). In addition, Wheaton

International will make ongoing payments of 20% of the spot price per silver ounce delivered under the Antamina PMPA. In connection with the Antamina PMPA, Glencore and Noranda Antamina SCRL (the holder of Glencore’s interest in the Antamina mine) also provided Wheaton International with corporate guarantees and certain other assurances, including encumbrance and debt restrictions by Noranda.

During the second quarter of 2020, the Antamina operations were temporarily suspended in response to the Peruvian emergency decree related to the COVID-19 virus pandemic. The Peruvian government issued a decree on May 3, 2020 indicating large mines would be able to reopen subject to approval of certain protocols and Antamina resumed operations during the third quarter and remained in operation for the balance of the year. See “*Risks Relating to the Company – Impact of Epidemics*”.

Early Deposit Gold and Silver Interest – Cotabambas Project

Mine Name:	Cotabambas
Operator:	Panoro
Location:	Peru
Stream:	100% Silver and 25% Gold until 90 million silver equivalent ozs then decrease to 66.67% and 16.67%
Term:	Life of Mine
WPM party:	Wheaton International

On March 21, 2016, Wheaton International entered into an early deposit precious metal purchase agreement with Panoro Minerals Ltd. and its wholly owned subsidiary Cordillera Copper Ltd. (“Panoro”) (the “Cotabambas Early Deposit Agreement”) for the Cotabambas project located in Peru (the “Cotabambas project”). Panoro and its subsidiaries have provided Wheaton with corporate guarantees and certain other security over their assets.

Under the terms of the Cotabambas Early Deposit Agreement, Wheaton International is entitled to purchase 100% of the payable silver production and 25% of the payable gold production from the Cotabambas project until 90 million silver equivalent ounces attributable to Wheaton International have been delivered, at which point the stream would decrease to 66.67% of payable silver production and 16.67% of payable gold production for the life of mine.

Under the Cotabambas Early Deposit Agreement, Wheaton International will pay a total cash consideration of \$140 million plus an ongoing production payment of the lesser of: (i) \$5.90 for each silver ounce and \$450 for each gold ounce (both subject to a 1% annual inflation adjustment starting in the fourth year after the completion test is satisfied) and (ii) the prevailing market price. To December 31, 2020, Wheaton International has advanced \$10 million to Panoro. Once certain conditions have been met, Wheaton International will advance the remaining additional \$4 million to Panoro, spread over up to three years. Following the delivery of certain feasibility documentation Wheaton International may elect to terminate the Cotabambas Early Deposit Agreement. If Wheaton International elects to terminate, Wheaton International will be entitled to a return of the portion of the \$14 million paid less \$2 million payable upon certain triggering events occurring.

Early Deposit Gold and Silver Interest – Kutcho Project

Mine Name:	Kutcho
Operator:	Kutcho Copper
Location:	Canada
Stream:	100% Silver and 100% Gold until threshold silver and gold ozs delivered
Term:	Life of Mine
WPM party:	Wheaton

On December 14, 2017, Wheaton entered into an early deposit PMPA with Kutcho Copper Corp. (formerly Desert Star Resources Ltd.) (“Kutcho”) (the “Kutcho Early Deposit Agreement”) for the Kutcho project located in British Columbia, Canada (the “Kutcho project”). Kutcho and its subsidiaries have provided Wheaton with corporate guarantees and certain other security over their assets.

Under the terms of the Kutcho Early Deposit Agreement, Wheaton is entitled to purchase 100% of the payable silver production and 100% of the payable gold production from the Kutcho project until 5.6 million ounces of silver and 51,000 ounces of gold have been delivered to Wheaton, at which point the stream would decrease to 66.67% of payable silver production and payable gold production for the life of mine.

Under the Kutcho Early Deposit Agreement, Wheaton will pay total cash consideration of \$65 million plus make ongoing payments of 20% of the spot price per silver ounce and per gold ounce delivered. To December 31, 2020, Wheaton has advanced a total of \$7 million to Kutcho in accordance with the terms of the Kutcho Early Deposit Agreement. Wheaton will be required to make an additional payment to Kutcho, of up to \$20 million, if processing throughput is increased to 4,500 tonnes per day or more within 5 years of attaining commercial production. Following the delivery of certain feasibility documentation, or after two years if the feasibility documentation has not been delivered, Wheaton may elect to terminate the Kutcho Early Deposit Agreement. If Wheaton elects to terminate, Wheaton will be entitled to a return of the portion of the \$7 million paid less \$1 million payable upon certain triggering events occurring.

Effective December 14, 2017, in connection with the Kutcho Early Deposit Agreement, the Company participated in an equity financing undertaken by Kutcho acquiring, by way of private placement, 6,153,846 common shares and warrants to acquire an additional 3,076,923 common shares of Kutcho for total consideration of \$3 million (C\$4 million).

Additionally, effective December 14, 2017, the Company, as lender, advanced to Kutcho \$16 million (C\$20 million) in exchange for a subordinated secured convertible term debt loan agreement (the “Kutcho Convertible Note”). The Kutcho Convertible Note, which has a seven-year term to maturity, carries interest at 10% per annum, compounded and payable semi-annually. Under the Kutcho Convertible Note, Kutcho had the option to defer the first three interest payments until December 31, 2019, at which point one half of the deferred interest was payable in cash and the other half of the deferred interest could, at Kutcho’s option, either (i) be paid in cash; or (ii) be deferred for an additional period not to exceed four years. In the event Kutcho elected to make the second deferral, Wheaton was permitted, at its option, to convert the remaining deferred interest into common shares of Kutcho. Under an amendment to the Kutcho Convertible Debenture dated November 25, 2019, Kutcho was granted the option to defer the entire deferred interest amount for a period of four years after December 31, 2019 at an interest rate of 15% per annum and Wheaton agreed to remove its ability to convert a portion of the deferred interest into common shares of Kutcho. Under a further amendment made in September 2020, Wheaton agreed to allow Kutcho to further defer interest due and owing on December 31, 2020 and June 30, 2021 to December 31, 2021. At any time prior to the maturity date, the Company has the right to convert all or any part of the outstanding amount of the Kutcho Convertible Note into common shares of Kutcho at C\$0.8125 per share. Kutcho has the right to repay the Kutcho Convertible Note early, subject to the applicable pre-payment cash penalties as follows:

- 25% of the outstanding amount if pre-paid on or after 24 months until 36 months;
- 20% of the outstanding amount if pre-paid on or after 36 months until 60 months; and
- 15% of the outstanding amount if pre-paid on or after 60 months until maturity.

Effective November 25, 2019, the Company entered into a non-revolving term loan with Kutcho, under which Kutcho can draw up to a maximum of Cdn\$1.3 million. The loan facility, which carries interest at 15% per annum, was to mature December 31, 2020, however this was extended to December 31, 2021 on the condition that Kutcho complete certain equity financing. The funds under the loan facility are to be used by Kutcho to advance the Kutcho project.

Voisey's Bay Mine

Mine Name:	Voisey's Bay
Operator:	Vale
Location:	Canada
Stream:	42.4% cobalt until 31M pounds then 21.2%
Term:	Life of Mine (effective Jan 1, 2021)
WPM party:	Wheaton

On June 11, 2018, the Company entered into a PMPA (the “Voisey's Bay PMPA”) to acquire from Vale Switzerland an amount of cobalt equal to 42.4% of the cobalt production from its Voisey's Bay mine, located in Newfoundland and Labrador in Canada, until the delivery of 31 million pounds of cobalt and 21.2% of cobalt production thereafter for the life of mine. Wheaton paid total upfront cash consideration of \$390 million for the cobalt stream in June 2018. In addition, the Company will make ongoing payments of 18% of the spot price of cobalt per pound of cobalt delivered under the agreement until the upfront cash payment is reduced to

\$NIL and 22% of the spot price thereafter. Payable rates for cobalt in concentrate have generally been fixed at 93.3% and deliveries under the contract are scheduled to begin effective January 1, 2021. The agreement also includes a completion test on underground operations measured by the throughput rate. Vale has also provided Wheaton International with a corporate guarantee. In August 2018, the obligations under the agreement were transferred from Vale Switzerland to Vale Power SA, also a subsidiary of Vale.

Vale made the decision on March 17, 2020 to temporarily suspend operations at the Voisey's Bay mine to ensure the safety of local communities, which have limited access to healthcare given their remoteness as a result of the COVID-19 virus pandemic. Operations at the Voisey's Bay mine resumed in July, with Vale indicating in their third quarter report that they reached full capacity in August. See “*Risks Relating to the Company – Impact of Epidemics*”.

In connection with deliveries of cobalt commencing after January 1, 2021, Vale and the Company agreed to certain amendments to the Voisey's Bay PMPA, including an adjustment to the location of delivery of cobalt.

See “*Description of the Business – Principal Product – Salobo Mine – Operational Update Relative to Vale*” for disclosure regarding the Brumadinho Incident.

Stillwater and East Boulder Mines

Mine Name:	Stillwater & East Boulder Mines
Operator:	Sibanye-Stillwater
Location:	United States
Stream:	100% gold & 4.5/2.25/1% palladium
Term:	Life of Mine
WPM party:	Wheaton International

On July 16, 2018 Wheaton International entered into an agreement to acquire from Sibanye Gold Limited (“Sibanye-Stillwater”) from the Stillwater and East Boulder mines located in Montana, United States (collectively referred to as the “Stillwater mines”) an amount of gold equal to 100% of the gold production and an amount of palladium equal to: (i) 4.5% of Stillwater mines palladium production until 375 Koz delivered to Wheaton; (ii) thereafter, 2.25% of Stillwater mines palladium production until 550 Koz delivered to Wheaton; and, (iii) 1% of Stillwater mines palladium production thereafter for the life of mine. Wheaton International

paid total upfront cash consideration of \$500 million in July 2018. In addition, Wheaton International will make ongoing payments of 18% of the spot price of each of gold and palladium for each ounce of gold or palladium delivered under the agreement until the upfront cash payment is reduced to \$NIL and 22% of the spot price thereafter. Wheaton International is entitled to the attributable gold production for which an offtaker payment is received after July 1, 2018 at a fixed payable rate of 99% and the attributable palladium production for which an offtaker payment is received after July 1, 2018 at a fixed payable rate of 99.6%. Certain subsidiaries of Sibanye-Stillwater (including the owner of the Stillwater mines) have provided Wheaton International with corporate guarantees.

According to Sibanye-Stillwater Limited's Operating and Financial Results for the Six Month and Year Ended 31 December 2020, throughput was impacted primarily due to the impact of a spike in COVID-19 infections in the fourth quarter of 2020 associated with a severe wave of COVID-19 infections in Montana, USA. Sibanye-Stillwater also reported that after a review of the Blitz project was conducted following the suspension of growth capital activities due to COVID-19, the project is now expected to reach a steady state by 2024, a delay of up to two years. Finally, Sibanye-Stillwater highlighted that the Fill the Mill expansion project at the East Boulder mine was completed on schedule in the fourth quarter of 2020.

Early Deposit Gold and Silver Interest – Marmato Mine

Mine Name:	Marmato mine
Operator:	Aris Gold
Location:	Colombia
Stream:	6.5% gold & 100% silver until threshold silver and gold ozs delivered
Term:	Life of Mine
WPM party:	Wheaton International

On November 5, 2020 Wheaton International entered into an early deposit PMPA (the “Marmato PMPA”) with Aris Gold (*formerly Caldas Gold Corp.*) for the Marmato mine located in Colombia (the “Marmato mine”). The Marmato mine comprises an operating Upper Mine and the Marmato Deep zone development, both of which are covered by the Marmato PMPA. Caldas and its subsidiaries have provided Wheaton with corporate guarantees and certain other security over their assets.

Under the terms of the Marmato PMPA, Wheaton International is entitled to purchase an amount of precious metals equal to 6.5% of the gold production and 100% of the silver production until 190,000 ounces of gold and 2.15 million ounces of silver have been delivered, after which the stream drops to 3.25% of the gold production and 50% of the silver production for the life of mine.

Under the Marmato PMPA, Wheaton International is required to pay Aris Gold total cash consideration of \$110 million, \$34 million of which is payable once mining contract 014-89M is extended, \$4 million of which is payable six months thereafter, and the remaining portion of which is payable during construction of the Marmato Deep zone development portion of the Marmato mine; in each case subject to customary conditions. In addition, Wheaton International will make ongoing payments equal to 18% of the spot gold and silver price until the uncredited portion of the upfront payment is reduced to zero, and 22% of the spot gold and silver price thereafter. Wheaton International is entitled to the attributable gold and silver effective July 1, 2020.

To December 31, 2020, Wheaton International had not advanced any funds to Aris Gold in accordance with the terms of the Marmato PMPA.

Cozamin Mine

Mine Name:	Cozamin Mine
Operator:	Capstone
Location:	Mexico
Stream:	50% silver until threshold silver ozs delivered
Term:	Life of Mine
WPM party:	Wheaton International

On December 11, 2020 Wheaton International entered into a new PMPA (the “New Cozamin PMPA”) to acquire from Capstone from the Cozamin Mine located in Zacatecas, Mexico an amount of silver equal to 50% of the silver production until 10 Moz have been delivered, thereafter dropping to 33% of silver production for the life of the mine. In addition, Wheaton International will make ongoing payments for silver ounces delivered equal to 10% of the spot silver price. Wheaton International is entitled to the attributable silver production effective December 1, 2020. Wheaton International paid Capstone upfront cash consideration of US\$150 million upon closing on February 19, 2021. Capstone has provided Wheaton International with a corporate guarantee.

Early Deposit Gold Interest – Santo Domingo Project

Mine Name:	Santo Domingo Project
Operator:	Capstone
Location:	Chile
Stream:	100% gold until threshold gold ozs delivered
Term:	Life of Mine
WPM party:	Wheaton International

On March 24, 2021, Wheaton International entered into an early deposit PMPA (the “Santo Domingo Early Deposit Agreement”) with Capstone in respect to the Santo Domingo project located in the Atacama region, Chile. Capstone has provided Wheaton International with a corporate guarantee and certain other security over the Santo Domingo project.

Under the terms of the Santo Domingo Early Deposit Agreement, Wheaton International is entitled to purchase an amount of gold equal to 100% of the gold production until 285,000 gold ounces have been delivered, after which the stream drops to 67% of the gold production for the life of mine.

Under the Santo Domingo Early Deposit Agreement, Wheaton International is required to pay Capstone total cash consideration of \$290 million, \$30 million of which is payable as an early deposit once certain conditions have been met, and the remaining portion of which is payable during construction of the Santo Domingo project, again subject to certain conditions. In addition, Wheaton International will make ongoing payments equal to 18% of the spot gold price until the

uncredited portion of the upfront payment is reduced to zero, and 22% of the spot gold thereafter. Wheaton International is entitled to the attributable gold and silver effective the date of the Santo Domingo Early Deposit Agreement.

Metates Royalty

On August 7, 2014, the Company, through its wholly owned subsidiary Wheaton Cayman, purchased a 1.5% net smelter return royalty interest (the “Metates Royalty”) in the Metates properties in Mexico from Chesapeake Gold Corp. (“Chesapeake”) for \$9 million. In accordance with the terms of the agreement, on August 7, 2019, Chesapeake exercised its option to re-acquire two-thirds of the Royalty, or 1%, for the sum of \$9 million. As a result, the Company’s Royalty has been reduced to 0.5%. The Company also has a right of first refusal on any silver streaming, royalty or any other transaction on the Metates properties. In connection with the Metates Royalty, American Gold Metates, S. de R.L. de C.V., the owner of the Metates properties, granted Wheaton a mortgage on the Metates properties.

Brewery Creek Royalty

Effective January 5, 2021, the Company purchased from Alexco, for C\$4.5 million, a 2.0% net smelter return royalty interest on the first 600,000 ounces of gold mined from ore extracted from the Golden Predator Exploration Ltd. (“Golden Predator”) owned Brewery Creek quartz mineral claims (the “Brewery Creek Mineral Claims”) and any mineral tenure derived therefrom, and 2.75% net smelter return royalty interest on gold mined from ore extracted thereafter from the Brewery Creek Mineral Claims (the “Brewery Creek Royalty”). The Brewery Creek Royalty agreement provides, among other things, that Golden Predator may reduce the 2.75% net smelter returns royalty interest to 2.125%, on payment of the sum of C\$2.0 million to Wheaton.

Competitive Conditions

The Company is the one of the largest precious metals streaming companies in the world. The Company competes with other companies for PMPAs and similar transactions. The ability of the Company to acquire additional precious metals in the future will depend on its ability to select suitable properties, be successful in any competitive process initiated by a mine operator in respect of a property, and enter into similar PMPAs. See “*Description of the Business — Risk Factors — Competition*” in this annual information form.

Operations

Raw Materials

The Company purchases precious metals and cobalt pursuant to the PMPAs described under “*Description of the Business — Principal Product*” in this annual information form.

Sales of Principal Product

There are worldwide markets into which the Company can sell the precious metals and cobalt purchased under its PMPAs and, as a result, the Company will not be dependent on a particular purchaser with regard to the sale of the precious metals or cobalt that it acquires pursuant to its PMPAs. Under certain PMPAs, precious metal is acquired from the mine operator in concentrate form, which is then sold under the terms of the concentrate sales contracts to third-party smelters or traders. The payable silver in concentrate from the Zinkgruvan mine, the Stratoni mine and the Neves-Corvo mine and the payable silver and gold from the Minto mine is/was purchased from the Company by third-party smelters and off-takers at the worldwide market price for gold and silver.

Precious Metal Credit Sales

Under certain PMPAs, precious metal is acquired from the mine operator in the form of precious metal credits, which is then sold through a network of financial institutions such as third-party brokers or dealers. Revenue from precious metal credit sales is recognized at the time of the sale of such credits, which is also the date that control of the precious metal is transferred to the customer. The Company would not be materially affected should any of these financial institutions cease to buy precious metal credits from the Company as these sales would be redirected to alternate financial institutions.

Cobalt Sales

Cobalt acquired from Vale is sold under an exclusive agency agreement with Traxys North America LLC (“Traxys”). Revenue from cobalt sales is recognized at the time payment for the cobalt is received, which is also the date that control of the cobalt is transferred to the customer. The Company would not be materially affected should Traxys cease to buy cobalt from the Company as these sales would be redirected to an alternate agent or dealer.

Employees

As of the date hereof, the Company and its subsidiaries have an aggregate of 40 employees.

Foreign Interests

In addition to Canada, the Company currently purchases or expects to be purchasing precious metals from mines in the United States, Mexico, Peru, Brazil, Chile, Argentina, Guyana, Colombia, Portugal, Greece and Sweden. Any changes in legislation, regulations or shifts in political attitudes in such foreign countries are beyond the control of the Company and may adversely affect its business. The Company may be affected in varying degrees by such factors as government legislation and regulations (or changes thereto) with respect to the restrictions on production, export controls, income and other taxes, expropriation of property, repatriation of profits, environmental legislation, land use, water use, land claims of local people and mine safety. The effect of these factors on the Company cannot be accurately predicted. See “*Description of the Business — Risk Factors — Risks Relating to the Mining Operations — International Operations*” in this annual information form.

Ongoing Tax Matters

On September 24, 2015, the Company received Notices of Reassessment (the “Reassessments”) from the CRA reassessing the Company under the transfer pricing provisions contained in the *Income Tax Act* (Canada) (the “Tax Act”) for a total of C\$353 million for federal and provincial tax, transfer pricing penalties, interest and other penalties for the 2005-2010 taxation years. The CRA’s position in the Reassessments was that the transfer pricing provisions of the Tax Act relating to income earned by the Company’s foreign subsidiaries outside of Canada should apply such that the income of Wheaton subject to tax in Canada should be increased by an amount equal to substantially all of the income earned outside of Canada by the Company’s foreign subsidiaries for the 2005-2010 taxation years.

On December 13, 2018, the Company announced that it reached a settlement with the CRA which provided for a final resolution of the Company’s tax appeal in connection with the reassessment under transfer pricing rules of the 2005 to 2010 taxation years related to the income generated by the Company’s foreign subsidiaries outside of Canada (the “CRA Settlement”). Under the terms of the CRA Settlement, income earned outside of Canada by the Company’s foreign subsidiaries will not be subject to income tax in Canada under transfer pricing rules. The CRA Settlement principles apply to all taxation years after 2010 subject to there being no material change in facts or change in law or jurisprudence.

It is not known or determinable by the Company when any ongoing audits by CRA of international and domestic transactions will be completed, or whether reassessments will be issued, or the basis, quantum or timing of any such reassessments, and it is therefore not practicable for the Company to estimate the financial effect, if any, of any ongoing audits. From time to time there may also be proposed legislative changes to law or outstanding legal actions that may have an impact on applicable law or jurisprudence, the outcome, applicability and impact of which is also not known or determinable by the Company, but which may have a material adverse effect on the Company or the price of the Common Shares.

2013-2015 Taxation Years: Domestic Reassessments

The Company received Notices of Reassessment in 2018 and 2019 for the 2013 to 2015 taxation years in which the CRA is seeking to change the timing of the deduction of upfront payments with respect to the Company’s PMPAs relating to Canadian mining assets, so that the cost of precious metal acquired under these Canadian PMPAs is equal to the cash cost paid on delivery plus an amortized amount of the upfront payment determined on a units-of-production basis over the estimated recoverable reserves, and where applicable, resources and exploration potential at the respective mine (the “Domestic Reassessments”). In total, the Domestic Reassessments assessed tax, interest and other penalties of \$8 million.

Management believes the Company’s position, as reflected in its filed Canadian income tax returns and consistent with the terms of the PMPAs, that the cost of the precious metal acquired under the Canadian PMPAs is equal to the market value while a deposit is outstanding, and the cash cost thereafter is correct. The Company has filed Notices of Objection and paid 50% of the disputed amounts in order to challenge the Domestic Reassessments.

If CRA were to apply the methodology in the Domestic Reassessments to taxation years subsequent to 2015, the Company estimates that losses would arise that could be carried back to reduce tax and interest relating to the Domestic Reassessments to approximately \$2 million.

U.S. Shareholder Class Action

During July 2015, after the Company disclosed that the CRA was proposing that they would issue notices of reassessment for federal and provincial tax, transfer pricing penalties, interest and other penalties for the 2005-2010 taxation years (the “Reassessments”), two putative securities class action lawsuits were filed against the Company in the U.S. District Court for the Central District of California in connection with the proposal (the “Complaints”).

On October 19, 2015, the Complaints were consolidated into one action, *In re Silver Wheaton Securities Litigation*, as against the Company, Randy Smallwood, President & Chief Executive Officer, Gary Brown, Senior Vice President & Chief Financial Officer and Peter Barnes, former Chief Executive Officer (together the “Initial Defendants”) and a lead plaintiff (the “Plaintiff”) was selected. The Plaintiff filed a consolidated amended complaint in December 2015, which focused on the Reassessments and asserted claims under Sections 10(b) and 20(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the “Exchange Act”).

On March 27, 2018, the court granted Plaintiff's motion for leave to file a Second Amended Complaint, which alleged that Initial Defendants made false and/or misleading statements, as well as failed to disclose material adverse facts about the Company's business, operations, prospects and performance in violation of Sections 10(b) and 20(a) of the Exchange Act, and added a claim under Section 10(b) of the Exchange Act against our auditors (together with the "Initial Defendants, the "Defendants").

On August 3, 2020, the court issued their final approval of a settlement of the lawsuit for \$41.5 million, without admission of liability by any of the Defendants. The settlement was fully funded by the Company's insurance carriers and the other Defendants. The Company was not required to pay any portion of the settlement.

Canadian Shareholder Class Action

By Notice of Action dated August 10, 2016 (as amended September 2, 2016 and supplemented by Statement of Claim filed September 9, 2016 (collectively, the "Claim")), proposed representative plaintiff Suzan Poirier commenced proceedings pursuant to the Class Proceedings Act (Ontario) in the Ontario Superior Court of Justice against Wheaton Precious Metals Corp., Randy Smallwood, President and Chief Executive Officer and Gary Brown, Senior Vice President & Chief Financial Officer. The Claim alleges, among other things, misrepresentation pursuant to primary and secondary market civil liability provisions under the Securities Act (Ontario) and its provincial equivalents, common law negligence and negligent misrepresentation. The claim focuses on the Reassessments. The Claim purports to be brought on behalf of proposed class of persons and entities who acquired Common Shares between August 14, 2013 and July 6, 2015 and held some or all of such Common Shares as of at least July 6, 2015. On July 21, 2020, the Company received a motion record in support of a proposed motion seeking the following (among other relief): (i) leave of the court to commence a secondary market action pursuant to section 138.3(1) of the Securities Act (Ontario) and equivalent provisions in the applicable provincial securities statutes; (ii) certification of the (amended) class and proposed common issues; (iii) leave to file an amended Statement of Claim to include further particulars and to refer to various provincial securities laws; and (iv) the appointment of a new class representative (Ms. Miriam Rosenszajn) in place of Ms. Poirier. While no dates have been scheduled as yet, it is expected that the certification and leave motions will be jointly heard in late 2021.

The Company believes that the allegations are without merit and intends to vigorously defend against this matter. No amounts have been recorded for potential liability arising from this claim as no value has been specified in the statement of claim and the Company cannot reasonably predict the outcome.

Amended Revolving Credit Facilities

Wheaton's available credit is
\$2.0 billion under the
Revolving Facility

On February 27, 2015, each of The Bank of Nova Scotia and Bank of Montreal, as co-lead arrangers, joint book-runners and lenders, Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, Royal Bank of Canada and The Toronto-Dominion Bank, as co-documentation agents and lenders, HSBC Bank Canada, MUFG Bank Ltd. (Canada Branch) (formerly The Bank of Tokyo Mitsubishi UFG Ltd.) and Export Development Canada, as Senior Managers and lenders, and Bank of America, N.A., Canada Branch, Mizuho Bank, Ltd. and National Bank of Canada, as lenders agreed with the Company to enter into a revolving facility (the "Revolving Facility"). The Revolving Facility made available credit of \$2 billion with a maturity date of February 27, 2020. As part of the Revolving Facility, the financial covenants required the Company to maintain: (i) a net debt to tangible net worth ratio of less than or equal to 0.75:1; and (ii) an interest coverage ratio of greater than or equal to 3.00:1. Effective November 20, 2015, the Revolving Facility was amended to only include cash interest expenses for the purposes of calculating the interest coverage ratio. At the Company's option, amounts drawn under the Revolving Facility incur interest based on the Company's leverage ratio at either (i) LIBOR plus 1.20% to 2.20%; or (ii) the Bank of Nova Scotia's Base Rate plus 0.20% to 1.20%. Undrawn amounts under the Revolving Facility are subject to a stand-by fee of 0.24% to 0.44% per annum, dependent on the Company's leverage ratio. Effective March 18, 2016, the maturity date for the Revolving Facility was extended by one year to February 27, 2021. On February 27, 2017, the Revolving Facility was amended to extend the maturity date to February 27, 2022 and make certain other amendments, on February 27, 2018, the Revolving Facility was amended again to extend the maturity date to February 27, 2023 and on February 27, 2019 the Revolving Facility was amended again to extend the maturity date to February 27, 2024. On February 27, 2020, the Revolving Facility was amended to extend the maturity date to February 27, 2025, confirming HSBC Bank Canada was ceasing as a lender and to make certain other amendments. Effective December 31, 2020, the Company had \$195 million drawn under the Revolving Facility. While the Revolving Facility is unsecured, each of Wheaton International, Wheaton Cayman and Silver Wheaton Luxembourg, as subsidiaries of the Company, have guaranteed the obligations of the Company under the Revolving Facility.

At the Market Equity Program

On April 16, 2020, the Company established an at-the-market equity program (the “ATM Program”) that allows the Company to issue up to \$300 million worth of Common Shares from treasury to the public from time to time at the Company’s discretion and subject to regulatory requirements. Any Common Shares sold in the ATM Program will be sold (i) in ordinary brokers’ transactions on the NYSE or another US marketplace on which the Common Shares are listed, quoted or otherwise trade, (ii) ordinary brokers’ transactions on the TSX, (iii) on another Canadian marketplace on which the Common Shares are listed, quoted or otherwise trade, or (iv) with respect to sales in the United States, at the prevailing market price, a price related to the prevailing market price or at negotiated prices. Since the Common Shares will be distributed at the prevailing market prices at the time of the sale or certain other prices, prices may vary among purchasers and during the period of distribution.

Sales of Common Shares through the ATM Program will be made pursuant to the terms of an ATM equity offering sales agreement dated April 16, 2020 entered into among the Company, BofA Merrill Lynch, BMO Capital Markets, RBC Dominion Securities Inc., Scotiabank, CIBC Capital Markets, TD Securities, National Bank Financial Markets, Eight Capital, Raymond James Ltd. And Canaccord Genuity (the “Canadian Agents”) and BofA Securities, BMO Capital Markets, RBC Capital Markets, LLC, Scotiabank, MUFG and Mizuho Securities (the “U.S. Agents” and, together with the Canadian Agents, the “Agents”). The ATM Program will be effective until the date that all Common Shares available for issue under the ATM Program have been issued or the ATM Program is terminated prior to such date by the Company or the Agents.

Wheaton intends that the net proceeds from the ATM Program, if any, will be available as one potential source of funding for stream acquisitions and/or other general corporate purposes including the repayment of indebtedness. As at December 31, 2020, the Company has not issued any shares under the ATM program. See *“Description of the Business – Risk Factors – Risks Relating to the Company – Risks Associated with the ATM Program”*.

Counterparty Concentration

Precious metals and cobalt purchases under certain of Wheaton’s PMPAs are subject to counterparty concentration, including as follows:

- The counterparty obligations under the Salobo, Sudbury and Voisey’s Bay PMPAs are guaranteed by the parent company Vale. Total revenues relative to Vale during the year ended December 31, 2020 were 46% of the Company’s total revenue;
- The counterparty obligations under the Antamina PMPA and the Yauriayacu PMPA (which is included as part of Other silver interests) are guaranteed by the parent company Glencore and its subsidiary. Total revenues relative to Glencore during the year ended December 31, 2020 were 12% of the Company’s total revenue; and
- The counterparty obligations under the Peñasquito PMPA are guaranteed by the parent company Newmont. Total revenues relative to Newmont during the year ended December 31, 2020 were 14% of the Company’s total revenue.

See *“Description of the Business – Risk Factors – Mine Operator Concentration Risk”*.

Information Systems and Cyber Security

The Company's information systems and cyber security program are designed and developed by information technology consultants retained by the Company and overseen by internal management and the Audit Committee. Additional consultants are retained to provide ongoing information systems support and management, maintenance and cyber security services, which include systems event monitoring, managed endpoint security, managed backup and information systems response management. In addition, the Company undergoes an annual data penetration test, vulnerability assessment, and off-site disaster recovery test, to assess our data security and information technology infrastructure and recovery abilities, and the Company has external information security assurance and audit activities performed by qualified, independent professional service firms which validate the effectiveness of the information systems and cyber security program and controls. The Company has a multi-layered, defense-in-depth approach to information systems and cyber security, with intentional redundancies to increase protection of valuable data and information. The Company's overall enterprise data security and information technology infrastructure is managed in accordance with applicable Centre for Internet Security Top 20 Critical Security Controls.

The Company has established an enterprise cyber security awareness training program to validate compliance and effectiveness. The Company also actively seeks to mitigate information systems and cyber security risks by identifying, reviewing and developing risk mitigating and response strategies for such risks. The Company has not experienced a material cyber-related breach within the last three years. The Company is developing a formal cyber security incident response plan, including consideration of a cyber security risk insurance policy.

The operational status of the Company's approach to information systems and cyber security are periodically reviewed with management, and the Audit Committee, which is comprised of independent directors, receives quarterly reports on the Company's information systems and cyber security.

See "*Description of the Business – Risk Factors – Information Systems and Cyber Security*".

Long-Term Investments

At December 31, 2020, the Company held long-term investments (including common shares and warrants) with a market value of approximately \$200 million.

Bear Creek Mining Corporation

At December 31, 2020, Wheaton owned approximately 13.2 million common shares of Bear Creek Mining Corporation ("Bear Creek"), representing approximately 11.8% of the outstanding shares of Bear Creek. At December 31, 2020, the fair value of the Company's investment in Bear Creek was approximately \$32.6 million.

Sabina Gold & Silver Corp.

At December 31, 2020, Wheaton owned approximately 11.7 million common shares of Sabina Gold & Silver Corp. ("Sabina"), representing approximately 3.6% of the outstanding shares of Sabina. At December 31, 2020, the fair value of the Company's investment in Sabina was approximately \$30.2 million.

First Majestic Silver Corp.

During 2018, as part of the consideration for terminating the San Dimas SPA, the Company received 20,914,590 First Majestic common shares, representing approximately 11% of the outstanding shares of First Majestic. During 2019, the Company disposed of 675,000 First Majestic common shares in market sales for total proceeds of C\$5.0 million. During 2020, the Company reduced the number of First Majestic common shares held in market sales to 7,155,000 for total proceeds of C\$151 million. At December 31, 2020, Wheaton owned approximately 7,155,000 First Majestic common shares, representing 3.2% of the outstanding shares of First Majestic. At December 31, 2020, the fair value of the Company's investment in First Majestic was \$95.9 million.²

² Subsequent to December 31, 2020, the Company sold the remaining First Majestic common shares.

Other

At December 31, 2020 Wheaton owned common shares of a number publicly-traded mineral exploration, development, technology and mining companies. At December 31, 2020, the fair value of all long-term investments other than Bear Creek, Sabina and First Majestic was approximately \$37.4 million. As these other long-term investments are not considered material to Wheaton's overall financial position, these investments are not separately identified in this annual information form.

Environment, Sustainability and Corporate Social Responsibility

Wheaton believes that its stakeholders are essential to our success. At Wheaton, we are committed to:

- Delivering sustainable, long-term value to all of our stakeholders. We will strive to meet or exceed expectations.
- Developing and investing in our employees. This starts with fair compensation and competitive benefits. Additionally, it includes providing training and educational opportunities that help develop new skills and knowledge. We foster diversity and inclusion, dignity and respect.
- Dealing fairly and ethically with our suppliers. Through our Partner/Supplier Code of Conduct, we are dedicated to serving as good partners and working with companies that share our values.
- Supporting the communities in which we live and operate. We respect the people in our communities and protect the environment by embracing sustainable practices.
- Generating long-term value for shareholders whose capital has helped us grow and innovate. We are committed to transparency and effective engagement with shareholders.

Environmental and Sustainability Policy

Under its environmental and sustainability policy, the Company is committed to the protection of life, health, and the environment for present and future generations. Wheaton is dedicated to providing a safe workplace for all employees, officers, directors, consultants, and visitors, in addition to conducting business in a manner that utilizes best practices to minimize the impact of operations on the environment. Our commitments include:

- Reducing the environmental footprint of our offices by locating them in facilities that have energy efficiency features, reduce water, and manage waste.
- Promoting the development and implementation of effective, realistic systems to minimize risks to health, safety and the environment.
- Developing and maintaining a culture of environmental responsibility and awareness.
- Communicating openly with employees and other stakeholders on our environmental plans, programs and performance through recognized reporting frameworks.
- Proactively engage in community development programs to ensure communities are sustainable throughout the mine life cycle.
- Using environmentally sound technologies to continuously improve the safe, efficient use of resources, processes and materials.
- Considering additional ways to minimize and mitigate our environmental impact through available resources.
- Supporting environmental and/or conservation initiatives and organizations that are aligned with Wheaton's values.

The Governance and Sustainability Committee of the Board is responsible for overseeing the environmental and sustainability policy.

Corporate Social Responsibility

Wheaton's Corporate Social Responsibility ("CSR") programs are focused on the communities where the Company's offices are based as well as the communities near the mines from which Wheaton has attributable precious metals production.

Wheaton encourages its employees to contribute their time, resources, and skills to charitable organizations through volunteering and participation in fundraisers, community events, and related activities. Employees are eligible for charitable

activity leave each year in addition to employee donation matching programs that promote involvement in charitable fundraising initiatives. As the Company continues to evolve, additional policies will be developed to ensure the highest standards of health, safety, and environmental management are met.

Wheaton has adopted a community investment program under which a portion of Wheaton's net income is donated to charitable organizations and initiatives that help improve and strengthen communities both locally and internationally. Wheaton's community investment program has two components: the Partner CSR Program, which was initiated in 2014 and has an international focus, and the Local CSR program, which supports organizations in the communities where our offices are located. The Company targets 1.5% of the average of the previous four years' net income for these programs, with 1% going towards the Partner CSR Program and the remainder to local initiatives.

Through the Partner CSR Program, Wheaton supports long-term, sustainable benefits to the communities where these mining operations are located by providing financial support for CSR projects managed by the Company's partners. Notably in 2020, the Company supported 17 projects with seven partners. The various programs focus on health, education, community engagement and entrepreneurial opportunities in the regions where our partners operate including Brazil, Peru, Canada, and Mexico.

Through the Local CSR Program, Wheaton has supported a wide variety of charities and causes over the years including the BC Cancer Foundation, Canadian Cancer Society, Special Olympics BC, Nature Trust of British Columbia and several others. In addition, Wheaton International has been the lead donor for the Special Needs Foundation Cayman since 2017, an organization dedicated to supporting children with special needs. Wheaton's contributions have helped fund the opening of an inclusion training and community centre called Our House, which offers a full range of supportive and educational services.

To demonstrate Wheaton's commitment to corporate sustainability, Wheaton joined the United Nations ("UN") Global Compact in September 2019. As a participant, Wheaton has committed to voluntarily aligning its operations and strategy with the ten universally accepted principles in the areas of human rights, labour, environment and anti-corruption, and to take actions that support broader UN goals, including the Sustainable Development Goals. Additionally, Wheaton is a signatory of the World Gold Council's Responsible Gold Mining Principles and Conflict-Free Gold Standard.

In addition, during 2020, Wheaton announced the launch of a \$5 million Community Support and Response Fund (the "COVID-19 Response Fund") in order to support the global efforts to combat the COVID-19 pandemic and its impacts on our communities. The COVID-19 Response Fund is designed to meet the immediate needs of the communities in which Wheaton operates and around the mines from which Wheaton receives precious metals. This fund is incremental to Wheaton's already active Partner CSR Program. As of December 31, 2020, the Company had made donations totalling \$3 million under this program.

During 2020, very small changes were made to Wheaton's Code of Business Conduct and Ethics (the "Code") to align with updates to the Company's Disclosure Policy and in early 2021, the Code was further updated to reflect commitments on diversity and the Board of Director's adoption of a target to have at least 30% of the Board of Directors members be women by the end of 2024.

Environmental Commitment

Wheaton recognizes the importance of taking action on climate change. As part of the Carbon Disclosure Project, the Company measured its total greenhouse gas emissions, reduced them where possible, and offset the difference through Offsetters, Canada's leading carbon management solutions provider. Wheaton has contributed to projects that prevent the equivalent amount of emissions from entering the atmosphere. Since 2016, Wheaton has maintained its status as a carbon neutral company.

Environmental, Social and Governance Investment Principles

Wheaton is not involved in nor does it control the operational decisions of mine projects by third-party operators; however, Wheaton is indirectly exposed to environmental, social and governance ("ESG") and other risks arising from these mine projects. Wheaton has adopted Investment Principles to Wheaton's approach to evaluating potential streaming transactions as well as monitoring existing streaming agreements. The purpose of these principles is to identify third party independent mining companies that appropriately manage their ESG and other risks in order to minimize Wheaton's indirect

exposure to those risks. Details concerning these investment principles can be found on Wheaton's website at www.wheatonpm.com/responsibility.

Human Rights Policies

Our human rights policies are contained in the Code. Our human rights policies recognize that while government has the primary responsibility to protect human rights, it is the responsibility of businesses to support and respect the protection of internationally proclaimed human rights. Our human rights policies also outline our commitment to support and respect human rights in our own operations and complying with the laws of countries in which we do business. Our commitment is guided by Canadian laws respecting human rights as well as international statements on human rights including the United Nations Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights. Our human rights policies also outline Wheaton's commitment to seek to emphasize the rights of vulnerable groups impacted by its operations, including women, children and indigenous peoples.

During 2019, the Code was updated to better align our policies with the UN Global Compact by adding provisions outlining our commitment to fair practice and freedom of association, collective bargaining and our support for the abolition of forced labour and child labour, as well as other provisions.

Anti-Bribery and Anti-Corruption Policies

Our anti-bribery and anti-corruption policies are contained in our Code. Our anti-bribery and anti-corruption policies outline the obligations and requirements that must be met by all of our employees, officers and directors as well as third-party contractors working on our behalf. These include prohibitions against bribery, facilitation payments, money laundering as well as gifts to public officials and institutions.

Partner/Supplier Code of Conduct

Wheaton believes that it is our responsibility to partner with suppliers that share our commitment to sustainable development and the standards set out in our partners/supplier code of conduct. Our partner/supplier code of conduct requires that our suppliers, including our streaming partners, meet or exceed certain standards of business practice which include compliance with applicable law, business ethics and integrity, health and safety, human rights and labour standards and environment and sustainability. Wheaton will show preference for those suppliers who are able to demonstrate alignment with the standards contained in the partner/supplier code of conduct.

Risk Factors

The operations of the Company are speculative due to the nature of its business which is the purchase of precious metals and/or cobalt production from producing mining companies. These risk factors could materially affect the Company's future operating results and could cause actual events to differ materially from those described in forward-looking statements relating to the Company. The risks described herein are not the only risks facing the Company. Additional risks and uncertainties not currently known to the Company, or that the Company currently deems immaterial, may also materially and adversely affect its business.

Risks Relating to the Company

Commodity Prices and Commodity Markets

The price of the Common Shares and the Company's financial results may be significantly and adversely affected by a decline in the price of precious metals and cobalt. The price of precious metals and cobalt fluctuates widely, especially in recent years, and is affected by numerous factors beyond the Company's control, including but not limited to, the sale or purchase of precious metals by various central banks and financial institutions, interest rates, exchange rates, inflation or deflation, fluctuation in the value of the United States dollar and foreign currencies, global and regional supply and demand, and the political and economic conditions of major precious metals and cobalt producing countries throughout the world. The precious metals and cobalt markets tend to be cyclical, and a general downturn could result in a significant decrease in the Company's revenue. Any such price decline may have a material adverse effect on the Company.

The profitability of Wheaton's interests under the PMPAs is directly related to the market price of precious metals and cobalt. The Company's revenue is sensitive to changes in the price of precious metals and cobalt and the overall condition of the precious metal and cobalt mining industry and markets, as it derives all of its revenue from precious metals and cobalt streams. If Wheaton is unable to sell precious metals or cobalt production as a result of a reduction in, or an absence of, demand for precious metals or cobalt, there could be a significant decrease in the Company's revenue which may have a material adverse effect on the Company or result in the Company not generating positive cash flow or earnings.

In the event that the prevailing market price of precious metals and cobalt is at or below the price at which the Company can purchase such commodities pursuant to the terms of the PMPAs associated with its precious metals and cobalt interests, the Company will not generate positive cash flow or earnings, which could have a material adverse effect on the Company.

Precious metals and cobalt are by-product metals at all of the Mining Operations, other than silver at the Keno Hill mines, silver at the Loma de La Plata zone of the Navidad project, gold at the Toroparu project, gold and silver at the Marmato mine, and palladium at the Stillwater mines and therefore, the economic cut-off applied to the reporting of precious metals and cobalt reserves and resources will be influenced by changes in the commodity prices of other metals at the mines.

Impact of Epidemics

All of Wheaton's PMPAs are subject to the risk of emerging infectious diseases or the threat of outbreaks of viruses or other contagions or epidemic diseases through the Mining Operations, including the novel COVID-19 virus pandemic. These infectious disease risks may not be adequately responded to locally, nationally, regionally or internationally due to lack of preparedness to detect and respond to outbreaks or respond to significant pandemic threats. In addition, a government may impose strict emergency measures in response to the threat or existence of an infectious disease, such as the emergency measures imposed by governments of many countries in response to the COVID-19 virus pandemic. As such, there are potentially significant economic and social impacts of infectious disease risks, including the inability of Mining Operations to operate as intended, shortage of skilled employees or labour unrest, delays or shortages in supply chains, inability of employees to access sufficient healthcare, significant social upheavals or unrest, government or regulatory actions or inactions (including but not limited to, changes in taxation or policies, or delays in permitting or approvals), decreased demand or the inability to sell precious metals or cobalt or declines in the price of precious metals and cobalt, capital markets volatility, availability of credit, loss of investor confidence or other unknown but potentially significant impacts. Given the global nature of Mining Operations, there are potentially significant economic losses from infectious disease outbreaks that can extend far beyond the initial location of an infection disease outbreak. As such, both global outbreaks, such as the COVID-19 virus pandemic, as well as regional and local outbreaks can have a significant impact on Wheaton's PMPAs and the related Mining Operations. Wheaton may not be able to accurately predict which Mining Operations will be subject to infectious disease risks or the quantum of such risks. In addition, Wheaton's own operations are exposed to infectious disease risks noted above

and as such Wheaton's operations may be adversely affected by such infectious disease risks. Accordingly, any outbreak or threat of an outbreak of a virus or other contagions or epidemic disease could have a material adverse effect on Wheaton, its business, results from operations and financial conditions directly or due to a counterparty (i) being unable to deliver some or all of the precious metals or cobalt due under the applicable PMPA with that counterparty; (ii) otherwise defaulting in its obligations under that PMPA; (iii) ceasing operations at one or more mines that are the subject of that PMPA; or (iv) becoming insolvent. As a result, any of these or other adverse financial or operational consequences on a counterparty may also have a material adverse effect on Wheaton's business, financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

As at the date of this annual information form, all of the Company's partners' operations are currently running, though we are closely monitoring and regularly assessing the impact of the COVID-19 virus pandemic on the Mining Operations and our own operations. However, this pandemic is evolving rapidly and its effects on the Mining Operations and our own operations are uncertain. It is possible that in the future operations at the Mining Operations may be temporarily shut down or suspended for indeterminate amounts of time, any of which may, individually or in the aggregate, have a material and adverse impact on the Company's business, financial condition, results of operations and cash flows. In addition, the impact of the COVID-19 virus pandemic on economies and the prospects of economic growth globally may lead to decreased demands for commodities, including precious metals or cobalt, which may have a material and adverse impact on the Company's business, financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

There can be no assurance that Wheaton's partners' operations that are operational as of the date of this annual information form will continue to remain operational for the duration of the COVID-19 virus pandemic. In addition, even if operational, these operations may be subject to adverse impacts on production and other impacts due to the COVID-19 virus pandemic response measures, absenteeism and otherwise as a result of the pandemic and any of these impacts may be material with respect to those operations, as well as our business and financial results.

COVID-19 Virus Pandemic May Heighten Other Risks

To the extent that the COVID-19 virus pandemic adversely affects Wheaton's business and financial results, it may also have the effect of heightening many of the other risks, including, but not limited to, risks relating to the Company such as risks related to commodity prices and commodity markets, commodity price fluctuations, equity price risk associated with the Company's equity investments, credit and liquidity of counterparties to the PMPAs, mine operator concentration, Wheaton's indebtedness and guarantees, Wheaton's ability to raise additional capital, Wheaton's ability to enforce security interests, information systems and cyber security and risks relating to the Mining Operations such as risks related to mineral reserve and mineral resource estimates, production forecasts, impacts of governmental regulations, international operations, availability of infrastructure and employees and challenging global financial conditions.

Risks Relating to the Mining Operations

To the extent that they relate to the production of precious metals or cobalt from, or the continued operation of, the Mining Operations, the Company will be subject to the risk factors applicable to the operators of such mines or projects, some of which are set forth below under "*Risks Relating to the Mining Operations*".

No Control Over Mining Operations

The Company has agreed to purchase a certain percentage of the gold, silver, palladium and/or cobalt produced by the Mining Operations. The Company is not directly involved in the ownership or operation of mines and has no contractual rights relating to the operation of the Mining Operations. The owners and operators will generally have the power to determine the manner in which the relevant properties subject to the asset portfolio are exploited, including decisions to expand, advance, continue, reduce, suspend or discontinue production from a property and decisions about the marketing of products extracted from the property. The interests of the Company and the operators of the relevant properties may not always be aligned. As a result, the cash flows of the Company are dependent upon the activities of third parties, which creates the risk that at any time those third parties may: (i) have business interests or targets that are inconsistent with those of the Company; (ii) take action contrary to the Company's policies or objectives; (iii) be unable or unwilling to fulfill their obligations under their agreements with the Company; or (iv) experience financial, operational or other difficulties, including insolvency, which could limit or suspend a third party's ability to perform its obligations under the PMPAs. At any time, any of the operators of the Mining Operations may decide to suspend or discontinue operations, including if the costs to operate the mine, or observe the obligations of the PMPA, exceed the revenues from operations.

The ability for the operators of the Mining Operations to act in their sole discretion could therefore have a material adverse effect on the Company's business, financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

Except in limited circumstances, the Company will not be entitled to any material compensation if such operations do not meet their forecasted precious metals or cobalt production targets in any specified period or if the operations shut down, suspend or discontinue on a temporary or permanent basis. There can be no assurance that the precious metals or cobalt production from such properties will ultimately meet forecasts or targets. In addition, payments from production generally flow through the operator and there is a risk of delay and additional expense in receiving such revenues. The PMPA payments are calculated by the operators based on reported production and calculations of the Company's payments are subject to, and dependent upon, the adequacy and accuracy of the operators' production and accounting functions. Failure to receive payments under the PMPAs to which the Company is entitled may have a material adverse effect on the Company. In addition, the Company must rely on the accuracy and timeliness of the public disclosure and other information it receives from the owners and operators of the Mining Operations, and uses such information, including production estimates, in its analyses, forecasts and assessments relating to its own business. If the information provided by such third parties to the Company contains material inaccuracies or omissions, the Company's ability to accurately forecast or achieve its stated objectives may be materially impaired.

Taxes

A significant portion of the Company's operating profit is derived from its subsidiaries, including Wheaton International which is incorporated and operates in the Cayman Islands and historically, Silverstone Resources (Barbados) Corp., which was incorporated and operated in Barbados, such that the Company's profits are subject to low income tax.

The introduction of new tax laws, regulations or rules, or changes to, or differing interpretation of, or application of, or court decisions in respect of, existing tax laws, regulations or rules in Canada, the Cayman Islands, Barbados, Luxembourg, the Netherlands or any of the countries in which the Company's subsidiaries or the Mining Operations are located, or to which deliveries of precious metals, precious metals credits or cobalt are made, could result in an increase in the Company's taxes, or other governmental charges, duties or impositions. No assurance can be given that new tax laws, regulations or rules will not be enacted or that existing tax laws, regulations or rules will not be changed, interpreted, applied or decided upon in a manner which could result in the Company's profits being subject to additional taxation or which could otherwise have a material adverse effect on the Company, the price of the Common Shares.

Under the terms of the CRA Settlement, income earned outside of Canada by the Company's foreign subsidiaries will not be subject to income tax in Canada under transfer pricing rules. The CRA Settlement principles apply to all taxation years after 2010 subject to there being no material change in facts or change in law or jurisprudence.

It is not known or determinable by the Company when any ongoing audits by CRA of international and domestic transactions will be completed, or whether reassessments will be issued, or the basis, quantum or timing of any such reassessments, and it is therefore not practicable for the Company to estimate the financial effect, if any, of any ongoing audits. From time to time there may also be proposed legislative changes to law or outstanding legal actions that may have an impact on applicable law or jurisprudence, the outcome, applicability and impact of which is also not known or determinable by the Company, but which may have a material adverse effect on the Company or the price of the Common Shares. See "*Description of the Business – Operations – Significant Tax Matters*" for further details in respect of the CRA Settlement.

Counterparty Credit and Liquidity Risk

The Company is exposed to counterparty risks and liquidity risks including, but not limited to: (i) through the companies with which the Company has PMPAs which may experience financial, operational or other difficulties, including insolvency, which could limit or suspend those companies' ability to perform their obligations under those PMPAs; (ii) through the companies with which the Company has advanced funds in exchange for convertible notes receivable; (iii) through financial institutions that hold the Company's cash and cash equivalents; (iv) through companies that have payables to the Company, including concentrate customers; (v) through the Company's insurance providers; and (vi) through the Company's lenders. The Company is also exposed to liquidity risks in meeting its operating expenditure requirements in instances where cash positions are unable to be maintained or appropriate financing is unavailable. These factors may impact the ability of the Company to obtain loans and other credit facilities in the future and, if obtained, on terms favourable to the Company. If these risks materialize, the Company's operations could be adversely impacted and the trading price of the Common Shares could be adversely affected.

In the event that a counterparty with which the Company has a PMPA were to experience financial, operational or other difficulties (such as Vale in connection with the Brumadinho Incident or a counterparty that is unable to favourably resolve the application of new or existing tax laws, regulations or rules or any tax audits or disputes), then that counterparty may (i) be unable to deliver some or all of the precious metals or cobalt due under the applicable PMPA with that counterparty; (ii) otherwise default in its obligations under that PMPA; (iii) cease operations at one or more mines that are the subject of that PMPA; or (iv) become insolvent. As a result, any of these or other adverse financial or operational consequences on a counterparty may also have a material adverse effect on Wheaton's business, financial condition, results of operations and cash flows. In addition, there is no assurance that Wheaton will be successful in enforcing its rights under any security or guarantees provided to Wheaton.

In addition, parties to contracts do not always honour contractual terms and contracts themselves may be subject to interpretation or technical defects. To the extent companies with which the Company has PMPAs do not abide by their contractual obligations, the Company would be forced to take legal action to enforce its contractual rights. Such litigation may be time consuming and costly and there is no guarantee of success. Any pending proceedings or actions or any decisions determined adversely may have a material and adverse effect on Wheaton's business, financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

See “*Description of the Business – Principal Product – Salobo Mine – Operational Update Relative to Vale*” for disclosure regarding the Brumadinho Incident. See also “*Description of the Business – Principal Product – San Dimas – Mexican Tax Dispute*” for further details in respect of the legal claim by Mexican tax authorities in respect of the San Dimas mine.

See also “*Risks Relating to the Company – Security Over Underlying Assets*”, “*Risks Relating to the Company – Mine Operator Concentration Risk*”, “*Risks Relating to the Company – Indebtedness and Guarantees Risk*”, “*Risks Relating to the Mining Operations – International Operations*” and “*Risks Relating to the Mining Operations – Exploration, Development, Operating, Expansion and Improvements Risks*” and “*Risks Relating to the Mining Operations – Land Title and Indigenous Peoples*”.

Mine Operator and Counterparty Concentration Risk

Precious metals and cobalt purchases under certain of Wheaton's PMPAs are subject to both mine operator concentration risk and counterparty concentration risk, including as follows:

- The counterparty obligations under the Salobo, Sudbury and Voisey's Bay PMPAs are guaranteed by the parent company Vale. Total revenues relative to Vale during the year ended December 31, 2020 were 46% of the Company's total revenue;
- The counterparty obligations under the Antamina PMPA and the Yauliyacu PMPA (which is included as part of Other silver interests) are guaranteed by the parent company Glencore and its subsidiary. Total revenues relative to Glencore during the year ended December 31, 2020 were 12% of the Company's total revenue; and
- The counterparty obligations under the Peñasquito PMPA are guaranteed by the parent company Newmont. Total revenues relative to Newmont during the year ended December 31, 2020 were 14% of the Company's total revenue.

Should any of these mine operators or counterparties become unable or unwilling to fulfill their obligations under their agreements with Wheaton, or should any of the risk factors identified by Wheaton materialize in respect of the mine operators, counterparties or the Mining Operations, there could be a material adverse effect on Wheaton, including, but not limited to, Wheaton's revenue, net income and cash flows from operations. See also “*Description of the Business – Operations – Counterparty Concentration*”.

In particular, total revenues relative to PMPAs with Vale were 46% and 47% of the Company's total revenue for the years ended December 31, 2020 and December 31, 2019, respectively; operating cash flows from the PMPAs with Vale represented approximately 50% and 57% of the Company's operating cash flows for the years ended December 31, 2020 and December 31, 2019, respectively; and as at December 31, 2020, the PMPAs with Vale proven and probable precious metal and cobalt reserves represented approximately 46% of the Company's total proven and probable gold-equivalent ounces (“GEO”) reserves, measured and indicated precious metals and cobalt resources represented approximately 21% of the Company's GEO measured and indicated precious metals and cobalt resources and inferred precious metals and cobalt resources represented approximately 13% of the Company's total inferred GEO resources (as described in the Attributable

Reserves and Resources section of the Company's MD&A). If Wheaton was unable to purchase any further precious metals or cobalt under the PMPAs with Vale, Wheaton's reserves and resources would be significantly reduced and Wheaton's forecasted gold equivalent production for 2021 and average five year forecasted gold equivalent production for 2021-2025 would be lowered by 39% and 37% respectively, leading to a corresponding reduction to its revenue, net earnings and cash flows.

See also "*Risks Relating to the Company – Counterparty Credit and Liquidity Risk*", "*Risks Relating to the Company – Security Over Underlying Assets*", "*Risks Relating to the Company – Indebtedness and Guarantees Risk*", "*Risks Relating to the Mining Operations – International Operations*", "*Risks Relating to the Mining Operations – Exploration, Development, Operating, Expansion and Improvements Risks*" and "*Risks Relating to the Mining Operations – Land Title and Indigenous Peoples*".

Indebtedness and Guarantees Risk

As of December 31, 2020, the Company had \$195 million drawn under the Revolving Facility. As a result of this indebtedness, the Company is required to use a portion of its cash flow to service principal and interest on the debt, which will limit the cash flow available for other business opportunities. The Company's ability to make scheduled payments of the principal of, to pay interest on, or to refinance indebtedness depends on its future performance, which is subject to economic, financial, competitive and other factors beyond its control (including, in particular, the continued receipt of precious metals and/or cobalt under the terms of the relevant PMPA agreements). If any of these factors beyond its control arose, the Company may not continue to generate cash flow in the future sufficient to service debt and make necessary capital expenditures. If the Company is unable to generate such cash flow, it may be required to adopt one or more alternatives, such as reducing or eliminating dividends, restructuring debt or obtaining additional equity capital on terms that may be onerous or highly dilutive. The Company's ability to refinance indebtedness will depend on the capital markets and its financial condition at such time. The Company may not be able to engage in any of these activities or engage in these activities on desirable terms, which could result in a default on its debt obligations.

The terms of the Revolving Facility require the Company to satisfy various affirmative and negative covenants and to meet certain financial ratios and tests. These covenants limit, among other things, the Company's ability to incur further indebtedness if doing so would cause it to fail to meet certain financial covenants, create certain liens on assets or engage in certain types of transactions. The Company can provide no assurances that in the future, it will not be limited in its ability to respond to changes in its business or competitive activities or be restricted in its ability to engage in mergers, acquisitions or dispositions of assets. Furthermore, due to factors beyond its control (for example, due to an event of force majeure or other disruption at operations, the Company does not receive sufficient precious metals or cobalt from its counterparties in accordance with the terms of the PMPAs), the Company may fail to comply with these covenants, including a failure to meet the financial tests or ratios, and any subsequent failure by the Company's subsidiaries to comply with guarantee obligations, would likely result in an event of default under the Revolving Facility and would allow the lenders to accelerate the debt, which could materially and adversely affect the Company's business, financial condition and results of operations and its ability to meet its payment obligations under debt, and the price of the Common Shares.

In addition, each subsidiary of the Company has guaranteed the obligations of the Company under the Revolving Facility. See "*Description of the Business – Operations – Amended Revolving Credit Facility*" for further details. While the Revolving Facility is unsecured, as guarantors, any or all of Wheaton's subsidiaries can be called upon by lenders for the repayment of the obligations under the Revolving Facility if Wheaton were to default.

Hedging Risk

The Company has a policy that permits hedging its foreign exchange and interest rate exposures to reduce the risks associated with currency and interest rate fluctuations. The Company also has adopted a policy to allow the forward sale of forecast precious metals deliveries provided that such sales shall not extend beyond the end of a financial quarter of the Company.

Hedging involves certain inherent risks including: (a) credit risk — the risk that the creditworthiness of a counterparty may adversely affect its ability to perform its payment and other obligations under its agreement with the Company or adversely affect the financial and other terms the counterparty is able to offer the Company; (b) market liquidity risk — the risk that the Company has entered into a hedging position that cannot be closed out quickly, by either liquidating such hedging instrument or by establishing an offsetting position; and (c) unrealized fair value adjustment risk — the risk that, in respect of certain hedging products, an adverse change in market prices for commodities, currencies or interest rates

will result in the Company incurring losses in respect of such hedging products as a result of the hedging products being out-of-the money on their settlement dates.

There is no assurance that a hedging program designed to reduce the risks associated with foreign exchange/currency, interest rate or commodity fluctuations will be successful. Although hedging may protect the Company from adverse changes in foreign exchange/currency, interest rate or commodity fluctuations, it may also prevent the Company from fully benefitting from positive changes.

Competition

The Company competes with other companies for PMPAs and similar transactions. Some of these companies may possess greater financial and technical resources than the Company. Such competition may result in the Company being unable to enter into desirable PMPAs or similar transactions, to recruit or retain qualified employees or to acquire the capital necessary to fund its PMPAs. As a result, existing or future competition in the mining industry could materially adversely affect the Company's prospects for entering into additional PMPAs in the future.

Litigation Claims and Proceedings

The Company is from time to time involved in various claims, legal proceedings and disputes arising in the ordinary course of business. If the Company is unable to resolve these disputes favorably, it may have a material adverse effect on the Company. The Company was previously the subject of litigation in a securities class action complaint in the United States and is currently the subject of litigation in securities class action complaints in Canada. See "*Description of the Business – U.S. Shareholder Class Action*" and *Description of the Business – Canadian Shareholder Class Action*".

Securities litigation, including current proceedings against the Company as well as potential future proceedings, could result in substantial costs and damages and divert the Company's management's attention and resources. Any decision resulting from any such litigation that is adverse to the Company could have a negative impact on the Company's financial position.

Security Over Underlying Assets

There is no guarantee that the Company will be able to effectively enforce any guarantees, indemnities or other security interests it may have. Should a bankruptcy or other similar event related to a mining operator occur that precludes a party from performing its obligations under the PMPA, the Company would have to consider enforcing its security interest. In the event that the mining operator has insufficient assets to pay its liabilities, it is possible that other liabilities will be satisfied prior to the liabilities owed to the Company. In addition, bankruptcy or other similar proceedings are often a complex and lengthy process, the outcome of which may be uncertain and could result in a material adverse effect on the Company.

In addition, because many of the Mining Operations are owned and operated by foreign affiliates, the Company's security interests may be subject to enforcement and insolvency laws of foreign jurisdictions that differ significantly from those in North America, and the Company's security interests may not be enforceable as anticipated. Further, there can be no assurance that any judgments obtained in Canadian courts will be enforceable in any of those jurisdictions outside of Canada. If the Company is unable to enforce its security interests, there may be a material adverse effect on the Company.

Acquisition Strategy

As part of the Company's business strategy, it has sought and will continue to seek new exploration, development and mining opportunities in the resource industry. In pursuit of such opportunities, the Company may fail to select appropriate acquisition candidates or negotiate acceptable arrangements, including arrangements to finance acquisitions or integrate the acquired businesses and their personnel into the Company. The Company cannot assure that it can complete any acquisition or business arrangement that it pursues or is pursuing, on favourable terms, or that any acquisitions or business arrangements completed will ultimately benefit the Company.

In the event that the Company chooses to raise debt capital to finance any acquisition, the Company's leverage will be increased. In addition, if the Company chooses to complete an equity financing to finance any acquisition, shareholders may suffer dilution.

In addition, the introduction of new tax laws or regulations, or accounting rules or policies, or rating agency policies,

or changes to, or differing interpretations of, or application of, existing tax laws or regulations or accounting rules or policies or rating agency policies, could make PMPAs less attractive to counterparties. Such changes could adversely affect the Company's ability to enter into new PMPAs and could have a negative impact on the Company's financial position.

The Company may consider opportunities to restructure PMPAs where it believes such a restructuring may provide a long-term benefit to the Company, even if such restructuring may reduce near-term revenues or result in the Company incurring transaction related costs. The Company may enter into one or more acquisitions, restructurings or other streaming transactions at any time.

Market Price of the Common Shares

The Common Shares are listed and posted for trading on the TSX, NYSE and on the LSE. An investment in the Company's securities is highly speculative and the price of the Common Shares has fluctuated significantly in the past. During the year ended December 31, 2020, the trading price of the Common Shares has fluctuated as follows:

Exchange	Low	High
TSX	C\$33.47	C\$75.14
NYSE	\$23.74	\$56.21
LSE	29.43 GBP	38.45 GBP

The market price of the Company's Common Shares may increase or decrease in response to a number of events and factors, including: any future offerings of the Common Shares pursuant to the ATM Program, any offering or otherwise, and other factors identified in this annual information form.

In addition, the global stock markets and prices for streaming and mining company shares have experienced volatility that often has been unrelated to the operating performance or prospects of such companies. These market and industry fluctuations may adversely affect the market price of the Common Shares, regardless of the Company's operating performance. The variables which are not directly related to the Company's success and are, therefore, not within the Company's control, include other developments that affect the market for streaming and mining company shares, macroeconomic developments globally, the breadth of the public market for the Common Shares and the attractiveness of alternative investments and particular industries. The effect of these and other factors on the market price of the Common Shares on the exchanges on which they trade has historically made its common share price volatile and suggests that the Common Share price will continue to be volatile in the future.

It is not uncommon for securities class actions to be brought against publicly listed companies following periods of volatility or significant decline in the market price of their securities. The Company is currently the subject of litigation in a securities class action complaint in Canada. See "*Description of the Business – Canadian Shareholder Class Action*".

Multiple Listings of the Common Shares on the LSE, the TSX and the NYSE May Lead to an Inefficient Market for the Common Shares

Multiple listings of the Common Shares will result in differences in liquidity, settlement and clearing systems, trading currencies, prices and transaction costs between the exchanges where the Common Shares will be quoted. These and other factors may hinder the transferability of the Common Shares between the three exchanges. The Common Shares are quoted on the TSX, the NYSE and the LSE. Consequently, the trading in and liquidity of the Common Shares will be split between these three exchanges. The price of the Common Shares may fluctuate and may at any time be different on the TSX, the NYSE and the LSE. This could adversely affect the trading of the Common Shares on these exchanges and increase their price volatility and/or adversely affect the price and liquidity of the Common Shares on these exchanges. The Common Shares are quoted and traded in Canadian Dollars on the TSX, and in US Dollars on the NYSE. The Common Shares are quoted and traded in pence sterling on the LSE. The market price of the Common Shares on those exchanges may also differ due to exchange rate fluctuations.

Common Shares May be Suspended from Trading

Each of the TSX, NYSE and LSE has the right to suspend trading in certain circumstances. If the Common Shares are suspended from trading, the holders of Common Shares may not be able to dispose of their Common Shares on the LSE, the TSX or the NYSE (as the case may be).

TSX: The objective of the TSX's policies regarding continued listing privileges is to facilitate the maintenance of an orderly and effective auction market for securities of a wide variety of listed issuers, in which there is a substantial public interest, and that comply with the requirements of the TSX. The policies are designed and administered in a manner consistent with that objective. The TSX has adopted certain quantitative and qualitative criteria under which it will normally consider the suspension from trading and delisting of securities. However, no set of criteria can effectively anticipate the unique circumstances which may arise in any given situation. Accordingly, each situation is considered individually on the basis of relevant facts and circumstances. As such, whether or not any of the delisting criteria has become applicable to a listed issuer or security, the TSX may, at any time, suspend from trading and delist securities if in the opinion of the TSX, such action is consistent with the objective noted above or further dealings in the securities on the TSX may be prejudicial to the public interest. In addition, the TSX may at any time suspend from trading the Common Shares if it is satisfied that the Company has failed to comply with any of the provisions of its listing agreement with the TSX or other agreements with the TSX, or with any TSX requirement or policy.

NYSE: The NYSE may suspend trading in, and commence proceedings to delist, the Common Shares from time to time if it determines that Wheaton or the Common Shares fail to satisfy the applicable quantitative or qualitative continued listing criteria under the NYSE listing standards. Such continued quantitative listing criteria include, but are not limited to, a minimum number of stockholders, a minimum average closing price over a consecutive 30 trading-day period, and a minimum average global market capitalization over a consecutive 30 trading-day period. Such continued qualitative listing criteria include, but are not limited to, the satisfaction of certain requirements of the NYSE Governance Rules such as the maintenance of an audit committee satisfying certain criteria including with respect to independence and the continued timely filing of periodic reports with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission. The NYSE may also suspend trading in, and commence proceedings to delist, the securities of an issuer if the issuer or its management engage in operations that are in the opinion of the NYSE contrary to the public interest. Typically, if an issuer or its NYSE-listed securities fall below the NYSE's quantitative or qualitative listing criteria, the NYSE reviews the appropriateness of continued listing and may give consideration to any definitive action proposed by the issuer, pursuant to procedures and timelines set forth in the NYSE listing standards, that would bring the issuer or such securities above the applicable continued listing standards. However, in certain cases, the failure of the issuer or its listed securities to meet certain continued listing criteria may result in immediate suspension and delisting by the NYSE without such evaluation or follow-up procedures.

LSE: The FCA may suspend the Common Shares from trading on the LSE from time to time if it determines that the smooth operation of the market is or may be temporarily jeopardized or it is necessary to protect investors.

Risks Associated with the ATM Program

There is no certainty that gross proceeds of \$300 million (or the equivalent in Canadian dollars determined using the daily exchange rate posted by the Bank of Canada on the date the ATM Common Shares are sold) will be raised pursuant to the ATM Program. The ATM Program agents have agreed to use their commercially reasonable efforts to sell, on the Company's behalf, the ATM Common Shares designated by the Company, but the Company is not required to request the sale of the maximum amount offered or any amount and, if the Company requests a sale, the ATM Program agents are not obligated to purchase any ATM Common Shares that are not sold. As a result of the ATM Program being made on a commercially reasonable efforts basis with no minimum, and only as requested by the Company, the Company may raise substantially less than the maximum total offering amount or nothing at all.

Management of the Company will have broad discretion in the application of the net proceeds from the ATM Program and could spend the proceeds in ways that do not improve the Company's results of operations or enhance the value of the Common Shares. The failure by management to apply these funds effectively could result in financial losses that could have a material adverse effect on the Company's business and cause the price of the Common Shares to decline. Pending their use, the Company may invest the net proceeds from the ATM Program in a manner that does not produce income or that loses value.

Equity Price Risk

The Company is exposed to equity price risk as a result of holding long- term equity investments in other companies, including, but not limited to, exploration and mining companies. Just as investing in the Company is inherent with risks such as those set out in this annual information form, by investing in these other companies, the Company is exposed to the risks associated with owning equity securities and those risks inherent in the investee companies. The Company generally does not actively trade these investments. See "*Description of the Business – Long Term Investments*".

Interest Rate Risk

The Company is exposed to interest rate risk on its outstanding borrowings and short-term investments. Presently, all of the Company's outstanding borrowings are at floating interest rates. The Company monitors its exposure to interest rates and has not entered into any derivative contracts to manage this risk. During the year ended December 31, 2020, the weighted average effective interest rate paid by the Company on its outstanding borrowings was 2.03% (2019 – 4.07%).

During the years ended December 31, 2020 and December 31, 2019, a fluctuation in interest rates of 100 basis points (one percent) would have impacted the amount of interest expensed by approximately \$6 million and \$11 million, respectively. Depending upon the amount of the Company's outstanding borrowings, fluctuations in the interest rates applicable to the Company could have a material adverse effect on the Company's business, financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

Dividend Policy

The declaration, timing, amount and payment of dividends are at the discretion of the Board of Directors and will depend upon the Company's future earnings, cash flows, acquisition capital requirements and financial condition, and other relevant factors. There can be no assurance that the Company will continue to declare a dividend on a quarterly, annual or other basis.

Dependence Upon Key Management Personnel

The Company and its subsidiaries have an aggregate of 40 employees, and are therefore dependent upon the services of a small number of employees. The Company is also dependent on the services of a small number of key executives who are highly skilled and experienced. The loss of these persons or the Company's inability to attract and retain additional highly skilled employees, including executives, may adversely affect its business and future operations.

Activist Shareholders

Publicly-traded companies are often subject to demands or publicity campaigns from activist shareholders advocating for changes to corporate governance practices, such as executive compensation practices, social issues, or for certain corporate actions or reorganizations. There can be no assurance that the Company will not be subject to any such campaign, including proxy contests, media campaigns or other activities. Responding to challenges from activist shareholders can be costly and time consuming and may have an adverse effect on the Company's reputation. In addition, responding to such campaigns would likely divert the attention and resources of the Company's management and Board of Directors, which could have an adverse effect on the Company's business and results of operations. Even if the Company were to undertake changes or actions in response to activism, activist shareholders may continue to promote or attempt to effect further changes, and may attempt to acquire control of the Company. If shareholder activists are ultimately elected to the Board of Directors, this could adversely affect the Company's business and future operations. This type of activism can also create uncertainty about the Company's future strategic direction, resulting in loss of future business opportunities, which could adversely affect the Company's business, future operations, profitability and the Company's ability to attract and retain qualified personnel.

Reputation Damage

Reputational damage can be the result of the actual or perceived occurrence of any number of events, and could include any negative publicity, whether true or not. While the Company does not ultimately have direct control over how it is perceived by others, reputational loss could have a material adverse effect on the Company's financial performance, financial condition, cash flows and growth prospects.

Impact on Securities Due to Industry Analysts

Both the market price and trading price of the Common Shares may depend on the opinions of the securities analysts who monitor the operations of the Company and publish research reports on the Company's future performance. The Company does not have control over such analysts, who may downgrade their recommended prices for the Common Shares at any time, issues opinion which are not in line with the Board of Director's view or not even cover the Company in their publications and reports. Such actions by analysts could have an adverse impact on the trading volume and price of the Common Shares.

Unknown Defects and Impairments

A defect in a streaming transaction and/or a PMPA may arise to defeat or impair the claim of the Company to such streaming transaction, which may have a material adverse effect on the Company. It is possible that material changes could occur that may adversely affect management's estimate of the recoverable amount for any PMPA. Any impairment estimates, which are based on applicable key assumptions and sensitivity analysis, are based on management's best knowledge of the amounts, events or actions at such time, and the actual future outcomes may differ from any estimates that are provided by the Company. Any impairment charges on the Company's carrying value of the PMPAs could have a material adverse effect on the Company.

Information Systems and Cyber Security

Wheaton's information systems, and those of its counterparties under the PMPAs, third-party service providers and vendors, are vulnerable to an increasing threat of continually evolving information systems and cyber security risks. Unauthorized parties may attempt to gain access to these systems or the Company's information through fraud or other means of deceiving the Company's counterparties under its PMPAs, third-party service providers or vendors.

Wheaton's operations depend, in part, on how well Wheaton and its suppliers, as well as counterparties under the PMPAs, protect networks, equipment, information technology ("IT") systems and software against damage from a number of threats. Wheaton has entered into agreements with third parties for hardware, software, telecommunications and other services in connection with its operations. The Company's operations and Mining Operations also depend on the timely maintenance, upgrade and replacement of networks, equipment, IT systems, applications and software, as well as pre-emptive expenses to mitigate the risks of failures. Any of these and other events could result in information system failures, delays and/or increases in capital and remediation expenditures. The failure of information systems or a component of information systems could, depending on the nature of any such failure, adversely impact the Company's reputation and results of operations.

Although to date the Company has not experienced any known material losses relating to cyber attacks or other data/information security breaches, there can be no assurance that Wheaton will not incur such losses in the future. The Company's risk and exposure to these matters cannot be fully mitigated because of, among other things, the evolving nature of these threats. As a result, cyber security and the continued development and enhancement of controls, processes and practices designed to protect systems, computers, software, data and networks from attack, damage or unauthorized access remain a priority.

Any future significant compromise or breach of the Company's data / information security, whether external or internal, or misuse of data or information, could result in additional significant costs, lost sales, fines and lawsuits, unauthorized transactions, inappropriate disclosures, and damage to the Company's reputation. In addition, as the regulatory environment related to data/information security, data collection and use, and privacy becomes increasingly rigorous, with new and constantly changing requirements applicable to Wheaton's business and counterparties to the PMPAs, compliance with those requirements could also result in additional costs. As cyber threats continue to evolve, the Company or its counterparties may be required to expend additional resources to continue to modify or enhance protective measures or to investigate and remediate any security vulnerabilities.

Adequacy of Internal Control over Financial Reporting

The Company documented and tested its internal control procedures during its most recent fiscal year in order to satisfy the requirements of Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act ("SOX"). SOX requires an annual assessment by management of the effectiveness of the Company's internal control over financial reporting and an attestation report by the Company's independent auditors addressing this assessment. The Company may fail to achieve and maintain the adequacy of its internal control over financial reporting as such standards are modified, supplemented, or amended from time to time, and the Company may not be able to ensure that it can conclude on an ongoing basis that it has effective internal controls over financial reporting in accordance with Section 404 of SOX. The Company's failure to satisfy the requirements of Section 404 of SOX on an ongoing, timely basis could result in the loss of investor confidence in the reliability of its financial statements, which in turn could harm the Company's business and negatively impact the trading price of the Common Shares or market value of its other securities. In addition, any failure to implement required new or improved controls, or difficulties encountered in their implementation, could harm the Company's operating results or cause it to fail to meet its reporting obligations. There can be no assurance that the Company will be able to remediate material weaknesses, if any, identified in

future periods, or maintain all of the controls necessary for continued compliance, and there can be no assurance that the Company will be able to retain sufficient skilled finance and accounting personnel. Future acquisitions of companies, if any, may provide the Company with challenges in implementing the required processes, procedures and controls in its acquired operations. Future acquired companies, if any, may not have disclosure controls and procedures or internal control over financing reporting that are as thorough or effective as those required by securities laws currently applicable to the Company.

No evaluation can provide complete assurance that the Company's internal control over financial reporting will detect or uncover all failures of persons within the Company to disclose material information otherwise required to be reported. The effectiveness of the Company's internal controls and procedures could also be limited by simple errors or faulty judgments. In addition, as the Company continues to expand, the challenges involved in implementing appropriate internal controls over financial reporting will increase and will require that the Company continue to improve its internal controls over financial reporting. The Company cannot be certain that it will be successful in complying with Section 404 of SOX and a failure to comply with such requirements could damage the Company's reputation in the market and adversely affect its business and financial condition.

Risks Relating to the Mining Operations

Commodity Price Fluctuations

The price of metals has fluctuated widely in recent years, and future serious price declines could cause continued development of and commercial production from the Mining Operations to be impracticable. Depending on the price of other metals produced from the mines which generate cash flow to the owners, cash flow from the Mining Operations may not be sufficient and such owners could be forced to discontinue production and may lose their interest in, or may be forced to sell, some of their properties. Future production from the Mining Operations is dependent on metal prices that are adequate to make these properties economic.

In addition to adversely affecting the reserve estimates and financial conditions, declining commodity prices can impact operations by requiring a reassessment of the feasibility of a particular project. Such a reassessment may be the result of a management decision or may be required under financing arrangements related to a particular project. Even if the project is ultimately determined to be economically viable, the need to conduct such a reassessment may cause substantial delays or may interrupt operations until the reassessment can be completed.

Impact of Epidemics

See "*Risk Factors – Risks Relating to the Company – Impact of Epidemics*" for risks relating to emerging infectious diseases or the threat of outbreaks of viruses or other contagions or epidemic diseases (including the novel COVID-19 virus pandemic) at the Mining Operations.

Mineral Reserve and Mineral Resource Estimates

The reported mineral reserves and mineral resources for the Mining Operations are only estimates. No assurance can be given that the estimated mineral reserves and mineral resources will be recovered or that they will be recovered at the rates estimated. Mineral reserve and mineral resource estimates are based on limited sampling and geological interpretation, and, consequently, are uncertain. Mineral reserve and mineral resource estimates may require revision (either up or down) based on actual production experience. Market fluctuations in the price of metals, as well as increased production costs, short-term operating factors or reduced recovery rates, may render certain mineral reserves and mineral resources uneconomic and may ultimately result in a restatement of estimated mineral reserves and/or mineral resources. For example, the Mining Operations may base their estimates of mineral reserves and/or mineral resources on commodity prices that may be higher than spot commodity prices. The economic viability of a mineral deposit may also be impacted by other attributes of a particular deposit, including, but not limited to, size, grade and proximity to infrastructure, governmental regulations and policy relating to price, taxes, duties, land tenure, land use permitting, the import and export of minerals and environmental protection, by political and economic stability and by a social license to operate in a particular jurisdiction. Any of these factors may require operators of Mining Operations to reduce their mineral reserves and mineral resources, which may result in a material and adverse effect on the Company's profitability, results of operations, financial condition and the trading price of the Company's securities.

Mineral resources that are not mineral reserves do not have demonstrated economic viability. Due to the uncertainty of inferred mineral resources, there is no assurance that inferred mineral resources will be upgraded to proven and probable mineral reserves as a result of continued exploration. It should not be assumed that any part or all of the mineral resources on

properties underlying the Company's streaming transactions constitute or will be converted into mineral reserves. See "*Technical Information – Cautionary Note to United States Investors Regarding Presentation of Mineral Reserve and Mineral Resource Estimates.*"

Production Forecasts

The Company prepares estimates and forecasts of future attributable production from the Mining Operations and relies on public disclosure and other information it receives from the owners, operators and independent experts of the Mining Operations to prepare such estimates. Such information is necessarily imprecise because it depends upon the judgment of the individuals who operate the Mining Operations as well as those who review and assess the geological and engineering information. These production estimates and projections are based on existing mine plans and other assumptions with respect to the Mining Operations which change from time to time, and over which the Company has no control, including the availability, accessibility, sufficiency and quality of ore, the costs of production, the operators' ability to sustain and increase production levels, the sufficiency of infrastructure, the performance of personnel and equipment, the ability to maintain and obtain mining interests and permits and compliance with existing and future laws and regulations. Any such information is forward-looking and no assurance can be given that such production estimates and projections will be achieved. Actual attributable production may vary from the Company's estimates for a variety of reasons, including: actual ore mined varying from estimates of grade, tonnage, dilution and metallurgical and other characteristics; actual ore mined being less amenable than expected to mining or treatment; short-term operating factors relating to the ore reserves, such as the need for sequential development of orebodies and the processing of new or different ore grades; delays in the commencement of production and ramp up at new mines; revisions to mine plans; unusual or unexpected orebody formations; risks and hazards associated with the Mining Operations, including but not limited to cave-ins, rock falls, rock bursts, pit wall failures, seismic activity, weather related complications, fires or flooding or as a result of other operational problems such as production drilling challenges, power failures or a failure of a key production component such as a hoist, an autoclave, a filter press or a grinding mill; and unexpected labour shortages, strikes, local community opposition or blockades. Occurrences of this nature and other accidents, adverse conditions or operational problems in future years may result in the Company's failure to achieve the production forecasts currently anticipated. If the Company's production forecasts prove to be incorrect, it may have a material adverse effect on the Company.

Governmental Regulations

The Mining Operations are subject to extensive laws and regulations governing exploration, development, production, exports, taxes, labour standards, waste disposal, protection and remediation of the environment, reclamation, historic and cultural resources preservation, mine safety and occupational health, handling, storage and transportation of hazardous substances and other matters. The costs of discovering, evaluating, planning, designing, developing, constructing, operating and closing the Mining Operations in compliance with such laws and regulations are significant. It is possible that the costs and delays associated with compliance with such laws and regulations could become such that the owners or operators of the Mining Operations would not proceed with the development of or continue to operate a mine. Moreover, it is possible that future regulatory developments, such as increasingly strict environmental protection laws, regulations and enforcement policies thereunder, and claims for damages to property and persons resulting from the Mining Operations could result in substantial costs and liabilities for the owners or operators of the Mining Operations in the future such that they would not proceed with the development of, or continue to operate, a mine or mines which may impact on the amount of precious metals or cobalt that the Company may receive under the terms of its relevant PMPAs and which could have a material adverse effect on the Company's business and financial position.

With respect to the Argentinean federal glacier protection law and other environmental matters relating to the Pascua-Lama project, see "*Description of the Business – Principal Product – Pascua-Lama Project*". See also "*Description of the Business – Principal Product – Peñasquito Mine*".

International Operations

The Mining Operations are all exposed to various levels of political, economic and other risks and uncertainties due to their location as follows:

Canada:	Keno Hill project, Minto mine, 777 mine, Sudbury mine, Kutcho project, Voisey's Bay project
United States:	Rosemont project, Stillwater mines
Mexico:	San Dimas mine, Los Filos mine, Peñasquito mine, Cozamin mine
Peru:	Yauliyacu mine, Constancia mine, Antamina mine, Cotabambas project

Brazil:	Salobo mine
Argentina:	Pascua-Lama project, Loma de La Plata project
Chile:	Pascua-Lama project
Guyana:	Toroparu project
Colombia:	Marmato mine
Portugal:	Neves-Corvo mine, Aljustrel mine
Greece:	Stratoni mine
Sweden:	Zinkgruvan mine

These risks and uncertainties include, but are not limited to, terrorism, outbreak of disease or epidemics, hostage taking, military repression, crime, political instability, currency controls, extreme fluctuations in currency exchange rates, high rates of inflation, labour unrest, the risks of war or civil unrest, expropriation and nationalization, renegotiation or nullification of existing concessions, licenses, permits, approvals and contracts, illegal mining, changes in taxation and mining laws, regulations and policies, restrictions on foreign exchange and repatriation, and changing political conditions and governmental regulations relating to foreign investment and the mining business. Colombia, Mexico, Argentina, Peru and Greece are countries that have experienced political, social and economic unrest in the past and protestors have from time to time targeted foreign mining firms.

Changes, if any, in mining or investment policies or shifts in political attitude may adversely affect the operations or profitability of the Mining Operations in these countries. Operations may be affected in varying degrees by government regulations with respect to, but not limited to, restrictions on production, price controls, export controls, currency remittance, income taxes, expropriation of property, foreign investment, maintenance of claims, environmental legislation, land use, land claims of local people, water use, mine safety and the rewarding of contracts to local contractors or requiring foreign contractors to employ citizens of, or purchase supplies from, a particular jurisdiction. Failure to comply strictly with applicable laws, regulations and local practices relating to mineral right applications and tenure, could result in additional taxes, costs, fines, penalties or other expenses being levied on the Mining Operations, as well as other potential adverse consequences such as economic impacts on the Mining Operations, loss, reduction or expropriation of entitlements, or the imposition of additional local or foreign parties as joint venture partners with carried or other interests.

For example, in February 2016, Primero (the then owner of the San Dimas mine) announced that its Mexican subsidiary, PEM, received a legal claim from the Mexican tax authorities, SAT, seeking to nullify the APA. As disclosed by First Majestic in its MD&A for the period ended December 31, 2020, if the SAT is successful in retroactively nullifying the APA and issuing reassessments, it would likely have a material adverse effect on First Majestic's results of operations, financial condition and cash flows. First Majestic states that they continue to believe PEM's filings were appropriate and continue to believe its tax filing position based upon the APA is correct. However, they note that should PEM ultimately be required to pay tax on its silver revenues based on market prices without any mitigating adjustments, the incremental income tax for the years 2010-2018 would be approximately \$219.2 million, before interest or penalties. In the event that First Majestic (i) is unable to defend the validity of the APA, (ii) is unable to pay taxes in Mexico based on realized silver prices, and/or (iii) the SAT proceedings or actions otherwise have an adverse impact on the business, financial condition or results of operations of First Majestic, then, in Wheaton's opinion (i) First Majestic may be unable to deliver some or all of the silver ounces due under the San Dimas PMPA; (ii) First Majestic may otherwise default in its obligations under the San Dimas PMPA; or (iii) First Majestic may cease operations at San Dimas if it is uneconomic to continue to operate the mine. As a result, any of these or other adverse financial or operational consequences on First Majestic may also have a material adverse effect on Wheaton's business, financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

See also "*Risks Relating to the Company – Security Over Underlying Assets*" and "*Risks Relating to the Company – Counterparty Credit and Liquidity Risk*".

The occurrence of these various factors and uncertainties cannot be accurately predicted and could have an adverse effect on the Mining Operations or on the ability of the companies with which the Company has PMPAs to perform their obligations under those PMPAs.

Exploration, Development, Operating, Expansions and Improvements Risks

Mining operations generally involve a high degree of risk. The Mining Operations are subject to all the hazards and risks normally encountered in the exploration, development and production of metals, including unusual and unexpected geologic formations, seismic activity, rock bursts, cave-ins, flooding, environmental hazards and the discharge of toxic chemicals, explosions and other conditions involved in the drilling, blasting and removal of material, any of which could

result in damage to, or destruction of mines and other producing facilities, damage to property, injury or loss of life, environmental damage, work stoppages, delays in production, increased production costs and possible legal liability. Milling operations, waste rock dumps and tailings impoundments are subject to hazards such as equipment failure, or breaches in or the failure of retaining dams around tailings disposal areas and may be subject to ground movements or deteriorating ground conditions, or extraordinary weather events that may result in structure instability, or impoundment overflow, requiring that deposition activities be suspended. The tailings storage facility infrastructure, including pipelines, pumps, liners, etc. may fail or rupture. Should any of these risks or hazards affect a Mining Operation, it may (i) result in an environmental release or environmental pollution and liability; (ii) cause the cost of development or production to increase to a point where it would no longer be economic to produce, (iii) result in a write down or write-off of the carrying value of one or more projects, (iv) cause extended interruption to the business, including delays or stoppage of mining or processing, (v) result in the destruction of properties, processing facilities or third party facilities necessary to the Mining Operations, (vi) cause personal injury or death and related legal liability, (vii) result in regulatory fines and penalties, revocation or suspension of permits or licenses; (viii) result in the loss of insurance coverage; or (ix) result in the loss of a social license to operate. The occurrence of any of above-mentioned risks or hazards could result in an interruption or suspension of operation of the Mining Operations and have a material adverse effect on the Company and the trading price of the Company's securities as well as the Company's reputation.

While the Brumadinho Incident did not occur at any mine that is the subject of the Company's PMPAs, the long term consequences of the Brumadinho Incident may have an impact on the Company's business, financial condition and results of operations. See "*Description of the Business – Principal Product – Salobo Mine – Operational Update Relative to Vale*" for disclosure regarding the Brumadinho Incident. See also "*Risks Relating to the Company – Counterparty Credit and Liquidity Risk*", "*Risks Relating to the Company – Security Over Underlying Assets*", "*Risks Relating to the Company – Indebtedness and Guarantees Risk*", "*Risks Relating to the Company – Mine Operator Concentration Risk*" and "*Risks Relating to the Mining Operations – International Operations*".

The Mining Operations are limited to the area of interest as set out in each PMPA and as a result, to the extent that there is exploration, development, expansions or improvements which extend outside of the particular area of interest of a PMPA, the Company would not participate in the benefit of such exploration, development, expansions or improvements.

The exploration for and development of mineral deposits involves significant risks which even a combination of careful evaluation, experience and knowledge may not eliminate. Few properties which are explored are ultimately developed into producing mines. Major expenditures may be required to locate and establish mineral reserves, to develop metallurgical processes and to construct mining and processing facilities at a particular site. It is impossible to ensure that the exploration or development programs planned by the owners or operators of the Mining Operations will result in a profitable commercial mining operation. Whether a mineral deposit will be commercially viable depends on a number of factors, some of which are: the particular attributes of the deposit, such as size, grade and proximity to infrastructure; metal prices which are highly cyclical; government regulations, including regulations relating to prices, taxes, royalties, land tenure, land use, importing and exporting of minerals and environmental protection; and political stability. The exact effect of these factors cannot be accurately predicted. There can be no assurances that Mining Operations will be established or that the Mining Operations, which are not currently in production, will be brought into a state of commercial production.

While these risks exist for all Mining Operations, these risks are heightened with Early Deposit interests in which the Company invests prior to the production of a final feasibility study. In such a case, there can be no assurances that the Company will be able to secure repayment of any upfront deposit paid to the counterparty under the terms of the precious metals purchase agreement where Mining Operations are not established or not brought into a state of commercial production.

Where precious metal is acquired from the mine operator in concentrate form, generally the risk of loss of such precious metal remains with the mine operator until it is acquired by third-party smelters or traders. However, delivery of such concentrates by a mine operator to such third-party smelters or traders is subject to a high level of environmental and financial risks, including delays in delivery of shipments, road blocks, political unrest, outbreak of disease or epidemics, terrorism, theft, weather conditions and environmental liabilities in the event of an accident or a spill. The occurrence of any of above-mentioned risks or hazards could result in an interruption or suspension of delivery of concentrate to third-party smelters or traders and have a material adverse effect on the Company and the trading price of the Company's securities.

Environmental Regulation and Climate Change

All phases of mining and exploration operations are subject to governmental regulation including environmental regulation. Environmental legislation is becoming stricter, with increased fines and penalties for non-compliance, more stringent environmental assessments of proposed projects and heightened responsibility for companies and their officers, directors and employees. Continuing issues with tailings dam failures at other companies' operations may increase the likelihood that these stricter standards and enforcement mechanisms will be implemented in the future. There can be no assurance that possible future changes in environmental regulation will not adversely affect the Mining Operations, and consequently, the results of Wheaton's operations. Failure by the operators of the Mining Operations to comply with these laws, regulations and permitting requirements may result in enforcement actions, including orders issued by regulatory or judicial authorities causing operations to cease or be curtailed, and may include corrective measures requiring capital expenditures, installation of additional equipment, or remedial actions. Parties engaged in Mining Operations or in the exploration or development of mineral properties may also be required to compensate those suffering loss or damage by reason of the mining activities and may have civil or criminal fines or penalties imposed for violations of applicable laws or regulations. The occurrence of any environmental violation or enforcement action may have an adverse impact on the Mining Operations, Wheaton's reputation and could adversely affect Wheaton's results of operations. As well, environmental hazards may exist on a property in which the owners or operators of the Mining Operations hold an interest which were caused by previous or existing owners or operators of the properties and of which such owners or operators are not aware at present and which could impair the commercial success, levels of production and continued feasibility and project development and mining operations on these properties.

Wheaton acknowledges international and community concerns around climate change. Wheaton supports initiatives consistent with international initiatives on climate change. Wheaton also acknowledges the increase in the introduction of climate change legislation and treaties at the international, national, state/provincial and local levels. Government regulation relating to emission levels (such as carbon taxes) and energy efficiency is becoming more prevalent and stringent. While some of the costs associated with reducing emissions may be offset by increased energy efficiency and technological innovation, Wheaton expects that increased government regulation will result in increased costs at some Mining Operations if the current regulatory trend continues.

All of Wheaton's PMPAs are exposed to climate-related risks through the Mining Operations. Climate change could result in challenging conditions and extreme weather that may adversely affect the Mining Operations and there can be no assurances that Mining Operations will be able to predict, respond to, measure, monitor or manage the risks posed as a result of climate change factors. Climate-related risks could also result in shifts in demand for certain commodities, including precious metals and cobalt. While Wheaton will consider certain environmental and climate factors in its decision to proceed with a streaming transaction, Wheaton may not be able to accurately predict which Mining Operations will be subject to climate-related risks or the quantum of such risks. Wheaton's own operations are exposed to climate-related risks as a result of geographical location. Wheaton has sought to reduce its environmental footprint and located its operations in appropriate facilities, however Wheaton's operations may be adversely affected by climate change factors, including extreme weather.

Licenses, Permits, Approvals and Rulings

The Mining Operations are subject to receiving and maintaining licenses, permits, approvals and rulings from appropriate governmental authorities. Changes in laws and regulations or in the granting or renewal of licenses, permits, approvals and rulings could have a material adverse effect on the revenue the Company derives from the Mining Operations. There can be no assurance that such licenses, permits, approvals or rulings will continue to be obtained, that delays will not occur in connection with obtaining all necessary renewals of such licenses, permits, approvals or rulings for the existing operations, or that additional licenses, permits, approvals or rulings for any possible future changes to operations or additional permits associated with new legislation will be obtained. Prior to any development on any of these properties, licenses and permits from appropriate governmental authorities may be required. Such licenses and permits are subject to change and legal challenge in various circumstances and are required to be kept in good standing through a variety of means, including cash payments and satisfaction of conditions of issue. Such licenses and permits are subject to expiration, relinquishment and/or termination without notice to, control of or recourse by the Company. There can be no assurance that the owners or operators of the Mining Operations will continue to hold all licenses and permits necessary to develop or continue operating at any particular property or successfully respond to any legal challenge to any such licenses or permits. Any failure to comply with applicable laws and regulations, permits and licenses, or to maintain permits and licenses in good standing, even if inadvertent, could result in interruption or closure of exploration, development or mining operations or fines, penalties or other liabilities accruing to the owner or operator of the Mining Operations. Any such occurrence could substantially decrease production or cause the termination of operations on the property and have a material adverse effect on the Company and the trading price of the Company's securities.

See "*Permitting, Construction, Development and Expansion Risk*" for additional permitting risks associated with development projects.

Permitting, Construction, Development and Expansion Risk

The Salobo mine, the Keno Hill mines, the Voisey's Bay mine, the Pascua-Lama project, the Loma de La Plata project, the Rosemont project, the Constancia mine, the Toroparu project, the Kutcho project, the Cotabambas project and the Marmato mine are currently in various stages of permitting, construction, development and expansion. Construction, development and expansion of such projects is subject to numerous risks, including, but not limited to, delays in obtaining equipment, material and services essential to completing construction of such projects in a timely manner; delays or inability to obtain all required permits; changes in environmental or other government regulations; currency exchange rates; labour shortages; and fluctuation in metal prices. There can be no assurance that the operators of such projects will have the financial, technical and operational resources to complete the permitting, construction, development and expansion of such projects in accordance with current expectations or at all. In the event that such permitting, construction, development and expansion of such projects cannot be completed, this could impact on the amount of precious metals or cobalt that the Company may receive under the terms of its relevant PMPAs which could have a material adverse effect on the Company's business, financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

See "*Description of the Business – Principal Product – Salobo Mine*", "*Description of the Business – Principal Product – Constancia Mine*" and "*Description of the Business – Principal Product – Peñasquito Mine*".

Land Title and Indigenous Peoples

A defect in the chain of title to any of the properties underlying the Mining Operations or necessary for the anticipated development or operation of a particular project to which an interest relates may arise to defeat or impair the claim of the operator to a property. In addition, claims by third parties or aboriginal groups in Canada and elsewhere may impact on the operator's ability to conduct activities on a Mining Operation to the detriment of the Company's interests. No assurances can be given that there are no title defects affecting the properties and mineral claims owned or used by the Mining Operations. Such properties and claims may be subject to prior unregistered liens, agreements, transfers or claims, including native land claims, and title may be affected by, among other things, undetected defects. To the extent an owner or operator does not have title to the property, it may be required to cease operations or transfer operational control to another party. In addition, the operators of such operations may be unable to operate them as permitted or to enforce their rights with respect to their properties and claims which may ultimately impair the ability of these operators to fulfill their obligations under the PMPAs.

Various international and national, state and provincial laws, codes, regulations, resolutions, conventions, guidelines, treaties, and other materials relate to the rights of indigenous peoples. Some of the Mining Operations are located

in areas presently or previously inhabited or used by indigenous peoples. Many of these laws impose obligations on government to respect the rights of indigenous people. Some mandate that government consult with indigenous people regarding government actions which may affect indigenous people, including actions to approve or grant mining rights or permits. The obligations of government and private parties under the various international and national laws pertaining to indigenous people continue to evolve and be defined and their impact may be uncertain. One or more groups of indigenous people may oppose continued operation, further development, or new development of the Mining Operations. Such opposition may be directed through legal or administrative proceedings or protests, roadblocks or other forms of public expression against the activities at the Mining Operations. Opposition by indigenous people to such activities may require modification of or preclude operation or development of projects or may require the entering into of agreements with indigenous people. Claims and protests of indigenous peoples may disrupt or delay activities of the operators of the Mining Operations and therefore may impact on the amount of precious metals and cobalt that the Company may receive under the terms of its relevant PMPAs which could have a material adverse effect on the Company's business, financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

San Dimas Ejidos – First Majestic has noted that three of the properties included in the San Dimas mine are subject to legal proceedings commenced by Ejidos seeking title to the property. First Majestic has indicated that the proceedings were initiated against defendants who were previous owners of the properties, either deceased individuals who, according to certain public deeds, owned the properties more than 80 years ago, corporate entities that are no longer in existence, or Goldcorp companies. Some of the proceedings also name the Tayolita Property Public Registry as co-defendant. First Majestic has indicated that in 2015, two of the legal proceedings were decided in favour of the Ejidos, resulting in First Majestic gaining standing rights as an affected third party. First Majestic has disclosed that it obtained injunctions to suspend any legal effect of the decision while it proceeds with a legal process to nullify the Ejidos' claim by submitting evidence of First Majestic's legal title. First Majestic has indicated that in February 2017 and April 2017 that two of the two legal processes to nullify the Ejidos' claim was decided in favour of First Majestic were confirmed on appeal but remain subject to a final appeal. First Majestic has indicated that the third legal proceeding commenced by the Ejidos has not been decided and First Majestic remains without standing to participate therein because it was not named as a party. In the event a final decision is rendered in favour of the Ejido in that proceeding, First Majestic has indicated that it will seek to annul such decision by defending its position as the legitimate owner. First Majestic has indicated that an additional administrative procedure was initiated before the Federal government by the Ejido San Dimas requesting the purchase of land which is the subject of the Guamuchil Suit for designation as "National Land". First Majestic has submitted evidence of ownership which it believes invalidates the Ejido San Dimas request. Conclusion of this procedure remains outstanding. First Majestic has indicated that the San Dimas mine could face higher costs associated with agreed or mandated payments that would be payable to the Ejidos for use of the properties. However, where such matters impact the viability of the mine, the Company would not be entitled to receive any precious metals under the San Dimas PMPA as First Majestic would no longer have the right to mine that land.

Constancia Consulta Previa Law – As per Hudbay's MD&A for the year ended December 31, 2020, in early January 2021, Hudbay received the final mining permit for the development and operation of Pampacancha. Additionally, in January 2021, Hudbay commenced limited pre-development activities for Pampacancha, including haul road construction and site preparation work. Hudbay indicate that they continue to advance discussions with the remaining land user family at Pampacancha. Pre-stripping activities are expected to commence once the remaining land user agreement has been completed. As per Hudbay's MD&A for the year ended December 31, 2020, in late January 2021, new COVID-19 restrictions were announced by the government of Peru. See "*Risks Relating to the Company – Impact of Epidemics*". Hudbay notes that as a result of these restrictions and the need to complete the remaining land user agreements, Hudbay no longer expects to mine four million tonnes of ore from the Pampacancha deposit by June 30, 2021. Hudbay also notes that if they fail to meet this milestone, they will be required to deliver an additional 8,020 ounces of gold to the Company in equal quarterly installments, commencing September 30, 2021 in accordance with the Constancia PMPA. Hudbay and the Company are currently in discussions about, among other things, alternatives to defer the additional gold deliveries over the Pampacancha mine life.

Salobo Xikrin do Cateté – Vale has reported that associations representing the indigenous community of Xikrin do Cateté brought a public civil action against Vale, the Federal Environmental Agency (IBAMA) and the Federal Indigenous Agency (FUNAI), seeking the suspension of the environmental permitting process of Salobo mine. Vale has reported that the associations contend that FUNAI and IBAMA have failed to conduct the appropriate studies regarding the affected indigenous communities during the environmental permitting process and contends that Vale's operations would be contaminating the water of the Itacaiunas River and consequently that the indigenous groups affected by this mine have not provided the required consent. Vale notes that the plaintiffs also requested a monthly payment of Brazilian Real \$2 million for each association until the defendants conclude the studies. Vale reports that applicable law provides for mandatory

consultation with the indigenous communities located within ten kilometers of the mine, and these indigenous communities are located more than 22 kilometers away from the mine. Vale noted that in October 2017 the court denied plaintiffs' request for an injunction suspending the Salobo mine and that in February 2019, Vale, IBAMA, and the environmental agency Instituto Chico Mendes de Conservacao da Biodiversidade filed a joint answer in court, rebutting the plaintiff's claims, and reaffirming the legality of the environmental permitting process of Salobo mine and the fulfillment of all conditions imposed by relevant authorities. Vale noted that in March 2019, the Federal Prosecution Office presented an opinion for the suspension of the activities in the Salobo mine. A decision by the federal court is pending. In July 2019, the Judge of the Federal Court of Maraba partially granted an injunction requested by the Indigenous Associations, ordering Vale and Salobo to prepare the indigenous component study of the Salobo Mine project, and rejected all other requests filed by the plaintiff, including project shutdown and monthly fund payments. In December 2019, in accordance with the procedure established in the legislation for the preparation of indigenous component studies, Vale presented the curriculum of the professionals who will prepare such study, as well as the work plan for the acknowledgement and approval by FUNAI. A response from FUNAI is pending. Vale announced that the decision held by the Federal Court of Maraba does not affect its operations at the Salobo mine. Vale appealed this decision and announced that it would continue to vigorously contest the action. However, if as a result of these proceedings it is determined that the activities at the Salobo mine should be suspended then the ability of the Company to receive gold under the terms of the Salobo PMPA would be materially impacted which in turn could have a material impact on the Company's financial conditions, results of operations and cash flows.

For additional information regarding these matters, see "*Description of the Business — Principal Product — Peñasquito Mine*", "*Description of the Business — Principal Product — San Dimas Mine*", "*Description of the Business — Principal Product — Constancia Mine*" and "*Description of the Business — Principal Product — Salobo Mine*".

Compliance with Laws

Failure to comply with applicable laws, regulations and permitting requirements may result in enforcement actions thereunder, including orders issued by regulatory or judicial authorities causing operations to cease or be curtailed, and may include corrective measures requiring capital expenditures, installation of additional equipment or remedial actions. Parties engaged in mining operations may be required to compensate those suffering loss or damage by reason of the mining activities and may be liable for civil or criminal fines or penalties imposed for violations of applicable laws or regulations. Amendments to current laws, regulations and permitting requirements, or more stringent application of existing laws, may have a material adverse effect on the owners or operators of the Mining Operations, resulting in increased capital expenditures or production costs, reduced levels of production at producing properties or abandonment or delays in development of properties. If the owners or operators of the Mining Operations do not conduct their activities in accordance with the relevant local laws. The licenses and/or permits held by them in respect of the Mining Operations could be revoked or suspended and this in turn could impact production at the Mining Operations and as a result could have a material adverse effect on the Company's business, financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

Infrastructure and Employees

Natural resource exploration, development and mining activities are dependent on the availability of mining, drilling and related equipment in the particular areas where such activities are conducted. A limited supply of such equipment or access restrictions may affect the availability of such equipment to the owners and operators of the Mining Operations and may delay exploration, development or extraction activities. Certain equipment may not be immediately available, or may require long lead time orders. The lack of availability on acceptable terms or the delay in the availability of any one or more of these items could prevent or delay exploration, development or production at the Mining Operations.

Mining, processing, development and exploration activities depend, to one degree or another, on adequate infrastructure. Reliable roads, bridges, power sources and water supply are important determinants, which affect capital and operating costs. Unusual or infrequent weather phenomena, sabotage, government or other interference in the maintenance or provision of such infrastructure could adversely affect the Mining Operations. There is no assurance that the Mining Operations will be able to secure adequate infrastructure going forward or on reasonable terms.

The ability of the owners and operators of properties to hire and retain geologists and persons with mining expertise is key to those operations. Changes in legislation or otherwise in the relationships of the owners and operators of such properties with their employees may result in strikes, lockouts or other work stoppages. If these factors cause the owners and operators of such properties to decide to cease production at one or more of the properties, such decision could impact on the

amount of precious metals or cobalt that the Company may receive under the terms of the relevant PMPAs which could have a material adverse effect on the Company's business, financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

Need for Additional Mineral Reserves

Because mines have limited lives based primarily on proven and probable mineral reserves, the Mining Operations must continually replace and expand their mineral reserves as their mines produce metals. The life of mine estimates for the Mining Operations may not be correct. The ability of the owners or operators of the Mining Operations to maintain or increase their annual production of precious metals or cobalt will be dependent in significant part on their ability to bring new mines into production and to expand mineral reserves at existing mines. In the event that the future annual production of precious metals or cobalt is reduced due to a deplation of mineral reserves at the Mining Operations and an inability to extend the life of a mine, the Company's future earning potential from any such Mining Operation could also be reduced and as a result could have a material adverse effect on the Company's business, financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

Additional Capital

The mining, processing, development and exploration of the Mining Operations may require substantial additional financing. Failure to obtain sufficient financing may result in delaying or indefinite postponement of exploration, development or production on any or all of the Mining Operations and related properties or even a loss of property interest. There can be no assurance that additional capital or other types of financing will be available if needed or that, if available, will be on satisfactory terms and a failure of the mining operator in obtaining such financing could impact production at the Mining Operations and consequently may impact on the amount of precious metals or cobalt that the Company may receive under the terms of its PMPAs which could have a material adverse effect on the Company's business, financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

Challenging Global Financial Conditions

Global financial conditions have been characterized by increased volatility, with numerous financial institutions having either gone into bankruptcy or having to be rescued by government authorities, as well as a result of the COVID-19 virus pandemic. Global financial conditions could suddenly and rapidly destabilize in response to existing and future events, including the COVID-19 virus pandemic, as government authorities may have limited resources to respond to existing or future crises. Global capital markets have continued to display increased volatility in response to global events, including the COVID-19 virus pandemic. Future crises may be precipitated by any number of causes, including natural disasters, epidemics (such as the COVID-19 virus pandemic), geopolitical instability, changes to energy prices or sovereign defaults. Any sudden or rapid destabilization of global economic conditions could negatively impact the Company's ability, or the ability of the operators of the properties in which the Company holds streams or other interests, to obtain equity or debt financing or make other suitable arrangements to finance their projects. If increased levels of volatility continue or in the event of a rapid destabilization of global economic conditions, including as a result of the COVID-19 virus pandemic, it may result in a material adverse effect on the Company and the trading price of the Company's securities could be adversely affected.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

CIM Standards Definitions

The estimated Mineral Reserves and Mineral Resources for the Mining Operations have been calculated in accordance with the Canadian Institute of Mining, Metallurgy and Petroleum ("CIM") — Definitions adopted by CIM Council on May 10, 2014 (the "CIM Standards") or in accordance with the Australasian Code for Reporting of Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves (the "JORC Code"), the Australian worldwide standards, and were restated in accordance with the requirements of the Canadian Securities Administrators' National Instrument 43-101 *Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects* ("NI 43-101") to comply with the CIM Standards. The following definitions are reproduced from the CIM Standards:

The term "**Mineral Resource**" is a concentration or occurrence of diamonds, natural solid inorganic material, or natural solid fossilized organic material including base and precious metals, coal, and industrial minerals in or on the Earth's crust in such form, grade or quality and quantity that there are reasonable prospects for eventual economic extraction. The location, quantity, grade or quality, continuity and other geological characteristics of a Mineral Resource are known, estimated or interpreted from specific geological evidence and knowledge including sampling. Mineral Resources are sub-divided, in order of increasing geological confidence, into Inferred, Indicated and Measured categories.

The term “**Inferred Mineral Resource**” is that part of a Mineral Resource for which quantity and grade or quality are estimated on the basis of limited geological evidence and sampling. Geological evidence is sufficient to imply but not verify geological and grade or quality continuity. An Inferred Mineral Resource is based on limited information and sampling gathered through appropriate sampling techniques from locations such as outcrops, trenches, pits, workings and drill holes.

The term “**Indicated Mineral Resource**” is that part of a Mineral Resource for which quantity, grade or quality, densities, shape and physical characteristics are estimated with sufficient confidence to allow the application of Modifying Factors in sufficient detail to support mine planning and evaluation of the economic viability of the deposit. Geological evidence is derived from adequately detailed and reliable exploration, sampling and testing and is sufficient to assume geological and grade or quality continuity between points of observation.

The term “**Measured Mineral Resource**” is that part of a Mineral Resource for which quantity, grade or quality, densities, shape and physical characteristics are established with sufficient confidence to allow the application of Modifying Factors to support detailed mine planning and final evaluation of the economic viability of the deposit.

The term “**Modifying Factors**” are considerations used to convert Mineral Resources to Mineral Reserves. These include, but are not restricted to, mining, processing, metallurgical, infrastructure, economic, marketing, legal, environmental, social and governmental factors.

The term “**Mineral Reserve**” is the economically mineable part of a Measured and/or Indicated Mineral Resource. It includes diluting materials and allowances for losses, which may occur when the material is mined or extracted and is defined by studies at Pre-Feasibility or Feasibility level as appropriate that include application of Modifying Factors. Such studies demonstrate that, at the time of reporting, extraction could reasonably be justified. The reference point at which Mineral Reserves are defined, usually the point where the ore is delivered to the processing plant, must be stated. It is important that, in all situations where the reference point is different, such as for a saleable product, a clarifying statement is included to ensure that the reader is fully informed as to what is being reported.

The term “**Probable Mineral Reserve**” is the economically mineable part of an Indicated Mineral Resource and, in some circumstances, a Measured Mineral Resource. The confidence in the Modifying Factors applying to a Probable Mineral Reserve is lower than that applying to a Proven Mineral Reserve.

The term “**Proven Mineral Reserve**” is the economically mineable part of a Measured Mineral Resource. A Proven Mineral Reserve implies a high degree of confidence in the Modifying Factors.

Cautionary Note to United States Investors Regarding Presentation of Mineral Reserve and Mineral Resource Estimates

The SEC has adopted amendments to its disclosure rules to modernize the mineral property disclosure requirements for issuers whose securities are registered with the SEC under the U.S. Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the “Exchange Act”). These amendments became effective February 25, 2019 (the “SEC Modernization Rules”) with compliance required for the first fiscal year beginning on or after January 1, 2021. Under the SEC Modernization Rules, the historical property disclosure requirements for mining registrants included in SEC Industry Guide 7 will be rescinded and replaced with disclosure requirements in subpart 1300 of SEC Regulation S-K. As a result of the adoption of the SEC Modernization Rules, the SEC will recognize estimates of “measured mineral resources”, “indicated mineral resources” and “inferred mineral resources.” Following the transition period, as a foreign private issuer that is eligible to file reports with the SEC pursuant to the multi-jurisdictional disclosure system, the Company is not required to provide disclosure on its mineral properties under the SEC Modernization Rules and will continue to provide disclosure under NI 43-101.

The information contained herein has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the securities laws in effect in Canada, which differ from the requirements of United States securities laws. The terms “mineral reserve”, “proven mineral reserve” and “probable mineral reserve” are Canadian mining terms defined in accordance with Canadian National Instrument 43-101 – Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects (“NI 43-101”) and the Canadian Institute of Mining, Metallurgy and Petroleum (the “CIM”) – CIM Definition Standards on Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves, adopted by the CIM Council, as amended (the “CIM Standards”). In addition, the terms “mineral resource”, “measured mineral resource”, “indicated mineral resource” and “inferred mineral resource” are defined in and required to be disclosed by NI 43-101. Investors are cautioned not to assume that any part or all of the mineral deposits in these categories will ever be converted into reserves. “Inferred mineral resources” have a great amount of uncertainty as to their existence and as to their economic and legal feasibility. It cannot be assumed that all or any part of an inferred mineral resource will ever be upgraded to a higher category. Under Canadian rules, estimates of inferred mineral resources may not form the basis of feasibility or pre-feasibility studies, except in rare cases.

Investors are cautioned not to assume that all or any part of an inferred mineral resource exists or is economically or legally mineable. Mineral resources that are not mineral reserves do not have demonstrated economic viability. Disclosure of “contained ounces” in a resource is permitted disclosure under Canadian regulations. Accordingly, information contained herein that describes Wheaton’s mineral deposits may not be comparable to similar information made public by U.S. companies subject to reporting and disclosure requirements under the United States federal securities laws and the rules and regulations thereunder. United States investors are urged to consider closely the disclosure in Wheaton’s Form 40-F, a copy of which may be obtained from Wheaton or from <http://www.sec.gov/edgar.html>.

In addition, the SEC has amended its definitions of “proven mineral reserves” and “probable mineral reserves” to be “substantially similar” to the corresponding definitions under the CIM Definition Standards that are required under NI 43-101. However, while the above terms are “substantially similar” to CIM Definition Standards, there are differences in the definitions under the SEC Modernization Rules and the CIM Definition Standards. Accordingly, there is no assurance any mineral reserves or mineral resources that the Company may report as “proven mineral reserves”, “probable mineral reserves”, “measured mineral resources”, “indicated mineral resources” and “inferred mineral resources” under NI 43-101 would be the same had the Company prepared the reserve or resource estimates under the standards adopted under the SEC Modernization Rules.

Summary of Mineral Reserves and Mineral Resources

The following tables set forth the estimated Mineral Reserves and Mineral Resources (gold, silver, palladium and/or cobalt) for the mines relating to which the Company has PMPAs, adjusted where applicable to reflect the Company’s percentage entitlement to gold, silver, palladium and/or cobalt produced from such mines, as of December 31, 2020, unless otherwise noted. The tables are based on information available to the Company as of the date of this annual information form, and therefore will not reflect updates, if any, after such date. The most current Mineral Reserves and Mineral Resources will be available on the Company’s website:

Proven & Probable Reserves Attributable to Wheaton Precious Metals ^(1,2,3,8,28)

As of December 31, 2020 unless otherwise noted ⁽⁶⁾	Proven			Probable			Proven & Probable			Process Recovery ⁽⁷⁾ %
	Tonnage Mt	Grade g/t / %	Contained Moz / Mlbs	Tonnage Mt	Grade g/t / %	Contained Moz / Mlbs	Tonnage Mt	Grade g/t / %	Contained Moz / Mlbs	
GOLD										
Salobo (75%) ⁽¹⁰⁾	106.7	0.37	1.27	761.2	0.30	7.32	867.8	0.31	8.59	76%
Stillwater ⁽¹¹⁾	7.9	0.39	0.10	50.3	0.39	0.64	58.2	0.39	0.73	69%
Constancia (50%)	234.5	0.06	0.48	31.8	0.08	0.08	266.3	0.07	0.56	61%
Sudbury (70%) ⁽¹²⁾	10.3	0.43	0.14	13.5	0.46	0.20	23.8	0.45	0.34	75%
San Dimas (25%) ⁽¹³⁾	0.5	4.52	0.07	0.5	3.09	0.05	1.0	3.77	0.12	95%
777 (50%)	0.6	2.23	0.04	0.2	1.86	0.01	0.8	2.13	0.05	58%
Minto	0.4	0.25	0.003	2.0	0.67	0.04	2.4	0.60	0.05	75%
Marmato (6.5%) ^(12,14)	0.1	5.14	0.01	1.2	3.11	0.12	1.3	3.19	0.13	90%
Santo Domingo ^(12,27)	65.4	0.08	0.17	326.9	0.03	0.34	392.3	0.04	0.51	61%
Toroparú (10%) ^(15,16)	3.0	1.10	0.10	9.7	0.98	0.31	12.7	1.00	0.41	89%
Kutcho ^(16,17)	-	-	-	10.4	0.37	0.12	10.4	0.37	0.12	41%
Metates Royalty ⁽¹⁸⁾	1.4	0.70	0.03	4.1	0.45	0.06	5.5	0.52	0.09	91%
TOTAL GOLD		2.42				9.29			11.71	
SILVER										
Peñasquito (25%) ⁽¹⁰⁾	28.0	37.8	34.0	69.0	32.7	72.4	97.0	34.1	106.4	85%
Constancia Antamina (33.75%) ^(12,19)	468.9	3.0	45.1	63.6	3.4	7.0	532.5	3.0	52.0	70%
Copper	46.6	6.8	10.2	32.1	7.9	8.1	78.6	7.2	18.3	71%
Copper-Zinc	23.0	12.8	9.4	27.3	12.9	11.3	50.3	12.9	20.8	71%
Neves-Corvo										
Copper	5.2	31.0	5.2	24.5	30.0	23.6	29.7	30.2	28.8	24%
Zinc	4.7	71.0	10.8	25.4	60.6	49.5	30.1	62.2	60.3	30%
Zinkgruvan										
Zinc	3.4	77.9	8.5	5.4	83.6	14.5	8.8	81.4	23.0	83%
Copper	2.8	30.0	2.7	0.3	33.0	0.3	3.1	30.3	3.0	70%
Yauliyacu ⁽²⁰⁾	1.3	78.9	3.4	6.8	101.1	22.2	8.2	97.4	25.6	83%
Aljustrel ⁽²¹⁾	9.7	47.4	14.8	27.4	46.9	41.4	37.2	47.1	56.2	26%
San Dimas (25%) ⁽¹³⁾	0.5	367.8	5.6	0.5	295.5	5.0	1.0	329.7	10.6	94%
Cozamin (50%) ^(12,22)										
Copper	-	-	-	6.3	44.4	9.0	6.3	44.4	9.0	86%
Zinc	-	-	-	0.7	44.3	1.1	0.7	44.3	1.1	86%
Keno Hill (25%)										
Underground	-	-	-	0.3	804.5	7.6	0.3	804.5	7.6	96%
Los Filos	26.2	3.5	3.0	78.1	10.2	25.5	104.2	8.5	28.5	10%
Stratoni	-	-	-	0.6	148.0	2.7	0.6	148.0	2.7	80%
777	1.1	31.4	1.1	0.4	30.0	0.4	1.5	31.0	1.5	45%
Minto	0.4	3.4	0.0	2.0	6.0	0.4	2.4	5.6	0.4	78%
Marmato ^(12,14)	0.8	22.1	0.6	18.9	6.2	3.8	19.7	6.9	4.4	34%
Rosemont ⁽²³⁾	408.6	5.0	66.2	108.0	3.0	10.4	516.6	4.6	76.7	76%

Kutcho ^(16,17)	-	-	-	9.9	34.6	11.0	9.9	34.6	11.0	46%
Metates Royalty ⁽¹⁸⁾	1.4	17.2	0.8	4.1	13.1	1.7	5.5	14.2	2.5	66%
TOTAL SILVER										
PALLADIUM										
Stillwater (4.5%) ⁽¹¹⁾	0.2	11.2	0.09	1.5	11.2	0.55	1.8	11.2	0.64	90%
TOTAL PALLADIUM										
COBALT										
Voisey's Bay (42.4%) ^(12,24)	5.7	0.12	14.6	6.5	0.12	17.1	12.1	0.12	31.7	84%
TOTAL COBALT										

See Notes Below.

Measured & Indicated Resources Attributable to Wheaton Precious Metals ^(1,2,3,4,5,9,28)

As of December 31, 2020 unless otherwise noted ⁽⁶⁾	Measured			Indicated			Measured & Indicated		
	Tonnage	Grade	Contained	Tonnage	Grade	Contained	Tonnage	Grade	Contained
	Mt	g/t / %	Moz / Mlbs	Mt	g/t / %	Moz / Mlbs	Mt	g/t / %	Moz / Mlbs
GOLD									
Salobo (75%) ⁽¹⁰⁾	3.5	0.27	0.03	294.6	0.31	2.90	298.1	0.31	2.93
Stillwater ⁽¹¹⁾	3.3	0.26	0.03	13.3	0.21	0.09	16.6	0.22	0.12
Constancia (50%)	68.3	0.06	0.12	62.2	0.05	0.10	130.5	0.05	0.22
Sudbury (70%) ⁽¹²⁾	1.3	0.22	0.01	7.1	0.76	0.17	8.3	0.68	0.18
777 (50%)	0.1	2.31	0.004	0.05	1.61	0.002	0.1	2.01	0.01
Minto	3.3	0.40	0.04	9.0	0.57	0.17	12.4	0.53	0.21
Marmato (6.5%) ^(12,14)	0.1	5.30	0.01	1.1	2.62	0.09	1.1	2.81	0.10
Santo Domingo ^(12,27)	1.4	0.05	0.002	120.1	0.03	0.11	121.5	0.03	0.12
Toroparu (10%) ^(15,16)	1.2	0.93	0.03	9.0	0.87	0.25	10.2	0.87	0.29
Cotabambas (25%) ^(16,25)	-	-	-	29.3	0.23	0.22	29.3	0.23	0.22
Kutcho ^(16,17)	-	-	-	5.7	0.55	0.10	5.7	0.55	0.10
Brewery Creek ⁽²⁶⁾	-	-	-	0.4	1.11	0.02	0.4	1.11	0.02
TOTAL GOLD		0.29				4.22			4.50
SILVER									
Peñasquito (25%) ⁽¹⁰⁾	8.7	26.8	7.5	60.5	26.7	52.0	69.2	26.8	59.5
Constancia	136.6	2.3	10.3	124.3	2.2	8.8	260.9	2.3	19.1
Antamina (33.75%) ^(12,19)									
Copper	31.2	7.0	7.0	108.1	9.0	31.3	139.3	8.6	38.3
Copper-Zinc	10.5	21.0	7.1	49.4	19.0	30.2	59.9	19.4	37.3
Neves-Corvo									
Copper	4.8	55.8	8.7	28.7	52.4	48.3	33.5	52.9	57.0
Zinc	6.7	61.9	13.4	35.7	59.0	67.8	42.4	59.5	81.2
Zinkgruvan									
Zinc	3.7	64.6	7.7	11.2	76.3	27.4	14.9	73.4	35.1
Copper	1.2	42.4	1.6	0.2	39.8	0.3	1.4	42.0	1.9
Yauliyacu ⁽²⁰⁾	5.9	101.4	19.2	8.0	121.8	31.2	13.9	113.1	50.4
Aljustrel ⁽²¹⁾	4.3	67.3	9.3	3.9	58.9	7.4	8.2	63.3	16.7
Cozamin (50%) ^(12,22)									
Copper	0.2	53.3	0.3	4.5	36.9	5.3	4.7	37.5	5.6
Zinc	-	-	-	2.2	31.2	2.3	2.2	31.2	2.3
Pascua-Lama (25%)	10.7	57.2	19.7	97.9	52.2	164.4	108.6	52.7	184.1
Keno Hill (25%)									
Underground	-	-	-	0.7	455.8	10.5	0.7	455.8	10.5
Elsa Tailings	-	-	-	0.6	119.0	2.4	0.6	119.0	2.4
Los Filos	88.5	5.3	15.2	133.7	8.1	35.0	222.2	7.0	50.2
Stratoni	-	-	-	0.4	138.5	2.0	0.4	138.5	2.0
777	0.1	39.0	0.2	0.1	30.7	0.1	0.2	35.5	0.2

Minto	3.3	3.4	0.4	9.0	5.0	1.5	12.4	4.6	1.8
Marmato ^(12,14)	0.9	26.5	0.8	12.8	8.1	3.4	13.8	9.4	4.2
Rosemont ⁽²³⁾	112.2	3.9	14.1	358.0	2.7	31.5	470.2	3.0	45.6
Loma de La Plata (12.5%)	-	-	-	3.6	169.0	19.8	3.6	169.0	19.8
Toroparu (50%) ^(15,16)	21.9	1.1	0.8	98.5	0.7	2.3	120.4	0.8	3.1
Cotabambas ^(16,25)	-	-	-	117.1	2.7	10.3	117.1	2.7	10.3
Kutcho ^(16,17)	-	-	-	5.4	25.9	4.5	5.4	25.9	4.5
TOTAL SILVER		143.2			599.8			743.0	
PALLADIUM									
Stillwater (4.5%) ⁽¹¹⁾	0.03	7.1	0.01	0.1	5.1	0.02	0.2	5.5	0.03
TOTAL PALLADIUM		0.01			0.02			0.03	
COBALT									
Voisey's Bay (42.4%) ^(12,24)	1.7	0.04	1.5	-	-	-	1.7	0.04	1.5
TOTAL COBALT		1.5				-			1.5

See Notes Below.

Inferred Resources Attributable to Wheaton Precious Metals
(1,2,3,4,5,9,28)

As of December 31, 2020 unless otherwise noted ⁽⁶⁾	Inferred		
	Tonnage Mt	Grade g/t / %	Contained Moz / Mlbs
GOLD			
Salobo (75%) ⁽¹⁰⁾	198.5	0.22	1.39
Stillwater ⁽¹¹⁾	96.2	0.43	1.32
Constancia (50%)	28.4	0.09	0.08
Sudbury (70%) ⁽¹²⁾	2.9	0.49	0.05
San Dimas (25%) ⁽¹³⁾	1.4	3.63	0.16
Minto	6.1	0.51	0.10
Marmato (6.5%) ^(12,14)	0.9	2.56	0.07
Santo Domingo ^(12,27)	31.8	0.02	0.03
Cotabambas (25%) ^(16,25)	151.3	0.17	0.84
Toroparu (10%) ^(16,17)	12.9	0.76	0.32
Kutcho ^(16,17)	8.8	0.25	0.07
Brewery Creek ⁽²⁶⁾	1.3	0.87	0.04
Metates Royalty ⁽¹⁸⁾	0.3	0.39	0.003
TOTAL GOLD			4.46
SILVER			
Peñasquito (25%) ⁽¹⁰⁾	37.7	26.4	32.0
Constancia	56.7	2.9	5.3
Antamina (33.75%) ^(12,19)			
Copper	219.7	9.0	63.6
Copper-Zinc	104.2	16.0	53.6
Neves-Corvo			
Copper	12.6	33.2	13.5
Zinc	3.7	63.0	7.4
Zinkgruvan			
Zinc	19.0	82.0	50.0
Copper	0.2	35.0	0.3
Yauliyacu ⁽²⁰⁾	13.4	246.9	106.8
Aljustrel ⁽²¹⁾	15.7	46.2	23.3
San Dimas (25%) ⁽¹³⁾	1.4	340.7	15.1
Cozamin (50%) ^(12,22)			
Copper	2.0	40.9	2.6
Zinc	2.6	37.5	3.2
Rosemont ⁽²³⁾	68.7	1.7	3.7
Pascua-Lama (25%)	3.8	17.8	2.2
Keno Hill (25%)			
Underground	0.4	454.6	6.1
Los Filos	98.2	6.1	19.4

Stratoni	1.1	188.0	6.9
Minto	6.1	4.9	1.0
Marmato ^(12,14)	13.1	4.4	1.9
Loma de La Plata (12.5%)	0.2	76.0	0.4
Cotabambas ^(16,25)	605.3	2.3	45.4
Toroparu (50%) ^(15,16)	58.7	0.1	0.1
Kutcho ^(16,17)	8.8	20.6	5.8
Metates Royalty ⁽¹⁸⁾	0.3	9.5	0.1
TOTAL SILVER		469.5	
PALLADIUM			
Stillwater (4.5%) ⁽¹¹⁾	1.0	12.1	0.37
TOTAL PALLADIUM		0.37	
COBALT			
Voisey's Bay (42.4%) ^(12,24)	2.5	0.14	7.6
TOTAL COBALT		7.6	

See Notes Below.

Notes on Mineral Reserves & Mineral Resources:

(1) All Mineral Reserves and Mineral Resources have been estimated in accordance with the 2014 Canadian Institute of Mining, Metallurgy and Petroleum (CIM) Standards for Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves and National Instrument 43-101 – Standards for Disclosure for Mineral Projects (“NI 43-101”), or the 2012 Australasian Joint Ore Reserves Committee (JORC) Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves.

(2) Mineral Reserves and Mineral Resources are reported above in millions of metric tonnes (“Mt”), grams per metric tonne (“g/t”) for gold, silver and palladium, percent (“%”) for cobalt, millions of ounces (“Moz”) for gold, silver and palladium and millions of pounds (“Mlbs”) for cobalt.

(3) Qualified persons (“QPs”), as defined by the NI 43-101, for the technical information contained in this document (including the Mineral Reserve and Mineral Resource estimates) are:

- a. Neil Burns, M.Sc., P.Geo. (Vice President, Technical Services); and
- b. Ryan Ulansky, M.A.Sc., P.Eng. (Vice President, Engineering),
both employees of the Company (the “Company’s QPs”).

(4) The Mineral Resources reported in the above tables are exclusive of Mineral Reserves. The Cozamin mine, San Dimas mine, Minto mine, Neves-Corvo mine, Zinkgruvan mine, Stratoni mine, Stillwater mines, Keno Hill mines, Aljustrel mines, Santo Domingo project and Toroparu project (gold only) report Mineral Resources inclusive of Mineral Reserves. The Company’s QPs have made the exclusive Mineral Resource estimates for these mines based on average mine recoveries and dilution.

(5) Mineral Resources which are not Mineral Reserves do not have demonstrated economic viability.

(6) Other than as detailed below, Mineral Reserves and Mineral Resources are reported as of December 31, 2020 based on information available to the Company as of the date of this document, and therefore will not reflect updates, if any, after such date.

- a. Mineral Resources for Aljustrel’s Feitais mine are reported as of July 2020, Moinho & St João mines as of August 2020 and the Estação project as of July, 2018.
- b. Mineral Resources for the Brewery Creek project are reported as of May 31, 2020.
- c. Mineral Resources for the Cotabambas project are reported as of June 20, 2013.
- d. Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves for the Cozamin mine are reported as of October 31, 2020.
- e. Mineral Resources for Keno Hill’s Elsa Tailings project are reported as of April 22, 2010, Bellekeno mine Indicated Mineral Resources as of September 30, 2013, Mineral Resources for the Lucky Queen, Flame & Moth and Onek mines as of March 29, 2017 and Birmingham mine as of March 28, 2019. Mineral Reserves are reported as of March 28, 2019.
- f. Mineral Resources for the Kutcho project are reported as of September 8, 2020 and Mineral Reserves are reported as of June 15, 2017.
- g. Mineral Resources for the Loma de La Plata project are reported as of May 20, 2009.
- h. Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves for the Los Filos mine are reported as of October 31, 2018.
- i. Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves for the Neves-Corvo and Zinkgruvan mines are reported as of June 30, 2020.
- j. Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves for the Marmato mine are reported as of March 17, 2020.
- k. Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves for the Metates royalty are reported as of April 29, 2016.
- l. Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves for the Minto mine are reported as of December 31, 2018.
- m. Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves for the Rosemont project are reported as of March 30, 2017.
- n. Mineral Resources for the Santo Domingo project are reported as of February 13, 2020 and Mineral Reserves as of November 14, 2018.
- o. Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves for the Stratoni mine are reported as of September 30, 2020.
- p. Mineral Resources for the Toroparu project are reported as of September 20, 2018 and Mineral Reserves are reported as of March 31, 2013.

(7) Process recoveries are the average percentage of gold, silver, palladium or cobalt in a saleable product (doré or concentrate) recovered from mined ore at the applicable site process plants as reported by the operators.

(8) Mineral Reserves are estimated using appropriate process and mine recovery rates, dilution, operating costs and the following commodity prices:

- a. Aljustrel mine – 3.5% zinc cut-off for the Feitais, Moinho and St João mines and 3.0% zinc cut-off for the Estação project.
- b. Antamina mine - \$3.08 per pound copper, \$1.08 per pound zinc, \$8.70 per pound molybdenum and \$17.39 per ounce silver.
- c. Constancia mine - \$1,375 per ounce gold, \$17.00 per ounce silver, \$3.10 per pound copper and \$11.00 per pound molybdenum.
- d. Cozamin mine - NSR cut-offs of \$48.04 per tonne for conventionally backfilled zones for 2020-2022, \$51.12 per tonne for conventionally backfilled zones for 2023 and onward, \$56.51 per tonne for paste backfilled zones of Vein 10 and \$56.12 per tonne for paste backfilled zones of Vein 20, all assuming \$2.75 per pound copper, \$17.00 per ounce silver, \$0.90 per pound lead and \$1.00 per pound zinc.
- e. Keno Hill mines - \$1,300 per ounce gold, \$18.50 per ounce silver, \$1.00 per pound lead and \$1.15 per pound zinc.
- f. Kutcho project – 1.5% copper cut-off for the Main deposit and 1.0% copper cut-off for the Esso deposit, both assuming \$2.75 per pound copper, \$1.10 per pound zinc, \$1,250 per ounce gold and \$17.00 per ounce silver.
- g. Los Filos mine - \$1,200 per ounce gold and \$4.39 per ounce silver.
- h. Marmato mine – 2.23 grams per tonne gold cut-off for the Upper Mine, 1.91 grams per tonne gold cut-off for the Transition Zone and 1.61 grams per tonne gold cut-off for the MDZ, all assuming \$1,400 per ounce gold.
- i. Metates royalty – 0.34 grams per tonne gold equivalent cut-off assuming \$1,200 per ounce gold and \$19.20 per ounce silver.
- j. Minto mine – 1.2% copper cut-off assuming \$300 per ounce gold, \$3.90 per ounce silver and \$2.50 per pound copper.
- k. Neves-Corvo mine – 1.34% copper equivalent cut-off for the copper Mineral Reserves and 5.34% zinc equivalent cut-off for the zinc Mineral Reserves, both assuming \$3.00 per pound copper, \$0.95 per pound lead and \$1.00 per pound zinc.
- l. Peñasquito mine - \$1,200 per ounce gold, \$17.00 per ounce silver, \$0.90 per pound lead and \$1.15 per pound zinc.

- m. Rosemont project - \$6.00 per ton NSR cut-off assuming \$18.00 per ounce silver, \$3.15 per pound copper and \$11.00 per pound molybdenum.
- n. Salobo mine – 0.253% copper equivalent cut-off assuming \$1,290 per ounce gold and \$3.18 per pound copper.
- o. San Dimas mine – \$1,700 per ounce gold and \$17.50 per ounce silver.
- p. Santo Domingo project - variable throughput rates and cut-offs assuming \$3.00 per pound copper, \$1,290 per ounce gold and \$100 per tonne iron.
- q. Stillwater mines - combined platinum and palladium cut-off of 6.8 g/t.
- r. Stratoni mine – \$273.40 per tonne NSR cut-off assuming \$16.00 per ounce silver, \$0.91 per pound lead and \$1.00 per pound zinc.
- s. Sudbury mines - \$1,300 per ounce gold, \$8.16 per pound nickel, \$3.18 per pound copper, \$1,155 per ounce platinum, \$1,093 per ounce palladium and \$22.68 per pound cobalt.
- t. Toroparu project – 0.38 grams per tonne gold cut-off assuming \$1,070 per ounce gold for fresh rock and 0.35 grams per tonne gold cut-off assuming \$970 per ounce gold for saprolite.
- u. Voisey's Bay mines:
 - i. Ovoid and SE Extension – Cdn \$20.56 per tonne cut-off assuming \$6.80 per pound nickel, \$3.08 per pound copper and \$29.48 per pound cobalt.
 - ii. Discovery Hill - \$29.52 per tonne cut-off assuming \$8.16 per pound nickel, \$3.18 per pound copper and \$22.68 per pound cobalt.
 - iii. Reid Brook Division 1 - \$225.00 per tonne cut-off assuming \$6.35 per pound nickel, \$2.90 per pound copper and \$20.41 per pound cobalt.
 - iv. Reid Brook Divisions 2-4 - \$275.00 per tonne cut-off assuming \$9.71 per pound nickel, \$3.40 per pound copper and \$11.52 per pound cobalt. Eastern Deep Mineral Reserves - \$175.00 per tonne cut-off assuming \$6.35 per pound nickel, \$2.90 per pound copper and \$20.41 per pound cobalt.
- v. Yauliyacu mine - \$17.39 per ounce silver, \$3.08 per pound copper, and \$1.08 per pound zinc.
- w. Zinkgruvan mine – 6.1% zinc equivalent cut-off for the zinc Mineral Reserve and 1.4% copper cut-off for the copper Mineral Reserve, both assuming \$3.00 per pound copper and \$0.95 per pound lead and \$1.00 per pound zinc.
- x. 777 mine – \$1,766.67 per ounce gold, \$20.67 per ounce silver, \$2.90 per pound copper and \$1.04 per pound zinc.

(9) Mineral Resources are estimated using appropriate recovery rates and the following commodity prices:

- a. Aljustrel mine – 3.5% zinc cut-off for Feitais, Moinho and St João mines and 3.0% zinc cut-off for the Estação project.
- b. Antamina mine - \$3.30 per pound copper, \$1.18 per pound zinc, \$10.54 per pound molybdenum and \$20.82 per ounce silver.
- c. Brewery Creek project – 0.37 g/t gold cut-off assuming \$1,500 per ounce gold.
- d. Constancia mine – \$1,375 per ounce gold, \$17.00 per ounce silver, \$3.10 per pound copper and \$11.00 per pound molybdenum.
- e. Cotabambas project – 0.2% copper equivalent cut-off assuming \$1,350 per ounce gold, \$23.00 per ounce silver, \$3.20 per pound copper and \$12.50 per pound molybdenum.
- f. Cozamin mine - \$50 per tonne NSR cut-off assuming \$3.25 per pound copper, \$20.00 per ounce silver, \$1.00 per pound lead and \$1.20 per pound zinc.
- g. Keno Hill mines:
 - i. Bellekeno mine – Cdn \$185 per tonne NSR cut-off assuming \$22.50 per ounce silver, \$0.85 per pound lead and \$0.95 per pound zinc.
 - ii. Lucky Queen and Flame & Moth mines – Cdn \$185 per tonne NSR cut-off assuming \$1,300 per ounce gold, \$20.00 per ounce silver, \$0.94 per pound lead and \$1.00 per pound zinc.
 - iii. Onek mine - Cdn \$185 per tonne NSR cut-off assuming \$1,250 per ounce gold, \$20.00 per ounce silver, \$0.90 per pound lead and \$0.95 per pound zinc.
 - iv. Bermingham mine - Cdn \$185 per tonne NSR cut-off assuming \$20.00 per ounce silver, \$0.95 per pound lead, \$1.00 per pound zinc and \$1,300 per ounce gold.
 - v. Elsa Tailings project – 50 grams per tonne silver cut-off assuming \$17.00 per ounce silver and \$1,000 per ounce gold.
- h. Kutcho project – 1.0% copper equivalent cut-off for the Main and Sumac deposits and 0.9% copper equivalent cut-off for Esso, all assuming \$3.25 per pound copper, \$1.25 per pound zinc, \$1,550 per ounce gold and \$20.00 per ounce silver.
- i. Loma de La Plata project – 50 grams per tonne silver equivalent cut-off assuming \$12.50 per ounce silver and \$0.50 per pound lead.
- j. Los Filos mine - \$1,400 per ounce gold and \$4.39 per ounce silver.
- k. Marmato mine – 1.9 grams per tonne gold cut-off for the Upper Mine and 1.3 grams per tonne gold cut-off for the MDZ and Transition Zone, all assuming \$1,500 per ounce gold.
- l. Metates royalty – 0.34 grams per tonne gold equivalent cut-off assuming \$1,200 per ounce gold and \$19.20 per ounce silver.
- m. Minto mine – 0.5% copper cut-off for Open Pit and 1.0% copper cut-off for Underground.
- n. Neves-Corvo mine – 1.0% copper cut-off for the copper Mineral Resource and 4.5% zinc cut-off for the zinc Mineral Resource.
- o. Pascua-Lama project – \$1,500 per ounce gold, \$18.75 per ounce silver and \$3.50 per pound copper.
- p. Peñasquito mine - \$1,400 per ounce gold, \$20.00 per ounce silver, \$1.10 per pound lead and \$1.40 per pound zinc.
- q. Rosemont project – \$5.70 per ton NSR cut-off assuming \$18.00 per ounce silver, \$3.15 per pound copper and \$11.00 per pound molybdenum.
- r. Salobo mine – 0.253% copper equivalent cut-off assuming \$1,290 per ounce gold and \$3.18 per pound copper.

- s. San Dimas mine – \$1,750 per ounce gold and \$18.50 per ounce silver.
- t. Santo Domingo project - 0.125% copper equivalent cut-off assuming \$3.50 per pound copper, \$1,300 per ounce gold and \$99 per tonne iron.
- u. Stillwater mines – geologic boundaries for Inferred Mineral Resources at both the Stillwater mine and East Boulder mine.
- v. Stratoni mine – Geologically constrained to massive sulfide contacts.
- w. Sudbury mines - \$1,300 per ounce gold, \$8.16 per pound nickel, \$3.18 per pound copper, \$1,155 per ounce platinum, \$1,093 per ounce palladium and \$22.68 per pound cobalt.
- x. Toroparu project – 0.30 grams per tonne gold cut-off assuming \$1,350 per ounce gold and \$3.00 per pound copper.
- y. Voisey's Bay mines:
 - i. Reid Brook Divisions 2-4 - \$275.00 per tonne cut-off assuming \$9.71 per pound nickel, \$3.40 per pound copper and \$11.52 per pound cobalt.
 - ii. Discovery Hill - \$29.52 per tonne assuming \$8.16 per pound nickel, \$3.18 per pound copper and \$22.68 per pound cobalt.
- z. Yauliyacu mine – \$20.82 per ounce silver, \$3.30 per pound copper, and \$1.18 per pound zinc.
- aa. Zinkgruvan mine – 4.5% zinc cut-off for the zinc Mineral Resource and 1.0% copper cut-off for the copper Mineral Resource.
- bb. 777 mine – \$1,766.67 per ounce gold, \$20.67 per ounce silver, \$2.90 per pound copper and \$1.04 per pound zinc.

(10) The scientific and technical information in these tables regarding the Peñasquito mine was sourced by the Company from the following filed documents:

- a. Peñasquito – Newmont's December 31, 2020 Resources and Reserves press release (<https://www.newmont.com/investors/news-release/news-details/2021/Newmont-Reports-2020-Mineral-Reserves-of-94-Million-Gold-Ounces-Replacing-80-Percent-of-Depletion/default.aspx>) and
- b. Salobo – The Company has filed a technical report for the Salobo Mine, which is available on SEDAR at www.sedar.com

The Company QP's have approved this partner disclosed scientific and technical information in respect of the Peñasquito mine, as well as, the Company's Mineral Resource and Mineral Reserve estimates for the Salobo mine.

(11) The Stillwater precious metals purchase agreement provides that effective July 1, 2018, Sibanye-Stillwater will deliver 100% of the gold production for the life of the mines and 4.5% of palladium production until 375,000 ounces are delivered, 2.25% of palladium production until a further 175,000 ounces are delivered and 1.0% of the palladium production thereafter for the life of the mines. Attributable palladium Mineral Reserves and Mineral Resources have been calculated based upon the 4.5% / 2.25% / 1.0% production entitlements.

The Stillwater mine has been in operation since 1986 and the East Boulder mine since 2002. Individual grades for platinum, palladium, gold and rhodium are estimated using ratios applied to the combined platinum plus palladium grades based upon average historic production results provided to the Company as of the date of this document. As such, the Attributable Mineral Resource and Mineral Reserve palladium and gold grades for the Stillwater mines have been estimated using the following ratios:

- a. Stillwater mine: $Pd = (Pt + Pd) / (1/3.5 + 1)$ and $Au = (Pd + Pt) \times 0.0238$
- b. East Boulder mine: $Pd = (Pt + Pd) / (1/3.6 + 1)$ and $Au = (Pd + Pt) \times 0.0323$

(12) The Company's attributable Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves for the Antamina silver interest, Cozamin silver interest, Marmato gold and silver interests, Santo Domingo gold interest, Sudbury gold interest and Voisey's Bay cobalt interest have been constrained to the production expected for the various contracts.

(13) Under the terms of the San Dimas PMPA, the Company is entitled to an amount equal to 25% of the payable gold production plus an additional amount of gold equal to 25% of the payable silver production converted to gold at a fixed gold to silver exchange ratio of 70:1 from the San Dimas mine. If the average gold to silver price ratio decreases to less than 50:1 or increases to more than 90:1 for a period of 6 months or more, then the "70" shall be revised to "50" or "90", as the case may be, until such time as the average gold to silver price ratio is between 50:1 to 90:1 for a period of 6 months or more in which event the "70" shall be reinstated.

(14) The Marmato purchase agreement provides that Caldas will deliver 6.5% of the gold production until 190 thousand ounces are delivered and 3.25% of gold production thereafter, as well as 100% of the silver production until 2.15 million ounces are delivered and 50% of silver production thereafter. Attributable reserves and resources have been calculated on the 6.5% / 3.25% basis for gold and 100% / 50% basis for silver.

(15) The Company's agreement with Gold X Mining Corp is an Early Deposit agreement, whereby the Company will be entitled to purchase 10% of the gold production and 50% of the silver production from the Toroparu project for the life of mine.

(16) The Company has the option in the Early Deposit agreements, to terminate the agreement following the delivery of a feasibility study or if feasibility study has not been delivered within a required time frame.

(17) The Company's agreement with Kutcho Copper is an Early Deposit agreement, whereby the Company will be entitled to purchase 100% of the gold and silver production from the Kutcho project until 51,000 ounces of gold and 5.6 million ounces of silver have been delivered, after which both streams will decrease to 66.67% for the remaining life of mine. Attributable reserves and resources have been calculated on the 100% / 66.67% basis.

(18) The Company's agreement with Chesapeake Gold Corp (Chesapeake) is a royalty whereby the Company will be entitled to a 0.5% net smelter return royalty.

(19) The Antamina silver purchase agreement in respect to the Antamina mine (November 3, 2015) provides that Glencore will deliver 33.75% of the silver production until 140 million ounces are delivered and 22.5% of silver production thereafter, for a 50-year term that can be extended in increments of 10 years at the Company's discretion. Attributable reserves and resources have been calculated on the 33.75% / 22.5% basis.

(20) The Yauliyacu mine silver purchase agreement provides that Glencore will deliver to the Company a per annum amount equal to the first 1.5 million ounces of payable silver produced at the Yauliyacu mine and 50% of any excess for the life of the mine.

(21) The Company only has the rights to silver contained in concentrates containing less than 15% copper at the Aljustrel mine.

(22) The Cozamin silver purchase agreement provides that Capstone will deliver 50% of the silver production until 10 million ounces are delivered and 33% thereafter for the life of the mine. Attributable reserves and resources have been calculated on the 50% / 33% basis.

(23) The Rosemont mine Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves do not include the Oxide material.

- (24) The Voisey's Bay cobalt purchase agreement provides that effective January 1, 2021, Vale will deliver 42.4% of the cobalt production until 31 million pounds are delivered to the Company and 21.2% of cobalt production thereafter, for the life of the mine. Attributable reserves and resources have been calculated on the 42.4% / 21.2% basis.
- (25) The Company's agreement with Panoro is an Early Deposit agreement, whereby the Company will be entitled to purchase 100% of the silver production and 25% of the gold production from the Cotabambas project until 90 million silver equivalent ounces have been delivered, at which point the stream will drop to 66.67% of silver production and 16.67% of gold production for the life of mine.
- (26) The Company's agreement with Golden Predator is a royalty, whereby the Company will be entitled to a 2.0% net smelter return royalty for the first 600,000 ounces of gold produced, above which the NSR will increase to 2.75%. Golden Predator has the right to repurchase 0.625% of the increased NSR by paying the Company Cdn\$2.0M. Attributable resources have been calculated on the 2.0% / 2.75% basis.
- (27) The Santo Domingo gold purchase agreement provides that Capstone will deliver 100% of the gold production until 285,000 ounces are delivered and 67% thereafter for the life of the mine. Attributable reserves and resources have been calculated on the 100% / 67% basis.
- (28) Precious metals and cobalt are by-product metals at all of the Mining Operations, other than gold at the Marmato mine, silver at the Keno Hill mines and the Loma de La Plata zone of the Navidad project, gold at the Toroparu project and palladium at the Stillwater mines and therefore, the economic cut off applied to the reporting of precious metals and cobalt reserves and resources will be influenced by changes in the commodity prices of other metals at the mines.

FURTHER DISCLOSURE REGARDING MATERIAL PROPERTIES

PEÑASQUITO MINE, MEXICO

The Peñasquito mine, wholly-owned by Newmont, is an open pit mining operation located in north-central Mexico with two separate process facilities, an oxide ore facility and a plant to process sulfide ore.

The following description of the Peñasquito mine is based on Wheaton's previous disclosure updated with information disclosed in Newmont's Form 10-K filed with the SEC on February 18, 2021. The Company QP's have approved the disclosure of scientific and technical information in respect of the Peñasquito mine in this annual information form.

Property Description, Location and Access

The Peñasquito mine is wholly-owned by Newmont's subsidiary, Minera Peñasquito S.A. de C.V. ("Minera Peñasquito"). Peñasquito is an open pit operation located in the northeast corner of Zacatecas State, Mexico, approximately 125 miles (200 kilometers) northeast of the city of Zacatecas and is accessible by paved roads with a private airport close to the site. The property began production in 2009, with commercial production being achieved in 2010. Goldcorp acquired its ownership in the mine in 2006 when it acquired Glamis Gold Ltd. and Newmont acquired Peñasquito in 2019 in the Newmont Goldcorp transaction. Peñasquito consists of the Peñasco and Chile Colorado open pit mines. In addition, Peñasquito has one processing plant.

Peñasquito is comprised of 24 mining concessions encompassing approximately 119,891 acres (48,518 hectares). Concessions were granted for durations of 50 years, and will expire between 2045 and 2060, and a second 50-year term can be granted if the applicant has abided by all appropriate regulations and makes the application within five years prior to the expiration date. In order to maintain these concessions, Peñasquito must pay periodic mining rights and file annual mining reports.

Surface rights in the vicinity of the Peñasco and Chile Colorado open pits are held by three ejidos: Ejido Cedros, Ejido Mazapil and Ejido Cerro Gordo. Peñasquito has signed land use agreements with each ejidos, valid through 2035 and 2036, and the relevant private owners. In August 2020, Peñasquito and Cedros General Assembly ratified the definitive agreement that was reached on April 22, 2020 and resolved all outstanding disputes between Peñasquito and the San Juan de Cedros community (Cedros). In addition, easements have been granted in association with the La Pardita-Cedros Highway and the El Salero-Peñasquito powerline. All necessary permits have been granted.

Agreements and Royalties

In 2007, the Company acquired 25 percent of the silver produced by the Peñasquito mine over the life of mine for an upfront cash payment of \$485 million and a per ounce cash payment of the lesser of \$3.90 and the prevailing market price (subject to an inflationary adjustment commencing in 2011), for silver delivered under the contract.

A 2% net smelter return royalty is owed to Royal Gold Inc. from both the Chile Colorado and Peñasco locations of the Peñasquito Mine. The Mexican Government, since January 1, 2014, levies a 7.5% mining royalty that is imposed on earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization. There is also a 0.5% environmental erosion fee payable on precious metal production, based on gross revenues. In December 2016, the State of Zacatecas in Mexico approved new environmental taxes that became effective January 1, 2017. Certain operations at the Peñasquito are subject to these taxes.

Environment, Permitting and Socio-Economic

Environmental liabilities are limited to those that would be expected to be associated with a polymetallic mine, where production occurs from open pit sources, and where disturbance includes mining operations, roads, site infrastructure, heap leach, and waste and tailings disposal facilities. A closure and reclamation plan has been prepared for the mine site. Newmont holds the appropriate permits under local, state and federal laws required for mining operations.

Accessibility, Climate, Local Resources, Infrastructure and Physiography

There are two access routes to the site. The first is via a turnoff from Highway 54 onto the State La Pardita road,

then onto the Mazapil to Cedros State road. The second access is via the Salaverna by-pass road from Highway 54 approximately 25 kilometres south of Concepción Del Oro. Within the Peñasquito mine, access is by foot trails and tracks. The closest rail link is 100 kilometres to the west. There is a private airport on site and commercial airports in the cities of Saltillo, Zacatecas and Monterrey. Travel from Monterrey/Saltillo is approximately 150 kilometres, about two hours to site. Travel from Zacatecas is approximately 275 kilometres, about 3.5 hours to site.

There is sufficient suitable land available within the Newmont mineral tenure for tailings disposal, mine waste disposal, and mining-related infrastructure, such as the open pit, process plant, workshops and offices. A skilled labour force is available in the region where the Peñasquito mine is located and in the surrounding mining areas of Mexico. Accommodation comprises a 3,421-bed camp with full dining, laundry and recreational facilities. Fuel and supplies are sourced from nearby regional centres such as Monterrey, Monclova, Saltillo and Zacatecas and imports from the United States via Laredo.

The climate is generally dry with precipitation being limited for the most part to a rainy season in the months of June and July. Annual precipitation for the area is approximately 700 millimetres, most of which falls in the rainy season. The Peñasquito mine area can be affected by tropical storms and hurricanes which can result in short-term high precipitation events. Temperatures range between 20 degrees Celsius and 30 degrees Celsius in the summer and zero degrees Celsius to 15 degrees Celsius in the winter. Mining operations can be conducted year-round.

The Peñasquito mine is situated in a wide valley bounded to the north by the Sierra El Mascarón and the south by the Sierra Las Bocas. Except for one small outcrop, the area is covered by up to 30 metres of alluvium. The terrain is generally flat, rolling hills; vegetation is mostly scrub, with cactus and coarse grasses. The prevailing elevation of the property is approximately 1,900 metres above sea level.

History

The earliest recorded work in the Peñasquito mine consists of excavation of a shallow shaft and completion of two drill holes in the 1950s. Kennecott Canada Explorations Inc. through its Mexican subsidiary, Minera Kennecott S.A. de C.V. (“Kennecott”) acquired initial title to the Peñasquito mine and commenced exploration in 1994. Regional geochemical and geophysical surveys were undertaken in the period 1994 to 1997. This work led to the early discovery of two large mineralized diatreme breccia bodies, the Outcrop (Peñasco) and Azul Breccias.

In 1998, Western Copper Holdings Ltd. (“Western Copper”) acquired a 100% interest in the Peñasquito mine from Kennecott. Exploration efforts were focused on the Chile Colorado zone and the Azul Breccia pipe targets. Western Copper optioned the property to Minera Hochschild S.A. (“Hochschild”) in 2000. Hochschild completed core drilling into the Chile Colorado anomaly, but subsequently returned the property to Western Copper. From 2002 to 2009, Western Copper completed additional core and reverse circulation drill holes and undertook a scoping-level study, a pre-feasibility study, and a feasibility study in 2003, 2004, and 2005 respectively. The feasibility study was updated in 2006. Under the assumptions in the studies, the Peñasquito mine returned positive economics. In 2003, Western Copper underwent a name change to Western Silver Corporation (“Western Silver”). Glamis acquired Western Silver in May 2006, and Goldcorp subsequently acquired the combined company in November 2006.

During 2005, a drill rig was used to perform geotechnical field investigations to support the design of the heap leach facility, waste rock piles, tailings impoundment and process plant. Standard penetration tests were performed. Construction in the Peñasquito mine commenced in 2007. In October 2009, the first lead and zinc concentrates were produced and concentrate shipment to smelters commenced with first sales recorded in November 2009.

Newmont acquired Peñasquito in 2019 in the Newmont Goldcorp transaction.

Geological Setting, Mineralization and Deposit Types

Deposits currently mined within the Peñasquito mine Operations are considered to be examples of breccia pipe deposits developed as a result of intrusion-related hydrothermal activity.

Regional Geology

The regional geology of the operations area is dominated by Mesozoic sedimentary rocks, which are intruded by Tertiary stocks of intermediate composition (granodiorite and quartz monzonite), and overlain by Tertiary terrestrial

sediments and Quaternary alluvium. The Mesozoic sedimentary rocks comprise a 2.5 kilometre thick series of marine sediments deposited during the Jurassic and Cretaceous Periods with a 2,000 metre thick sequence of carbonaceous and calcareous turbiditic siltstones and interbedded sandstones underlain by a 1,500 metre to 2,000 metre thick limestone sequence.

Large granodiorite stocks are interpreted to underlie large portions of the mineralized areas within the Concepción Del Oro District, including Peñasquito. Slightly younger quartz–feldspar porphyries, quartz monzonite porphyries, and other feldspar-phyric intrusions occurring as dikes, sills, and stocks cut the sedimentary units. The intrusions are interpreted to have been emplaced from the late Eocene to mid-Oligocene.

The two diatreme pipes, Peñasco and Brecha Azul, are the principal hosts for gold–silver–zinc–lead mineralization at the Peñasquito mine. The pipes flare upward and are filled with breccia clasts in a milled matrix of similar lithological composition. The larger diatreme, Peñasco, has a diameter of 900 metres by 800 metres immediately beneath surface alluvial cover. The second, and smaller, diatreme, Brecha Azul, is about 500 metres in diameter immediately below alluvium. The diatremes are surrounded by coalesced halos of lower grade, disseminated sphalerite, galena, and sulphosalts containing silver and gold.

Chile Colorado is a mineralized stock work located southwest of Brecha Azul, in sediments of the Caracol Formation. It has a geometry of approximately 600 metres by 400 metres immediately beneath the surface alluvial cover, and it extends to at least 500 metres below surface.

Both of the breccia pipes lie within a hydrothermal alteration shell consisting of a central sericite–pyrite–quartz (phyllitic) alteration assemblage, surrounding sericite–pyrite–quartz–calcite assemblage, and peripheral calcite–pyrite alteration halo.

Manto-style sulphide replacements of carbonate strata have been discovered beneath the clastic-hosted disseminated sulphide zones, and adjacent to the diatreme pipes. The mantos consist of semi-massive to massive sulphide replacements of sub-horizontal limestone beds, as well as cross-cutting chimney-style, steeply dipping, fracture and breccias zones filled with high concentrations of sulphides.

Garnet skarn-hosted polymetallic mineralization has been identified at depth between the Peñasco and Brecha Azul diatremes. The skarn has horizontal dimensions of approximately 1,000 metres by 1,200 metres and is open at depth.

Exploration

Work undertaken included reconnaissance geological inspections, regional-scale geochemical and geophysical surveys (including gravity, controlled source audio frequency magnetotellurics, reconnaissance induced polarization, scalar induced polarization, airborne radiometrics, magnetics and ground magnetics), rotary air blast, reverse circulation and core drilling.

The exploration programs completed to date are appropriate to the style of the deposits and prospects within the Peñasquito mine and support the genetic and geological interpretations.

Drilling

Drilling completed on the Peñasquito Mine area for the period 1994 to June 2018 comprised 1,774 drill holes (853,982 metres). Drilling has focused on the exploration and delineation of three principal areas: the Chile Colorado Zone, the Brecha Azul Zone and the Peñasco Zone.

Drill hole spacing is generally on 50 metre sections in the main deposits with tighter spacing for infill drilling in the Peñasco pit, spreading out to 400 metre spaced sections in the condemnation zones. Drill spacing is wider again in the areas outside the conceptual pit outlines used to constrain Mineral Resources. Drilling covers an area approximately 11 kilometres east–west by 7 kilometres north–south with the majority of drill holes concentrated in an area 2.1 kilometres east–west by 2.8 kilometres north–south.

Drill logs record deposit-specific information, including lithologies, breccia type, fracture frequency and orientation, oxidation, sulphide mineralization type and intensity, and alteration type and intensity. From mid-2013, logs have been recorded electronically and are uploaded directly to the project database.

Drill traces were down-hole surveyed using a single shot, through the bit, survey instrument. All drill holes have been down-hole surveyed except 51 Western Silver reverse circulation drill holes and 11 of the 71 Kennecott drill holes. Use of a gyroscopic survey instrument began in 2012 when Silver State Survey Inc. (“Silver State Survey”) was contracted. In the first 800 metres of any drill hole, Silver State Survey takes a measurement at 50 metre intervals and at the end of the drill hole.

The quantity and quality of the lithological, geotechnical, collar, and down-hole survey data collected during exploration and infill drill programs are sufficient to support Mineral Resource and Mineral Reserve estimation.

Sampling, Analysis and Data Verification

Independent sample preparation and analytical laboratories used during the exploration, development and operational core drill programs on the project include ALS Chemex, and Bondar Clegg (absorbed into ALS Chemex in 2001). The umpire (check) laboratories are Acme Analytical Laboratories Ltd. (“Acme”) in Vancouver, and SGS Mexico. Laboratories are certified and independent of Goldcorp. Sample collection and handling of core was done in accordance with industry standard practices, with procedures to limit sample losses and sampling biases. Reverse circulation drill cuttings were sampled at intervals of 2 metres. The standard core sample interval is two metres. Some samples are limited to geological boundaries and are less than 2 metres in length.

The sampling has been undertaken over a sufficient area to determine deposit limits, and the data collected adequately reflects deposit dimensions, true widths of mineralization, and the style of the deposits. The samples are representative of the mineralization, and respect the geology of the deposits.

The sample preparation method typically consists of drying, pulverizing and splitting to generate a 30 gram pulp for assay. Prior to 2003, the pulverization standard was 85% passing 75 micrometres; after 2003, samples were pulverized to a minimum of 85% passing 200 mesh. Standard fire assay procedures are used for analysis of gold. Inductively-coupled plasma analyses are used for silver, lead, zinc and deleterious elements.

QA/QC measures programs include submission of standard reference materials and blanks, and re-assay of a proportion of the samples. Entry of information into databases has utilized a variety of techniques and procedures to check the integrity of the data entered. Geological data from early drill programs were entered into spreadsheets in a single pass.

All drill data from 2007 to July 2013 was entered from paper logging forms into Excel files before being imported into acQuire. Since July 2013, logging and recording of other drill hole data by geologists and technicians has been entered directly into acQuire on laptop computers, with the data subsequently imported into the main database.

Assays received electronically from the laboratories are imported directly into the database. Analytical certificates received since 2010 have been stored in the database and were validated via the acQuire software.

Data are verified on entry to the database by means of built-in program triggers within the mining software. Checks are performed on surveys, collar co-ordinates, lithology data, and assay data.

The quality of the analytical data is sufficiently reliable to support Mineral Resource and Mineral Reserve estimation and sample preparation, analysis, and security are generally performed in accordance with exploration best practices and industry standards.

Mineral Processing and Metallurgical Testing

Mineralogical studies have been performed to increase the knowledge of the different ore types in the mine targeted to ensure the best possible treatment for each ore category and maximize the recovery. Metallurgical testwork focused on recovery of the key elements, lead and zinc, with co-recovery of gold and silver.

Various testwork programs have investigated comminution, flotation, heavy media separation, flowsheet variability schemes, concentrate filtration, dewatering, and regrind tests, modal and liberation analyses, and bottle roll and column cyanide leach extraction tests. Programs were performed that were sufficient to establish the optimal processing routes for oxide and sulphide ores, and supported estimation of recovery factors for the various ore types.

The mineralogical complexity of the Peñasquito mine ore makes the development of mill processing models difficult as eight elements (gold, silver, lead, zinc, copper, iron, arsenic and antimony) are tracked through the process, and the models need to be robust enough to allow for changes in mineralogy and plant operations while giving reasonable predictions of concentrate quality and tonnage.

The carbon pre-flotation process enables the treatment of higher carbon-containing material without significant disruption to the existing lead, zinc, and future pyrite flotation process. Implementation of the circuit as an add-on to the sulphide processing plant was completed during the second quarter of 2018.

After an extensive investigative program on the recovery of valuable metals in zinc tailings, the Peñasquito mine developed the pyrite leach process. The pyrite leach process circuit consists of: flotation of zinc tails to produce a rich gold-silver-pyrite concentrate; concentrate re-grind; concentrate leaching; precipitation; cyanide detoxification; and precious metals refining to produce doré bars as final product. Implementation of this circuit as an add-on to the existing sulphide processing plant was completed during the fourth quarter of 2018.

Mineral Reserve and Mineral Resource Estimates

See “*Technical Information – Summary of Mineral Reserves and Mineral Resources*” for the estimated Mineral Reserves and Mineral Resources (silver only, 25% attributable) for the Peñasquito mine as of December 31, 2020.

Risk factors that can affect the Mineral Reserve estimates are: metal prices and exchange rate assumptions, mining, process, operating and capital cost assumptions; availability of water to support the process plant throughput assumptions; metallurgical recovery rates, capital project timelines, geotechnical and hydrogeological assumptions; social license to operate; and any additional modifications to the proposed changes to the taxation and royalty regime.

Risk factors that can affect the Mineral Resource estimates are: metal prices and exchange rate assumptions; assumptions which are used in the Lerchs-Grossman shell constraining Mineral Resources, including mining, processing and general and administrative costs; metal recoveries; geotechnical and hydrogeological assumptions; and assumptions that the operation will maintain the social license to operate.

Mining Operations

Peñasquito mine is a conventional, large scale, truck-and-shovel open pit mining operation. The available mining fleet consists of five rope shovels, three hydraulic shovels, four loaders, and eighty-five 320 ton haul trucks. The fleet is supported by twelve blast hole production drills, as well as track dozers, rubber tire dozers, excavators, and graders.

Processing and Recovery Operations

Process facilities include a sulfide processing plant, comprising four stages of flotation; carbon, lead, zinc and pyrite. The carbon pre-flotation circuit was added in 2018 ahead of lead flotation to remove organic carbon associated with sedimentary ores. In the lead and zinc flotation, the slurry is conditioned with reagents to activate the desired minerals and produce lead and zinc concentrates. The pyrite circuit flotation was added at the end of 2018, which treats the zinc tailings in a pyrite flotation leach, and Merrill Crowe process to recover additional silver and gold in the form of doré. The tailings from the leach circuit undergoes cyanide destruction and combines with final flotation tailings for final deposition in the tailings storage facility.

Markets / Contracts

Newmont has an operative refining agreement with Met Mex Peñoles for refining of doré produced from the Peñasquito mine. Newmont’s bullion is sold on the spot market by its marketing experts retained in-house. The terms contained within the sales contracts are typical and consistent with standard industry practice and are similar to contracts for the supply of doré elsewhere in the world. A portion of the silver production is forward-sold to the Company (25%) as part of the streaming arrangement.

The markets for the lead and zinc concentrates from the Peñasquito mine are worldwide with smelters located in Mexico, Canada, United States, Asia and Europe. Metals prices are quoted for lead and zinc on the London Metals Exchange and for gold and silver by the London Bullion Market Association. The metal payable terms and smelter treatment and

refining charges for both lead and zinc concentrate represent typical terms for the market and qualities produced by the Peñasquito mine.

Infrastructure, Permitting and Compliance Activities

In January 2011, Peñasquito entered into a 20 year power delivery agreement with a subsidiary of InterGen Servicios Mexico (now Saavi Energia) where Peñasquito agreed to purchase electrical power from a gas-fired electricity generating facility located near San Luis de la Paz, Guanajuato, Mexico. Power is also supplied by the Mexican Electricity Federal Commission (Comision Federal de Electricidad) at its central power grid through the El Salero-Peñasquito powerline.

Process and potable water for the Peñasquito mine is sourced from the Torres-Vergel well field located six kilometres west of the Peñasquito mine and an additional groundwater source within the Cedros basin named the Northern Well Field.

There is sufficient suitable land available within Newmont's mineral tenure for tailings disposal, mine waste disposal, and mining-related infrastructure, such as the open pit, process plant, workshops and offices. A skilled labour force is available in the region where the Peñasquito mine is located and in the surrounding mining areas of Mexico. Accommodation comprises a camp with full dining, laundry and recreational facilities. Fuel and supplies are sourced from nearby regional centres such as Monterrey, Monclova, Saltillo and Zacatecas and imports from the United States via Laredo.

Various baseline studies, with respect to water, air, noise, wildlife, forest resources and waste and materials have been completed. Environmental permits are required by various Mexican Federal, state and municipal agencies, and are in place for project operations. The initial project environmental impact assessment was authorized on December 18, 2006. This initial document was prepared based on a production rate of 50,000 tonnes per day. Additional impact assessments for extensions or modifications to increase permitted capacity to 150,000 tonnes per day have been filed and approved since 2008.

Production Information

The following table summarizes 2013 to 2020 silver production (100% basis) from the Peñasquito mine:

Oxides	Units	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Produced Payable Gold	(oz)	62,300	36,600	27,600	14,300	-			
Produced Payable Silver	(oz)	1,684,100	931,600	642,200	274,600	-			
Sulphides									
Produced Payable Gold	(oz)	341,500	531,200	832,700	449,900	476,000	272,000	187,200	526,000
Produced Payable Silver	(oz)	20,763,300	24,875,500	25,284,300	17,627,700	21,505,000	18,292,000	22,139,400	28,001,000

SALOBO MINE, BRAZIL

The Company has filed a technical report in accordance with NI 43-101 entitled “Salobo Copper-Gold Mine Carajás, Pará State, Brazil – Technical Report – Salobo III Expansion” with an effective date of December 31, 2019 (the “Salobo Report”). The Salobo Report was authored by Neil Burns, P.Geo, Vice President, Technical Services, Wheaton, Chris Gauld, P.Geo., Principal Geologist, Resource Management, Vale Base Metals, Marcos Dias Alvim, P.Geo., FAusIMM(CP), Long Term Planning Manager, South Atlantic Operations, Vale Base Metals, and Maurice Tagami, P.Eng., Technical Ambassador (formerly Vice President, Mining Operations), Wheaton each of whom is a qualified person under NI 43-101. A copy of the Salobo Report is available under the Company’s profile on SEDAR at www.sedar.com and EDGAR at www.sec.gov.

The following description of the Salobo mine has been prepared by the Company QPs, based, in part, upon information summarized from the Salobo Report and updated where appropriate. Readers should consult the Salobo Report to obtain further particulars regarding the Salobo mine. The Company QPs have approved the disclosure of scientific and technical information in respect of the Salobo mine in this annual information form, including Salobo mine site updates since the time of filing of the Salobo Report.

Property Description, Location and Access

The Salobo operation is located along the southern margin of the Amazon Basin, northern central Brazil, in the eastern part of the State of Pará. It is also located in the Parauapebas micro-region in the municipality of Marabá and is part of the Carajás Mineral Province. Geographic coordinates for the operation are 5°47'25" S latitude and 56°32'5" W longitude.

The Salobo Operations is a copper-gold deposit located approximately 80 km northwest of Carajás, Pará State in northern Brazil. The area is well-served by railroads and highways that connect the villages and cities. Air service is available at the Carajás airport, which is approximately 70 km from Salobo and is capable of receiving commercial aircrafts and it is served by two daily flights to Belém (Pará state major’s city) and to the main Brazilian cities. Marabá is approximately 240 km from Salobo Operations by highway.

The Salobo Operations tenement title is 100% owned by Vale S.A. The Salobo Operations are located on one claim. The area named Salobo (copper ore, DNPM 807.426/74) refers to Exploration Permit No. 1121 that is dated July 14, 1987, and defined as a polygon of 9,180.61 ha. There was no change to the land tenement status in 2019. Brazilian legislation separates the ownership of the surface rights from mineral ownership. A mining company can operate a mine even if does not own the surface, provided it owns the minerals. In this case, it is necessary to pay a royalty to the surface owner. The royalty is calculated as 50% of the CFEM (Compensation for Financial Exploitation of Mineral Resources), which is paid to the government. The mining concessions are updated every year on presentation by Vale of the annual report of mining production to the DNPM.

The Preliminary Licence No. 33/94 was issued for the Salobo project in September 1994 following preparation and submission of the Environmental Impact Analysis/Report on Environmental Impact (EIA/RIMA) in 1992.

The implementation of Salobo started in 2010 and received its first Operating License No. 1096/2012 on November 5, 2012. The current license refers to the research, mining and mineral processing of 24 Mtpa as well as all administrative and support facilities, including workshops, the central material disposal area and warehouse, dining hall, transportation, storage and shipment of copper concentrate, which is valid until October 19, 2024.

The Installation License for the expansion of the feed stockpile from Salobo processing plant to 36 Mtpa (No. 1249/2018) valid until November 22, 2022.

Regarding the removal of vegetation, Salobo has five valid licenses: No. 1104/2016, which was renewed under No. 10539202020632, valid until December 31, 2022; No. 1181/2016 (rectification), valid until November 22, 2021; No. 1188/2017, valid until February 21, 2021; No. 1001/2015, renewed under No. 1053920202631, valid until February 20, 2021 and No. 10539201917636, valid until December 3, 2021.

Salobo also has other Operation Licenses related to service stations for light and heavy vehicles (nº 1035/2011 and 1081/2011, respectively) and to the Parauapebas copper storage railway station (nº 12083/2023) valid until February 20, 2023. The Operation License for the heavy vehicle filling station is valid until November 5, 2021. The light vehicle filling stations (valid until June 20, 2016) and has been renewed within the validity period (protocol nº 02001.002794 / 2016-37

respectively). The Brazilian government does not have a deadline to renew the license, however, as the renewal was requested within the validity period, the current license is still considered valid.

The Salobo Operation also has three valid installation licenses: the Installation Licence No. 1046/2015 refers to the expansion of the feed stockpile at Salobo processing plant to 24 M tonnes per year, which semi-annually informs the Brazilian Government about the geotechnical stability and efficiency of the control systems. The Installation Licence No. 1157/2017 for the heightening of the Salobo Dam up to the level 255 m is valid until August 17, 2020. The Installation Licence No. 1209/2018 for implementation of pumping systems of fines containment dikes is valid until March 3, 2022.

Regarding the Salobo III Project, six environmental licenses were issued: Installation Licence No. 1249/2018, valid until November 23, 2022, for the expansion to 36 M tonnes per year, Vegetation Removal Licence No. 1339/2018 and No. 10539201914310/2019 (valid until December 12 and December 19, 2021, respectively) and three Authorizations to Capture, Collect and Transport Biological Material No. 1017/2018; No. 1277/2020 and 1330/2020. These licenses concern the installation of a sulfide copper ore beneficiation plant and its associated infrastructure.

There is also the surface water capture and discharge concession (No. 1896/2017) granted in October 9, 2017 and valid until October 9, 2027, and the underground water capture concession for explosive factoring (No. 2519/2016) granted on June 17, 2016 and valid until May 16, 2020 which was renewed by protocol No. 4443/2020, valid until June 17, 2030.

The Salobo mine currently holds all required permits to operate. The Salobo mine operations have a robust control and monitoring system to ensure that permits remain current, and to ensure that the requirements of each permit are monitored to comply with the relevant regulatory conditions imposed.

Mining is the primary industry in the area. The Salobo Operations are connected via an all-weather road network to the cities of Parauapebas (80 km), Marabá (240 km), and the commercial airport at Carajás. The Carajás airport can accommodate large aircraft and is served by daily flights to Belém (Pará State major's city) and other major Brazilian cities.

Accessibility, Climate, Local Resources, Infrastructure and Physiography

The operations are located in the Carajás mountain range in the eastern Amazon humid tropical rainforest. Temperatures range from 20.8°C to 37.8°C with an average relative humidity of 80.5%. Mean annual rainfall is 1,920 milometre and evaporation is 1,500 milimetres. Winds are predominantly from the north and west.

Mining operations are conducted year-round.

Mining is the primary industry of the area. As well as Salobo, Vale also operates the established Sossego copper mine, located 136 kilometres by road to the south of Salobo and the very large iron ore mine at Carajás located 50 kilometres south east of the mine.

Local housing is available for employees within the communities surrounding the mine. There are adequate schools, medical services and businesses to support the work force. The mine site has medical facilities to handle emergencies. In addition, medical facilities are available in Carajás to support the mine's needs.

Vale has invested significantly in infrastructure in Carajás, building a 130 kilometre paved road to Parauapebas and a 20 kilometre sewage system, together with a school, hospital, and day care centre.

Salobo is in the northwest of the Carajás Reserve within the 190,000 ha Flona de Tapirapé–Aquiri forest. The area is heavily forested and dominated by relatively dense trees with substantial underbrush.

In the mine area the topography is fairly steep, varying between 190 to 520 metres in elevation. The ridge where the Salobo deposit is located has a nominal slope of 2.5H:1.0V. The site is lower than the Carajás Ridge, which is 850 metres above sea level.

Concentrate produced at the mine is hauled by 40 tonne (gross weight) highway trucks 85 kilometres on the highway to a rail-loading site located approximately ten kilometres north of the town of Parauapebas. From there, it is transported by train 870 kilometres to Itaqui port located near the coastal city of São Luís in the State of Maranhão.

Electrical energy is supplied from Tucuruí, a 8,370 megawatt hydroelectric generating station on the Tocantins River, 200 kilometres north of Marabá, and 250 kilometres due north of Parauapebas. An 87 kilometre overhead transmission line (230 kilovolts) supplies the Salobo site. There is no ring feed.

Process make-up water comprises runoff, direct precipitation and contribution from Igarape Mirim within the tailings storage basin.

The Salobo tailings storage facility (“TSF”), comprising an earth dam and concrete-lined spillway, was designed for Vale by Brazilian engineering company BVP Engenharia to withstand a one in 10,000 year event. The TSF, when completed to a height of 285 metres, will have sufficient capacity to store tailings resulting from the planned production. During 2019 the dam was raised from 245 m elevation to an intermediate design height of 255 m elevation. There is still 30 m remaining to raise which will be completed in 2025.

Environmental

Environmental and social baseline study areas were defined to characterize the current conditions in the areas potentially affected by mine components or activities.

The project lies in part of the Salobo Creek and the Cinzento River basins which are tributary to the Itacaiúnas River. The long-term average unit runoff for the project site is 2.02 m³/s.

The Tapirapé–Aquiri National Forest has a registered area of 190,000 ha. The Tapirapé Biological Reserve, which covers an area of 103,000 ha, borders the National Forest (and mine area) to the north. The mine site is within the Tapirapé–Aquiri National Forest and the access road crosses the Carajás National Forest and lies adjacent to the Igarapé Gelado Environmental Protection Area.

As a condition of the mine installation license, an agreement was signed between the Chico Mendes Biodiversity Conservation Institute and the Salobo mine operations to provide payment and support towards management of the Tapirapé–Aquiri National Forest (ICMBio, 2007).

The protected areas have distinct management categories that were established by Decree N° 97,720 dated 5 May 1989. Within these areas, a regular polygon outlining the mining zone Special Use Area was defined by the National Department of Mineral Production of Brazil.

Within the Special Use Area, Vale controls access to the area and the mine site, and access to the Tapirapé–Aquiri National Forest along the eastern boundary of the Special Use Area with the forest.

To the northwest of the Special Use Area is the Lindoeste settlement, developed on land in the São Felix do Xingu region, which currently covers about 120 ha; the mine site has no influence over forest access by this community.

Salobo Operations are also committed to offsetting the effects of its operation by planting seedlings of native species in proportion to the vegetation suppression carried out.

Social

The Salobo mine's area of influence is the southeast Paraense mesoregion, in the municipalities of Marabá and Parauapebas. These regions are considered to have moderate human development indices for the level of health, education and living conditions, based on data from 2000. The extractive industry accounts for 23.5% of the economic activity in the state of Pará, with 17.9% other industrial activities, 52.0% services and 6.6% farming and ranching based on 2010 data (IBGE, 2013).

The Project is not located on indigenous lands. The nearest indigenous lands include the river Tapirapé Tuere, Trincheira Bacaja and Xicrin do Cateté, all located 25 kilometre or more from the Project. The Xikrin indigenous peoples traditionally use the Project area for food collection.

In 2001, a forest management program was implemented between the indigenous communities and government associations to sustainably harvest the forest in the Salobo mine area in a manner that benefitted the indigenous community in capacity building and financial resources.

Vale currently maintains a Communication Plan that commits to continued communication with the local indigenous to maintain community health and safety, cultural preservation, transparency of activities and harmony between the workers and the indigenous community.

There are a number of social management plans carried out by the Social Communications Department. The Environmental Compensation and Social Inclusion plan objectives are to support sustainable development by capitalizing on the positive effects of project development and minimizing the potential negative effects. In addition, this plan is supported by a Social Communications program that facilitates information exchange and works to improve relations between the Salobo mine and the diverse social segments of the surrounding communities.

An Environmental Education program was developed at the Sustainability Department. The program seeks to disseminate the principles of sustainability recognized as environmental, social and economic responsibility through educational activities aimed at Vale employees and contractors and the surrounding community. The program aims to strengthen and expand environmental education in the municipal education program and in the community.

History

- 1974 - CVRD (Companhia Vale do Rio Doce, a predecessor company to Vale) discovered copper mineralization in the Igarapé Salobo region and commenced detailed exploration in 1977. Work completed included stream sediment sampling, reconnaissance exploration, and ground induced polarization (IP) and magnetometer geophysical surveys. As a result, various targets were identified.
- 1978 - The 1974 Salobo exploration targets were revisited and the presence of copper sulphides in an outcrop of magnetite schists at the Salobo 3 Alfa target was noted. Drilling of this target followed in conjunction with the development of two exploration adits. The Salobo 3 Alfa target is now referred to as Salobo.
- 1978 to 1983 - Drilling was initially conducted on a 400 metre by 200 metre drill grid, subsequently reduced to 200 metre by 200 metre, and then to 200 metre by 100 metre. A total of 65 core drill holes (29,322 m) were drilled between March 1978 and May 1983.
- 1981 - A preliminary assessment of potential Project economics was performed in 1981, based on an initial resource estimate. The findings were encouraging, and the Carajás Copper Project team submitted an Exploitation Economical Plan for the Salobo deposit to the DNPM in June 1981.
- 1985 – 1987 - A pilot-scale study was carried out from 1985 to 1987 to further define the mineralization style and geometry. This included additional drilling and an additional 1 kilometre of exploration adits. A second drill campaign ran from January 1986 to June 1987. The grid spacing in the core of the deposit was reduced to 100 metre by 100 metre. Additional drilling was undertaken in the southeast of the deposit from the G-3 adit. This phase included 9,033 metres of diamond drilling from 60 drill holes.
- 1987 - The MME granted CVRD mining rights through Ordinance No. 1121.
- 1988 - A prefeasibility study was completed by Bechtel.
- 1993 - Salobo Metais S.A. was incorporated on 29 June 1993 as a joint-venture vehicle between CVRD and Morro Velho Mining (a subsidiary of Anglo American Brasil Ltda. AABL). A third drill campaign was initiated. The primary objective was to investigate the best probable location in the deposit in which to commence mining and to optimize the first five years of production, as well as to investigate mineralized continuity at depth.
- 1993 to 1994 - A total of 64 drill holes (14,585 m) were completed.
- 1997 - A fourth drilling campaign was conducted, resulting in 25,491 metres in 88 holes. Mineral Resources Development Inc. (MRDI) audited the drilling information that year.
- 1998 - A feasibility study was undertaken by Minorco.
- 2001 – The feasibility study was revised and updated by Kvaerner in 2001.
- 2002 - AMEC audited the drilling, sampling, assaying and databases that supported the Kvaerner study.
 - Changes were made to the Exploitation Economic Plan allowing Salobo Metais to extract silver and gold were approved by DNPM. The original authorization had been for copper only.
 - In June 2002, the Brazilian Council for Economic Defense (Conselho Administrativo de Defesa Econômica) approved the acquisition by CVRD of the 50% of Salobo Metais that was held by AABL. CVRD thus became the largest shareholder in Salobo Metais.
 - A fifth drilling campaign drilled 133 drill holes (66,243 m)
- 2003 - A further 2,047 metres of drilling was completed and some areas were drilled at a closer spacing of 50 metre x 50 metre, including the area around the G3 adit.
- 2006 – Final Pre-Feasibility Study and Installation Licence Granting.

- 2007 – Final Feasibility Study and construction start-up of Salobo I (12Mt/a).
- 2009 - Commenced pre-stripping.
- 2010 – Construction start-up of Salobo II (24Mt/a).
- 2012 - Project ramp-up for Phase I of the Salobo mine operations was completed and the first concentrate was shipped in September 2012.
- 2013 – The first Wheaton streaming deal was completed for 25% of the life of mine gold production
 - December 2013, the plant processed 898,000 tonnes of ore, which represented 90% of the Phase I nameplate capacity (1 Mt run-of-mine (ROM) per month).
- 2014 - Phase II, intended to double the nameplate capacity and was completed.
- 2015 – The second Wheaton stream deal completed for an additional 25% of the life of mine gold production, increasing the total stream to 50%.
- 2016 – The third Wheaton stream deal completed for an additional 25% of the life of mine gold production, increasing the total stream to 75%.
- 2017 - During 2017, the following important changes occurred at the Salobo Operations:
 - The production data reconciliation process was revised and updated.
 - A medium range definition diamond drilling campaign was started.
 - A deep exploration drill hole was started to investigate the orebody below the final pit design.
 - The mine and plant quality control (sampling, etc.) process was externally audited.
 - A short-term deleterious estimation process for carbon, uranium, fluorine, sulphur and chlorine was started.
 - The phases/pushback design were modified together with the mining plan revision, changing from seven to eight phases.
- 2018 - During 2018, the following important changes occurred at the Salobo Operations:
 - The infill drilling program for long-range planning ramped up and approximately 25,000 m was drilled since 2017.
 - Three deep exploration drill holes were drilled to investigate the orebody below the final pit design.
 - The GDMS database system was implemented at Salobo to improve the drill core logging process and database security.
- 2019 - During 2019, the following changes occurred at the Salobo Operations:
 - The infill diamond drilling program for long-range planning is running according to plan and approximately 35,000 m has been drilled since 2017. All the sampling and analyses backlog from 2017 and 2018 was completed.
 - The fourth deep exploration drill hole below the planned pit was completed with a total length of 1,400 m.
 - The GDMS database system that was implemented for long-term geology last year was expanded to short-term geology in 2019, improving time and avoiding errors in the data transfer process since the all the analyses results are directed received from the lab equipment.
 - Approved the construction of a new core shed for Salobo, in Parauapebas.
 - Construction began on the Salobo III Project which consists of a new beneficiation line with processing capacity of 12 Mtpa and supporting infrastructure.
- 2020 - During the past 12 months, the following important changes occurred at the Salobo Operations:
 - The infill diamond drilling program for long-range planning is running according to plan and approximately 42,000 m have been drilled in the past 4 years. All the sampling and analyses backlog from 2017, 2018 and 2019 was concluded.
 - The resource block model was updated by the inclusion of the new drillings and by the wireframe modelling methodology which was updated from horizontal planes extrusion to implicit modelling, allowing the construction of a larger and diluted orebody.
 - It was decided to convert all low-grade stockpiled ore from proved to probable mineral reserves until the stockpile drilling program is finalized to study the oxidation degree in the low-grade ore.
 - Salobo III advanced with reduced personnel and updated work plan to respect social distancing due to COVID-19. First production is expected during January 2022.
 - The sixth and seventh deep exploration drillholes were completed, totalizing 7,500 m at the end of 2020.

Geological Setting and Mineralization

Regional Geology

The Carajás Mining District, located in the southeast of Pará State, lies between the Xingu and Tocantins/Araguaia Rivers and covers an area of about 300 kilometres x 100 kilometres. It is hosted in the Carajás Province, forming a sigmoidal-shaped, west–northwest–east–southeast-trending late Archean basin.

The Archean basin contains a basement assemblage that is dominated by granite–tonalitic ortho-gneisses of the Pium Complex, and amphibolite, gneisses and migmatites of the Xingu Complex. The basement assemblage defines a broad, steeply dipping, east–west-trending ductile shear zone (Itacaiúnas shear zone) that experienced multiple episodes of reactivation during the Archean and Paleoproterozoic.

The metamorphic rocks are cut by Archean-age intrusions, including the calc-alkaline Plaquê Suite (2.73 Ga), and the alkaline Salobo and Estrela granites (2.57 Ga and 2.76 Ga respectively).

The basement rocks are overlain by volcanic and sedimentary rocks of the Itacaiúnas Supergroup (2.56 Ga to 2.77 Ga).

The Itacaiúnas Supergroup hosts all the Carajás iron ore–copper–gold (IOCG) deposits, including Salobo and Sossego, and is thought to have been deposited in a marine rift environment. The metamorphism and deformation has been attributed to the development of a sinistral strike-slip ductile shear zone (the 2.7 Ga Itacaiúnas Shear Zone) and to sinistral, ductile–brittle to brittle transcurrent fault systems.

The Itacaiúnas Supergroup is overlain by an extensive succession of Archean marine to fluvial sandstones and siltstones known as the Rio Fresco Group or the Águas Claras Formation (2.68 Ga to 2.78 Ga). The non-deformed, Proterozoic Gorotire Formation, consisting of coarse arkoses and conglomerates with quartz, BIF, and basic rock clasts, overlies the older lithological units (Matos da Costa, 2012).

A Proterozoic suite (1.88 Ga) of anorogenic, alkaline granites, the Serra dos Carajás, the Cigano and the Pojúca granites, as well as several generations of younger mafic dykes, cross-cut the entire sequence.

Property Geology

Mineralization at the Salobo deposit is hosted by upper-greenschist-to-lower-amphibolite-metamorphosed rocks of the Igarapé Salobo Group. The group thickness varies from 300–600 metres in the Project area and may be weathered to depths of 30–100 metres. The rocks strike approximately N70°W and have a subvertical dip.

The major host units are biotite (BDX) and magnetite schists (XMT). Granitic intrusions (GR) occur adjacent to the north and southern sides of the BDX and XMT, and a series of much younger diorite dykes (DB) cross-cut the mineralization forming barren zones.

Tectonic Setting

The Salobo deposit is situated within the Cinzento strike-slip system which has been described as a set of Archean alignments that forms the Salobo transpressive duplex (or Salobo sidewall rip-out). This system post-dates the formation of the Itacaiúnas shear zone and was developed under ductile–brittle to brittle conditions.

The ductile deformation along the Itacaiúnas shear zone, which has affected the basement rocks and rocks of the Salobo Group, produced widespread, subvertical, northwest–southeast schistosity, which affects all lithologies in the deposit, except the Young Salobo Granite and the diabase dykes.

The transtensive deformation along the Cinzento strike-slip fault system reactivated old structures, and formed a subparallel ductile–brittle shear zone in the northern part of the deposit and a brittle shear zone in the south.

Brittle–ductile shear zone deformation has resulted in lenticular-shaped ore shoots that characteristically show close associations between copper mineralization and magnetite content.

Metamorphism

Two phases of metamorphism have been recognized in the Project area:

- Initial phase: associated with progressive amphibolite-facies metamorphism developed under ductile conditions of high temperature (650°C), low pressure (2–3 kbar), and oxygen fugacities of -20 and -18. This caused partial substitution of chalcopyrite by bornite and chalcocite, accompanied by intense K-metasomatism
- Retrograde phase: developed under greenschist facies, with an average temperature of 340°C; characterized by intense chloritization and partial substitution of bornite by chalcocite.

Alteration

The Salobo hydrothermal system has a core of massive magnetite that is surrounded by less intensely altered rocks. Within the massive magnetite body, there are small veins and irregular masses of secondary biotite. Garnet is completely replaced by magnetite, forming pseudomorphs. Away from the massive magnetite, the magnetite content gradually diminishes, giving way to biotite–garnet schist and/or garnet–grunerite schist. Alkali-metasomatism of the amphibolite facies rocks is expressed by weak sodium with intense, superimposed potassium alteration (≤ 4.6 wt% of K₂O).

K-feldspar, biotite and oligoclase are the main alteration minerals. A significant increase in the FeO content (≤ 35 wt%) accompanied the potassium alteration in amphibolite and was marked by the replacement of calcium-amphibole (mostly magnesium-hornblende and hastingsite) by iron–magnesium amphibole (cummingtonite), and by the formation of biotite and magnetite.

The chemistry of the meta-graywackes at the deposit indicates that they also underwent significant iron and potassium alteration. Alteration assemblages are characterized by almandine, garnet, biotite and grunerite, subordinate tourmaline and minor magnetite. The better-mineralized zones, located in the central part of the deposit, correspond to the most altered areas.

Mineralization

The Salobo deposit extends over an area of approximately four kilometres along strike (west–northwest), is 100–600 metre wide and has been recognized to depths of 750 metres below the surface.

The sulphide mineralization typically consists of assemblages of magnetite–chalcopyrite–bornite and magnetite–bornite–chalcocite. Accessory minerals include hematite, molybdenite, ilmenite, uraninite, graphite, digenite, covellite, and sulphosalts.

The mineral assemblages can be found in a number of styles: forming disseminations, stringers, stockworks, massive accumulations, filling fractures, or in veins associated with local concentrations of magnetite and/or garnet filling the cleavages of amphiboles and platy minerals and remobilized in shear zones.

There is a positive relationship between copper minerals and magnetite. Copper content is typically $>0.8\%$ in XMT and BIF, whereas in gneisses and schists it is $<0.8\%$. A positive correlation between copper content and uranium contents has also been established.

Chalcopyrite, bornite, and chalcocite occur interstitially to silicate minerals. These sulphide minerals are commonly found filling cleavage planes of biotite and grunerite. Hematite is rare, but in places it can reach as much as 4% by volume. It exhibits tabular textures (specularite), with infilling bornite, and partial replacement by magnetite.

Native Au occurs as grains smaller than 10 µm in cobaltite, safflorite, magnetite and copper sulphides, or interstitial to magnetite and chalcopyrite grains. Native Au grains contain up to 10 wt% Cu, with subordinate silver, arsenic, and iron.

Molybdenite occurs interstitial to magnetite and shows cleavage planes filled with chalcopyrite and bornite. In mylonitic samples, molybdenite forms kinked stringers.

Magnetite occurs mainly as idiomorphic to sub-idiomorphic grains, interstitial to silicate minerals or in fractures, or forms bands in mylonitic rocks.

The gangue minerals are almandine garnet, grunerite, and tourmaline, reflecting the intense iron-metasomatism. Minor amounts of fayalite and hastingsite are pseudomorphed by grunerite and magnetite. Tourmaline, with a dominant schörlitic (black-tourmaline) composition, occurs as idiomorphic crystals preferentially oriented parallel to mylonitic foliation, in association with biotite, garnet and grunerite. Ilmenite, uraninite, allanite, fluorite and apatite occur as accessory minerals.

Biotite sub-idiomorphic crystals, commonly kinked, are associated with potassic alteration, and spatially related to the copper–gold mineralization. Uraninite and zircon inclusions may be locally abundant in biotite.

Quartz is associated with biotite in ore-grade samples and forms concordant veins within the host rocks.

Textural relationships indicate that mineralization was developed firstly as an oxide stage, with a second, subsequent, sulphide stage.

Exploration

The discovery of the Salobo copper deposit occurred during a systematic program of geochemical, geophysical and geological exploration in the Carajás region, initiated by CVRD/Docegeo in 1974. Since then, the area has been the subject of exploration and development activities and a considerable information database has developed as a result of both exploration and mining activities.

In 1977 a program of detailed geological and geochemical work explored magnetic anomalies existing in the basin of Igarapé Salobo (Salobo stream). Anomalies of up to 2,700 parts per million copper were detected in stream sediments collected from tributaries of Igarapé Salobo. These anomalies lead to the development of detailed work in the area, involving geological, geochemical and geophysical prospecting. In 1978, exploration revealed the presence of copper sulphides associated with magnetic schist and the first phase of several drilling programs was initiated.

No exploration occurred at Salobo between 2003 and 2011. In 2012, a regional airborne gravity survey was completed. The survey identified a potential continuation of the Salobo orebody at depth. In 2017, a deep drilling campaign was initiated exploring this potential orebody extension. At the time of this report, seven holes had been completed.

The primary method employed in the exploration and evaluation of the Salobo deposit is diamond core drilling, details of which are presented below.

Drilling

Diamond drill hole core is the majority sample type for geological modelling and mineral resource estimation at Salobo. Blast holes have been drilled since 2009 but are used only for grade control, short-term planning and to update the long-range geological model contours in the mined out zone.

Core drilling commenced in 1978 and was conducted through to 2003 in five different drilling campaigns, for a total of 420 holes (148,311 metres) completed for exploration purposes, and an additional 15 drill holes (8,042 metres) for geotechnical purposes. Most drill holes were vertical or oriented to the south–southwest, the latter with dips usually ranging from 60° to 70°. However, one campaign included holes with a north–northwest orientation and similar dips. Various holes were also drilled from an adit. In 2010, two infill drill holes were drilled and in 2017, infill and deep drilling programs were initiated at the Salobo mine. The following table summarizes the drilling campaigns completed on the Salobo mine.

Campaign/Period	Purpose	Drill Hole ID	Total Meterage Drilled (m)	Percentage of total drilling (%)
1978	Exploration	SAL-2ALF-FD001 to SAL-3ALF-FD 065	29,275	15%
1986	Exploration	SAL-SALF-FD066 to SAL-3ALF-FD 125	9,051	5%

Campaign/Period	Purpose	Drill Hole ID	Total Meterage Drilled (m)	Percentage of total drilling (%)
1993	Exploration	SAL-3ALF-FD126 to SAL-3ALF-FD 189	14,585	7%
1997	Exploration	SAL-3ALF-FD190 to SAL-3ALF-FD 277	25,491	13%
2002	Exploration	SAL-3ALF-FD278 to SAL-3ALF-FD 420	69,908	35%
2010	Infill	SAL-3ALF-FD421 to SAL-3ALF-FD 422	361	0.2%
2017	Infill	S3A-FD00423 to S3A-FD00464	13,264	7%
2018	Infill	S3A-FD00465 to S3A-FD00505	12,674	6%
2019	Infill	S3A-FD00506 to S3A-FD00533	10,159	5%
2020	Infill	S3A-FD00534 to S3A-FD00558	7,433	4%
Total exploration			192,202	96%
1997	Geotechnical	SAL-3ALF-FG001 to SAL-3ALF-FG 007	3,847	2%
2003	Geotechnical	SAL-3ALF-FG008 to SAL-3ALF-FG 0134	4,194	2%
Total geotechnical			8,041	4%
Grand Total			200,243	

Surface drilling was typically initiated with HQ diameter (63.5 mm) core and reduced to NQ diameter (47.6 mm). The minimum diameters were BX (36.6 mm) and BQ (36.5 mm). The underground drilling utilized BX diameter rods.

The drill core was collected, placed in boxes, and delivered by the drilling contractor to the core logging/storage area, where geological and geotechnical logging was carried out. At the core logging facility, core recovery and physical properties are measured and recorded. Geologic logs are prepared, and sample intervals are marked. Sample intervals average 1 m in mineralization and 2 or 4 m in barren zones. Sample lengths vary from these standards to honor significant geologic boundaries.

Since 2017, the mine site core facility has been used. A new core shed is being built in the town of Parauapebas which the mine will transition to when completed.

Drill collar coordinates were recorded. Collar verification was completed by plotting drill hole locations on plan and in cross-section and comparing with the topographic surface. Current collar surveying of grade-control holes is conducted by company surveyors using high-precision, differential global positioning system (GPS) equipment. Downhole surveys were performed at three metre intervals downhole, using Reflex DDI (dip and direction pointer), Maxibor Reflex, Reflex Gyro and gyroscopic instruments.

Due to the sub-vertical orientation of the mineralized zones, the drill holes intersected them at low angles. As a result, the mineralized thickness observed in drill holes does not correspond to the true thickness, which should be determined on a case-by-case basis. The true thickness is significantly smaller than the intersected thickness in most cases.

The quantity and quality of the lithological, geotechnical, collar and downhole survey data collected in the exploration and infill drill programs during the 1997 and later campaigns are sufficient to support Mineral Resource and Mineral Reserve estimation.

Exploration core sample intervals averaged one metre in mineralized zones, and between two metres and four metres in barren zones. One half was bagged and submitted to the mine laboratory for analysis, and the remaining half was retained as backup in the same original boxes.

Blastholes are currently drilled on a five metre x five metre (or five metre x seven metre) grid with a hole diameter of 12½ inches and are channel sampled. All blastholes located in ore zones are sampled; however, as the blasthole reaches the barren zones, the proportion of sampled holes decreases to include only those holes in the mineralized envelope.

The density determination methodology consisted of the water-displacement method. Specific gravity (SG) was measured on approximately 95% of the samples collected across the entire deposit. Values for weathered waste rock and unweathered bedrock were categorized separately due to differences in permeability and porosity caused by weathering. Approximately 84,000 samples collected across the entire deposit.

Sample Preparation, Analysis and Security

Exploration

Sample preparation details prior to 2002 are unknown. During 2002 – 2003, sample preparation was conducted by Lakefield / GEOSOL laboratory at a local facility built at the Salobo mine site.

During the 1978 campaign, samples were assayed at the Docegeo laboratory in Belém, Pará, and at the SUTEC laboratory in Santa Luzia, Minas Gerais. Copper was assayed on 0.5 g aliquots by multi-acid digestion and atomic absorption spectroscopy (AAS). Iron, molybdenum, and silver were also determined using this method. Gold was assayed by aqua regia leaching, with solvent extraction (MIBX) and AAS determination.

During the 1986 campaign, CVRD assayed the samples at the Docegeo laboratory in Belém and at the pilot plant laboratory on the mine site, using the same analytical methods as in the previous campaign.

During the 1993 campaign, SML used the Mineração Morro Velho (MMV) laboratory. Copper was again assayed with multi-acid digestion and AAS reading on 0.5 g aliquots (0.002% detection limit), and gold was determined using the fire-assay method with gravimetric finish on 100 g aliquots (0.05 g/t detection limit). In addition, samples were assayed for sulphur and carbon by LECO, and fluorine by alkaline fusion with sodium carbonate and potassium nitrate, followed by ion-selective electrode determination. SMSA used the same analytical procedures during the 1997 campaign.

In the early stages of the exploration program platinum, palladium, nickel, molybdenum and uranium were also analyzed; however, these elements were later excluded from the analytical package.

The infill and deep drilling programs that began in 2017 are using sample preparation procedures similar to the 2002 – 2003 campaign. Sample preparation was being done at the Salobo mine laboratory but was switched to ALS, Vespasiano, Minas Gerais, Brazil in December 2018 in order to advance the backlog of pending samples. Samples are being analyzed at ALS, Lima, Peru as the primary lab utilizing the following analytical methods:

- Copper analysis by four-acid digestion and atomic absorption reading (Cu-AA62)
- Gold by FA of 50g aliquot, two-step digestion with nitric and hydrochloric acids and reading by atomic absorption (Au-AA24)
- Multi-element (including main elements and traces, in addition to copper, sulfur and uranium) with digestion by four acids and readings by ICP-MS or ICP-AES (ME-MS61).

The secondary laboratory used is SGS-Geosol in Vespasiano, Minas Gerais, Brazil utilizing the following analytical methods:

- Copper analysis by multi-acid digestion and atomic absorption reading (AAS41B)
- Soluble copper by acetic acid digestion and atomic absorption reading (AAS51C)
- Gold by FA of 50g aliquot, digestion with aqua regia and reading by atomic absorption (FAA505)
- Multi-element (including main elements and traces, in addition to copper, sulfur and uranium) with digestion by four acids and readings ICP-AES or ICP-MS (ICM40B)
- Carbon and sulfur by LECO (CSA17V)
- Fluorine by ion-specific electrode (ISE), (ISE03A).

Grade Control

Blast-hole samples are prepared and assayed at the Salobo mine operations laboratory which has separate areas for the preparation of concentrate, tailings and blast-hole samples to avoid contamination. The preparation laboratory is well organized, and has modern equipment including ESSA jaw crushers, rotary splitters, puck-and-bowl pulverizers and Mettler-Toledo precision scales. A special, separated, scale room is used only for gold assays. The dust-extraction system is in place to reduce the chances of sample contamination.

The preparation procedure implemented for blast-hole samples is as follows:

- Drying in an electric oven at 105°C
- Jaw-crushing to >95% passing -3 milometre size; granulometric tests are carried to check particle size on one in 20 samples
- Homogenization and splitting using rotary splitters to obtain 500 g splits
- Pulverization using puck-and-bowl pulverizers to >95% passing 0.105 mm; granulometric and mass-loss checks are carried out on one in 20 samples on 100 g subsamples that are later discarded
- The pulverized material is bagged and submitted for chemical assay.

Blast-hole samples are assayed at the Salobo mine operations analytical laboratory for copper, gold, silver iron, carbon, sulphur, fluorine, chlorine and soluble copper.

Precision scales and assay instruments are linked to a laboratory information management system (LIMS) to ensure the assay data are digitally transferred into the mine database. The LIMS is programmed to determine when readings comply with the required quality-control thresholds. Turnaround time is usually less than 24 hours for most elements, and four to five days for fluorine and chlorine.

Assay batches are usually organized in 25 samples, not including the internal control samples. The lab's quality control (QC) protocol includes the insertion of one reference material, one reactive blank (consisting of pure solution or flux in the case of FA), one coarse duplicate, and one pulp duplicate per batch.

Quality Assurance and Quality Control

The quality control (QC) program implemented at the Salobo mine varied considerably over time, depending on the primary analytical laboratory used for assaying.

- 1986 – A total of 402 samples were resubmitted to alternative laboratories for external checks with GEOSOL acting as secondary laboratory for the Docegeo laboratory for copper and gold assays, the pilot plant laboratory as secondary laboratory for Docegeo on copper assays and Docegeo as secondary laboratory for the pilot plant laboratory for gold assays.
 - Results on copper assays indicated good correlation between the three laboratories; however, poor correlation was obtained between GEOSOL and Docegeo on the gold assays.
- 1993 - The QC program included external checks of 5% of the samples at the Nomos laboratory (for Cu) and at Fazenda Brasileira (for Au), using the FA method. In total, copper checks were conducted on 664 samples, and gold checks on 2,168 samples. For both elements, the correlation between laboratories was assessed as good.
- 1997 - SMSA implemented a QC program consisting of the insertion of 574 coarse duplicates and 14 reference materials, and the submission of 750 check samples to the Label laboratory for external checks.

- 2002 - Due to the lack of appropriate QC results for the drilling campaigns prior to 2002, a re-assay campaign was initiated to validate the available analytical data, thus a total of 51,768 of the original 75,577 samples drilled prior to 2002 were re-assayed to corroborate the original results.
- Vale concluded that the external assay check review revealed bias for copper and gold assay results obtained by Nomos and Gamik laboratories. Based on the results obtained, Vale applied an adjustment factor to original sample grades.
- 2002-2003 - In-house Standard Reference Material (SRMs) samples used during the 2002–2003 campaign (a total of nine) were derived from both the sulphide and oxide mineralization and incorporate a significant spread in the copper and gold grades. The recommended values for SRMs were established from a set of analytical results provided by three laboratories (the former Bondar Clegg laboratory, Gamik and Lakefield / GEOSOL). Each laboratory analyzed 10 aliquots of each SRM.
 - Two internal SRM samples were also prepared; however, they became available only at the end of the drilling program. As a result, a total of 1,500 samples from the 2002–2003 drilling program were selected for re-assaying in order to validate the 2002–2003 assay data. A total of 76 samples of two internal, project-derived SRMs were randomly inserted in the batch (5% frequency).
- AMEC Foster Wheeler reviewed the QC data reported by CVRD (2003) and concluded that copper and gold check assays did not reveal significant biases, and that precision was within acceptable limits. Bongarcon (2003) also reviewed the 2002–2003 QC data and concluded similarly that the special lot assays validated the 2002–2003 data for use in Mineral Resource estimation.
- 2017 – 2019 – With the recommencement of drilling in 2017, a QA/QC program was implemented aimed at ensuring the quality of physical preparation and chemical analyzes of samples and density tests. The program consists of the blind insertion of blanks, crushed duplicates, pulp duplicates, batch pulp duplicates, pulp duplicates to a secondary lab and certified standards.

Sample Security

All drill core was brought from the drill site at the end of shift and stored in a purpose-built logging and storage facility. All drill core is stored in wooden boxes with proper numbering to indicate the drill hole number and meterage. The core storage and logging facility is kept locked when unoccupied. Unshipped samples are also stored in a secure facility at the same location.

Since August 2010, the evaluation of drilling and mine information has been uploaded to a Geovia Gems SQL database. This provides the geologists and mine engineers with a secure and more efficient access to information.

All short-range and long-range dataset is transferred to the GDMS database system, which is being used for drill core logging.

Mineral Reserve and Mineral Resource Estimates

See “*Technical Information –Summary of Mineral Reserves and Mineral Resources*” for the estimated Mineral Reserves and Mineral Resources (gold only, 75% attributable) for the Salobo mine as of December 31, 2020.

Mineral Resource estimation is completed by João Dirk under the supervision of Marcos Dias Alvim, both Vale employees. The estimates are prepared according to the 2014 CIM Definitions Standards and the 2003 CIM Best Practice Guidelines.

Mineral resources that are not Mineral Reserves do not have demonstrated economic viability.

There has been insufficient exploration to classify the Inferred Mineral Resources as an Indicated or Measured Mineral Resource. The extent to which further exploration may result in upgrading them to an Indicated or Measured Mineral Resource category is uncertain at this time. An Infill drilling commenced in 2017, targeting areas of lower density drilling with the intent of upgrading Inferred resources.

A long-range diamond drilling program started in 2017 and completed approximately 42,000 m by the end of 2020. Since Salobo has not had a drill program since 2003, it took some time to ramp up the processes required to manage the core. The core shed was cleaned and prepared to receive the equipment. Saw machines, weighing scales and other equipment was purchased and the Salobo Operations laboratory had to build a separate preparation line to prepare the new core. A new core shed is being built in the town of Parauapebas which the mine will transition to when completed.

All sampling and analyses backlog from 2017, 2018 and 2019 was concluded during 2020. The December 31, 2020 block model update included 27,000 new samples covering all mine phases. Updates of the long-range Mineral Resource model are also based on the short-range production reconciliation results. Blasthole information is used to update long-range geological model contours in the mined-out zone.

Mineral Resource modeling for Salobo utilizes drilling data, enhanced knowledge of metallurgical processing, geology and mineralization, and refined interpolation parameters. The geologic and Mineral Resource models were constructed using GEMSTM and Isatis® software. The estimated Mineral Resources are then converted to Mineral Reserves using long term mine planning techniques and quoted above a cutoff grade of 0.253% Cu equivalent (CuEq).

Only diamond drill hole composites form the database and are considered in building the Mineral Resource model for the Salobo deposit.

Mineral resources were classified as Measured, Indicated and Inferred in accordance with 2014 CIM Definition Standards. Vale's geologic and block models have been peer reviewed via external audits. No inferred resources are converted to Mineral Reserves.

Mining Operations

The Salobo mine utilizes standard open pit methods, developed in 15 metre benches, with trucks and shovels. After drilling and blasting the material, cable shovels, large front-end loaders and hydraulic excavators are used to load this material. A fleet of 240 tonne and 360 tonne trucks are used to haul the waste material to waste dumps proximal to the pit or ore material to the primary crusher. Lower grade ore is stockpiled for later processing.

The mine planning objective is to mine the ore sequentially in mining phases, considering the largest possible vertical spacing between phases. The plan is to provide an approximately steady annual production of 36.0 million tonnes to the mill. Initial production from the expansion is expected in January 2022.

The ultimate pit was designed in 2017 based on the 2016 Whittle pit optimization results and incorporating the revised pit wall designs.

After estimating Mineral Reserves, a practical and executable production schedule is developed by short and long term mine planning teams. The ultimate pit has been subdivided into eight phases two of which have been mined out, the remaining six phases form the basis of the LOM.

In general, the phases have been sequentially scheduled with a maximum ore plus waste production rate of 126 million tonnes per year feeding 36.0 million tonnes of ore to the processing plant. This plan achieves the 36 million tonnes per year plant throughput by processing a portion of the material that would have been stockpiled in the previous 24 million tonnes per year production plan. Maintaining the high-grade strategy used in the 24 million tonnes per year plan would require increasing mine production by purchasing additional equipment and hiring personnel which are not currently planned but may be considered in the future.

The open pit mine life is approximately 24 years, ending in 2044. However, the process plant will continue to operate by reclaiming stockpiled material until 2052. Phasing of the open pit development and application of the cutoff grade strategy allows higher grade ore (above 0.90% Cu) to be processed in the initial years of the operation.

Once the stockpile has been reclaimed, there are additional mineral resources in the Salobo pit that could sustain the operation for another 10 years.

Recovery Methods

The process flowsheet has evolved through the various study phases of the Salobo mine, incorporating the additional knowledge gained from metallurgical testwork and the relative importance of the identified lithologies in the Mineral Resource and Mineral Reserve estimates. In particular, the following stages of the Salobo mine development contributed to the evolution of the retained flowsheet.

- The CVRD and Anglo American testwork program, from 1986–1987, provided the basis for a prefeasibility study completed by Bechtel in 1988. At this stage, fluorine contamination of the concentrate was recognized.
- The SMSA testwork program, culminating in a pilot plant campaign at the CRC, performed between 1993 and 1998, provided additional data for a final feasibility study completed by Bechtel.
- Locked-cycle flotation tests, flotation variability, and grinding studies, completed in 2003 and 2004, were used by Fluor Daniel to complete a second feasibility study in 2004, which evaluated production scenarios at 12 M/ta and 24 Mt/a.
- A trade-off study using high-pressure grinding rolls (HPGR) for tertiary crushing as an alternative to conventional semi-autogenous grinding (SAG), conducted from 2005–2006. The data thus collected were used by Kvaerner to prepare a trade-off study, from which the HPGR approach was adopted.

HPGR were retained instead of SAG mills because of the high magnetite (and copper) content of critical-size pebbles that would have been removed with the magnet protecting the pebble crushers, and therefore requiring additional re-handling (per Vale's experience at Sossego). In addition, the relatively high ore hardness and its expected variability as different mixtures of ore lithologies are introduced as plant feed, would have caused high-frequency variability in plant throughput in a typical SAG mill–ball mill–pebble crusher (SABC) circuit.

Phase I of the Salobo plant (Salobo I) was designed to process 12 Mt/a of ore, to produce approximately 100 kilotonnes of copper-in-concentrate annually. Production commenced in June, 2012.

The Salobo II plant permitted a doubling of the nominal plant throughput, to 24 Mt/a, with an annualized copper-in-concentrate production of approximately 200 kilotonnes. The Salobo II plant was commissioned in June 2014 and is basically a mirror-image of Salobo I, i.e. essentially two identical, parallel, production lines.

Salobo I and II are designed to operate 365 days per year, 24 hours per day and with a targeted 90% of actual operating time, accounting for availability and utilization.

Apart from the inclusion of HPGR for tertiary crushing duty, ahead of ball milling, the circuit is conventional, but with the flotation cleaning circuit making extensive use of flotation columns, to reduce entrainment of F-bearing non-sulphide gangue minerals such as fluorite and biotite.

The existing processing plants, line 1 and line 2 (Salobo I and II), have proven capable of processing nominally 12 Mt of ore annually each. Vale have decided to increase the ore processing capacity to a total of 36 Mtpa by the implementation of the Salobo III Project.

A summary of the main unit processing operations at Salobo I and II follows:

Run-of-mine ore at 2.5 metre top size is hauled in 240 tonne trucks and crushed in one of two 60" x 89" primary gyratory crushers. Primary crushed ore is conveyed to a common crushed ore stockpile which has a live capacity of approximately 24,800 tonnes and a total capacity of 73,400 tonnes.

Four coarse ore stockpile reclaim feeders are used to feed the secondary crushing circuit consisting of two MP-100 cone crushers and conveyors and screens to produce a product with sizing 80% passing 38 millimetres.

Secondary-crushed product is then conveyed in a two kilometre long pipe conveyor to the secondary crushed ore stockpile. This stockpile has a total capacity of approximately 171,000 tonnes and a live capacity of about 75,000 tonnes.

Two parallel lines of four operating reclaim feeders each are then used to reclaim the crushed ore and deliver it to the HPGR circuit.

Each of the four HPGR units has a two metre diameter drum by 1.5 metre wide. The maximum feed size is 55 milimetres and the HPGR product is exhibiting 80% passing 17 milimetres. The crushed HPGR product is screened with the undersize, at 80% passing six milimetres being combined with ball mill discharge.

Ball mill discharge and HPGR product are classified by hydrocyclones to a product of 80% passing 106 microns hydrocyclones, of which seven are typically operating. Hydrocyclone underflow is fed by gravity to an overflow. Each of the four ball mills are 7.9 metres diameter by 12.2 metres long, equipped with a 17 MW gearless motor.

The flotation circuit is of conventional design but the cleaning circuit is making extensive use of column flotation, in order to improve rejection of gangue contaminants carrying fluorine values. Lime is added at the front end of the circuit to raise the pH to about 10. Addition of NaHS previously was made ahead of roughing so as to clean the surfaces of the bornite and increase its recovery. PAX and a dithiophosphate are used as the primary and secondary collectors, respectively. Frothing is provided by propylene glycol and methyl isobutyl carbinol (MIBC).

Rougher and scavenger flotation is carried out in four parallel lines (one for each ball mill) of two cells each. Staged Flotation Reactors (SFR's) have been installed on the rougher tailings. The concentrate from the SFR's reports to concentrate regrinding. SFR tailings gravitate to the tailings storage facility (TSF), while the concentrate advances to the regrinding circuit. The cleaning circuit is divided into three upgrading stages of column flotation cells and closed by a cleaner-scavenger bank of conventional agitated cells. The arrangement of each upgrading stage is typical, whereas the concentrate of one stage advances to the next one and the tailings are moved back to the previous stage. Exceptions are found with the Cleaner 1 tailings, proceeding to the cleaner-scavenger and Cleaner 3 concentrate, which is the final concentrate.

The cleaner-scavenger concentrate is combined with the second Rougher concentrate and undergoes regrinding in one of four vertical mills fitted with 1.1 MW motors. These mills, filled with 20 milimetre diameter steel grinding media, are operated in closed-circuit with one dedicated cyclone cluster per mill, ensuring a regrinding circuit product at 80% passing 20 μm .

The final concentrate exiting Cleaner 3 is pumped to one of two 15 metre diameter high-capacity thickener, producing an underflow slurry at 65% solids. This slurry is transferred to a surge tank ahead of the concentrate filters.

The concentrate is dewatered further through the use of four pressure filters, each with a horizontal frame holding 50 plates of 1,500 milimetre x 1,500 milimetre. A typical filtration cycle lasts 18 minutes. The filtered concentrate has a residual moisture content of about 11%. It is stockpiled below the filters in a covered concentrate storage area holding 6,000 tonnes.

Concentrate is reclaimed by front-end loader and loaded into trucks at a nominal rate of 1,500 wet metric tonnes per day. The concentrate is weighed to about 27 wmt in the trucks using a static scale and delivered to a rail spur storage area at the town of Parauapebas, some 94 kilometres away. The warehouse can hold 16 kilotonnes of concentrate, allowing for blending when required. The concentrate is reclaimed by front-end loader and loaded into 80–90 wmt railcars carrying it to the port of Itaqui, in São Luís, in trains of 100 railcars. The concentrate is stored there in an enclosure with a capacity of 50 kilotonnes, while awaiting loading into boats at a rate of 1,100 wmt/h. Sampling of the concentrate is carried out at the Port of Itaqui, in lots of 500 wmt, when the material is reclaimed by loader and placed on the conveyor system feeding it into ships. Shipment weights can vary from 13 kilotonnes to 45 kilotonnes, with two to three shipments completed per month.

The combined flotation circuit tailings (Rougher 2 and cleaner-scavenger tailings) flow by gravity from the plant to the TSF, located directly north of the processing plant. Tailings are dumped from a single-point discharge and create a beach on the south side of the dam. Over the mine life, several phases of dam raising with mine waste will be required to provide the required storage volume. Vertical pumps installed on pontoons pump recycled tailings water back to the process plant, accounting for over 95% of the total process water requirements.

The Salobo III Project includes all equipment and unit operations necessary for the processing of copper ore from the receipt of ROM in primary crushing to the storage of concentrate at the plant, including all utilities, infrastructure and operational and administrative support functions.

The process route is very similar to the existing processing plant and basically consists of the stages of comminution (crushing and grinding), classification (wet screening and cycloning), concentration (flotation), regrinding and solid-liquid separation (thickening and filtering). New facilities for all of the major unit operations will be constructed with the exception of concentrate filtration, storage and load out where the existing facilities will be expanded.

At the new plant, the ore will be transported from the mine or temporary stockpile by the mine's off-road trucks and will pass through the primary crushing stages (gyratory crusher) to a stock-pile, primary screening in a closed circuit with cone crushers and transported through long distance conveyors (TCLD) to the concentration plant. Ore is then recovered from the pile and crushed through high-pressure grinding roll (HPGR), in a closed circuit with secondary wet screening, and ball mill grinding. The grinding product will feed the flotation circuit composed of cells, columns and vertical regrinding mills. The concentrate will be thickened and filtered. The tailings will be sent by gravity to the impoundment. Modifications in the design basis have been incorporated to provide more surge capacity throughout the beneficiation plant circuit which will provide enhanced operability.

Production Information

Capital and Operating Costs

The table below summarizes the capital expenditures for 2019 and 2020 as well as the five-year plan. A total of US\$599.4 M will be invested in sustaining capital over the next five years for mine and processing plant improvement and upgrades (equipment, materials, spare parts, etc.), health, safety, and environmental sustaining expenditures relating to dam works.

The Salobo III Project construction began in 2019 with production ramp-up planned for 2022. The total remaining capital expenditure is estimated to be US\$469.7 M. The Salobo III Project is expected to increase processing plant capacity at Salobo to 36 M tonnes per annum in 2022.

Item	2019 Actual	2020 Actual	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Growth – Salobo III	143.65	210.29	261.26	208.41	-	-	-
Sustaining	106.93	104.42	116.24	211.10	181.84	113.31	95.72
Mine	48.50	42.85	43.69	117.36	102.70	63.41	58.23
Processing Plant	17.52	14.05	14.45	27.44	25.67	19.97	13.35
Dikes and Dams	17.05	12.68	15.68	21.51	23.92	23.04	17.59
Logistics	2.05	4.64	6.52	0.20	2.18	1.20	1.30
Others	21.82	30.20	35.90	44.61	27.39	5.69	5.26
Total (US\$ M)	250.58	314.70	377.51	419.51	181.84	113.31	95.72

Notes:

(1) Full cash operating costs per tonne Cu – excludes only amortization and depreciation

The following table lists the forecasted LoMP unit operating costs. Total annual costs are divided by total mine movement to determine the operating unit costs as an output.

Cost (US\$ M)	2019 Actual	2020 Actual	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Mine	352.63	266.31	295.33	330.08	339.04	342.12	319.85
Processing Plant	168.64	147.14	140.17	205.74	224.66	228.99	229.50
Other Costs ⁽¹⁾	73.70	73.40	65.90	84.33	84.94	81.86	81.58
Total	594.96	486.86	501.40	620.15	648.64	652.97	630.93
Tonnes Cu	189,420	172,740	190,760	226,860	252,080	234,890	227,270
Cost per Tonne Cu	3,141	2,819	2,628	2,734	2,573	2,780	2,776

Notes:

(1) Excludes Ocean Freight

Gold Production

The following table summarizes 2012 to 2020 production (100% basis) from the Salobo mine.

Year	Tonnage		Feed Grades		Concentrate		
	(kt)		Cu (%)	Au (g/t)	Tonnage (t)	Cu (%)	Au (g/t)
2012	1,816		1.13	0.74	32,231	40.8	20.44
2013	7,366		1.09	0.76	165,471	39.4	21.92
2014	12,474		0.97	0.62	255,511	38.5	19.51
2015	20,288		0.88	0.57	402,592	38.6	19.41
2016	21,401		0.94	0.67	445,238	39.5	22.18
2017	23,650		0.95	0.67	498,172	38.8	21.63
2018	23,657		0.95	0.66	509,811	37.8	22.05
2019	22,486		0.97	0.68	509,778	37.2	22.47
2020	20,468		0.97	0.66	468,598	36.9	21.94

DIVIDENDS

Under the Company's dividend policy, the quarterly dividend per Common Share is targeted to equal approximately 30% of the average cash generated by operating activities in the previous four quarters divided by the then outstanding number of Common Shares, all rounded to the nearest cent.

The declaration, timing, amount and payment of dividends remains at the discretion of the Company's Board of Directors and will depend on the Company's cash requirements, future prospects and other factors deemed relevant by the Board of Directors.

A quarterly dividend of \$0.09 per share was paid to holders of record of the Common Shares as of the close of business on April 6, 2018 for the first quarter of 2018. A second quarterly dividend of \$0.09 per share was paid to holders of record of the Common Shares as of the close of business on May 25, 2018. A third quarterly dividend of \$0.09 per share was paid to holders of record of the Common Shares as of the close of business on August 29, 2018. A fourth quarterly dividend of \$0.09 per share was paid to holders of record of the Common Shares as of the close of business on November 30, 2018. The total of dividends paid during 2018 was \$0.36 per Common Share.

Wheaton paid a total of \$0.42 per Common Share in dividends in 2020.

A quarterly dividend of \$0.09 per share was paid to holders of record of the Common Shares as of the close of business on April 18, 2019 for the first quarter of 2019. A second quarterly dividend of \$0.09 per share was paid to holders of record of the Common Shares as of the close of business on May 24, 2019. A third quarterly dividend of \$0.09 per share was paid to holders of record of the Common Shares as of the close of business on August 23, 2019. A fourth quarterly dividend of \$0.09 per share was paid to holders of record of the Common Shares as of the close of business on December 16, 2019. The total of dividends paid during 2019 was \$0.36 per Common Share.

A quarterly dividend of \$0.10 per share was paid to holders of record of the Common Shares as of the close of business on March 26, 2020 for the first quarter of 2020. A second quarterly dividend of \$0.10 per share was paid to holders of record of the Common Shares as of the close of business on May 22, 2020. A third quarterly dividend of \$0.10 per share was paid to holders of record of the Common Shares as of the close of business on August 27, 2020. A fourth quarterly dividend of \$0.12 per share was paid to holders of record of the Common Shares as of the close of business on November 25, 2020. The total of dividends paid during 2020 was \$0.42 per Common Share.

Wheaton has set a minimum quarterly dividend of \$0.13 per common share for the duration of 2021 representing a 30% increase relative to 2020.

Effective March 20, 2014, the Company adopted a Dividend Reinvestment Plan. The Dividend Reinvestment Plan was effective commencing with the second quarterly dividend of 2014. A total of 1,461,074 Common Shares were issued under the Dividend Reinvestment Plan during 2018, a total of 1,261,667 Common Shares were issued under the Dividend Reinvestment Plan during 2019 and a total of 502,193 Common Shares were issued under the Dividend Reinvestment Plan during 2020.

DESCRIPTION OF CAPITAL STRUCTURE

Authorized Capital

The authorized share capital of the Company consists of an unlimited number of Common Shares and an unlimited number of preference shares (the "Preference Shares"), issuable in series. As of March 29, 2021, 449,828,074 Common Shares and no Preference Shares were issued and outstanding.

The Company issued common share purchase warrants to Vale (the “Vale Warrants”), which are exercisable to acquire one Common Share until February 28, 2023. The exercise price for the Vale Warrants was reduced during 2016 from \$65.00 to \$43.75 in connection with the Second Amended Salobo PMPA. The exercise price and the number of Common Shares issuable upon exercise are both subject to adjustment in certain circumstances. No fractional Common Shares will be issuable upon the exercise of any Vale Warrants, and no cash or other consideration will be paid in lieu of fractional shares. Holders of Vale Warrants will not have any voting rights or any other rights which a holder of Common Shares would have. The Vale Warrants are authorized to be issued under a warrant indenture entered into between the Company and Canadian Stock Transfer Company dated February 28, 2013 and amended as of August 2, 2016. As of March 29, 2021, 10,000,000 Vale Warrants were issued and outstanding. The Vale Warrants have been, and may in the future be, transferred to a third party.

Common Shares

Holders of Common Shares are entitled to receive notice of any meetings of shareholders of the Company, to attend and to cast one vote per Common Share at all such meetings. Holders of Common Shares do not have cumulative voting rights with respect to the election of directors and, accordingly, holders of a majority of the Common Shares entitled to vote in any election of directors may elect all directors standing for election. The Company has adopted advance notice provisions for the nomination of directors which apply in circumstances where director nominations are made by shareholders of the Company, other than in connection with (i) the requisition of a shareholders’ meeting, or (ii) a shareholder proposal, in each case made pursuant to the Act. The advance notice provisions fix a deadline by which holders of record of Common Shares must submit director nominations to the Company prior to any annual or special meeting of shareholders and sets forth the information that a shareholder must include in the notice to the Company.

Holders of Common Shares are entitled to receive on a pro rata basis such dividends, if any, as and when declared by the Company’s Board of Directors at its discretion from funds legally available therefor and upon the liquidation, dissolution or winding up of the Company are entitled to receive on a pro rata basis the net assets of the Company after payment of debts and other liabilities, in each case subject to the rights, privileges, restrictions and conditions attaching to any other series or class of shares ranking senior in priority to or on a pro rata basis with the holders of Common Shares with respect to dividends or liquidation. Although the articles of the Company provide for the potential issuance of Preference Shares, there is currently no other series or class of shares outstanding which ranks senior in priority to the Common Shares. The Common Shares do not carry any pre-emptive, subscription, redemption or conversion rights, nor do the Common Shares contain any sinking or purchase fund provisions.

Preference Shares

The Preference Shares may, at any time or from time to time, be issued in one or more series. The Company’s Board of Directors shall fix before issue, the number of, the consideration per share of, the designation of, and the provisions attaching to the shares of each series. Except as required by law or as otherwise determined by the Company’s Board of Directors in respect of a series of shares, the holder of a Preference Share shall not be entitled to vote at meetings of shareholders. The Preference Shares of each series rank on a priority with the Preference Shares of every other series and are entitled to preference over the Common Shares and any other shares ranking subordinate to the Preference Shares with respect to priority and payment of dividends and distribution of assets in the event of liquidation, dissolution or winding-up of the Company.

TRADING PRICE AND VOLUME

Common Shares

The Common Shares are listed and posted for trading on the TSX, the NYSE and LSE under the symbol “WPM”. The following table sets forth information relating to the monthly high and low closing prices and volume of the Common Shares on the TSX for the most recently completed financial year.

Month	High (C\$)	Low (C\$)	Volume
January 2020	\$39.06	\$35.84	16,505,190
February 2020	\$44.28	\$37.81	24,870,063
March 2020	\$41.63	\$33.47	61,802,619
April 2020	\$56.06	\$38.99	34,898,910
May 2020	\$65.04	\$57.84	27,217,544
June 2020	\$59.71	\$50.65	40,000,613
July 2020	\$75.14	\$58.46	25,276,874
August 2020	\$74.83	\$65.50	24,414,913
September 2020	\$72.18	\$63.17	24,889,931
October 2020	\$66.95	\$58.9	19,562,356
November 2020	\$65.61	\$49.91	33,861,058
December 2020	\$54.96	\$51.28	31,212,746

The price of the Common Shares as quoted by the TSX at the close of business on December 31, 2020 (being the last trading day of 2020) was C\$53.16 and on March 29, 2021 was C\$48.19.

DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

The following table sets forth the name, province/state and country of residence, position(s) held with the Company and principal occupation of each person who is a director and/or an executive officer of the Company as of the date of this annual information form.

Name, Province/State and Country of Residence	Position(s) with the Company	Principal Occupation
Douglas M. Holtby British Columbia, Canada	Chair of the Board and Director since April 2006 ⁽⁴⁾	Corporate Director
George L. Brack ⁽³⁾ British Columbia, Canada	Director since November 2009 ⁽⁴⁾	Corporate Director
John A. Brough ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾ Ontario, Canada	Director since October 2004 ⁽⁴⁾	Corporate Director
R. Peter Gillin ⁽²⁾ Ontario, Canada	Director since October 2004 ⁽⁴⁾	Corporate Director
Chantal Gosselin ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾ Ontario, Canada	Director since November 2013 ⁽⁴⁾	Corporate Director
Glenn A. Ives British Columbia, Canada	Director since May 2020	Corporate Director
Charles A. Jeannes ⁽²⁾ Nevada, USA	Director since November 2016 ⁽⁴⁾	Corporate Director
Eduardo Luna ⁽²⁾ Mexico City, Mexico	Director since December 2004 ⁽⁴⁾	Corporate Director
Marilyn Schonberner ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾ Alberta, Canada	Director since February 2018 ⁽⁴⁾	Corporate Director
Randy V. J. Smallwood British Columbia, Canada	President, Chief Executive Officer and Director Director since May 2011 ⁽⁴⁾	President and Chief Executive Officer of Wheaton
Gary D. Brown British Columbia, Canada	Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer	Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of Wheaton
Curt D. Bernardi British Columbia, Canada	Senior Vice President, Legal and Corporate Secretary	Senior Vice President, Legal and Corporate Secretary of Wheaton
Haytham H. Hodaly British Columbia, Canada	Senior Vice President, Corporate Development	Senior Vice President, Corporate Development of Wheaton
Patrick E. Drouin British Columbia, Canada	Senior Vice President, Investor Relations	Senior Vice President, Investor Relations of Wheaton

(1) Member of the Audit Committee. Mr. John A. Brough is the Chair of the Audit Committee.

(2) Member of the Human Resources Committee. Mr. R. Peter Gillin is the Chair of the Human Resources Committee.

(3) Member of the Governance and Sustainability Committee. Mr. George Brack is the Chair of the Governance and Sustainability Committee.

(4) Directors are elected at each annual meeting of Wheaton's shareholders and serve as such until the next annual meeting or until their successors are elected or appointed.

The principal occupations, businesses or employments of each of the Company's directors and executive officers within the past five years are disclosed in the brief biographies set forth below.

Douglas M. Holtby – Chair of the Board and Director. Mr. Holtby is currently President and Chief Executive Officer of Holtby Capital Corporation, a private investment company. Mr. Holtby was a Director of Goldcorp from 2005 to April 2016 and during that time served as the Chair, Vice-Chair and Lead Director, as a member of the Governance Committee and the Audit Committee and as Chair of the Compensation Committee. From June 1989 to June 1996 Mr. Holtby was President, Chief Executive Officer and a director of WIC Western International Communications Ltd., from 1989 to 1996 he was Chairman of Canadian Satellite Communications Inc., from 1998 to 1999 he was a Trustee of ROB.TV and CKVU, from 1974 to 1989 he was President of Allarcom Limited and, from 1982 to 1989 he was President of Allarcom Pay Television Limited. Mr. Holtby is a Fellow Chartered Accountant, and a graduate of the Institute of Corporate Directors – Director Education Program at the University of Toronto, Rotman School of Management. Mr. Holtby is also a National Association of Corporate Directors Board Leadership Fellow.

George L. Brack – Director. Mr. Brack serves as the non-Executive Chair of Capstone. In addition to his current board roles, during the past 19 years, Mr. Brack served as a director on the boards of directors of Alio Gold Inc., ValOro Resources Inc. (now Defiance Silver Corp. and formerly Geologix Explorations Inc.), Aurizon Mines Ltd., Newstrike Capital Inc., NovaGold Resources Inc., Red Back Mining Inc. and chaired the board of Alexco Resources Corp. He has served on audit committees and has been both a member and the chair of compensation/human resource committees, corporate governance committees and special committees responding to takeover offers (Aurizon, Red Back and NovaGold). Mr. Brack's 35 year career in the mining industry focused on exploration, corporate development and investment banking, specifically identifying, evaluating and executing strategic mergers and acquisitions, and raising equity capital. Until 2009, he was Managing Director and Industry Head, Mining at Scotia Capital. Prior to joining Scotia in 2006, Mr. Brack spent seven years as President of Macquarie North America Ltd. and lead its northern hemisphere mining industry mergers and acquisitions advisory business. Previously, Mr. Brack was Vice President, Corporate Development at Placer Dome Inc., Vice President in the mining investment banking group at CIBC Wood Gundy and worked on the corporate development team at Rio Algom. Mr. Brack earned an MBA at York University, a B.A.Sc. in Geological Engineering at the University of Toronto and the CFA designation.

John A. Brough – Director. Mr. Brough had been President of both Torwest, Inc. and Wittington Properties Limited, real estate development companies, from 1998 to December 31, 2007, upon his retirement. Prior thereto, from 1996 to 1998, Mr. Brough was Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of iSTAR Internet, Inc. Prior thereto, from 1974 to 1996, he held a number of positions with Markborough Properties, Inc., his final position being Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer which position he held from 1986 to 1996. Mr. Brough is an executive with over 40 years of experience in the real estate industry. He is currently a director and Chairman of the Audit Committee and Lead Director of First National Financial Corporation. Mr. Brough was formerly a director and Chairman of the Audit and Risk Committee of Kinross Gold Corporation from 1994 to 2020 and formerly a director and Chairman of the Audit Committee of Canadian Real Estate Investment Trust from 2008-2018. He holds a Bachelor of Arts degree (Economics) from the University of Toronto and is a Chartered Professional Accountant and a Chartered Accountant. He is also a graduate of the Institute of Corporate Directors – Director Education Program at the University of Toronto, Rotman School of Management. Mr. Brough is a member of the Institute of Corporate Directors and Chartered Professional Accountants of Ontario and Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada.

R. Peter Gillin – Director. Mr. Gillin is a corporate director serving on the Boards of several public companies. Mr. Gillin has been a director of Turquoise Hill Resources Ltd. since May 2012 and was appointed Chairman in January 2017. He also has served as a director of Dundee Precious Metals Inc. since December 2009 (Deputy Chair since February 2021 and lead director from May 2013 to February 2021) and was appointed as a member of the Advisory Committee for Non-Investment Funds of TD Asset Management Alternative Inc. in August 2020. He is a member of the Advisory Board and Independent Review Committee of Strathbridge Funds. Previously, Mr. Gillin served as a director of TD Mutual Funds Corporate Class Ltd. from 2010 to August 2020 and was a member of the Independent Review Committee of TD Asset Management Inc. from 2003 to June 2020. Mr. Gillin formerly served as a director of Sherritt International Corporation from January 2010 to June 2019 (lead director from June 2017). From December 2005 to September 2012, Mr. Gillin was a director of Trillium Health Care Products Inc. (a private company). From April 2008 to March 2009, Mr. Gillin was a director of HudBay Minerals Inc. and until 2009 was Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Tahera Diamond Corporation, a diamond exploration, development and production company. Mr. Gillin was President and Chief Executive Officer of Zemex Corporation, an industrial minerals producer. Until 2002, Mr. Gillin was Vice Chairman and a director of N.M. Rothschild & Sons Canada Limited, an investment bank. He holds an HBA degree from the Richard Ivey School of Business at the University of Western Ontario and is a Chartered Financial Analyst. He is also a graduate of the Institute of Corporate Directors – Director Education Program at the University of Toronto, Rotman School of Management and has earned the designation of ICD.D from the Institute of Corporate Directors.

Chantal Gosselin – Director. Ms. Gosselin is an experienced corporate board member with 30 years combined experience in mining operations and capital markets. Her involvement in the financial markets ranges from asset management to sell side analyst. Ms. Gosselin recently held positions as Vice President and Portfolio Manager at Goodman Investment Counsel and Senior Mining Analyst at Sun Valley Gold LLP, along with various analyst positions earlier in her career. Ms. Gosselin also held various mine-site management positions in Canada, Peru and Nicaragua, giving her firsthand experience in underground and open pit mine development and production in diverse cultural and social environments. Ms. Gosselin has a Masters of Business Administration from Concordia University and a Bachelor of Science (Mining Engineering) from Laval University and has completed the Institute of Corporate Directors Program. She currently serves on the boards of a variety of TSX-listed companies in the natural resources sectors.

Glenn A. Ives – Director. Mr. Ives joined the Board of Wheaton in May 2020. Mr. Ives retired as a Canadian partner of Deloitte LLP on March 31, 2020. He served as the Executive Chair of Deloitte Canada from 2010 and 2018, a director of Deloitte Global from 2010 to 2018 and Chair of the Deloitte Global Risk Committee from 2012 to 2018. Mr. Ives was the leader of the North and South America Mining group for Deloitte from 2007 to 2020. He served as an audit partner at Deloitte serving public mining companies from 1999 to 2010. Mr. Ives was also appointed as a director of Kinross Gold Corporation in May 2020. From 1993 to 1999, Mr. Ives was the Chief Financial Officer and a Director of Vengold Inc. He served as a director of Lihir Gold Inc. from 1997 to 1999. Mr. Ives served as the Vice-President of Finance of TVX Gold Inc. from 1988 to 1993. Mr. Ives has extensive corporate governance experience with non-profit organizations including serving as a director of the Princess Margaret Cancer Foundation from 2010 to 2019 and Chairman from 2016 to 2018. Mr. Ives holds a Bachelor of Mathematics degree (honors) from the University of Waterloo, graduating on the Dean's Honor List. He is a Fellow of the Chartered Professional Accountants of British Columbia, a member of the Chartered Professional Accountants of Ontario and was the Ontario Gold medalist for the Uniform Final Exams in 1984. Mr. Ives is also a member of the Institute of Corporate Directors.

Charles A. Jeannes – Director. Mr. Jeannes joined the Board of Wheaton in November 2016. Mr. Jeannes is a mining industry veteran with over 30 years of experience. As President and CEO of Goldcorp Inc. (now Newmont) from December 2008 to April 2016, he led Goldcorp's development into one of the world's largest and most successful gold mining companies with mining operations and development projects located throughout the Americas. Mr. Jeannes formerly held the role of Executive Vice President, Corporate Development of Goldcorp where he managed a series of M&A transactions that contributed to the company's significant growth. Prior to joining Goldcorp, Mr. Jeannes held senior positions with Glamis Gold Ltd. and Placer Dome Inc. Mr. Jeannes was formerly a director of Tahoe Resources Inc. until its acquisition by PAAS in early 2019 and currently serves as a director of PAAS and Chair of Orla Mining Ltd. He holds a B.A. degree from the University of Nevada (1980) and graduated from the University of Arizona College of Law with honors in 1983. He practiced law for 11 years and has broad experience in capital markets, mergers and acquisitions, public and private financing and international operations. Mr. Jeannes has received numerous awards including British Columbia CEO of the Year for 2013, Canada's Most Admired CEO for 2015, 2016 Alumnus of the Year for the University of Nevada and 2015 Alumnus of the Year for the University of Arizona College of Law. Mr. Jeannes is involved in various philanthropic activities and currently serves as a Trustee of the University of Nevada, Reno Foundation.

Eduardo Luna – Director. Mr. Luna is currently a Director and Chairman of Rochester Resources Ltd. ("Rochester"), a junior natural resources company and Coeur Mining, Inc., a precious metals mining company. Mr. Luna was previously Chief Executive Officer of Rochester from August 2007 to March 2018. Mr. Luna was Chair of the Company from October 2004 to May 2009 (and was Interim Chief Executive Officer of the Company from October 2004 to April 2006), Executive Vice President of Wheaton River Minerals Ltd. from June 2002 to April 2005, Executive Vice President of Goldcorp from March 2005 to September 2007 and President of Luismin, S.A. de C.V. from 1991 to 2007. Mr. Luna also previously served as a Director of Primero from 2008 to 2016 and during that time held senior positions including Executive Vice President and President (Mexico), Co-Chair, and President and Chief Operating Officer. Mr. Luna previously served as a Director of DynaResource, Inc. from March 2017 until November 2019. He holds a degree in Advanced Management from Harvard University, an MBA from Instituto Tecnológico de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey and a Bachelor of Science in Mining Engineering from Universidad de Guanajuato. He held various executive positions with Minera Autlan for seven years and with Industrias Peñoles for five years. He is the former President of the Mexican Mining Chamber and the former President of the Silver Institute. He was recently inducted into the Mexico Mining Hall of Fame and serves as Chairman of the Advisory Board of the Faculty of Mines at the University of Guanajuato.

Marilyn Schonberner – Director. Ms. Schonberner is a Corporate Director with over thirty-five years of international experience in the Energy and Mining sectors. She retired in 2016 as the Chief Financial Officer of Nexen Energy ULC. During her 21-year career with Nexen, she held various executive roles with responsibility for financial and risk management, audit, human resources, strategic planning and budgeting, supply chain, and information services. Ms.

Schonberner currently serves on the board of directors of New Gold Inc. and she is a member of the Executive Committee of the Calgary Chapter of the Institute of Corporate Directors. She holds a Bachelor of Commerce from the University of Alberta and a Master of Business Administration from the University of Calgary. She is a CPA, CMA and a Certified Internal Auditor. Ms. Schonberner completed the Senior Executive Development Programme at the London Business School and has obtained the ICD.D designation from the Institute of Corporate Directors.

Randy V. J. Smallwood – President, Chief Executive Officer and Director. Mr. Smallwood holds a geological engineering degree from the University of British Columbia and a mine engineering diploma from the British Columbia Institute of Technology. Mr. Smallwood was involved in the founding of Wheaton and in 2007, he joined Wheaton full time as Executive Vice President of Corporate Development, primarily focusing on growing the Company through the evaluation and acquisition of silver stream opportunities. In January 2010 he was appointed President, and in April 2011 he was appointed Wheaton's Chief Executive Officer. Mr. Smallwood originally started as an exploration geologist with Wheaton River Minerals Ltd., and in 2001 was promoted to Director of Project Development, his role through its 2005 merger with Goldcorp. Mr. Smallwood was an instrumental part of the team that built Wheaton River / Goldcorp into one of the largest, and more importantly, one of the most profitable gold companies in the world, and he is now focused on continuing to add to the impressive growth profile of Wheaton. Mr. Smallwood formerly served on the boards of Defiance Silver Corp. (formerly ValOro Resources Inc. and Geologix Explorations Inc.) from 2005 to 2019, Ventana Gold from 2008 to 2011, Castle Peak Resources from 2010 to 2012, and Tigray Resources Inc. from 2011 to 2014. Mr. Smallwood is also a board member of Special Olympics BC and Mining4Life, is co-chairman of MineralsEd BC, and previously served on the board of the BC Cancer Foundation. In 2015, Mr. Smallwood received the British Columbia Institute of Technology Distinguished Alumni Award. On September 3, 2020, Mr. Smallwood was appointed as the chair of the World Gold Council.

Gary D. Brown – Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer. Mr. Brown joined the Company in June 2008. Prior to Wheaton, he was the Chief Financial Officer of TIR Systems Ltd. and has also held senior finance roles with CAE Inc., Westcoast Energy Inc., and Creo Inc. Mr. Brown brings over 30 years of experience as a finance professional and holds professional designations as a Chartered Professional Accountant and a Chartered Financial Analyst as well as having earned a Masters Degree in Accounting from the University of Waterloo. Mr. Brown is also a director of Global Battery Metals Ltd. (formerly Redzone Resources Ltd.), a position he has held since 2011.

Curt D. Bernardi – Senior Vice President, Legal and Corporate Secretary. Mr. Bernardi joined the Company in 2008 and has been practicing law since his call to the British Columbia bar in 1994. He worked for the law firm of Blake, Cassels & Graydon in the areas of corporate finance, mergers and acquisitions and general corporate law until leaving to join Westcoast Energy in 1998. Following the acquisition of Westcoast Energy by Duke Energy in 2002, Mr. Bernardi continued to work for Duke Energy Gas Transmission as in-house legal counsel, working primarily on reorganizations, mergers and acquisitions, joint ventures and general corporate/commercial work. In 2005, Mr. Bernardi joined Union Gas as their Director, Legal Affairs and was responsible for legal matters affecting Union Gas. Mr. Bernardi has served as a Director on the Board of the Lions Gate Hospital Foundation since September 2016. He also sits on the Governance and Nominating Committee and is Chair of the Patient Experience Fund. In 2015, Mr. Bernardi received the Western Canada General Counsel Award for Deal Making for outstanding performance in successfully completing complex transactions. He obtained his Bachelor of Commerce from the University of British Columbia and his Bachelor of Law from the University of Toronto.

Haytham H. Hodaly – Senior Vice President, Corporate Development. Mr. Hodaly is currently the Senior Vice President, Corporate Development of the Company and brings with him more than 25 years of experience in analyzing mining opportunities. He joined the Company in 2012 and has since been involved with more than \$7.0 billion worth of streaming transactions. Prior to joining the Company, Mr. Hodaly had spent more than 16 years in the North American securities industry, most recently as Director and Mining Analyst, Global Mining Research, at RBC Capital Markets. Prior to this, Mr. Hodaly held the position of Co-Director of Research and Senior Mining Analyst at Salman Partners Inc., in addition to holding the titles of Vice President and Director of the firm. Mr. Hodaly is an engineer with a Bachelor of Applied Science in Mining and Mineral Processing Engineering and a Master of Engineering, specializing in Mineral Economics, both obtained from the University of British Columbia. Mr. Hodaly is also a Director of GoldSource Mines Inc., a position he has held since 2017, a Director of the Denver Gold Group since 2019, and a Director of NEXE Innovations Inc. since 2020.

Patrick E. Drouin – Senior Vice President, Investor Relations. Mr. Drouin joined the Company in 2012, bringing with him 12 years of experience in the financial industry. He worked for UBS Securities from 2001 to 2012 in institutional equity sales across North America and in Europe, most recently in London as Head of European Sales for UBS Canada. In this role, Mr. Drouin built a sales platform responsible for advising fund managers on Canadian equities. He was also a member of the UBS Canadian Executive Committee, which oversaw strategic decisions for the Canadian business. Prior to this, Mr. Drouin worked in both Toronto and San Francisco for UBS Canada, advising the largest US institutional investors

on Canadian equities. Throughout his advisory career, he has focused on the resource sector. Prior to UBS, he served as a Project Geologist in the San Francisco Bay Area for William Lettis & Associates. Mr. Drouin has an MBA from the Rotman School of Management, University of Toronto, and a Masters in Geology from the University of Memphis.

As at December 31, 2019, the directors and executive officers of Wheaton, as a group, beneficially owned, directly and indirectly, or exercised control or direction over 604,240 Common Shares, representing less than one percent of the total number of Common Shares outstanding before giving effect to the exercise of options or warrants to purchase Common Shares held by such directors and executive officers. The statement as to the number of Common Shares beneficially owned, directly or indirectly, or over which control or direction is exercised by the directors and executive officers of Wheaton as a group is based upon information furnished by the directors and executive officers.

Cease Trade Orders, Bankruptcies, Penalties or Sanctions

To the knowledge of the Company, no director or executive officer of the Company is, or within ten years prior to the date hereof has been, a director, chief executive officer or chief financial officer of any company (including the Company) that: (i) was subject to a cease trade order, an order similar to a cease trade order or an order that denied the relevant company access to any exemption under securities legislation, that was in effect for a period of more than 30 consecutive days, that was issued while the director or executive officer was acting in the capacity as director, chief executive officer or chief financial officer; or (ii) was subject to a cease trade order, an order similar to a cease trade order or an order that denied the relevant company access to any exemption under securities legislation, that was in effect for a period of more than 30 consecutive days, that was issued after the director or executive officer ceased to be a director, chief executive officer or chief financial officer and which resulted from an event that occurred while that person was acting in the capacity as director, chief executive officer or chief financial officer.

To the knowledge of the Company, no director or executive officer of the Company, or a shareholder holding a sufficient number of securities of the Company to affect materially control of the Company, is, or within ten years prior to the date hereof has been, a director or executive officer of any company (including the Company) that, while that person was acting in that capacity, or within a year of that person ceasing to act in that capacity, became bankrupt, made a proposal under any legislation relating to bankruptcy or insolvency or was subject to or instituted any proceedings, arrangement or compromise with creditors or had a receiver, receiver manager or trustee appointed to hold its assets.

To the knowledge of the Company, no director or executive officer of the Company, or a shareholder holding a sufficient number of securities of the Company to affect materially control of the Company, has, within ten years prior to the date hereof, become bankrupt, made a proposal under any legislation relating to bankruptcy or insolvency, or become subject to or instituted any proceedings, arrangement or compromise with creditors, or had a receiver, receiver manager or trustee appointed to hold the assets of the director, executive officer or shareholder.

To the knowledge of the Company, no director or executive officer of the Company, or a shareholder holding a sufficient number of securities of the Company to affect materially the control of the Company, has been subject to: (i) any penalties or sanctions imposed by a court relating to securities legislation or by a securities regulatory authority or has entered into a settlement agreement with a securities regulatory authority; or (ii) any other penalties or sanctions imposed by a court or regulatory body that would likely be considered important to a reasonable investor in making an investment decision.

Conflicts of Interest

To the best of Wheaton's knowledge, and other than as disclosed in this annual information form, there are no known existing or potential material conflicts of interest between Wheaton and any director or officer of Wheaton, except that certain of the directors and officers serve as directors and officers of other public companies and therefore it is possible that a conflict may arise between their duties as a director or officer of Wheaton and their duties as a director or officer of such other companies. Certain of the directors and officers of the Company also serve as directors and/or officers of other companies involved in natural resource exploration, development and mining operations and consequently there exists the possibility for such directors and officers to be in a position of conflict. Any decision made by any of such directors and officers will be made in accordance with their duties and obligations to deal fairly and in good faith with a view to the best interests of the Company and its shareholders. In addition, each of the directors is required to declare and refrain from attending the portion of the meeting dedicated to discussing any matter in which such directors may have a conflict of interest or voting on such matter in accordance with the procedures set forth in the *Business Corporations Act* (Ontario) and other applicable laws. See "*Interest of Management and Others in Material Transactions*".

LEGAL PROCEEDINGS AND REGULATORY ACTIONS

Other than as set forth below, to the best of the Company's knowledge, the Company is not and was not, during the year ended December 31, 2020, a party to any legal proceedings, nor is any of its property, nor was any of its property during the year ended December 31, 2020, the subject of any legal proceedings. As at the date hereof, no such legal proceedings are known to be contemplated, except as set forth below.

The Company was the subject of litigation in connection with a United States securities class action complaint *In re Silver Wheaton Securities Litigation* which was the subject of a settlement during the year ended December 31, 2020. See "Risk Factors – Litigation, Claims and Proceedings" and "Description of the Business – U.S. Shareholder Class Action". The Company is also the subject of litigation in a class action filed in Ontario, Canada *Suzan Poirier and Silver Wheaton Corp. et al. See Risk Factors – Litigation, Claims and Proceedings*" and "Description of the Business – Canadian Shareholder Class Action".

There have been no penalties or sanctions imposed against the Company by a court relating to securities legislation or by any securities regulatory authority during the year ended December 31, 2020, or any other penalties or sanctions imposed by a court or regulatory body against the Company that would likely be considered important to a reasonable investor making an investment decision, and the Company has not entered into any settlement agreements with a court relating to securities legislation or with a securities regulatory authority during the year ended December 31, 2020.

INTEREST OF MANAGEMENT AND OTHERS IN MATERIAL TRANSACTIONS

Other than as described in this annual information form, since January 1, 2015, no director, executive officer or 10% shareholder of the Company or any associate or affiliate of any such person or company, has or had any material interest, direct or indirect, in any transaction that has materially affected or is reasonably expected to materially affect the Company or any of its subsidiaries.

TRANSFER AGENT AND REGISTRAR

The transfer agent and registrar for the Common Shares is AST Trust Company at its principal offices in Vancouver, British Columbia and Toronto, Ontario.

MATERIAL CONTRACTS

The only material contract entered into by the Company as of the date of this annual information form or before such time that are still in effect, other than in the ordinary course of business, is the Revolving Facility dated as of February 27, 2015, as amended, between the Company and the lenders. See "Description of the Business – Amended Revolving Credit Facilities." The Revolving Facility (with all amendments) is available on SEDAR at www.sedar.com under the Company's profile.

INTERESTS OF EXPERTS

The scientific and technical information for the Company's mineral projects on a property material to the Company contained in this annual information form has been prepared in accordance with the exemption set forth in Section 9.2 of NI 43-101 and was sourced by the Company from the following SEDAR (www.sedar.com) and EDGAR (www.sec.gov) filed documents:

- a. Peñasquito mine – Newmont's Form 10-K filed with the SEC on February 18, 2021; and
- b. Salobo mine – Salobo Report.

A summary of the information sourced from the annual information form of Newmont is contained in this annual information form under "Technical Information – Further Disclosure Regarding Mineral Projects on Material Properties – Peñasquito Mine, Mexico".

The scientific and technical information for the Salobo mine was sourced by the Company from the Salobo Report and updated with information derived from the Salobo mine operations after the effective date of the Salobo Report. Neil Burns, P.Geo, Vice President, Technical Services, Wheaton, Chris Gauld, P.Geo., Principal Geologist, Resource Management, Vale Base Metals, Marcos Dias Alvim, P.Geo., FAusIMM(CP), Long Term Planning Manager, South Atlantic

Operations, Vale Base Metals, and Maurice Tagami, P.Eng., Technical Ambassador, Wheaton prepared the Salobo Report. A copy of the Salobo Report is available under Wheaton's profile on SEDAR at www.sedar.com and on EDGAR at (www.sec.gov) and a summary of the Salobo Report is contained in this annual information form under the heading "*Technical Information — Further Disclosure Regarding Mineral Projects on Material Properties — Salobo Mine, Brazil*".

Neil Burns, M.Sc., P.Geo., Vice President, Technical Services, of the Company and Ryan Ulansky, M.A.Sc., P.Eng., Vice President, Engineering, of the Company are the qualified persons as defined by NI 43-101 in connection with the mineral reserve and mineral resource estimates and the scientific and technical information, and have reviewed and approved the disclosure, for the Peñasquito mine and the Salobo mine contained in this annual information form.

The aforementioned firms or persons (including any designated professional of such firms or persons, as such term is defined in National Instrument 51-102) held no securities of the Company or of any associate or affiliate of the Company when they prepared the reports, the mineral reserve estimates or the mineral resource estimates referred to above, or following the preparation of such reports or estimates and did not receive any direct or indirect interest in any securities of the Company or of any associate or affiliate of the Company in connection with the preparation of such reports or estimates, other than the authors of the Salobo Report, Neil Burns and Ryan Ulansky, who together hold less than 1% of the Common Shares. None of the aforementioned persons are currently expected to be elected, appointed or employed as a director, officer or employee of the Company or of any associate or affiliate of the Company, other than Maurice Tagami, Neil Burns and Ryan Ulansky who are employees of the Company.

Deloitte LLP is the independent registered public accounting firm of the Company and is independent of the Company within the meaning of the Rules of Professional Conduct of the Chartered Professional Accountants of British Columbia and within the meaning of the U.S. Securities Act and the applicable rules and regulations thereunder adopted by the Securities and Exchange Commission and the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States).

AUDIT COMMITTEE

The Company's Audit Committee is responsible for monitoring the Company's systems and procedures for financial reporting and internal control, reviewing certain public disclosure documents and monitoring the performance and independence of the Company's external auditors. The Audit Committee is also responsible for reviewing the Company's annual audited financial statements, unaudited quarterly financial statements and management's discussion and analysis of financial results of operations for both annual and interim financial statements and review of related operations prior to their approval by the full Board of Directors of the Company. The Audit Committee also has oversight responsibility for significant business, political, financial and control risks that the Company is exposed to, including a review of management's assessment of the likelihood and severity of those risks and any mitigation steps taken.

The Audit Committee's charter sets out its responsibilities and duties, qualifications for membership, procedures for committee member removal and appointment and reporting to the Company's Board of Directors. A copy of the Audit Committee charter is attached hereto as Schedule "A".

The current members of the Company's Audit Committee are John A. Brough (Chair), Chantal Gosselin and Marilyn Schonberner. Each of the members of Audit Committee are independent and financially literate within the meaning of National Instrument 52-110 *Audit Committees* ("NI 52-110"). In addition to being independent directors as described above, all members of the Audit Committee must meet an additional "independence" test under NI 52-110 in that their directors' fees are the only compensation they, or their firms, receive from the Company and that they are not affiliated with the Company.

The Audit Committee met four times in 2020. Each of the members of the Audit Committee who were directors of the Company and members of the Audit Committee at the time were present at all four meetings.

Relevant Education and Experience

See "*Directors and Officers*" for a description of the education and experience of each Audit Committee member that is relevant to the performance of his responsibilities as an Audit Committee member.

Pre-Approval Policies and Procedures

The Audit Committee's charter sets out responsibilities regarding the provision of non-audit services by the Company's external auditors. This policy requires consideration of whether the provision of services other than audit services is compatible with maintaining the auditor's independence and requires Audit Committee pre-approval of permitted non-audit, audit and audit-related services.

External Auditor Fees

Deloitte LLP, Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm, were the auditors of the Company for the year ended December 31, 2020. Fees billed by Deloitte LLP in respect of services for the years ended December 31, 2019 and December 31, 2020 are detailed below:

	2019 ⁽¹⁾ (C\$)	2020 ⁽¹⁾ (C\$)
Audit Fees ⁽²⁾	1,012,627	1,055,276
Audit-Related Fees	9,971	-
Tax Fees ⁽³⁾	26,651	26,865
All Other Fees ⁽⁴⁾	26,787	-
TOTAL	1,076,036	1,082,141

(1) Audit fees are paid in Canadian dollars.

(2) Audit fees were paid for professional services rendered by the auditors for the audit of the Company's annual financial statements or services provided in connection with statutory and regulatory filings or engagements.

(3) Tax fees were paid for tax related compliance and advisory services.

(4) All Other Fees primarily relate to cyber security risk advisory services.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Additional information relating to the Company can be found on SEDAR at www.sedar.com and on EDGAR at www.sec.gov. Additional information, including directors' and officers' remuneration and indebtedness, principal holders of the Company's securities and securities authorized for issuance under equity compensation plans is contained in the management information circular of the Company dated March 20, 2020 prepared in connection with its annual and special meeting of shareholders held on May 14, 2020. The Company's management information circular for the year ended December 31, 2020 will be prepared in connection with the Company's annual meeting of shareholders scheduled to be held on May 14, 2021 which will be available on SEDAR at www.sedar.com and EDGAR at www.sec.gov. Additional financial information is provided in the Company's audited consolidated financial statements and management's discussion and analysis for the year ended December 31, 2020.

IMPORTANT NOTES

Cautionary Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements

This annual information form of Wheaton Precious Metals Corp. (“Wheaton” or the “Company”) contains “forward-looking statements” within the meaning of the United States Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995 and “forward-looking information” within the meaning of applicable Canadian securities legislation. Forward-looking statements, which are all statements other than statements of historical fact, include, but are not limited to, statements with respect to:

- the payment of \$110 million to Aris Gold and the satisfaction of each party's obligations in accordance with the Marmato PMPA and the receipt by the Company of silver and gold production in respect of the Marmato mine;
- the payment of US\$290 million to Capstone and the satisfaction of each party's obligations in accordance with the Santo Domingo Early Deposit Agreement and the receipt by the Company of gold production in respect of the Santo Domingo project;
- the future sales of Common Shares under, the amount of net proceeds from and the use of the net proceeds from, the ATM Program;
- the future price of commodities;
- the impact of epidemics (including the COVID-19 virus pandemic), including the potential heightening of other risks;
- the estimation of future production from Mining Operations (including in the estimation of production, mill throughput, grades, recoveries and exploration potential);
- the estimation of mineral reserves and mineral resources (including the estimation of reserve conversion rates) and the realization of such estimations);
- the commencement, timing and achievement of construction, expansion or improvement projects by Wheaton's PMPA counterparties at Mining Operations;
- the ability of Wheaton's PMPA counterparties to comply with the terms of a PMPA (including as a result of the business, mining operations and performance of Wheaton's PMPA counterparties) and the potential impacts of such on Wheaton;
- the costs of future production;
- the estimation of produced but not yet delivered ounces;
- any statements as to the impact of the listing of the Common Shares on the LSE;
- any statements as to future dividends;
- the ability to fund outstanding commitments and the ability to continue to acquire accretive PMPAs;
- future payments by the Company in accordance with PMPAs, including any acceleration of payments;
- projected increases to Wheaton's production and cash flow profile;
- projected changes to Wheaton's production mix;
- the ability of Wheaton's PMPA counterparties to comply with the terms of any other obligations under agreements with the Company;
- the ability to sell precious metals and cobalt production;
- confidence in the Company's business structure;
- the Company's assessment of taxes payable and the impact of the CRA Settlement for years subsequent to 2010;
- possible audits for taxation years subsequent to 2015;
- the Company's assessment of the impact of any tax reassessments;
- the Company's intention to file future tax returns in a manner consistent with the CRA Settlement;
- listing of the Common Shares on the LSE, NYSE or TSX; and
- assessments of the impact and resolution of various legal and tax matters, including but not limited to outstanding class actions and audits.

Generally, these forward-looking statements can be identified by the use of forward-looking terminology such as “plans”, “expects” or “does not expect”, “is expected”, “budget”, “scheduled”, “estimates”, “forecasts”, “projects”, “intends”, “anticipates” or “does not anticipate”, or “believes”, “potential”, or variations of such words and phrases or statements that certain actions, events or results “may”, “could”, “would”, “might” or “will be taken”, “occur” or “be achieved”.

Forward-looking statements are subject to known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors that may cause the actual results, level of activity, performance or achievements of Wheaton to be materially different from those expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements, including but not limited to:

- the satisfaction of each party's obligations in accordance with the terms of the Marmato PMPA;
- the satisfaction of each party's obligations in accordance with the terms of the Santo Domingo Early Deposit Agreement;
- risks associated with fluctuations in the price of commodities (including Wheaton's ability to sell its precious metals or cobalt production at acceptable prices or at all);
- risks of significant impacts on Wheaton or the Mining Operations as a result of an epidemic (including the COVID-19 virus pandemic);
- risks related to the Mining Operations (including fluctuations in the price of the primary or other commodities mined at such operations, regulatory, political and other risks of the jurisdictions in which the Mining Operations are located, actual results of mining, risks association with exploration, development, operating, expansion and improvement at the Mining Operations, environmental and economic risks of the Mining Operations, and changes in project parameters as Mining Operations plans continue to be refined);
- absence of control over the Mining Operations and having to rely on the accuracy of the public disclosure and other information Wheaton receives from the owners and operators of the Mining Operations as the basis for its analyses, forecasts and assessments relating to its own business;
- risks related to the uncertainty in the accuracy of mineral reserve and mineral resource estimation;
- risks related to the satisfaction of each party's obligations in accordance with the terms of the Company's PMPAs, including the ability of the companies with which the Company has PMPAs to perform their obligations under those PMPAs in the event of a material adverse effect on the results of operations, financial condition, cash flows or business of such companies, any acceleration of payments, estimated throughput and exploration potential;
- risks relating to production estimates from Mining Operations, including anticipated timing of the commencement of production by certain Mining Operations;
- Wheaton's interpretation of, or compliance with, or application of, tax laws and regulations or accounting policies and rules, being found to be incorrect or the tax impact to the Company's business operations being materially different than currently contemplated;
- any challenge or reassessment by the CRA of the Company's tax filings being successful and the potential negative impact to the Company's previous and future tax filings;
- risks in assessing the impact of the CRA Settlement for years subsequent to 2010 (including whether there will be any material change in the Company's facts or change in law or jurisprudence);
- counterparty credit and liquidity risks;
- mine operator concentration risks;
- indebtedness and guarantees risks;
- hedging risk;
- competition in the streaming industry risk;
- risks related to claims and legal proceedings against Wheaton or the Mining Operations;
- risks relating to security over underlying assets;
- risks related to governmental regulations;
- risks related to international operations of Wheaton and the Mining Operations;
- risks relating to exploration, development, operating, expansions and improvements at the Mining Operations;
- risks related to environmental regulations and climate change;
- the ability of Wheaton and the Mining Operations to obtain and maintain necessary licenses, permits, approvals and rulings;
- the ability of Wheaton and the Mining Operations to comply with applicable laws, regulations and permitting requirements;
- lack of suitable infrastructure and employees to support the Mining Operations;
- inability to replace and expand mineral reserves, including anticipated timing of the commencement of production by certain Mining Operations (including increases in production, estimated grades and recoveries);
- uncertainties related to title and indigenous rights with respect to the mineral properties of the Mining Operations;
- the ability of Wheaton and the Mining Operations to obtain adequate financing;
- the ability of the Mining Operations to complete permitting, construction, development and expansion;
- challenges related to global financial conditions;
- risks related to Wheaton's acquisition strategy;
- risks related to the market price of the Common Shares;

- risks associated with multiple listings of the Common Shares on the LSE, NYSE and TSX;
- risks associated with a possible suspension of trading of Common Shares;
- risks associated with the sale of Common Shares under the ATM Program, including the amount of any net proceeds from such offering of Common Shares and the use of any such proceeds;
- equity price risks related to Wheaton's holding of long-term investments in other companies;
- risks related to interest rates;
- risks related to the declaration, timing and payment of dividends;
- the ability of Wheaton and the Mining Operations to retain key management employees or procure the services of skilled and experienced personnel;
- risks relating to activist shareholders;
- risks relating to reputational damage;
- risks relating to unknown defects and impairments;
- risks related to ensuring the security and safety of information systems, including cyber security risks;
- risks related to the adequacy of internal control over financial reporting;
- risks related to fluctuations in commodity prices of metals produced from the Mining Operations other than precious metals or cobalt;
- risks relating to future sales or the issuance of equity securities; and
- other risks disclosed under the heading "Risk Factors" in this annual information form.

Forward-looking statements are based on assumptions management currently believes to be reasonable including, but not limited to:

- the payment of \$110 million to Aris Gold and the satisfaction of each party's obligations in accordance with the Marmato Early Deposit Agreement;
- the payment of US\$290 million to Capstone and the satisfaction of each party's obligations in accordance with the Santo Domingo Early Deposit Agreement;
- that the sale of Common Shares under the ATM Program will not have a significant impact on the market price of the Common Shares and that the net proceeds of sales of Common Shares, if any, will be used as anticipated;
- that there will be no material adverse change in the market price of commodities;
- that neither Wheaton nor the Mining Operations will suffer significant impacts as a result of an epidemic (including the COVID-19 virus pandemic);
- that the Mining Operations will continue to operate and the mining projects will be completed in accordance with public statements and achieve their stated production estimates;
- that the mineral reserves and mineral resource estimates from Mining Operations (including reserve conversion rates) are accurate;
- that each party will satisfy their obligations in accordance with the PMPAs;
- that any outbreak or threat of an outbreak of a virus or other contagions or epidemic disease will be adequately responded to locally, nationally, regionally and internationally, without such response requiring any prolonged closure of the Mining Operations or having other material adverse effects on the Company and counterparties to its PMPAs;
- that the trading of the Common Shares will not be adversely affected by the differences in liquidity, settlement and clearing systems as a result of multiple listings of the Common Shares on the LSE, the TSX and the NYSE;
- that the trading of the Company's Common Shares will not be suspended;
- that Wheaton will continue to be able to fund or obtain funding for outstanding commitments;
- that Wheaton will be able to source and obtain accretive PMPAs;
- that expectations regarding the resolution of legal and tax matters will be achieved (including ongoing class action litigation and CRA audits involving the Company);
- that Wheaton has properly considered the application of Canadian tax law to its structure and operations;
- that Wheaton has filed its tax returns and paid applicable taxes in compliance with Canadian tax law;
- that Wheaton's application of the CRA Settlement for years subsequent to 2010 is accurate (including the Company's assessment that there has been no material change in the Company's facts or change in law or jurisprudence for years subsequent to 2010);
- the estimate of the recoverable amount for any PMPA with an indicator of impairment; and
- such other assumptions and factors as set out herein.

Although Wheaton has attempted to identify important factors that could cause actual results, level of activity, performance or achievements to differ materially from those contained in forward-looking statements, there may be other factors that cause results, level of activity, performance or achievements not to be as anticipated, estimated or intended. There can be no assurance that forward-looking statements will prove to be accurate and even if events or results described in the forward-looking statements are realized or substantially realized, there can be no assurance that they will have the expected consequences to, or effects on, Wheaton. Accordingly, readers should not place undue reliance on forward-looking statements and are cautioned that actual outcomes may vary. The forward-looking statements included herein are for the purpose of providing investors with information to assist them in understanding Wheaton's expected financial and operational performance and may not be appropriate for other purposes. Any forward-looking statement speaks only as of the date on which it is made. Wheaton does not undertake to update any forward-looking statements that are included or incorporated by reference herein, except in accordance with applicable securities laws.

Currency Presentation and Exchange Rate Information

This annual information form contains references to United States dollars and Canadian dollars. The high, low and closing rates for Canadian dollars in terms of the United States dollar for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2020, as quoted by the Bank of Canada, were as follows:

	<u>Year ended December 31</u>		
	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>
High.....	\$1.4496	\$1.3600	C\$1.3642
Low	1.2718	1.2988	1.2288
Closing	1.2732	1.3271	1.3642

* The high, low and closing rates are the Bank of Canada daily rates.

On March 29, 2021, the daily rate for Canadian dollars in terms of the United States dollar, as quoted by the Bank of Canada, was US\$1.00 = C\$1.2594.

Gold Prices

The high, low, average and closing afternoon fixing gold prices in United States dollars per troy ounce for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2020, as quoted by the London Bullion Market Association ("LBMA"), were as follows:

	<u>Year ended December 31</u>		
	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>
High.....	\$2067.15	\$1546.10	\$1354.95
Low	1474.25	1269.50	1178.40
Average.....	1769.59	1392.18	1269.14
Closing	1887.60	1514.75	1279.00

On March 29, 2021, the LBMA Gold Price PM in United States dollars per troy ounce, as published by the LBMA, was \$1,705.95.

Silver Prices

The high, low, average and closing fixing silver prices in United States dollars per troy ounce for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2020, as quoted by the LBMA, were as follows:

	<u>Year ended December 31</u>		
	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>
High	\$28.89	\$19.31	\$17.52
Low	12.01	14.38	13.97
Average.....	20.52	16.20	15.71
Closing	26.31	18.05	15.47

On March 29, 2021, the LBMA Silver Price in United States dollars per troy ounce, as published by the LBMA, was \$24.83.

Palladium Prices

The high, low, average and closing afternoon fixing palladium prices in United States dollars per troy ounce for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2020, as quoted by the LBMA, were as follows:

	<u>Year ended December 31</u>		
	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>
High.....	\$1971.00	\$1971.00	\$1271.00
Low	1267.00	1267.00	849.00
Average.....	1539.01	1539.01	1031.16
Closing	1905.00	1905.00	1270.00

On March 29, 2021, the LBMA Palladium Price PM in United States dollars per troy ounce, as published by the LBMA, was \$2,572.00.

Cobalt Prices

The average high and low prices for standard and alloy grades of cobalt shown below in United States dollars per pound of cobalt for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2020. Cobalt prices listed below have been sourced from Fastmarkets Metal Bulletin.

<u>Cobalt Grade</u>	<u>Year ended December 31</u>		
	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>
Standard Grade	High	15.79	17.03
	Low	15.37	16.11
Alloy Grade	High	15.98	17.42
	Low	15.53	16.45

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TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR THE AUDIT COMMITTEE

I. PURPOSE

The Audit Committee is a committee of the Board of Directors (the “Board”) of Wheaton Precious Metals Corp. (the “Company”). The primary function of the Audit Committee is to assist the Board in fulfilling its financial reporting and controls responsibilities to the shareholders of the Company and the investment community. The external auditors will report directly to the Audit Committee. The Audit Committee’s primary duties and responsibilities are:

- A. overseeing the integrity of the Company’s financial statements and reviewing the financial reports and other financial information provided by the Company to any governmental body or the public and other relevant documents;
- B. assisting the Board in oversight of the Company’s compliance with legal and regulatory requirements;
- C. recommending the appointment and reviewing and appraising the audit efforts of the Company’s independent auditor, overseeing the non-audit services provided by the independent auditor, overseeing the independent auditor’s qualifications and independence and providing an open avenue of communication among the independent auditor, financial and senior management and the Board of Directors;
- D. assisting the Board in oversight of the performance of the Company’s internal audit function;
- E. serving as an independent and objective party to oversee and monitor the Company’s financial reporting process and internal controls, the Company’s processes to manage business and financial risk, and its compliance with legal, tax, ethical and regulatory requirements;
- F. preparing Audit Committee report(s) as required by applicable regulators; and
- G. encouraging continuous improvement of, and fostering adherence to, the Company’s policies, procedures and practices at all levels.

II. COMPOSITION AND MEETINGS

- A. The Committee shall operate under the guidelines applicable to all Board committees, which are located in Tab A-6, Board Guidelines.
- B. The Audit Committee shall be comprised of at least three directors, all of whom are “independent” as such term is defined in the Board Guidelines (Tab A-8, Appendix), and will satisfy such other applicable criteria for independence as may be contained in the laws, rules, regulations and listing requirements to which the Company is subject.
- C. In addition, unless otherwise authorized by the Board, no director shall be qualified to be a member of the Audit Committee if such director (i) is an “affiliated person”, as defined in Appendix I, or (ii) receives (or his/her immediate family member or the entity for which such director is a director, member, partner or principal and which provides consulting, legal, investment banking, financial or other similar services to the Company), directly or indirectly, any consulting, advisory, or other compensation from the Company other than compensation for serving in his or her capacity as member of the Board and as a member of Board committees.

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- D. All members shall, to the satisfaction of the Board of Directors, be "financially literate" as defined in Appendix I, and at least one member shall have accounting or related financial management expertise to qualify as a "financial expert" as defined in Appendix I, and will satisfy such other applicable criteria for financial expertise as may be contained in the laws, rules, regulations and listing requirements to which the Company is subject.
- E. If a Committee member simultaneously serves on the audit committees of more than three public companies, the Committee shall seek the Board's determination as to whether such simultaneous service would impair the ability of such member to effectively serve on the Company's audit committee and ensure that such determination is disclosed.
- F. The Committee shall meet at least four times annually, or more frequently as circumstances require. The Committee shall meet within 45 days following the end of each of the first three financial quarters to review and discuss the unaudited financial results for the preceding quarter and the related MD&A and shall meet within 90 days following the end of the fiscal year end to review and discuss the audited financial results for the year and related MD&A prior to their publishing.
- G. The Committee may ask members of management or others to attend meetings and provide pertinent information as necessary. For purposes of performing their audit related duties, members of the Committee shall have full access to all corporate information and shall be permitted to discuss such information and any other matters relating to the financial position of the Company with senior employees, officers and independent auditor of the Company.
- H. As part of its job to foster open communication, the Committee should meet at least quarterly with management and the independent auditor in in-camera sessions, and as determined in the discretion of the Committee with the head of internal audit, to discuss any matters that the Committee or each of these groups believe should be discussed privately. In addition, the Committee or at least its Chair should meet with the independent auditor and management quarterly to review the Company's financial statements.
- I. Each of the Chairman of the Committee, members of the Committee, Chairman of the Board, independent auditors, Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer or Secretary shall be entitled to request that the Chairman of the Audit Committee call a meeting which shall be held within 48 hours of receipt of such request.

III. RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTIES

To fulfill its responsibilities and duties the Audit Committee shall:

- A. Create an agenda for the ensuing year.
- B. Review and update this Charter at least annually, as conditions dictate.
- C. Describe briefly in the Company's Management Information Circular and/or the Company's Annual Information Form the Committee's composition and responsibilities and how they were discharged.

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D. Documents/Reports Review

- i) Review with management and the independent auditor, the Company's interim and annual financial statements, management discussion and analysis, earnings releases and any other financial information to be publicly disclosed including any certification, report, opinion, or review rendered by the independent auditor for the purpose of recommending their approval to the Board prior to their filing, issue or publication. The Chair of the Committee may represent the entire Committee for purposes of this review in circumstances where time does not allow the full Committee to be available.
- ii) Review analyses prepared by management and/or the independent auditor setting forth significant financial reporting issues and judgments made in connection with the preparation of the financial statements, including analyses of the effects of alternative accounting principles methods on the financial statements.
- iii) Review the effect of regulatory and accounting initiatives, as well as off balance sheet structures, on the financial statements of the Company.
- iv) Review policies and procedures with respect to directors' and officers' expense accounts and management perquisites and benefits, including their use of corporate assets and expenditures related to executive travel and entertainment, and review the results of the procedures performed in these areas by the independent auditor, based on terms of reference agreed upon by the independent auditor and the Audit Committee.
- v) Review expenses of the Board Chair and CEO annually.
- vi) Ensure that adequate procedures are in place for the review of the Company's public disclosure of financial information extracted or derived from the issuer's financial statements, as well as review any financial information and earnings guidance provided to analysts and rating agencies, and periodically assess the adequacy of those procedures.

E. Independent Auditor

- i) Recommend to the Board and approve the selection of the independent auditor, consider the independence and effectiveness and approve the fees and other compensation to be paid to the independent auditor.
- ii) Review and approve the independent auditor's audit plan and engagement letter and discuss and approve the audit scope and approach, staffing, locations, reliance upon management and internal audit and general audit approach.
- iii) Monitor the relationship between management and the independent auditor including reviewing any management letters or other reports of the independent auditor and discussing any material differences of opinion between management and the independent auditor.
- iv) Review and discuss, on an annual basis, with the independent auditor all significant relationships they have with the Company to determine their independence and report to the Board of Directors.

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- v) Review and approve requests for any non-audit services to be performed by the independent auditor and be advised of any other study undertaken at the request of management that is beyond the scope of the audit engagement letter and related fees. Pre-approval of non-audit services is satisfied if:
 - a) The aggregate amount of non-audit services not pre-approved expected to constitute no more than 5% of total fees paid by issuer and subsidiaries to external auditor during fiscal year in which the services are provided;
 - b) the Company or a subsidiary did not recognize services as non-audit at the time of the engagement; and
 - c) the services are promptly brought to Committee's attention and approved prior to completion of the audit.
- vi) Ensure disclosure of any specific policies or procedures adopted by the Committee to satisfy pre-approval requirements for non-audit services by the independent auditor.
- vii) Review the relationship of non-audit fees to audit fees paid to the independent auditor to ensure that auditor independence is maintained.
- viii) Ensure that both the audit and non-audit fees are disclosed to shareholders by category.
- ix) Conduct annual formal assessment of the independent auditor and review the performance of the independent auditor and approve any proposed discharge and replacement of the independent auditor when circumstances warrant. Consider with management and the independent auditor the rationale for employing accounting/auditing firms other than the principal independent auditor.

At least every five years, conduct a comprehensive review of the independent auditor. The comprehensive review is deeper and broader than an annual assessment. The comprehensive review focuses on the audit firm, its independence and the application of professional skepticism. The comprehensive review should include three key factors of audit quality for the Committee to consider and assess:

- (1) *Independence, objectivity and professional skepticism* — Do the independent auditors approach their work with objectivity to ensure they appropriately question and challenge management's assertions in preparing the financial statements?
- (2) *Quality of the engagement team* — Do the independent auditors' firm put forward team members with the appropriate industry and technical skills to carry out an effective audit?
- (3) *Quality of communications and interactions with the independent auditor* — Are the communications with the independent auditor (written and oral) clear, concise and free of boilerplate language? Is the independent auditor open and frank, particularly in areas of significant judgments and estimates or when initial views differ from management?

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- x) At least annually, consult with the independent auditor out of the presence of management about significant risks or exposures, internal controls and other steps that management has taken to control such risks, and the fullness and accuracy of the organization's financial statements. Particular emphasis should be given to the adequacy of internal controls to expose any payments, transactions, or procedures that might be deemed illegal or otherwise improper.
- xi) Arrange for the independent auditor to be available to the Committee and the full Board as needed. Ensure that the auditors report directly to the Committee and are made accountable to the Board and the Committee, as representatives of the shareholders to whom the auditors are ultimately responsible.
- xii) Oversee the work of the independent auditor undertaken for the purpose of preparing or issuing an audit report or performing other audit, review or attest services.
- xiii) Ensure that the independent auditor is prohibited from providing the following non-audit services and determining which other non-audit services the independent auditor is prohibited from providing:
 - a) bookkeeping or other services related to the accounting records or financial statements of the Company;
 - b) financial information systems design and implementation;
 - c) appraisal or valuation services, fairness opinions, or contribution-in-kind reports;
 - d) actuarial services;
 - e) internal audit outsourcing services;
 - f) management functions or human resources;
 - g) broker or dealer, investment adviser or investment banking services;
 - h) legal services and expert services unrelated to the audit; and
 - i) any other services which the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board determines to be impermissible.
- xiv) Approve any permissible non-audit engagements of the independent auditor, in accordance with applicable legislation.

F. Internal Auditor

- i) Review the effectiveness and independence of the internal auditor function and ensure there are no unjustified restrictions or limitations on the functioning of the internal auditor;

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- ii) Review and approve the scope of the proposed internal audit plan and ensure it addresses key areas of risk;
- iii) Periodically review:
 - a) progress on the internal audit plan, including any significant changes to it;
 - b) significant internal audit findings, including issues relating to the adequacy of internal control over financial reporting;
 - c) any significant internal fraud issues; and
- iv) Ensure the internal audit’s significant findings and recommendations are received, discussed and appropriately acted upon by the Committee and management.

G. Financial Reporting Processes

- i) Periodically review the adequacy and effectiveness of the company’s disclosure controls and procedures and the Company’s internal control over financial reporting, including any significant deficiencies and significant changes in internal controls.
- ii) Understand the scope of the independent auditor’s examination and report on the Company’s assessment of internal control over financial reporting and review and discuss significant findings and recommendations, together with management’s responses.
- iii) Consider the independent auditor’s judgments about the quality, appropriateness and acceptability, of the Company’s accounting principles and financial disclosure practices, as applied in its financial reporting, particularly about the degree of aggressiveness or conservatism of its accounting principles and underlying estimates and whether those principles are common practices or are minority practices.
- iv) Consider and approve, if appropriate, major changes to the Company’s accounting principles and practices as suggested by management with the concurrence of the independent auditor and ensure that the accountants’ reasoning is described in determining the appropriateness of changes in accounting principles and disclosure.

H. Process Improvement

- i) Discuss with the independent auditor (i) the auditor’s internal quality-control procedures; and (ii) any material issues raised by the most recent internal quality-control review, or peer review, of the auditors, or by any inquiry or investigation by governmental or professional authorities, within the preceding five years, respecting one or more independent audits carried out by the auditors, and any steps taken to deal with any such issues.
- ii) Reviewing and approving hiring policies for employees or former employees of the past and present independent auditors.

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- iii) Establish regular and separate systems of reporting to the Audit Committee by each of management and the independent auditor regarding any significant judgments made in management's preparation of the financial statements and the view of each as to appropriateness of such judgments.
- iv) Review the scope and plans of the independent auditor's audit and reviews prior to the audit and reviews being conducted. The Committee may authorize the independent auditor to perform supplemental reviews or audits as the Committee may deem desirable.
- v) Following completion of the annual audit and quarterly reviews, review separately with each of management and the independent auditor any significant changes to planned procedures, any difficulties encountered during the course of the audit and reviews, including any restrictions on the scope of work or access to required information and the cooperation that the independent auditor received during the course of the audit and reviews.
- vi) Review any significant disagreements among management and the independent auditor in connection with the preparation of the financial statements.
- vii) Where there are significant unsettled issues the Committee shall ensure that there is an agreed course of action for the resolution of such matters.
- viii) Review with the independent auditor and management significant findings during the year and the extent to which changes or improvements in financial or accounting practices, as approved by the Audit Committee, have been implemented. This review should be conducted at an appropriate time subsequent to implementation of changes or improvements, as decided by the Committee.
- ix) Review activities, organizational structure, and qualifications of the CFO and the staff in the financial reporting area and see to it that matters related to succession planning within the Company are raised for consideration at the full Board.

I. Ethical and Legal Compliance

- i) Review management's monitoring of the Company's system in place to ensure that the Company's financial statements, reports and other financial information disseminated to governmental organizations, and the public satisfy legal requirements.
- ii) Review, with the Company's counsel, legal and regulatory compliance matters, including corporate securities trading policies, and matters that could have a significant impact on the organization's financial statements.
- iii) Review implementation of compliance with the Sarbanes-Oxley Act, Ontario Securities Commission requirements and other legal requirements.
- iv) Ensure that the CEO and CFO provide written certification with annual and interim financial statements and interim MD&A and the Annual Information Form.

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J. Risk Management

- i) Make inquiries of management and the independent auditor to identify significant business, political, financial and control risks and exposures and assess the steps management has taken to minimize such risk to the Company.
- ii) Ensure that the disclosure of the process followed by the Board and its committees, in the oversight of the Company's management of principal business risks, is complete and fairly presented.
- iii) Review management's program of risk assessment and steps taken to manage these risks and exposures, including insurance coverage, and including a more extensive review on an annual basis.

K. General

- i) Conduct or authorize investigations into any matters within the Committee's scope of responsibilities. The Committee shall be empowered to retain independent counsel, accountants and other professionals to assist it in the conduct of any investigation.
- ii) The Committee shall comply with the requirements set out in the Board Guidelines relating to the engagement of outside advisors.
- iii) The Company must provide funding for the Committee to pay ordinary administrative expenses that are necessary for the Committee to carry out its duties.
- iv) Establish procedures for the receipt, retention and treatment of complaints received by the Company regarding accounting, internal accounting controls, or auditing matters; and the confidential, anonymous submission by employees of concerns regarding questionable accounting or auditing matters and institute and oversee special investigations as needed.
- v) Review the findings of any examinations by regulatory agencies with respect to financial matters, and any external auditors observations made regarding those findings.
- vi) Ensure disclosure in the Annual Information Form if, at any time since the commencement of most recently completed financial year, the issuer has relied on any possible exemptions for Audit Committees.
- vii) Perform any other activities consistent with this Charter, the Company's Articles and By-laws and governing law, as the Committee or the Board deems necessary or appropriate.

IV. ACCOUNTABILITY

- A.** The Committee Chair has the responsibility to make periodic reports to the Board, as requested, on audit and financial matters relative to the Company.

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- B.** The Committee shall report its discussions to the Board by maintaining minutes of its meetings and providing an oral report at the next Board meeting.
- C.** The minutes of the Audit Committee should be filed with the Corporate Secretary.

V. COMMITTEE TIMETABLE

The timetable on the following pages outlines the Committee’s schedule of activities during the year.

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	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
A. Create agenda for ensuing year.	✓			
B. Review and update Committee Charter	✓			
C. Describe briefly in the Company’s Management Information Circular and/or the Company’s Annual Information Form the Committee’s composition and responsibilities and how they were discharged.	✓			
D. Documents/Reports Review				
i) Review with management and independent auditor, interim and annual financial statements, MD&A, earnings releases and any other financial information to be publicly disclosed and recommend approval to Board	✓	✓	✓	✓
ii) Review analyses prepared by management and/or independent auditor setting forth significant financial reporting issues and judgments made in connection with the preparation of the financial statements	✓	✓	✓	✓
iii) Review effect of regulatory and accounting initiatives, as well as off balance sheet structures, on the financial statements	✓	✓	✓	✓
iv) Review policies and procedures with respect to directors’ and officers’ expense accounts and management perquisites and benefits, and review results of procedures performed in these areas by the independent auditor	✓			
v) Review Board Chair & CEO expenses	✓			

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	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
vi) Ensure adequate procedures are in place to review disclosure of financial information extracted or derived from financial statements, and review any financial information and earnings guidance provided to analysts and rating agencies, and periodically assess adequacy of those procedures	✓	✓	✓	✓
E. Independent Auditor				
i) Recommend independent auditor to Board and consider independence and effectiveness and approve compensation for independent auditor	✓			
ii) Review and approve the independent auditor's audit plan and engagement letter and approve the audit scope and approach, staffing, locations, reliance upon management and internal audit and general audit approach				✓
iii) Monitor relationship between management and independent auditor	✓	✓	✓	✓
iv) Review and discuss with independent auditor all significant relationships they have with the Company to determine their independence, and report to Board	✓	✓	✓	✓
v) Review and approve requests for non-audit services to be performed by independent auditor & be advised of any study undertaken at request of management beyond scope of audit engagement letter and related fees			As Required	
vi) Ensure disclosure of any specific policies or procedures adopted to satisfy pre-approval requirements for non-audit services by independent auditor	✓			

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	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
vii) Review relationship of non-audit fees to audit fees paid to independent auditor	✓	✓	✓	✓
viii) Ensure audit and non-audit fees are disclosed by category	✓	✓	✓	✓
ix) Conduct annual formal assessment and review independent auditor performance and approve any proposed discharge and replacement of independent auditor. Consider with management and independent auditor the rationale for employing accounting/auditing firms other than the principal independent auditor. Once every five years, conduct a comprehensive review of the independent auditor (see item E(ix) in the Terms of Reference for further details of the comprehensive review).	✓			
x) Consult with independent auditor out of presence of management about significant risks or exposures, internal controls and other steps that management has taken to control such risks, and the fullness and accuracy of the organization’s financial statements	✓	✓	✓	✓
xi) Arrange for independent auditor to be available to the Committee and Board. Ensure independent auditors report directly to the Committee and are made accountable to the Board and the Committee	✓	✓	✓	✓
xii) Oversee independent auditor	✓	✓	✓	✓
xiii) Ensure independent auditor is prohibited from providing certain non-audit services	✓	✓	✓	✓

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	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
F. Internal Auditor				
i) Review effectiveness and independence of the internal auditor function and ensure there are no unjustified restrictions or limitations on the functioning of the internal auditor	✓			
ii) Review and approve the scope of the proposed internal audit plan and ensure it addresses key areas of risk			✓	
iii) Periodically review:				
a) progress on the internal audit plan, including any significant changes to it;	✓	✓	✓	✓
b) significant internal audit findings, including issues relating to the adequacy of internal control over financial reporting; and	✓			
c) any significant internal fraud issues	✓	✓	✓	✓
iv) Ensure the internal audit’s significant findings and recommendations are received, discussed and appropriately acted upon by the Committee and management.	✓	✓	✓	✓
G. Financial Reporting Processes				
i) Periodically review the adequacy and effectiveness of the Company’s disclosure controls and procedures and the Company’s internal control over financial reporting, including any significant deficiencies and significant changes in internal controls	✓			

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	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
ii) Understand the scope of the independent auditor’s examination and report on the Company’s assessment of internal control over financial reporting and review and discuss significant findings and recommendations, together with management’s responses.	✓			
iii) Consider independent auditor’s judgments about quality, appropriateness and acceptability of accounting principles and financial disclosure practices	✓	✓	✓	✓
iv) Consider and approve any major changes to accounting principles and practices	✓	✓	✓	✓
H. Process Improvement				
i) Discuss with independent auditor (i) auditors’ internal quality-control procedures; and (ii) any material issues raised by the most recent internal quality-control review, or peer review, of the auditors, or by any inquiry of investigation by governmental or professional authorities, within the preceding 5 years, respecting independent audits carried out by auditors and steps taken to deal with such issues	✓			
ii) Review and approve hiring policies for employees or former employees of the past and present independent auditors			As Required	
iii) Establish reporting system for management and independent auditor regarding significant judgments made in management’s preparation of financial statements	✓	✓	✓	✓
iv) Review scope and plans of independent auditor’s audit and reviews			✓	

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	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
v) Review with management and independent auditor significant changes to planned procedures, difficulties encountered during course of audit and reviews, and cooperation received by independent auditor during course of audit and reviews	✓	✓	✓	✓
vi) Review significant disagreements among management and independent auditor connected with financial statement preparation	✓	✓	✓	✓
vii) Ensure course of action for resolving significant unsettled issues	✓	✓	✓	✓
viii) Review with independent auditor and management significant findings and the extent to which changes or improvements in financial or accounting practices have been implemented	✓			
ix) Review activities, organizational structure, and qualifications of CFO and financial reporting staff and ensure matters related to succession planning are raised with Board	✓			
I. Ethical and Legal Compliance				
i) Review management's monitoring system for ensuring financial statements, reports and other financial information disseminated to governmental organizations, and the public satisfy legal requirements	✓	✓	✓	✓
ii) Review with counsel, legal and regulatory compliance matters and matters that could have significant impact on financial statements	✓	✓	✓	✓
iii) Review implementation of compliance with SOX and OSC requirements	✓	✓	✓	✓

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	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
iv) Ensure CEO and CFO certify annual and interim financial statements and interim and annual MD&A	✓	✓	✓	✓
J. Risk Management				
i) Inquire of management and independent auditor to identify significant business, political, financial and control risks and exposures and assess the steps management has taken to minimize such risk	✓	✓	✓	✓
ii) Ensure disclosure of process followed by Board and committees for oversight of management of principal business risks, is complete and fairly presented	✓			
iii) Review management's risk assessment program and steps taken to manage risks and exposures	✓	✓	✓	✓
iv) More extensive review of Enterprise Risk Management program				✓
K. General	As Required			
i) Conduct or authorize investigations into matters within the Committee's scope of responsibilities				

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	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
ii) With the approval of the Board Chair and in consultation with the CEO where reasonably practical, each committee has the authority and responsibility to engage, set the terms of, compensate and oversee any outside advisor that it determines to be necessary to permit it to carry out its duties. In considering the selection of any outside advisor, the applicable committee shall conduct an independence assessment of such advisor, having regard to, among other matters, (A) the provision of other services provided by the advisor to the Company, (B) the amount of fees received by the advisor from the Company as a percentage of total revenue of the advisor, (C) policies of the advisor designed to prevent conflicts of interest, (D) any business or personal relationship of the advisor with a member of the committee, Board or executives of the Company, and (E) any shares or securities of the Company held by the advisor.				As Required
iii) Acquire funding from the Company to pay for ordinary administrative expenses				As Required
iv) Establish procedures for receipt, retention and treatment of complaints regarding accounting, internal accounting controls, or auditing matters; and for anonymous submission by employees of concerns regarding questionable accounting or auditing matters and institute and oversee special investigations as needed	✓	✓	✓	✓

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	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
v) Review the findings of any examinations by regulatory agencies with respect to financial matters, and any external auditors observations made regarding those findings	As Required			
vi) Ensure disclosure in AIF if any possible exemptions for Audit Committees have been used	✓			
vii) Assess adequacy of these terms of reference and recommend to Board	✓			
viii) Conduct annual self-evaluation and report to Board	✓			

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Appendix One: Definitions Related to Audit Committee Composition

Affiliated Person under SEC Rules

An “affiliated person”, in accordance with the rules of the United States Securities and Exchange Commission adopted pursuant to the *Sarbanes-Oxley Act*, means a person who directly or indirectly controls the Company, or a director, executive officer, partner, member, principal or designee of an entity that directly, or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, controls, or is controlled by, or is under common control with, the Company.

Financial Literacy Under Multilateral Instrument 52-110

“Financially literate”, in accordance with MI 52-110, means that the director has the ability to read and understand a set of financial statements that present a breadth and level of complexity of accounting issues that are generally comparable to the breadth and complexity of the issues that can reasonably be expected to be raised by the Company’s financial statements.

Financial Expert Under SEC Regulation S-K

A person will qualify as “financial expert” if he or she possesses the following attributes:

- a) an understanding of financial statements and generally accepted accounting principles;
- b) the ability to assess the general application of such principles in connection with the accounting for estimates, accruals and reserves;
- c) experience preparing, auditing, analyzing or evaluating financial statements that present a breadth and level of complexity of accounting issues that are generally comparable to the breadth and complexity of issues that can reasonably be expected to be raised by the Company’s financial statements, or experience actively supervising one or more persons engaged in such activities;
- d) an understanding of internal controls and procedures for financial reporting; and
- e) an understanding of audit committee functions.

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A person shall have acquired such attributes through:

- a) education and experience as a principal financial officer, principal accounting officer, controller, public accountant or auditor or experience in one or more positions that involve the performance of similar functions;
- b) experience actively supervising a principal financial officer, principal accounting officer, controller, public accountant, auditor or person performing similar functions;
- c) experience overseeing or assessing the performance of companies or public accountants with respect to the preparation, auditing or evaluation of financial statements; or
- d) other relevant experience.

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Appendix Two: Disclosure Items Under Audit Committee Responsibility under CSA MI 52-110 and NYSE Rule 303A

Item		CSA*	NYSE**	
Ensure that the CEO's Terms of Reference include responsibility to make annual and interim written affirmations regarding the Audit Committee, and ensure that such written affirmations are submitted as required.			√	
Disclose the text of the Audit Committee's charter.		√		
Disclose names of committee members and state whether or not each is (i) independent and (ii) financially literate. Describe each member's education and experience relevant to responsibilities.		√		
Disclosure whether, at any time since the commencement of most recently completed financial year, the Company has relied on any possible exemptions for Audit Committees.		√		
If, at any time since the commencement of the issuer's most recently completed financial year, a recommendation of the audit committee to nominate or compensate an external auditor was not adopted by the board of directors, state that fact and why.		√		
Disclose by category how much the auditor is paid for consulting and other services.		√		
Disclose any specific policies or procedures adopted by the Audit Committee for pre-approval of non-audit services by the external auditor.		√		
Prepare and disclose any Audit Committee reports required by applicable regulators.		√		

