

Building a Premier Mid-Tier African Gold Producer

Q2 2019 Operational & Financial Results

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The Company's Qualified Person is Mark J. Pryor, who holds a BSc (Hons) in Geology & Mineralogy from Aberdeen University, United Kingdom and is a Fellow of the Geological Society of London, a Fellow of the Society of Economic Geologists and a registered Professional Natural Scientist (Pr.Sci.Nat) of the South African Council for Natural Scientific Professions. Mark Pryor is a technical consultant with over 25 years of extensive global experience in exploration, mining and mine development and is a "Qualified Person" as defined in National Instrument 43 -101 "Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects" of the Canadian Securities Administrators and has reviewed and approved this presentation. Mr. Pryor is independent of the Company as determined under NI 43-101. Mr. Pryor has reviewed and approved the technical and scientific information contained in this Presentation and consents to the inclusion in this presentation of the matters based on their information in the form and context in which it appears and confirms that this information is accurate and not false or misleading.

The information in this presentation relating to the Mineral Resource estimates for the Youga Gold Mine, New Liberty Gold Mine and Ndablama deposit have been prepared by Dr. Belinda van Lente, who is a registered Professional Natural Scientist (Pr.Sci.Nat) of the South African Council for Natural Scientific Professions. Dr. van Lente is a full-time employee of CSA Global (UK) Ltd and has sufficient experience which is relevant to the style(s) of mineralisation and type of deposit(s) under consideration and to the activity which she has undertaken to qualify as a "Qualified Person" as defined in NI 43-101.

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Q2 2019 Review

Q2 2019 Group Operating Highlights



Gold Production of 34.4koz

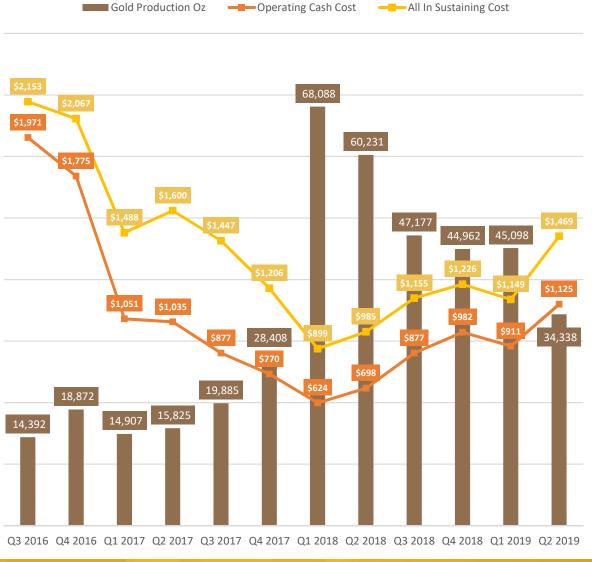
- ➤ New Liberty: 18.8koz, a reduction of 27% on Q1 2019
- ➤ Youga: 15.5koz, a reduction of 19% on Q1 2019
- ➤ Total material mined of 12.3Mt, a 7% decrease on Q1 2019 & a 25% increase on Q2 2018
- ✓ Ore mined has reduced by 23%, whilst mined grades have reduced by approximately 20% QoQ
- ➤ Strip ratios have increased with machine capacity currently focused upon waste material
- → Plant feed grades impacted by lower mined grades, with New Liberty feed reducing by 21% and Youga 23% QoQ

Parameter	Unit	Q2 2019	Q1 2019	Q2 19 vs Q1 19 Variance	Q2 2018	Q2 19 vs Q2 18 Variance
Ore Mined	kt	471	609	-23%	596	-21%
Waste Mined	kt	11,818	12,592	-6%	9,242	28%
Total Material Movement	kt	12,289	13,201	-7%	9,838	25%
Ore Processed	kt	600	628	-4%	659	-9%
Gold Production	Ounces	34,388	45,098	-24%	60,231	-43%

Q2 2019 Review

Production & Cost Performance Trends





- Physical performance at both assets behind targeted production levels due to operation stoppages
- Operating cash costs and AISC have increased due to reduced gold production & one-off retrenchment costs in the period

Q2 2019 New Liberty:

- Production hampered during April by transition to contractor mining
- Material movement reduced by 7%, whilst mined grade decreased by 23%
- Plant feed grades reduced by 21% QoQ to 2.36g/t
- Gold production decreased 27% QoQ to 18.8koz

Q2 2019 Youga:

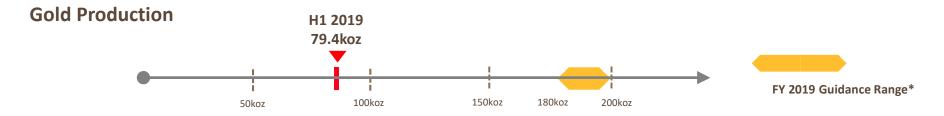
- Production stoppage in June resulted in TMM reducing 7% QoQ
- Plant feed grades reduced by 23% QoQ to 1.59 g/t

H1 2019 Review

H1 2019 vs Full Year Guidance



2019 Production Guidance of 180 – 200koz *







^{*}Under review following New Liberty pit flooding announced on 8th August 2019







H1 & Q2 2019 Financial Highlights

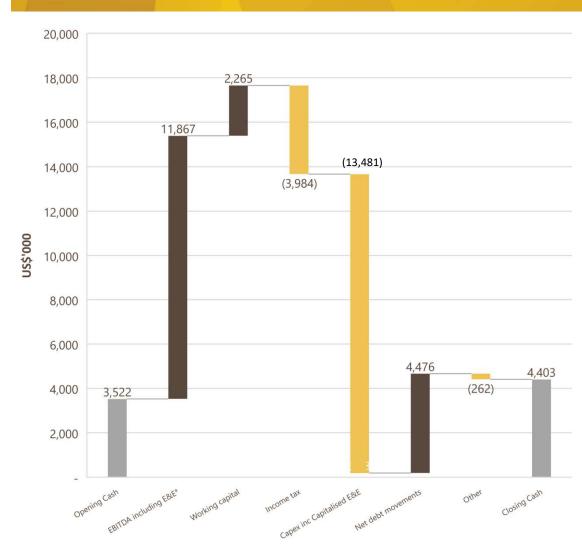


Parameter		Q2 2019	Q1 2019	QoQ Variance	H1 2019	H1 2018	YoY Variance
Gold sold	OZ	36,467	45,810	-20%	82,277	125,838	-35%
Average realised gold price	US\$/oz	1,313	1,304	1%	1,308	1,315	-1%
Revenues	US\$m	48.0	59.9	-20%	107.9	165.9	-35%
EBITDA ¹	US\$m	2.1	9.5	-78%	11.6	64.6	-82%
EBITDA margin	%	4	16	-73%	11	39	-72%
Cash flow from operations	US\$m	5.0	5.1	-2%	10.1	47.9	-79%
Operating cash costs	US\$/oz sold	1,125	911	23%	1,006	658	53%
All in sustaining costs ¹	US\$/oz sold	1,469	1,149	28%	1,291	932	39%

¹ See "Non IFRS Financial Performance Measures"

Treasury – H1 Cash Generation and Usage





Operating cashflow of US\$10.1m from EBITDA of US\$11.9m and income tax payments of US\$4.0m

Investment activities include:

- US\$10.1m capitalised waste stripping at New Liberty
- ✓ US\$1.6m associated with TSF expansions at New Liberty & Youga
- ✓ US\$1.9m exploration at Ouare and Ndablama

Financing activities include:

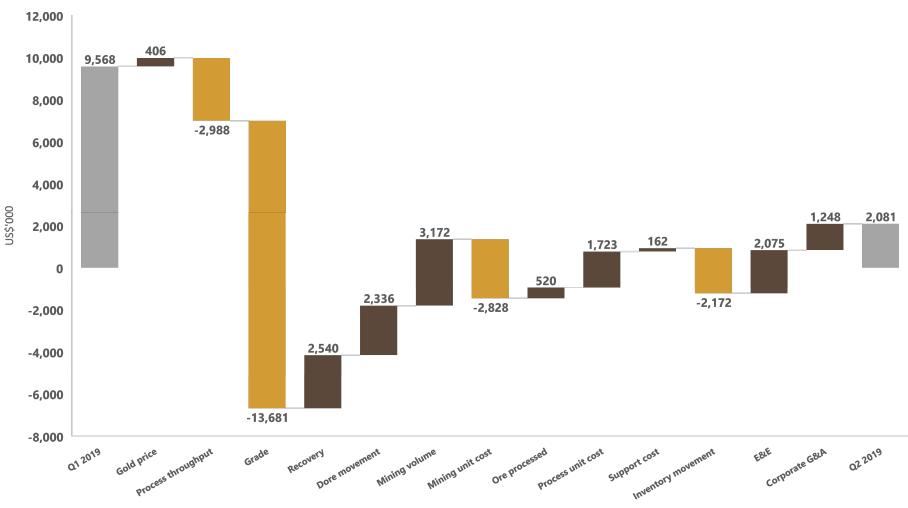
- A US\$10m draw-down was completed on a new working capital facility with Avesoro Jersey in March
- ➤ New Liberty finance charges of US\$4.9m to lending banks and Mapa loans

^{*}Exploration and evaluation

QoQ EBITDA Bridge









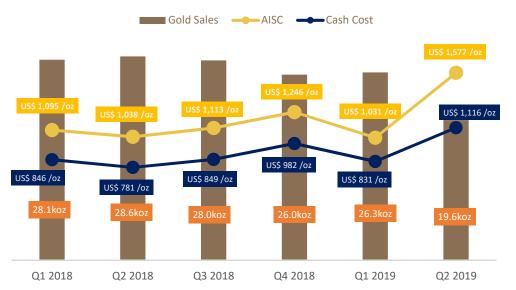




New Liberty Q2 2019



Gold Sales & Costs



Parameter	Q1 2018	Q2 2018	Q3 2018	Q4 2018	Q1 2019	Q2 2019
Ore Mined, kt	359	375	396	347	317	257
Waste Mined, kt	4,677	5,312	5,237	6,445	8,120	7,593
Strip Ratio, W:O	13.0	14.2	13.2	18.6	25.6	29.5
Ore Processed, Kt	344	352	354	362	308	268
Feed Grade, g/t	2.91	2.81	2.82	2.44	3.00	2.36
Gold Sales, oz	28,098	28,564	27,997	26,014	26,323	19,637

- Total material movement decreased by 7% in Q2, due to productivity issues during the transition to contractor mining
- Focus on waste stripping continued, with strip ratio reaching 29.5: 1 (+15% QoQ)
- Gold production reduced due to lower volumes of ore mined at a scheduled lower feed grade
- Whilst absolute costs reduced, AISC /cash cost both increased due to retrenchment costs and reduced gold production

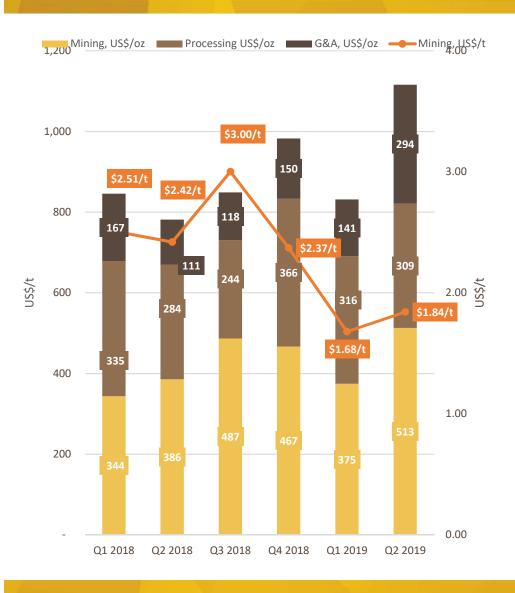
Q3 2019 Outlook:

- Increase expected in TMM and ore tonnes
- Monthly TMM expected to peak at c. 3.2Mt in Q4 2019
- Increase in mining rate is expected to drive further improvements in unit costs

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New Liberty Unit Cost Breakdown





- Mining costs per tonne increased to US\$1.84/t in Q2 2019 due to reduced material movement in the Quarter
- Processing costs per tonne decreased by 14% to US\$20.27/t due to a reduction in the volumes of reagents used in the detox circuit
- ✓ G&A increased to US\$5.7 million in the Quarter due to US\$1.7 million of retrenchment costs in the mining and support teams

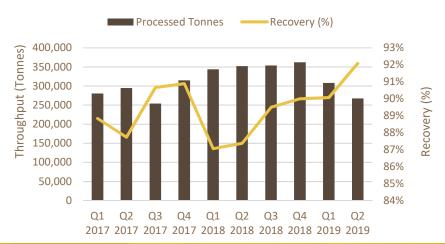
New Liberty: Operational Review



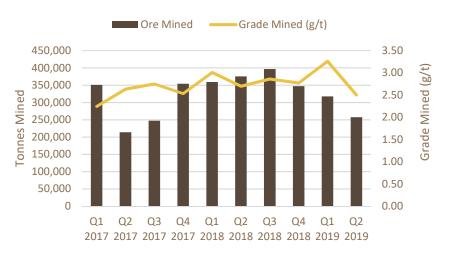
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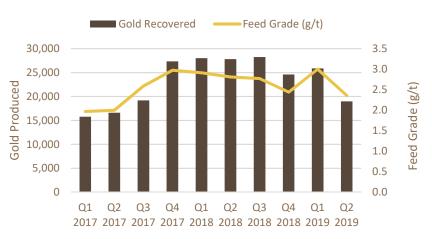
Plant Throughput and Recovery



Ore Tonnes Mined and Grade



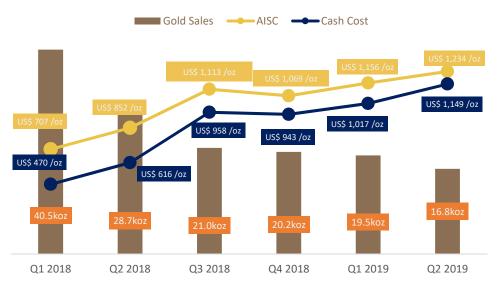
Gold Produced and Feed Grade



Youga Q2 2019 Performance



Gold Sales & AISC



Parameter	Q1 2018	Q2 2018	Q3 2018	Q4 2018	Q1 2019	Q2 2019
Ore Mined, kt	233	221	233	282	292	214
Waste Mined, kt	2,635	3,930	3,909	3,998	4,472	4,225
Strip Ratio, W:O	11.3	17.8	16.8	14.2	15.3	19.8
Ore Processed, Kt	306	307	279	345	320	332
Feed Grade, g/t	4.53	3.44	2.44	2.04	2.07	1.59
Gold Sales, oz	40,455	28,722	20,977	20,172	19,487	16,830

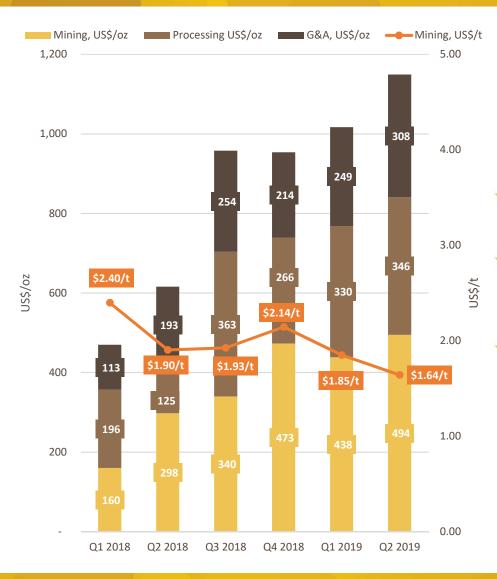
- Mining volumes decreased due to a temporary stoppage in mining during June, associated with the transition to contractor mining
- Gassoré pit continues to deliver below forecast grades
- ✓ Strip ratio at Youga has increased by 29% QoQ
- Plant feed supplemented by blending low grade stockpiles, resulting in feed grade of 1.59 g/t

Q3 2019 Outlook:

- Increase in gold production to be driven by a reduction in mining dilution and therefore an improvement in mined grade
- Higher gold production expected to improve overall US\$/oz cost trend

Youga Unit Cost Breakdown





- ✓ Mining cost per tonne decreased 5% to US\$1.64/t in Q2 2019
- ✓ Processing costs per tonne reduced by 12% to US\$16.45/t due to 4% improvement in throughput at the plant
- ✓ G&A increased to US\$5.2m in Q2 2019 vs US\$4.8m in Q1 2019 due to retrenchment costs of US\$0.6m

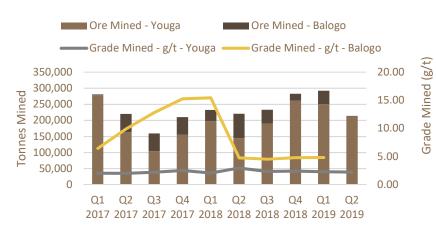
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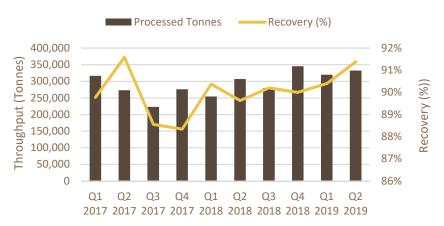
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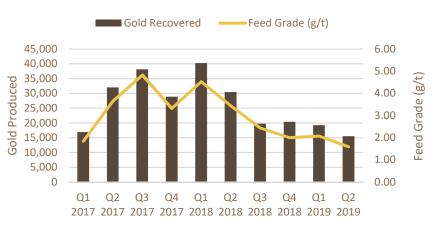
Ore Tonnes Mined and Grade



Plant Throughput and Recovery



Gold Produced and Feed Grade





Outlook





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FY 2019 Production Guidance



Consolidated Production Guidance*

- → Forecast gold production of 180 200koz
- → Forecast operating cash cost of US\$889 US\$960 per ounce
- Forecast AISC of US\$1,152 US\$1,248 per ounce

H2 2019 Outlook

- → The Company expects increases in material movement at both New Liberty and Youga throughout the second half of 2019
- This is expected to translate into increased gold production and a reduction in unit operational costs

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Appendices



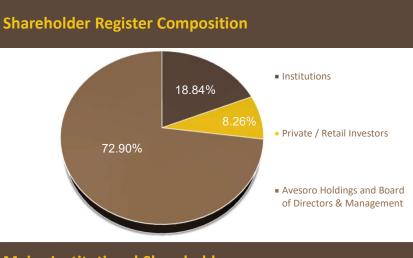


Appendix

Corporate Overview (TSX, AIM)



Balance Sheet at June 30, 2019 (in millions)					
Cash US\$4					
Debt ¹	US\$138.3				
Capitalisation Summary at August 1, 2019					
AIM / TSX Ticker					
Shares Outstanding	81,575,260				
Warrants Outstanding	-				
Options Outstanding	4,082,171				
Shares Outstanding Fully Diluted 85,657					
Market Capitalisation	US\$86m				



Major Institutional Shareholders				
Ora Capital	Lombard Odier			
Canaccord Genuity	Condire Investors			
Ruffer	South River Asset Mgmt			
Earth Resource Group				

¹ Face value, comprised of principle outstanding four facilities: Senior Facility Tranche A, Subordinated loan facility, Senior Facility Tranche B and an Unsecured & Subordinated loan facility with Avesoro Jersey Ltd.



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