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- Personal Protective Equipment will be provided:
  - high-visibility reflective clothing and safety boots
  - helmet and safety glasses (fit over prescription glasses)
  - gloves
  - hearing protection
  - masks and CO detectors for inside the Metallurgical Plant
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- Keep clear of all machinery
- Cameras to be used outside buildings only

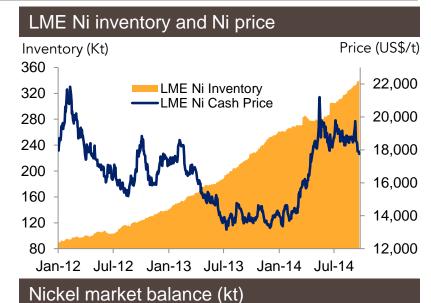
## Agenda

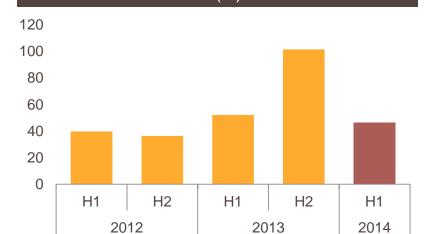
- Welcome Senior Management Team
- Kenny Ives Head of Nickel Marketing
  - Glencore nickel market
- Peter Johnston Head of Nickel Assets
  - Glencore nickel
- Peter Hancock President
  - Koniambo Operations
- Questions



#### Nickel market remains in surplus with LME stocks increasing

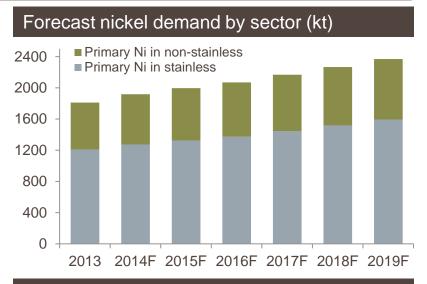
- LME nickel price rallied to US\$21,200/t in May, up 52% since the start of the year.
   Prices have since settled in a US\$17,000-US\$20,000/t range, recently testing the lower limit
- The increase in prices was driven by the sustained Indonesian ban on nickel ore exports and anticipation of reduced nickel output
- Yet, material unit surpluses sit on and off the exchange: LME inventory is currently at alltime highs and climbing (over 340Kt), reflecting persistent market surpluses
- However, provided the Indonesian ban on ore exports is sustained, the nickel market is expected to revert to expanding deficits from early next year





## Nickel demand outlook – solid growth in key markets

- Primary nickel demand in stainless steel is projected to increase over 5% this year, reflecting growth in China and North America, along with improved conditions in Europe and Japan
- Longer term we estimate global nickel demand in stainless will continue to increase at a rate above 4% p.a., predominantly driven by China
- Activity levels in non-stainless applications are also robust with nickel usage projected to increase over 6% this year
- Going forward, non-stainless demand growth is forecast at ca. 4% p.a., with strong contributions from China, India and the US
- Overall, we project solid nickel demand growth at a rate of above 4% p.a. between 2014 and 2019

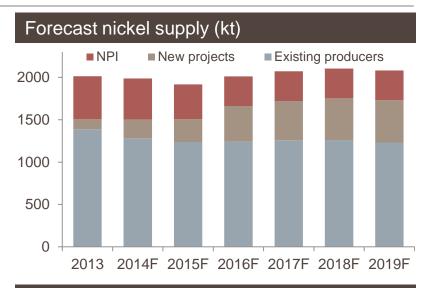


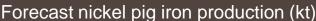
#### Forecast nickel demand by region (kt)

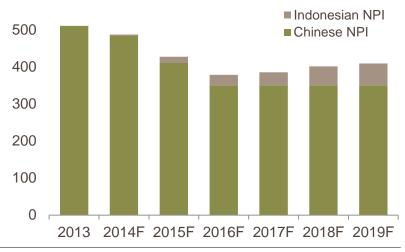


## Nickel supply outlook – limited growth amid ore ban

- Nickel supply in 2014 is forecast to decrease 1.4% on the prior year reflecting poor performance at existing producers and new projects, coupled with decreased NPI output
- NPI production is down due to the impact of the Indonesian ban on ore exports, albeit operating rates have remained relatively high this year reflecting stockpiled ore and increased exports from the Philippines
- China's NPI production is forecast to fall from 510kt in 2013 to between 330kt and 370kt over the outlook period, while Indonesian NPI is forecast to add an additional 60Kt by 2019
- However, increased supply from new projects may offset projected losses resulting from the ban and overall supply growth is therefore forecast at 0.9% pa over the period to 2019

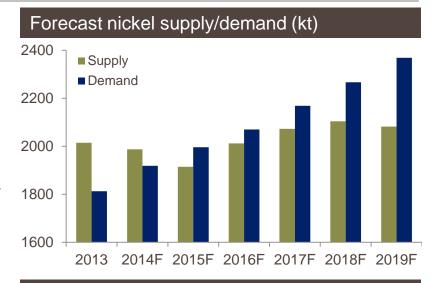


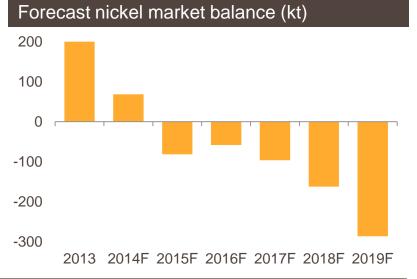




### Deficits forecast from 2015 herald stock depletion

- Provided the Indonesian ban on ore exports is sustained, Chinese NPI production plus ferronickel output in Japan and elsewhere will be significantly impacted, removing over 300kt nickel units from the market
- However, increased supply from new projects offsets projected losses and overall production growth is forecast at 0.9% pa over the period to 2019
- With nickel demand growth projected over 4% p.a., the market is expected to revert to a deficit by early 2015, with annual deficits expected to be substantial in the medium term

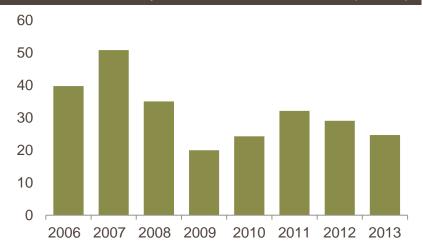




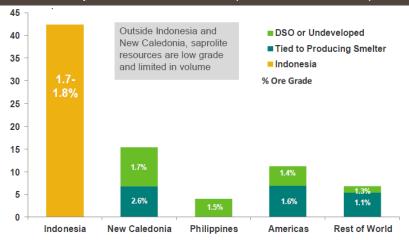
## Indonesia did not benefit from Direct Shipping Ore (DSO)

- The inherent value of Indonesian nickel ore exports in 2013 was ca. US\$10.5bn vs. revenue from DSO of US\$1.7bn
- By implementing a law that requires domestic processing of all minerals extracted in the country prior to export, Indonesia took a key step to create value for the country, while positively influencing the market
- Indonesia has a unique position in terms of nickel saprolite resources, which are mostly high grade (1.8% Ni)
- A sustained ban paves the way for major foreign investment, with some funds already secured
- On the contrary, any policy easing will undermine the market and likelihood of material investment
- We remain confident that the Indonesian ban will be sustained with no exceptions granted and recent comments by the director of Metals and Minerals at the ESDM support this

#### Indonesia Ore Export to China Unit Value (US\$/t)

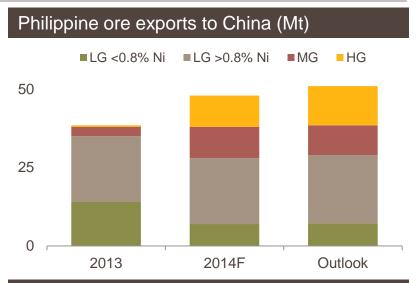


#### World Saprolite Resources (Mt Ni contained)

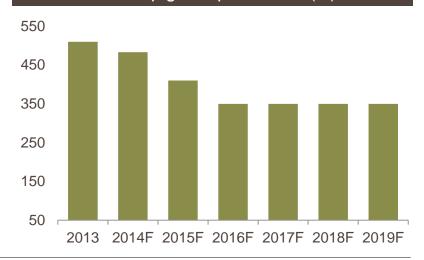


### Philippine ore supplies determine Chinese NPI outlook

- Provided the Indonesian ban on ore exports is sustained, Chinese NPI production will ultimately depend on ore exports from the Philippines
- We project 2014 Philippine exports to China to increase ca. 25% on 2013 levels, and expect shipments to remain around these high levels over the outlook period
- The composition of this ore supply is also expected to trend towards higher nickel content
- As a result, China's NPI production is forecast to fall from 510kt Ni last year to 330
   370kt over the outlook

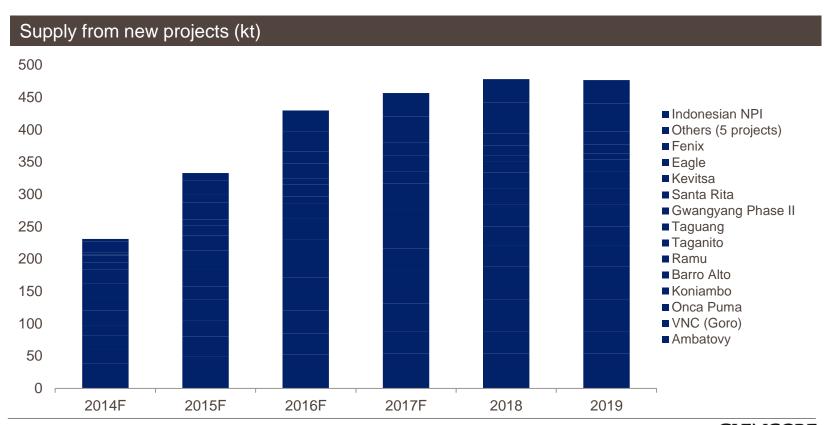


#### Chinese Nickel pig iron production (kt)



## Projects to provide additional units, subject to performance

- Nickel supply from greenfield projects and brownfield expansions is forecast at ca. 230kt Ni in 2014 and expected to more than double by 2019
- However, ramp up performance to date highlights the need for a cautious outlook, with the majority of new assets delayed and underperforming due to technical, environmental, permitting and social challenges



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#### Glencore nickel overview

#### Top three integrated nickel producer

- Production of 98.4kt mined nickel in 2013 rising towards 145kt by 2016
- Future production growth will benefit from higher volumes of lower cost production at Koniambo and Raglan
- Our resource base exceeds 13Mt of contained nickel, indicating average mine lives in excess of 20 years on the current Measured and Indicated resource

#### A leading trader of nickel

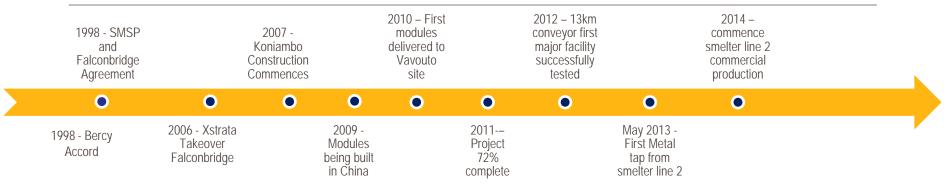
2013 marketed volumes of more than 226kt of nickel concentrates and metal

### **Glencore nickel assets**





## **Our history**



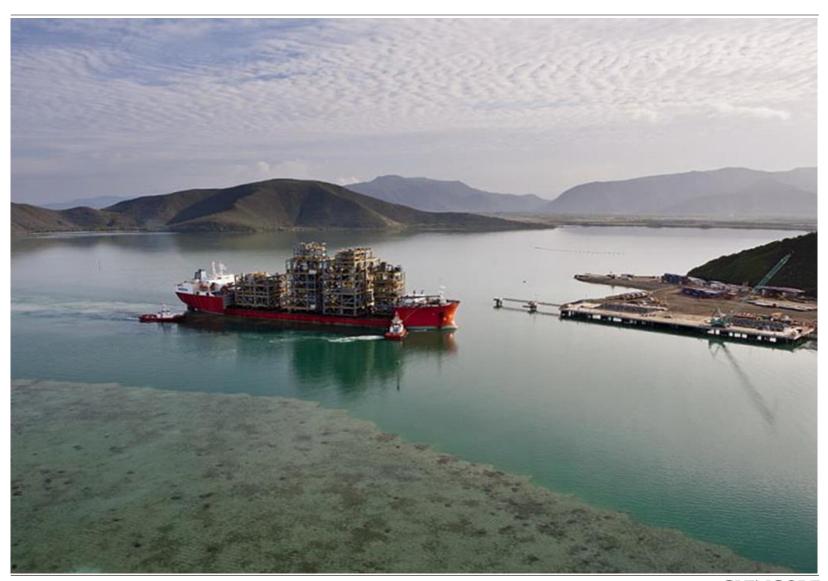
Koniambo Nickel is a New Caledonian operation capable of processing 2.5Mt of DMT ore to produce up to 60,000t p.a. of nickel in ferronickel from a large lateritic nickel deposit

- Legal ownership: Glencore 49%, SMSP 51%
  - Economic ownership >90% Glencore
  - 15 year tax and 20 year economic stability agreements with Government
- Koniambo's nickel smelting technology (NST) results in significantly improved smelting efficiencies & environmental performance.
- Unique, high-grade global nickel deposit with operating life potential of greater than 50 years
- Forecast steady-state C1 cost estimated to be c. \$4/lb Ni

# **Greenfield site – 2005 aerial photo of the Vavouto site**



# Pre-fabricated plant module – first arrival Sept 2010



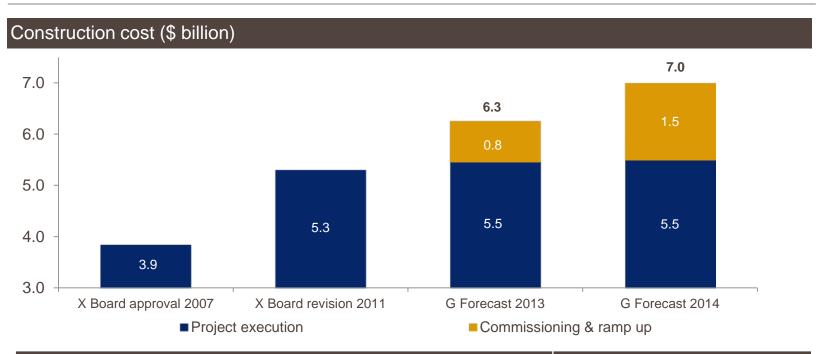
# Construction phase – top module being raised into position



# **Construction complete – November 2013**



# **Closing out the Project**



Key milestones	
Commercial production line 1	September 2013
Commercial production line 2	February 2014
Power station line 1 synchronisation	April 2014
Power station line 2 synchronisation	September 2014
End of commissioning ramp up capitalisation period (for accounting purposes)	Estimated June 2015



# Koniambo Nickel leadership team



President Peter Hancock



VP Production & Maintenance Benoit Pelletier



VP Mine & Engineering Didier Ventura



VP Health & Safety
Francois-Gilles
Cote



VP Human Resource Chantal Francoeur



**VP Finance**Yvon
Pronovost



Director Strategy & Performance Patrick Duffy



Director
External
Affairs
Alcide Ponga



Legal Counsel Marjorie Pechon

#### Safe Nickel – successful & sustainable

#### Safety

- **Fatigue prevention**: OSPAT system implemented site-wide to assess fitness for work for vehicle operators (mine haul trucks, slag haulers, port stackers)
- Alcohol and drug testing: first site in New Caledonia to implement random workplace shift start testing
- Collision prevention: mine fleet (both light and heavy vehicles) are monitored by GPS to prevent mobile equipment incidents

#### Health

- Sector leader: environmental asbestos management includes training, surface watering, ventilated masks – exceeds current and proposed regulatory requirements
- Industrial hygiene risk management: controlled through Similar Exposure Groups (SEG's)
- **Proactive monitoring**: industrial hygiene advisors in the field with high tech equipment

#### Environment

- **Technology**: smelting technology results in minimal dust or gas emissions
- Consultative: regular community consultations through permanent Koniambo Environment Committee
- Transparent: air quality monitoring with results communicated through website
- Sustainable: re-vegetation of massif and mangrove has been underway since day 1

## Unique model for stakeholder support

Koniambo Nickel is governed by a 49:51 joint venture with SMSP (a subsidiary of the North Province of New Caledonia holding key mine and smelting related assets)

- Glencore has management responsibility for construction and operations
- Local JV ownership imparts a high degree of public buy-in and support for the Koniambo operations
- Project was perceived by the Government as an economic driver of growth for the north of New Caledonia (80% of economic activities in New Caledonia were concentrated in Nouméa, 300km to the south)

#### **Trusted**

 Koniambo has a strong social license to operate because it is viewed by the people of the North Province as a trusted partner

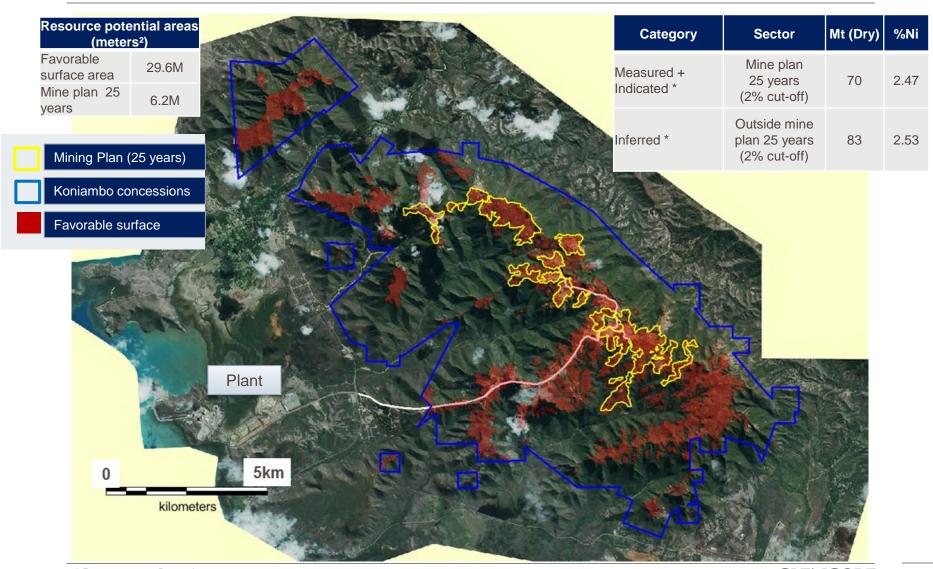
#### **Innovative**

- Many local business have been created and developed to provide services to Koniambo
- The local region has a vibrant economy that is starting to develop its own demand for services outside the Koniambo Project

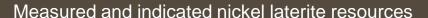
#### Belonging

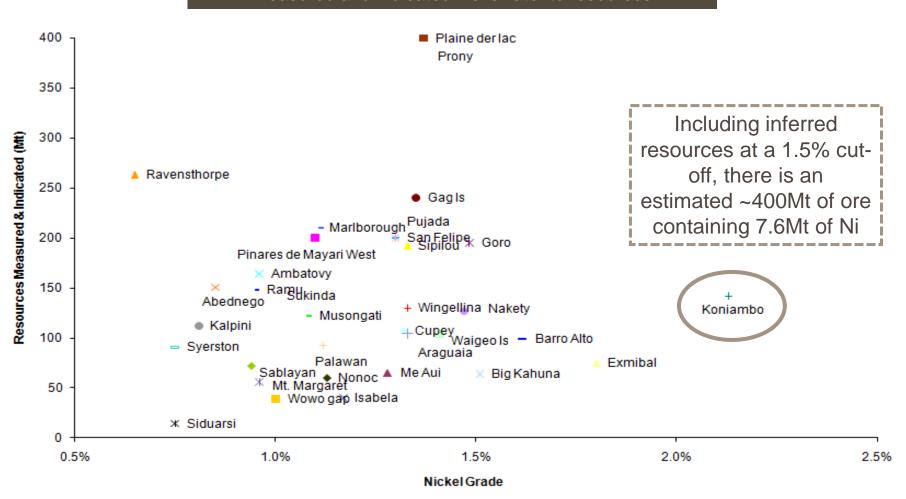
- 75% of Koniambo staff are local employees
- There has been extensive development of local skills for both the needs of Koniambo and its contractors

# World class laterite nickel deposit (2% cut-off grade)



## Koniambo has a unique, high-grade global nickel deposit





## Mine operations overview

- 25 year high grade nickel reserve
- 2.5Mtpa of ore mined, crushed and conveyed 13km to the metallurgical plant
- Significant future potential development of lower-grade saprolite and limonite resources

	2014	2018E
Shovels	8	12
Trucks (100t & 150t)	20	34
Bulldozers	10	14
Water Trucks	3	5
Graders	2	3
Loaders	2	2

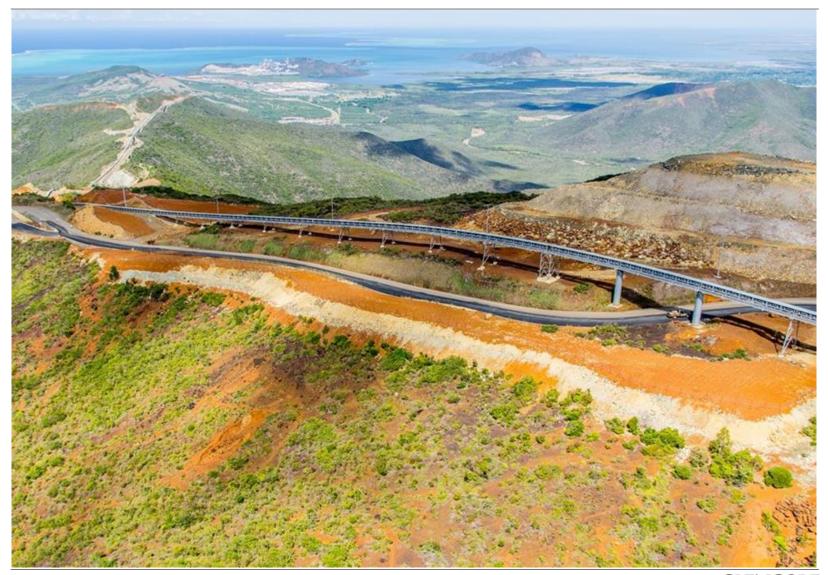




# Integrated site – mine ore preparation plant



# Integrated site – 13 km ore conveyor to plant



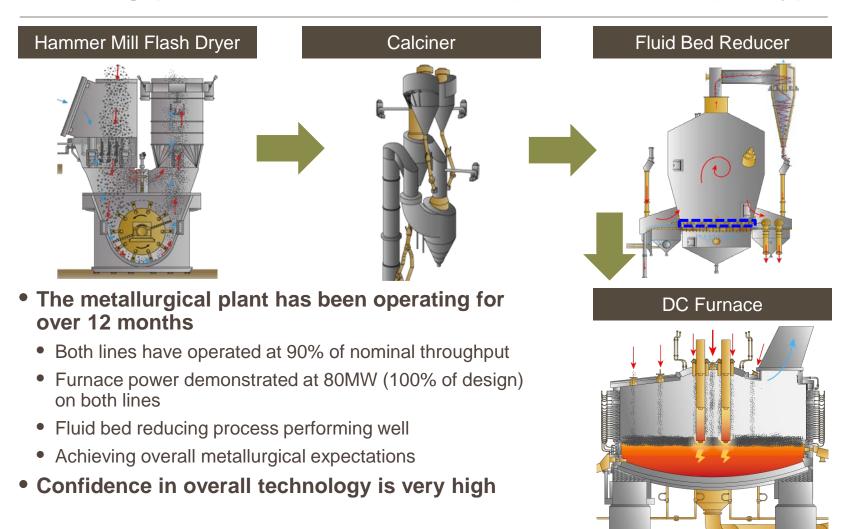
# Integrated site – ore stockpile (500kt capacity)



# Integrated site – metallurgical plant (60ktpa Ni capacity)



# Smelting (2 lines each with 1.25Mt\*/pa ore feed capacity)



## Integrated site – power station (270MW capacity)

- At full nominal smelting rates, the site will demand 215MW of net power, the
  equivalent of all power consumed on the island of New Caledonia\*. The site is
  designed to have a total installed capacity of 404MW (including auxiliary sources)
- The coal-fired power station (two units designed to produce 270MW) was intended to be commissioned in advance of the metallurgical plant



### Sufficient power is now available to support production

- Koniambo experienced delays to the start of its coal-fired power station which during its commissioning, in early 2014 significant cracking was identified in boiler tube welds. The piping has required remanufacturing in India
- A temporary strategy was developed to bypass the affected fluid bed heat exchangers. Each unit has subsequently produced 75 MW in this mode
- Production has also been supported by the existing installed back-up combustion turbines (capacity of 104 MW), rented diesel turbines (capacity of 60 MW) and limited power available from the New Caledonian grid (capacity of ~30MW)
- Boiler tube replacement and installation schedule is on track for both units to be operational at full capacity in Q2 2015





### Koniambo ferronickel product

- Koniambo is producing a high-grade, high nickel content product with low impurities
- Product will be supplied as dry, solid, non-friable shot of 3 to 50mm suitable for mechanised conveyance
- Koniambo port facilities can accommodate vessels of up to 50,000Mt
- Bulk shipments of 8,500 containers p.a. of high-grade FeNi within close proximity to key Asian markets



	ion	
Nickel	Carbon	Cobalt
35.0 %	0.15 %	0.9 %
Phosphorus	Silicone	Sulphur
0.02 %	0.3 %	0.05 %
Iron	Dimensions	Product type

# Commissioning challenges not unique for a major greenfield

Phases	Key characteristics	Throughput capacity
Phase 1	<ul> <li>Project-Commissioning-Operations co-activity</li> <li>Late availability of power &amp; utilities</li> <li>Major equipment failures and design fixes</li> <li>Daily troubleshooting</li> <li>New staff operating plant</li> </ul>	<20%
Phase 2	<ul> <li>Experience short periods of strong plant performance</li> <li>Greater understanding of equipment reliability and process challenges</li> <li>More stable, temporary power generation</li> <li>Emergence of short term bottlenecks</li> <li>Focus on operational discipline across departments</li> </ul>	<40%
Phase 3	<ul> <li>Boiler solution in place, no expected power shortage</li> <li>Optimise specific equipment to realize design capabilities</li> <li>More mature teams, focus on sustaining disciplines</li> </ul>	>60%
+3	- Emphasis on continuous improvement and throughput opportunities	>90%

### **Short term priorities**

- Deliver on our Sustainable Development strategy that provides a safe working environment for our people and responsibly manage our environment
- Deliver on the metallurgical technical design performance
- Implement a stable and reliable power supply to the plant
- Progressively build up momentum in the mining operations
- Develop a culture of performance throughout the business
- Provide customers with a high-quality ferronickel product

#### Revised production guidance

- 2014: 10 to 18kt Ni
- 2015: 25 to 40kt Ni
- 2016: > 50kt Ni to nameplate capacity

### Key site tour takeaways

#### **Project**

Koniambo Project is complete, production ramp-up underway

#### Mine reserves

 Koniambo is supplied by a unique, high grade, world-class laterite ore deposit

#### **Power**

 Commissioning issues to be corrected by end of first half of 2015 – no power constraints to production in the meantime

#### Metallurgical production

 Ramp-up of production is progressing well, confident that technology will deliver the nameplate capacity of 60ktpa

#### **Market**

Delivery of up to 60,000 units of nickel into a nickel market in deficit

