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# BUILD. OPERATE. EXPAND.

Corporate Presentation | March 2025

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#### **Qualified Persons**

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# **BUILD OPERATE EXPAND**



Oxide plant built on-time and under-budget



Commercial **Production** Dec 2022



Production **Guidance Achieved** 2023 & 2024

>100,000 oz/yr **Operations** 



Stage I >170,000 oz/yr

**Expansion** 



**Construction of an independent** parallel 2.5Mtpa hard rock plant





Construction Commenced

14km reserve defined system, average reserve depth of <40m



Tier 1 potential

**Exploration** 



**Drilling Underway** 

Multi-year **Drill Program** 

5.0Moz global resource, targeting 7-10Moz



Throughput optimized to 6.0Mtpa

**Project Financing** Secured



First Gold Q4-2025

**Evaluating acceleration of Stage II: 220,000-250,000oz/yr** 

P17 Trend



# **3 YEAR PRODUCTION FORECAST & RAMP-UP**

### > FY-2024 Guidance

• Gold Production: 110,000 - 125,000oz

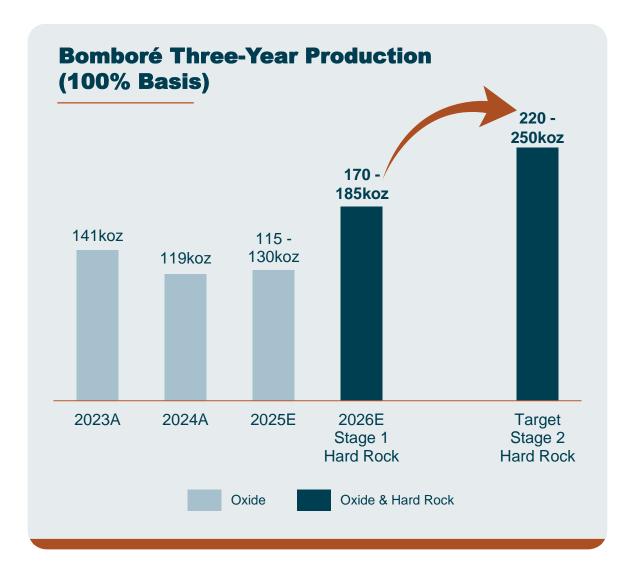
• AISC: \$1,400 - \$1,475/oz

### **Stage I Hard Rock − 2.5Mtpa**

- Construction underway
- Commissioning Q4-2025
- Production: >170,000oz/yr

# Accelerated Stage II Hard Rock – 5.0Mtpa<sup>1</sup>

- Pull forward Stage II expansion by 2-years
- Construction completed Q4-2026
- Production: 220,000 250,000oz/yr





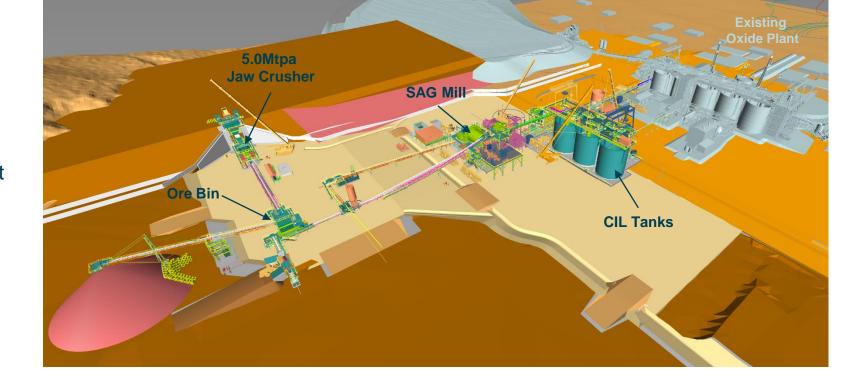
# **STAGE I** Hard Rock Expansion – 2.5Mtpa

### Estimated Capex of \$85M

Fully financed

### Expansion ahead of schedule

- Concrete 3-months ahead of schedule
- Engineering ahead of schedule, bulk quantities in line with budget
- All long lead items ordered
  - SAG mill major components on route to site
- SMP contract awarded, CIL tanks to commence in March
- TSF expansion commenced



**▶** Commissioning: Q4-2025



# **STAGE I** Hard Rock Expansion – 2.5Mtpa











- 1. Hard rock expansion area with oxide plant and shared infrastructure
- 2. Dump pocket & crusher foundation
- 3. CIL ring beams
- 4. SAG mill foundation
- 5. First delivery of hard rock mining fleet onsite

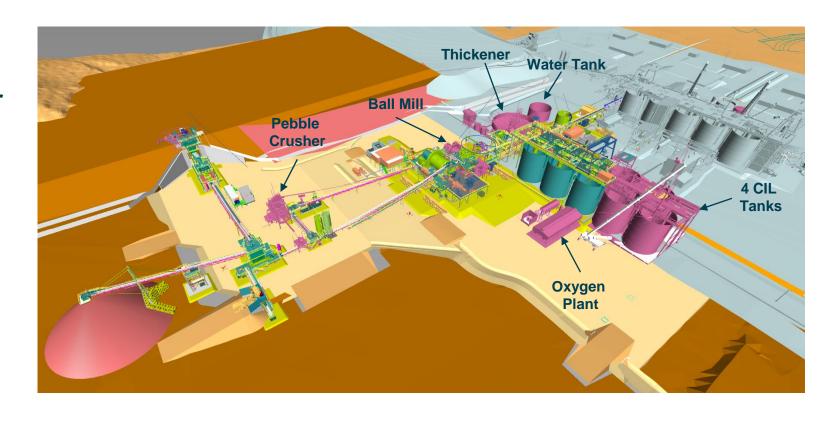


# **STAGE II** Hard Rock Expansion – 5.0Mtpa

- Mill throughput increased from 2.5Mtpa to 5.0Mtpa
- > Production 220,000 250,000oz/yr
- Additions to hard rock plant
  - 4 additional CIL tanks
  - Ball mill & pebble crusher
  - Thickener & water tank
  - Oxygen plant
  - Gold room expansion

# Accelerated ramp-up<sup>1</sup>

Construction completed: Q4-2026



# **KEY TO OUR SUCCESS** Commitment to Local Content





### **Local Workforce**

- **▶** 97% Burkinabe workforce
  - Well established workforce in country with 16 mines developed
  - Only four expats

- First to use an in-country mining contractor
  - Very successful ramp-up and performance since commissioning
  - Now performing similar services for two major mining companies in country

# **Local Financial Partners**

### Nioko Resources

West African based investment group, currently holds 19.9% ownership in Orezone

> Coris Bank - senior lender

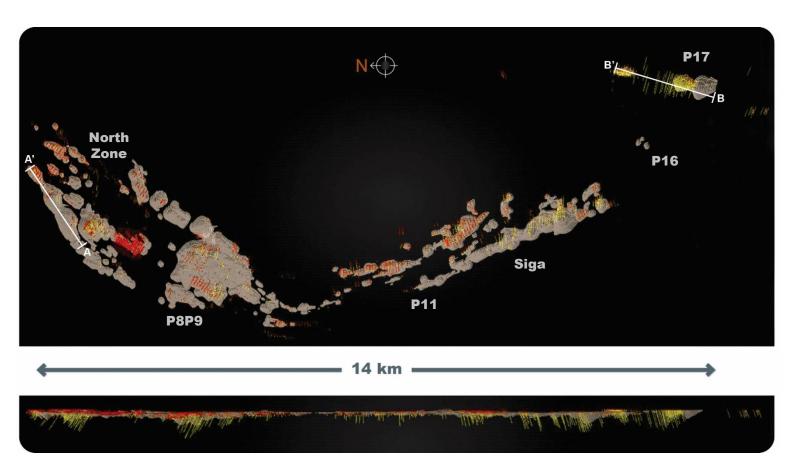
Based out of Burkina Faso, one of the largest banks in West Africa





# **EVOLVING EXPLORATION OUTLOOK**

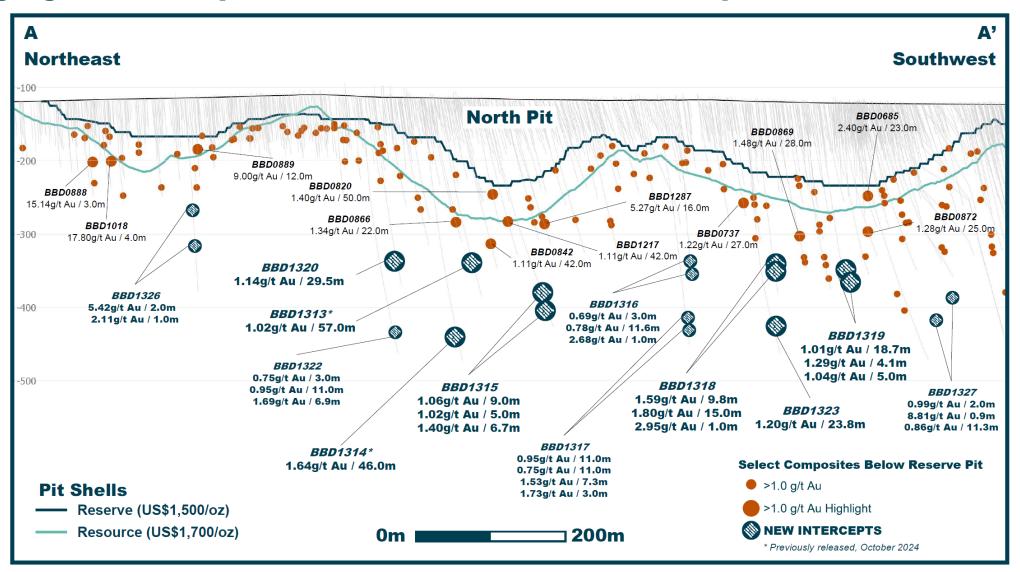
- Prior to 2017: heap leach focus
- **▶** 2017 to 2022: hard rock integration
  - New management team
  - 2.4Moz Mineral Reserve<sup>1</sup>
  - Average reserve pit depth <40m</li>
  - Full ramp-up: 220,000-250,000oz/yr
  - Only 38 holes deeper than 250m
- 2024 onward: expanding scope
  - Pit extensions at depth along strike
  - Underground potential of higher-grade sub-zones



# **NORTH ZONE LONG SECTION Looking Southwest**



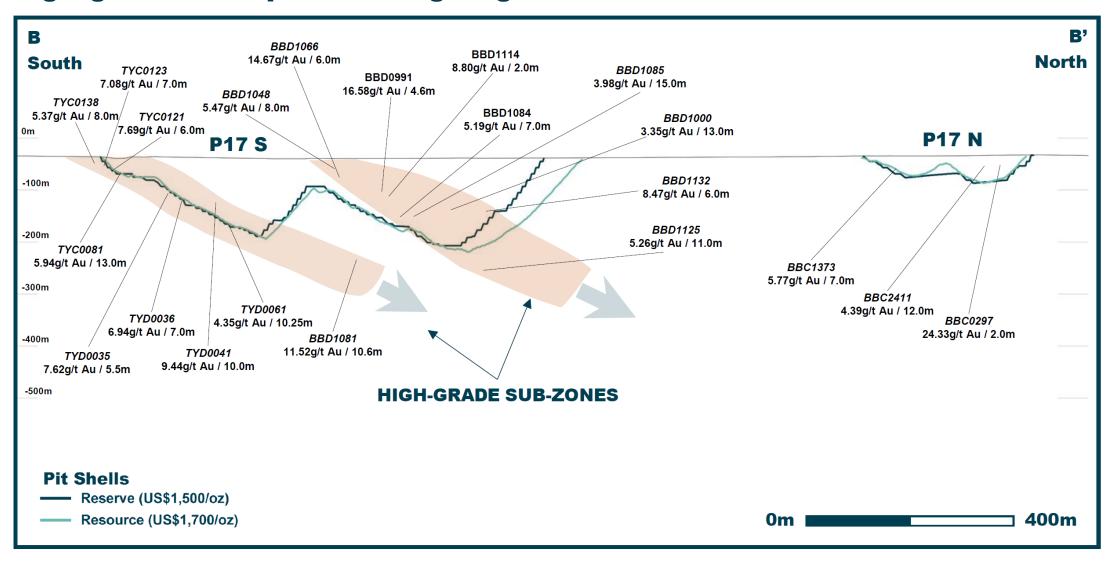
Highlighted intercepts below current resource & reserve pits



# P17 LONG SECTION Looking North-northwest



# Highlighted intercepts within higher-grade sub-zones





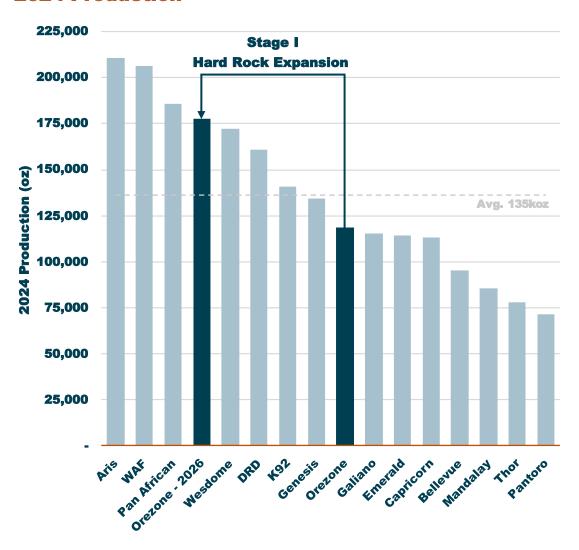
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# **Current Position**

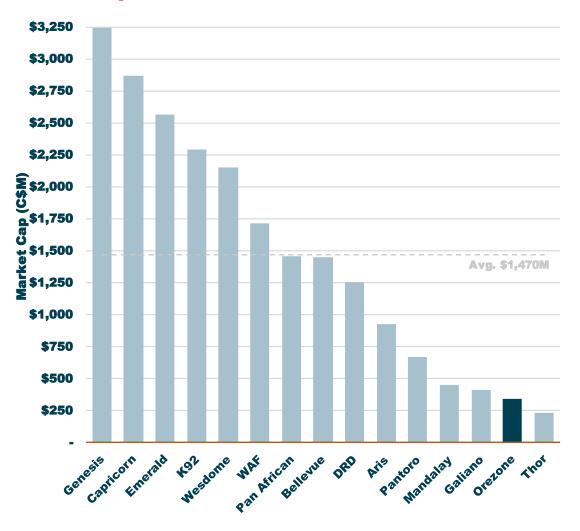
# **OREZONE** Significantly Undervalued



### **2024 Production**



### **Market Capitalization**



# **FINANCIAL POSITION**



# Financial position<sup>1</sup>

- **▶** \$66.9M cash
- **▶** \$68.1M senior debt with Coris Bank
  - 9 10% interest rate
- **▶** \$35M convert with RCF & Beedie
  - 8.5% interest rate
  - Matures Q3-2026

# **Outlook**

- ▶ Expected \$80M in senior debt outstanding upon completion of Stage I hard rock plant in late 2025
- ▶ Debt free by Q3-2027 with senior debt and convert fully repaid



# **CAPITAL STRUCTURE** & Research Coverage

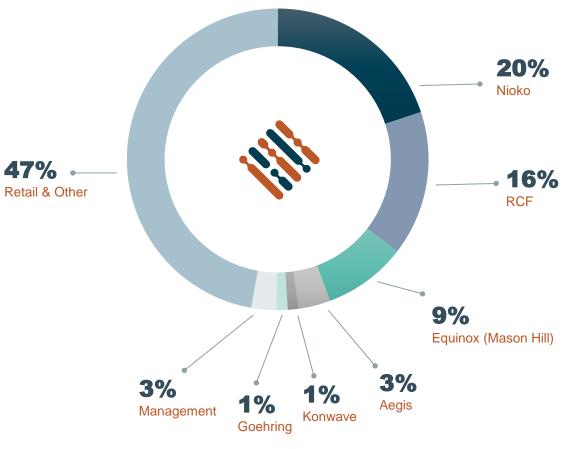


TSX: ORE, OTCQX: ORZCF	
Shares Issued <sup>1</sup>	466,109,856
Shares Fully Diluted <sup>2</sup>	549,316,749
Market Capitalization <sup>1</sup>	C\$340M

### **Analyst Target Price and Recommendations**

Broker	Date	Recommendation	Target Price
Canaccord	01/27/25	Buy	\$2.25
CIBC	01/27/25	Outperform	\$1.30
Hannam	01/27/25	N/A	\$2.10
Paradigm Capital	01/27/25	Speculative Buy	\$2.10
Ventum Financial	01/27/25	Buy	\$1.50
Raymond James	01/22/25	Outperform	\$1.20
	C\$1.74		

# **Major Shareholders**<sup>3</sup>



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> As at January 31, 2025

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 2}$  Assumes US\$35M Convertible conversion and exercise of options, RSU's and DSU's

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Most recent data available from Irwin and www.sedi.ca



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# **Appendix**

# **BURKINA FASO** An Established Gold Mining Jurisdiction





### **Ideal Location**

- **90-minute drive** from the capital city
- **Ease of logistics** and security
- Skilled local labour force

# > 18Moz Gold within 50km\*

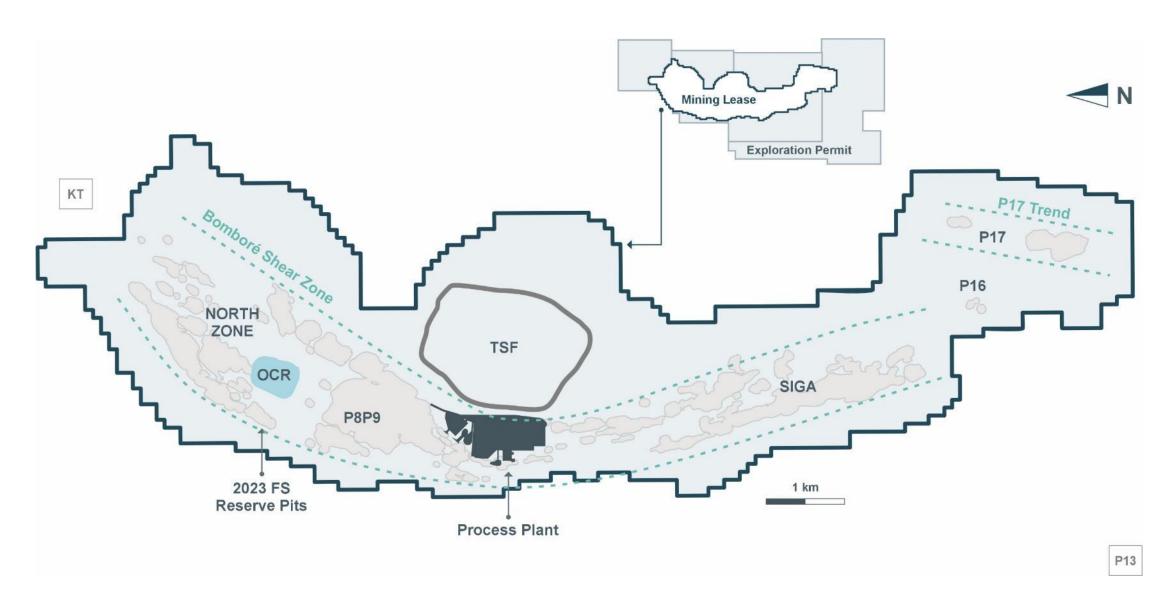
- West African Resources: Sanbrado, Toega and Kiaka
- New high-grade gold discoveries

# **Supportive Mining Jurisdiction**

- ▶ 16 mines brought into production
- Majority of mines built on/ahead of schedule and on/under budget
- Strong support from local communities and in-country partners

# **BOMBORÉ** Site Layout





# **MANAGEMENT & DIRECTORS**



# Significant Hands-on Experience

### **MANAGEMENT**

### **PATRICK DOWNEY**

President, CEO and Director

### **PETER TAM**

**EVP & CFO** 

#### RYAN GOODMAN

**SVP & General Counsel** 

### **KEVIN MACKENZIE**

VP, Corporate Development & IR

### **ROB HENDERSON**

VP, Technical Services

### DALE TWEED

VP, Engineering

### **GARETH WITHERS**

VP, Finance

### **OUSSENI DERRA**

General Manager, Orezone Bomboré SA

### **BOARD**

#### PATRICK G. DOWNEY

### President, CEO and Director

Former President, Chief Executive Officer and Director of Elgin Mining Inc., Aura Minerals Inc. and Viceroy Exploration Ltd. Former Board member of Claude Resources and Dalradian Resources

### **SEAN HARVEY**

### Director (Chair)

Former Chair of the Board of Perseus Mining Limited. Former board member of Moto Gold Mines Ltd., TVX Gold Inc., Orvana Minerals Corp. and Serabi Gold plc.

### **JOSEPH CONWAY**

### Director

Former Chief Executive Officer and Executive Vice Chairman of Primero Mining. Former President and CEO of IAMGOLD Corporation. Former President, CEO and Director of Repadre Capital Corporation

### KATE HARCOURT

### Director

Non-executive Director of Atalaya Mining plc and Fortuna Silver Mines Inc.

### TARA HASSAN

#### Director

VP, Corporate Development for SilverCrest Metals Inc. and former ranked mining analyst covering precious metals.

### MARCO LOCASCIO

#### Director

Former Chief Executive Officer of Adia Resources Inc.

### **ROB DOYLE**

### **Director (Audit Committee Chair)**

Founding Board member and previous Chair of the Audit Committee of Maverix Metals Inc. and former Chief Financial Officer of Pan American Silver Corp.

### **MATTHEW QUINLAN**

### Director

Former Chief Financial Officer of Pretivm Resources Inc. and Dominion Diamond Corporation

# **RESOURCE AND RESERVE ESTIMATES**



# Bomboré Gold Project

### Resource Estimate as of March 28, 2023<sup>1</sup>

	Measured			Indicated			Measured and Indicated			Inferred		
	Tonnes Mt	Grade Au g/t	Ounces Au koz	Tonnes Mt	Grade Au g/t	Ounces Au koz	Tonnes Mt	Grade Au g/t	Ounces Au koz	Tonnes Mt	Grade Au g/t	Ounces Au koz
Oxide	16.4	0.59	312	72.9	0.56	1,311	89.3	0.57	1,623	3.3	0.57	60
Hard Rock	11.1	1.09	389	78.8	0.99	2,503	89.9	1.00	2,892	16.7	1.02	549
Total	27.5	0.79	701	151.7	0.78	3,814	179.3	0.78	4,515	20.0	0.95	610

### Reserve Estimate as of March 28, 2023<sup>1</sup>

		Proven			Probable		Proven & Probable			
	Tonnes Mt	Grade Au g/t	Ounces Au koz	Tonnes Mt	Grade Au g/t	Ounces Au koz	Tonnes Mt	Grade Au g/t	Ounces Au koz	
Oxide	6.2	0.62	124	50.5	0.55	897	56.7	0.56	1,020	
Hard Rock	3.3	1.29	137	35.6	1.00	1,144	38.9	1.02	1,281	
Oxide Stockpiles	-	-	-	7.9	0.40	102	7.9	0.40	102	
Total	9.5	0.86	261	94.0	0.71	2,143	103.5	0.72	2,403	

