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Bulyanhulu commenced commercial production in 2001 and has now produced over 3 million ounces to date. The current Life of mine is currently estimated to be more than 30 years, based on its proven and probable gold reserves of 9.5 million ounces.

Overview 

Bulyanhulu is a narrow-vein gold mine containing gold, silver and copper mineralisation in sulphides. The mineralisation of Bulyanhulu is associated with steeply-dipping reefs. A number of distinct reefs have been identified including Reef Zero, Reef One and Reef Two.

Bulyanhulu is an underground mine with shaft access, which is transitioning to long-hole and drift and fill as its principal mining methods.

The process plant currently has capacity to process an average of 3,300 tonnes of ore per day, (or c. 1.1 million tonnes per year) and produces both doré and copper/gold concentrate.

In 2014 a 2.4 million tonnes per year carbon in leach circuit was added to the process plant to reprocess tailings.

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