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# 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter 2017 Earnings Conference Call

April 25, 2017

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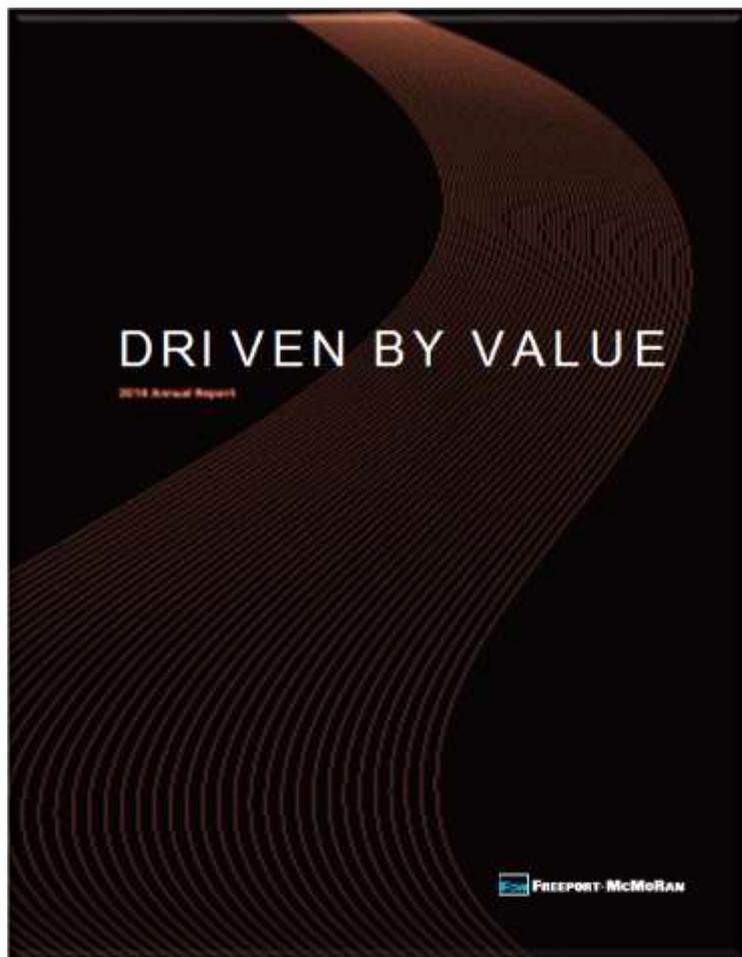
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# “Driven by Value”



## *2016 Annual Report Highlights*

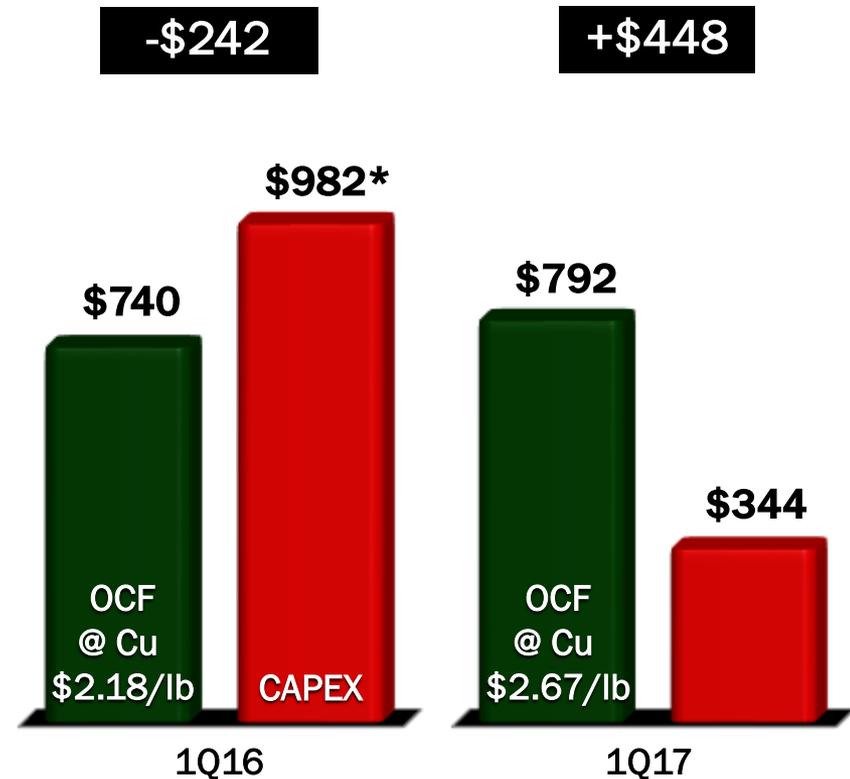
- Global Team Came Together to “Prove Our Mettle” in 2016
- Strengthened Balance Sheet & Liquidity
- Successfully Executed Operating Plans
- Refocused Business on Leading Position in Global Copper Industry
- Asset Sale Valuations Demonstrated Attractiveness of Copper Assets
- Optimistic About Market Outlook for Copper - Attractive Long-Term Fundamentals

# 1Q17 Highlights

- Continued to Strengthen our Financial Position
  - Despite Production Interruptions Experienced at Grasberg
- Strong Cost and Capital Discipline
- Improved Market Conditions for Copper
- Resumed Concentrate Exports in Indonesia in April
- Focused on Reaching a Positive Near-term Resolution in Indonesia to Protect Values & Support our Long-term Investment Plans

## Free Cash Flow Trend

(\$ in mms)



\* Includes \$0.5 bn in 1Q16 associated with O&G

# Copper Market Commentary

## LME Copper Price



### Price Change

Since 12/31/15	+20%
Since 9/30/16	+16%
YTD 2017	+2%

Source: Bloomberg

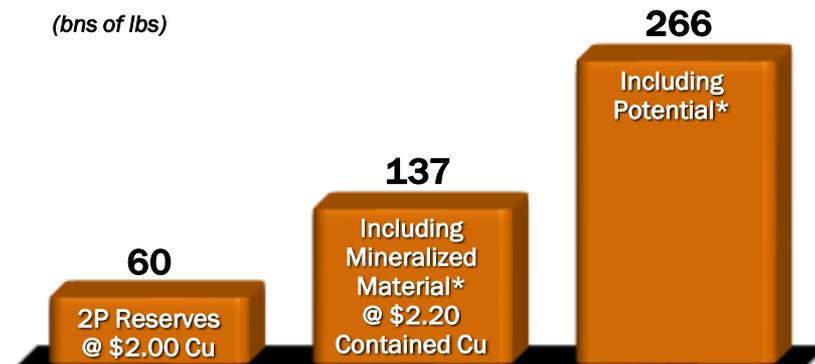
- Improved Market Fundamentals
  - Chinese Demand Remains Strong
  - Europe/North America Steady Improvement
- Supply Side Issues in Focus
  - Higher than Average Disruptions YTD
  - Absence of Major New Projects on the Horizon
  - Improved Scrap Availability
- Solid Fundamental Outlook
  - With Modest Demand Growth (~1% per Annum), Wood Mackenzie Estimates 5MT of New Projects Required
  - New Supplies Require > \$3/lb Copper Price
  - 7-10 Year Lead Time; New Greenfield Projects are Scarce
  - Deficits On The Horizon – Timing?

# Showcasing Americas Portfolio

## Key Strengths

- Significant Current Production with Long-term Growth Options
- Long-Lived Reserves
- Flexible Operating Structure
- All Operated by FCX – Provides Synergies
- Investment Opportunities Competitive
  - Flexible and Skilled Labor Force
  - Access to Abundant Sources of Energy
  - Leverage Existing Infrastructure
  - Attractive Risk Profile
- Strong Cash Flow Generator
- Significant NOL's in U.S. to Shelter Future Income

## Americas Copper Resources



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## 2017e/2018e Avg. at Various Copper Prices

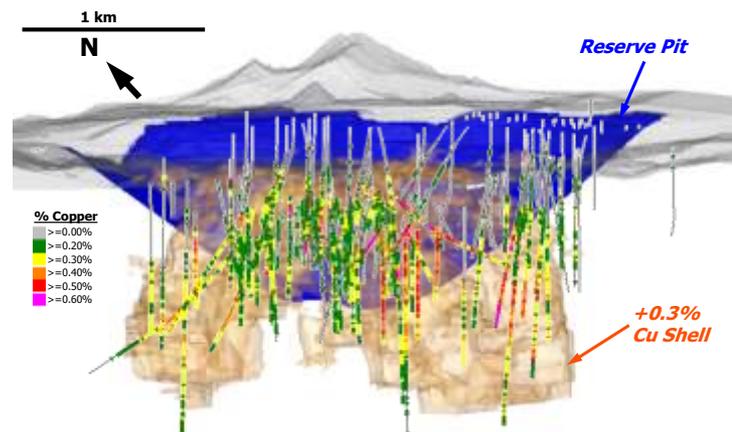
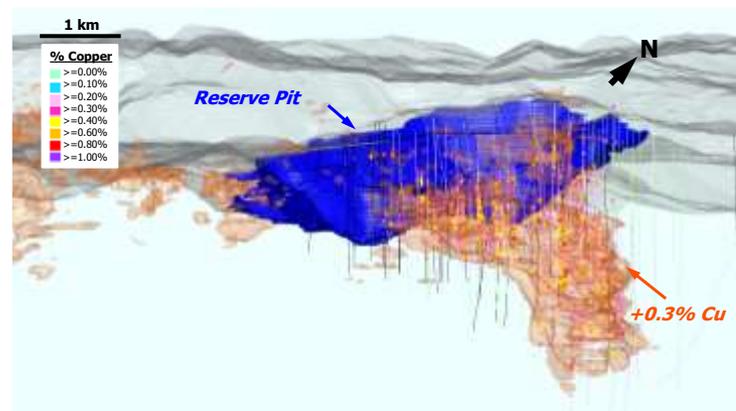


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# Large Development Project Inventory

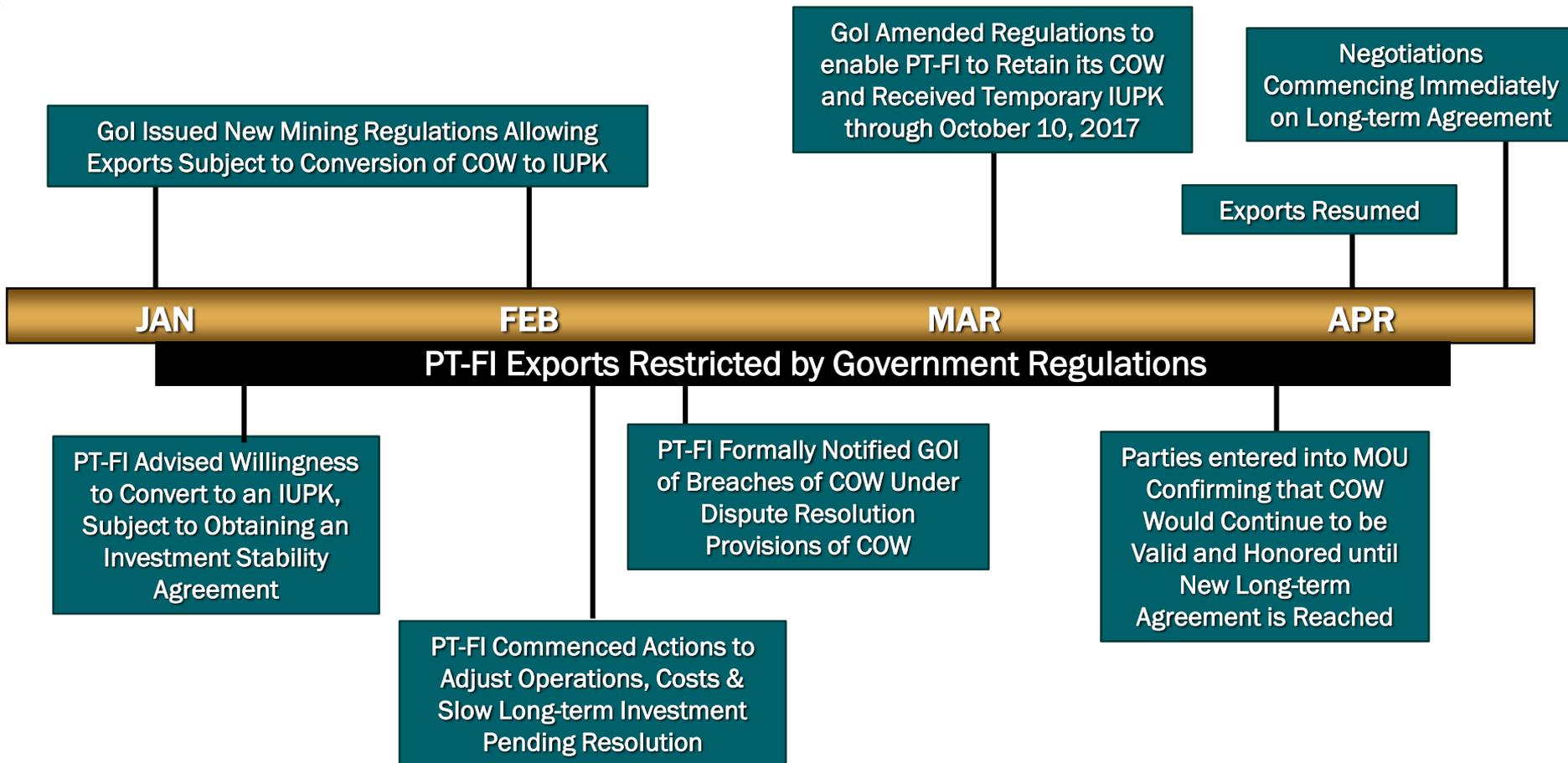
## Copper Sulfide Opportunities

- Bagdad
- Chino
- El Abra
- Lone Star/Safford
- Morenci
- Sierrita



*Future Development Subject to Market Conditions*

# Indonesian Regulatory Matters in 2017



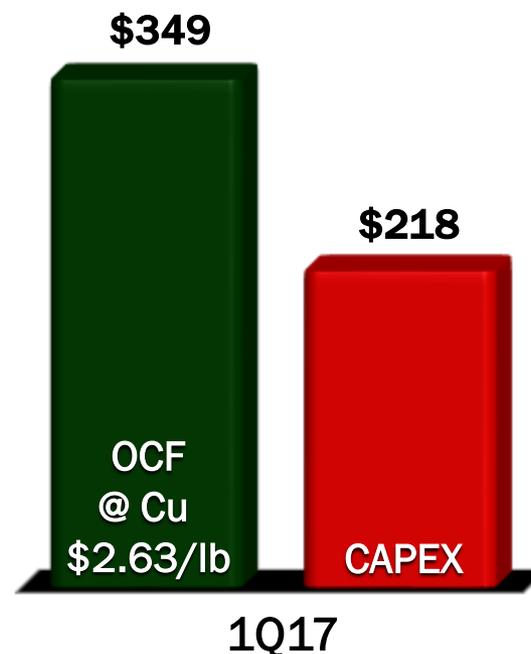
***Long-term Agreement is in the Best Interests of All Parties***

# 1Q17 Actions – PT-FI

- ~10% Reduction in Workforce
- Implemented Efficiency Programs (Cost, CAPEX)
- Slowed Investments in Grasberg Underground Development
  - Current Spend of \$40 MM per Month on Grasberg Block Cave Being Reviewed Regularly
  - Prepared to Suspend if Progress Not Achieved in Coming Months on Long-term Agreement
- Suspending Underground Development Would Cause Significant Long-Lasting Negative Impacts to All Stakeholders – Workers, Papuan Communities, Indonesian Suppliers and Government of Indonesia, as well as Freeport and Rio Tinto

## PT-FI Free Cash Flow

(\$ in mm)



**Unit Net Cash Cost Trending Lower  
Down 34% YOY**

# Grasberg Block Cave

## World Class Design

Conveyor Transfer Chamber



Service Shaft Hoist Room



Rail Car Unloading Station



Train Car Test Track



### Grasberg Block Cave Design

Oblique View Looking Southwest

Reserves: 964mm t @ 1.03% Cu & 0.78 g/t Au

Production Levels

Fixed Facilities

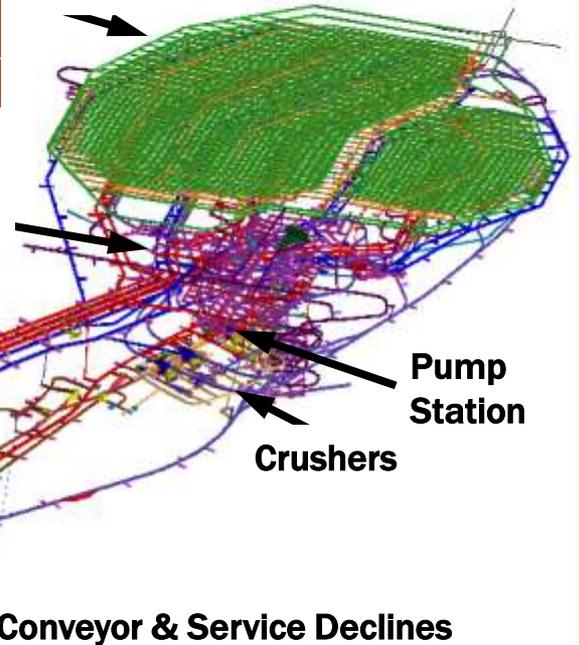
Ventilation Drifts

Pump Station

Crushers

Tunnels from Ridge Camp

Conveyor & Service Declines

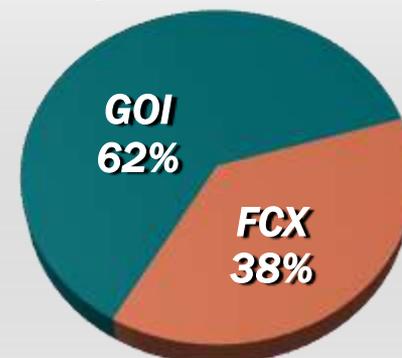


# Financial Benefits to Indonesia

- Positive Long-term Historical Relationship
- 50 Year History of Operations in Indonesia
- Contributed +\$60 Bn to National GDP in Since 1992
- Largest Private Employer in Papua & Significant Economic Engine for Development in Region
- One of the Largest Taxpayers in Indonesia
- Contributed 1% of Revenues to Local Community Through the “Freeport Partnership Fund For Community Development”
  - Over \$680 Million Since Inception (1996) Through 2016

## Financial Benefits Breakdown

~\$19 Billion



(2007-2016)

**Future Taxes, Royalties & Dividends for Government through 2041 Expected to Exceed \$40 Bn\***

\* Assumes full development; based on long-term pricing of \$3/lb for copper and \$1,200/oz for gold.

# 2017e Outlook

<p><b>Sales Outlook</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Copper: 3.9 Billion lbs.</li> <li>■ Gold: 1.9 Million ozs.</li> <li>■ Molybdenum: 93 Million lbs.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Unit Cost of Copper</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ Site Production &amp; Delivery: \$1.55/lb</li> <li>■ After By-product Credits: \$1.08/lb<sup>(1)</sup></li> </ul>
<p><b>Operating Cash Flows<sup>(2)</sup></b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ ~\$4.0 Billion (@ \$2.50/lb Copper for 2Q17e – 4Q17e)</li> <li>■ Each 10¢/lb Change in Copper for 2Q17e – 4Q17e = \$275 MM</li> </ul>
<p><b>Capital Expenditures</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ \$1.6 Billion               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– \$0.9 Billion for Major Projects, Including \$0.7 Billion in Indonesia<sup>(3)</sup></li> <li>– \$0.7 Billion for Other Mining</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

(1) Assumes average prices of \$1,250/oz gold and \$9/lb molybdenum for 2Q17e - 4Q17e; 2Q 2017e net cash costs expected to approximate \$1.21/lb.

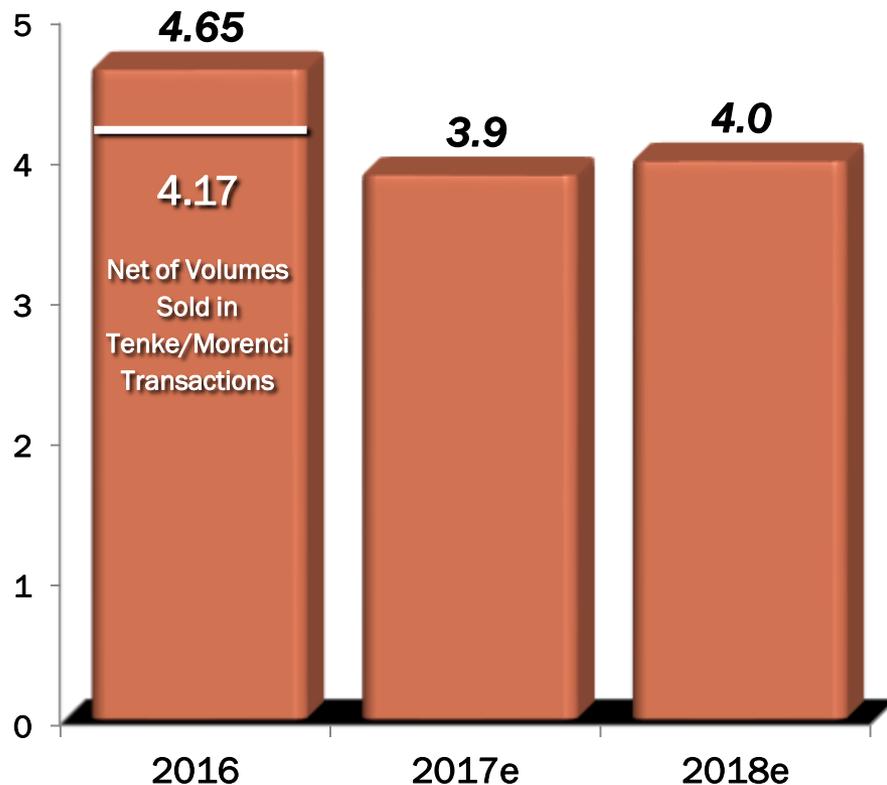
(2) Assumes average prices of \$1,250/oz gold and \$9/lb molybdenum for 2Q17e - 4Q17e; each \$100/oz change in gold would have an approximate \$130 mm impact and each \$2/lb change in molybdenum would have an approximate \$70 mm impact.

(3) As a result of regulatory uncertainty, PT-FI has slowed investments in its underground development projects during 1Q17. If PT-FI is unable to reach agreement with the Indonesian government on its long-term mining rights, FCX intends to significantly reduce or defer investments in underground development projects.

e = estimate. See Cautionary Statement.

# Sales Profile

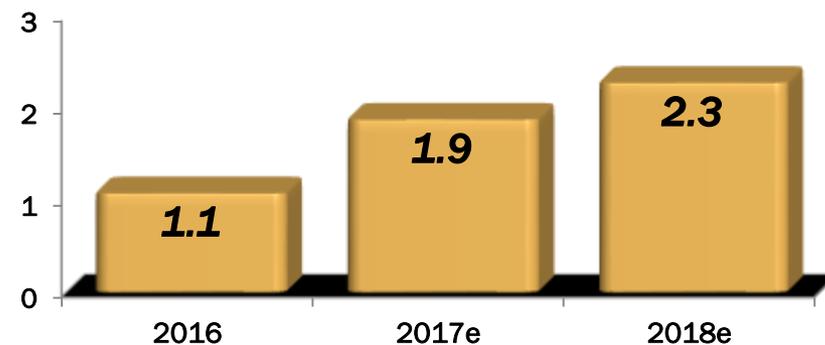
## Copper Sales (billion lbs)



Note: Consolidated copper sales include 910 mm lbs in 2016, 685 mm lbs in 2017e and 700 mm lbs in 2018e for noncontrolling interest; excludes purchased copper.

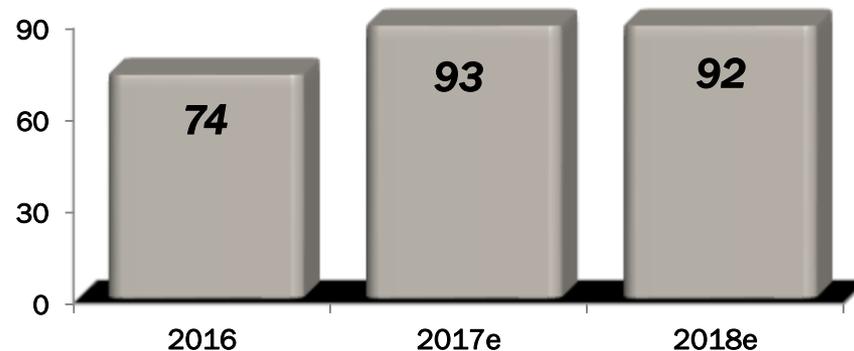
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## Gold Sales (million ozs)



Note: Consolidated gold sales include 99k ozs in 2016, 180k ozs in 2017e and 220k ozs in 2018e for noncontrolling interest.

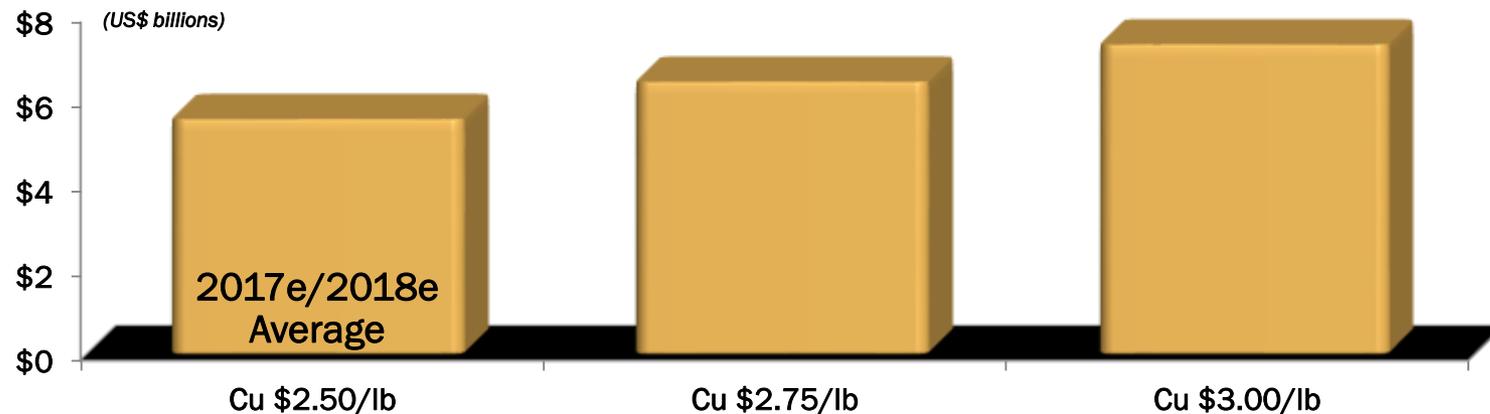
## Molybdenum Sales (million lbs)



# EBITDA and Cash Flow at Various Copper Prices

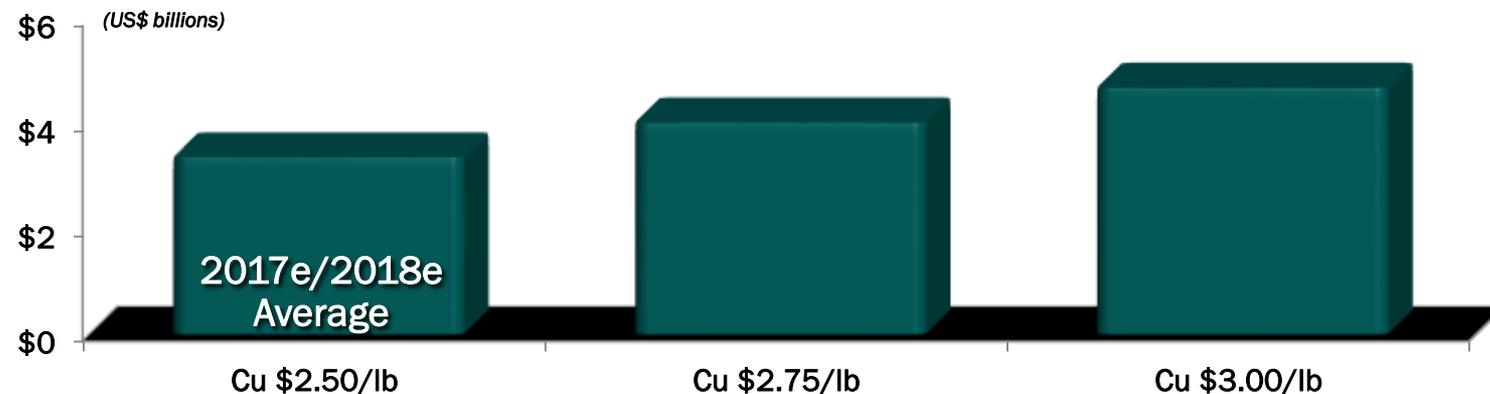
## Average EBITDA

(\$1,250/oz Gold, \$9/lb Molybdenum)\*



## Average Operating Cash Flow (excluding Working Capital changes)

(\$1,250/oz Gold, \$9/lb Molybdenum)\*



Note: For 2017e/2018e price sensitivities see slide 15. EBITDA equals operating income plus depreciation, depletion and amortization.

\* Average prices as noted for 2Q17e - 4Q17e/2018e

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# Sensitivities (US\$ millions)

Change	2017e/2018e	
	EBITDA	Operating Cash Flow
Copper: <sup>(1)</sup> +/- \$0.10/lb	\$350	\$270
Molybdenum: <sup>(1)</sup> +/- \$1.00/lb	\$50	\$45
Gold: <sup>(1)</sup> +/- \$50/ounce	\$100	\$55
Currencies: <sup>(2)</sup> +/- 10%	\$140	\$100

(1) Impacts as noted for changes in commodity prices for the period 2Q17e -4Q17e and 2018e

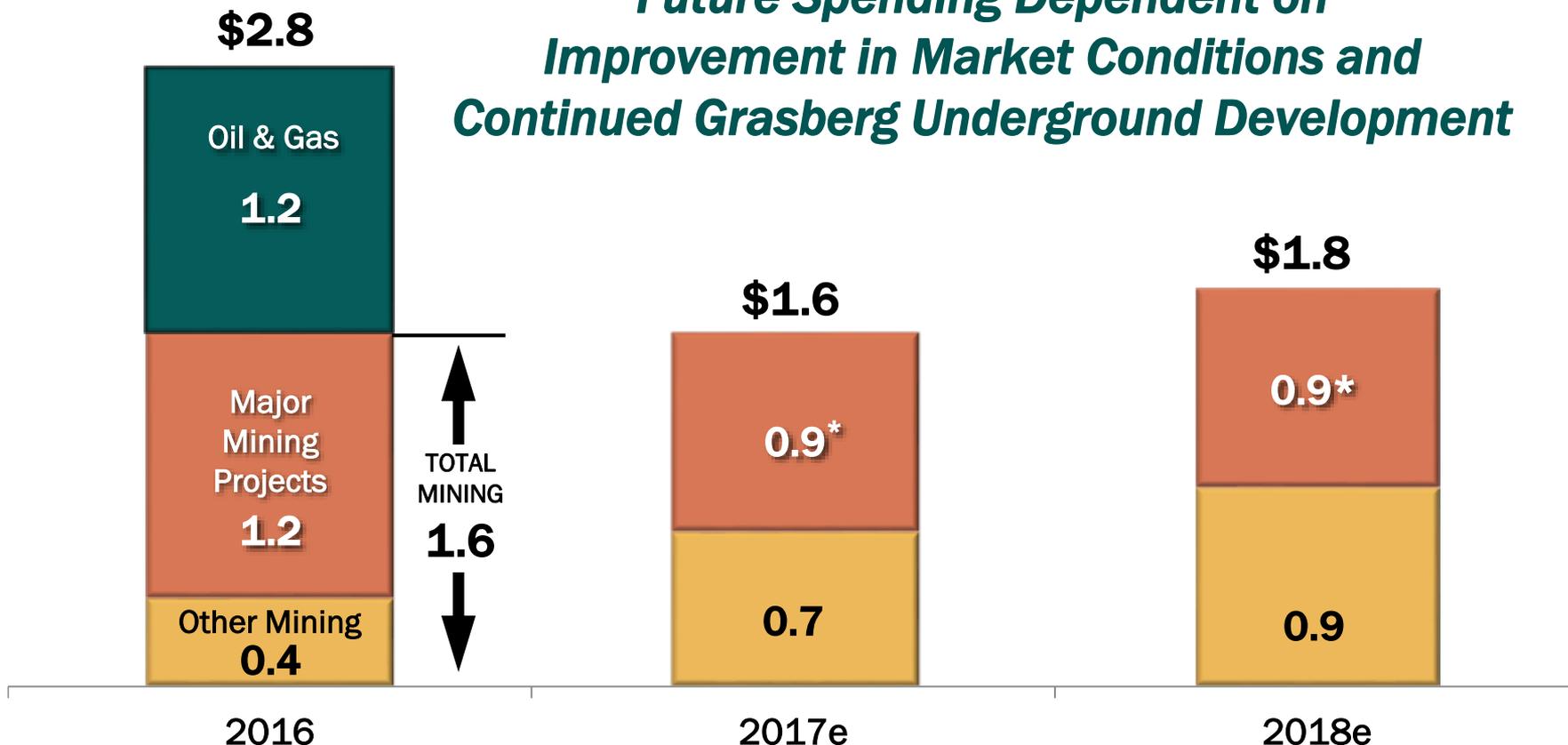
(2) U.S. Dollar Exchange Rates: 650 Chilean peso, 13,300 Indonesian rupiah, \$0.76 Australian dollar, \$1.07 Euro, 3.25 Peruvian Nuevo Sol base case assumption. Each +10% equals a 10% strengthening of the U.S. dollar; a strengthening of the U.S. dollar against forecasted expenditures in these foreign currencies equates to a cost benefit of noted amounts.

NOTE: EBITDA equals operating income plus depreciation, depletion and amortization costs. Operating cash flow amounts exclude working capital changes. e = estimate. See Cautionary Statement.

# Capital Expenditures

(US\$ billions)

**Future Spending Dependent on Improvement in Market Conditions and Continued Grasberg Underground Development**



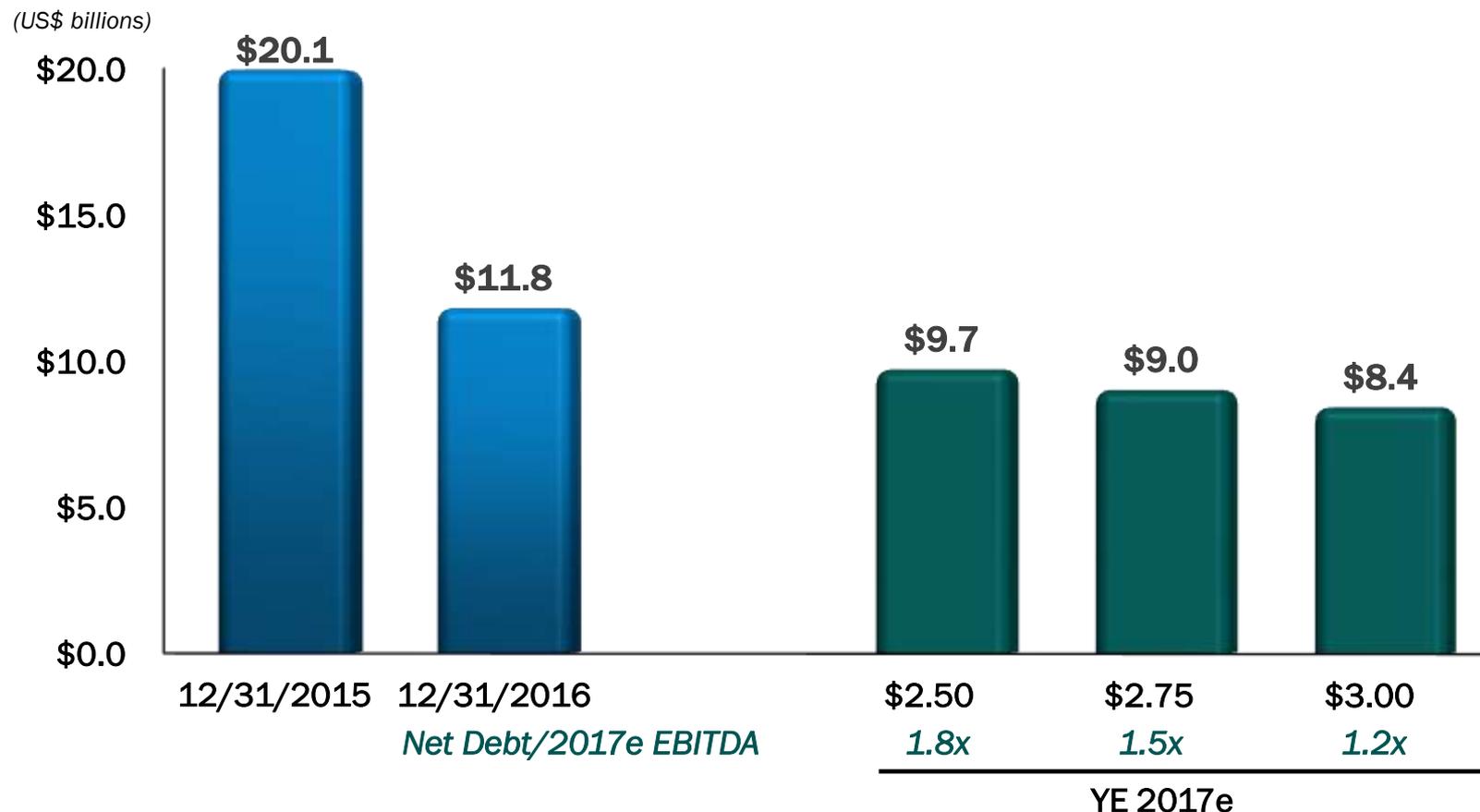
\* Major mining projects include \$0.7 billion associated with Grasberg Underground development in 2017e and \$0.75 billion for 2018e. As a result of regulatory uncertainty, PT-FI has slowed investments in its underground development projects during 1Q17. If PT-FI is unable to reach agreement with the Indonesian government on its long-term mining rights, FCX intends to significantly reduce or defer investments in underground development projects.

Note: Includes capitalized interest.

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# Restoring Balance Sheet Strength

## Year-End 2017e Net Debt at Varying Copper Prices



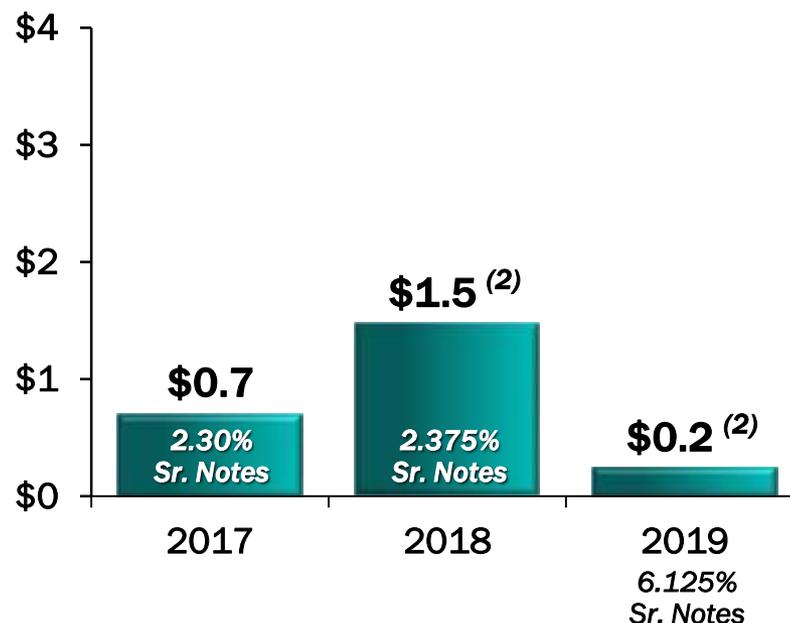
Note: Sensitivity assumes \$9/lb Molybdenum and \$1,250/oz Gold for 2Q17e - 4Q17e. EBITDA equals operating income plus depreciation, depletion and amortization. e= estimate. See Cautionary Statement.

# Committed to Balance Sheet Management – Strong Track Record

(US\$ billions)

## Manageable Near-Term Debt Maturity Schedule <sup>(1)</sup>

<b>FCX Debt Structure</b>		
	12/31/16	3/31/17
\$3.5 bn Revolver	\$ -	\$ -
Sr. Notes	14.4	13.9
Cerro Verde Non-Recourse Credit Facility	1.4	1.3
Bank Bilateral & Other	0.2	0.2
<b>Total Debt</b>	<b>\$16.0</b>	<b>\$15.4</b>
Cash	\$ 4.2	\$ 4.0



**At 3/31/17 FCX Had \$7.5 Bn in Liquidity Including \$3.5 Bn Available Under Its \$3.5 Bn Revolver**

1) For purposes of this schedule, maturities of uncommitted lines of credit and other short term lines are included in FCX's revolver balance, which matures in 2019.

2) Excludes scheduled Cerro Verde credit facility amortization and partner loans of \$0.7 bn in 2018 and \$0.8 bn in 2019.

See Cautionary Statement.

# Positive Long-term Outlook



***Industry Leading  
Copper Position***



***Experienced Team  
of Operators &  
Developers***



***Long-lived,  
Geographically  
Diverse Portfolio***



***Financially  
Strong***



***Executing Clearly Defined Strategy***

# Reference Slides

# Financial Highlights

<b>Sales Data</b>	<b>1Q17</b>	<b>1Q16</b>
<b><u>Copper</u></b>		
Consolidated Volumes (mm lbs)	809	1,000 <sup>(1)</sup>
Average Realization (per lb)	\$2.67	\$2.18
Site Production & Delivery Costs (per lb)	\$1.60	\$1.49
Unit Net Cash Costs (per lb)	\$1.39	\$1.38
<b><u>Gold</u></b>		
Consolidated Volumes (000's ozs)	182	201
Average Realization (per oz)	\$1,229	\$1,227
<b><u>Molybdenum</u></b>		
Consolidated Volumes (mm lbs)	24	17
Average Realization (per lb)	\$8.71	\$7.61
<b>Financial Results</b> (In billions, except per share amounts)	<b>1Q17</b>	<b>1Q16</b>
Revenues	\$3.3	\$3.2
Net Income (Loss) Attributable to Common Stock	\$0.2	\$(4.2)
Diluted Net Income (Loss) Per Share	\$0.16	\$(3.35)
Operating Cash Flows <sup>(2)</sup>	\$0.8	\$0.7
Capital Expenditures	\$0.3	\$1.0
Total Debt	\$15.4	\$20.7
Consolidated Cash	\$4.0	\$0.2

(1) Excludes the results of the Tenke Fungurume mine, which was sold in November 2016 and is reported as a discontinued operation. Copper sales from the Tenke mine totaled 123 million pounds in first-quarter 2016

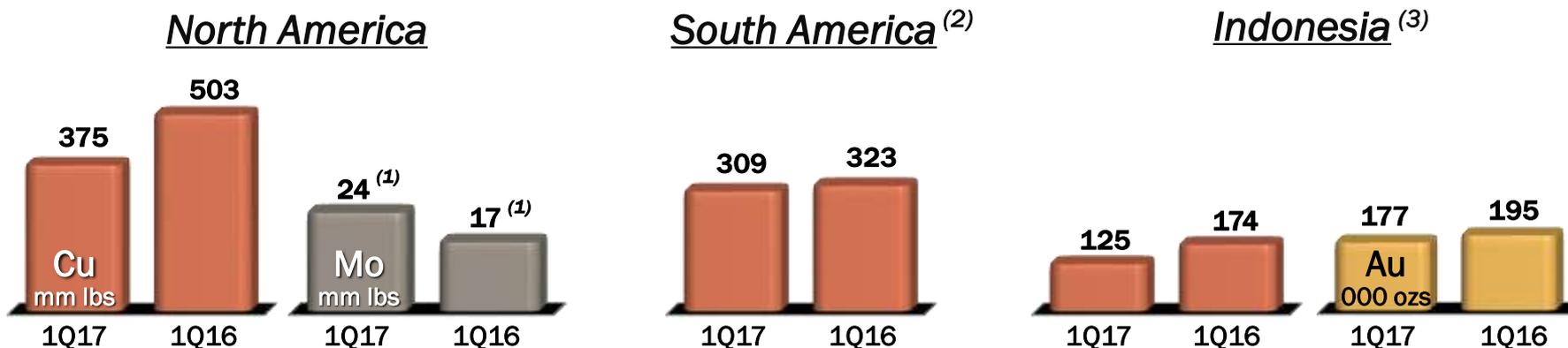
(2) Includes net working capital sources and changes in other tax payments of \$178 mm for 1Q17 and \$188 mm for 1Q16.

# 1Q 2017 Mining Operating Summary

## 1Q17 Unit Production Costs

Cash Unit Costs (per pound of copper)	North America	South America	Indonesia	Consolidated
Site Production & Delivery	\$1.52	\$1.48	\$2.15	\$1.60
By-Product Credits	(0.15)	(0.18)	(1.88)	(0.43)
Treatment Charges	0.11	0.22	0.28	0.18
Royalties & Export Duties	-	0.01	0.27	0.04
<b>Unit Net Cash Costs</b>	<b>\$1.48</b>	<b>\$1.53</b>	<b>\$0.82</b>	<b>\$1.39</b>

## Sales From Mines for 1Q17 & 1Q16 by Region



(1) Includes 6 mm lbs in 1Q17 and 5 mm lbs in 1Q16 from South America.

(2) Silver sales totaled 964k ozs in 1Q17 and 899k ozs in 1Q16.

(3) Silver sales totaled 404k ozs in 1Q17 and 510k ozs in 1Q16.

NOTE: For a reconciliation of unit net cash costs per pound to production and delivery costs applicable to sales reported in FCX's consolidated financial statements, refer to "Product Revenues and Production Costs" in the supplemental schedules of FCX's 1Q17 press release, which is available on FCX's website.

# 2017e Operating Estimates

## 2017e Unit Production Costs

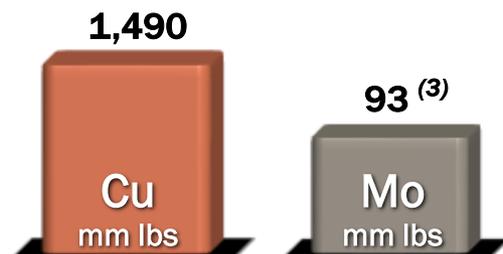
(per pound of copper)

### Cash Unit Costs <sup>(1)</sup>

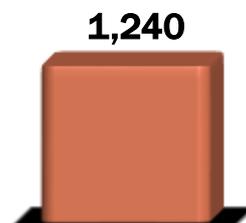
	North America	South America	Indonesia	Consolidated
Site Production & Delivery <sup>(2)</sup>	\$1.60	\$1.58	\$1.43	\$1.55
By-product Credits	(0.17)	(0.17)	(2.07)	(0.73)
Treatment Charges	0.10	0.21	0.26	0.18
Royalties & Export Duties	-	0.01	0.28	0.08
<b>Unit Net Cash Costs</b>	<b>\$1.53</b>	<b>\$1.63</b>	<b>\$(0.10)</b>	<b>\$1.08</b>

## 2017e Sales by Region

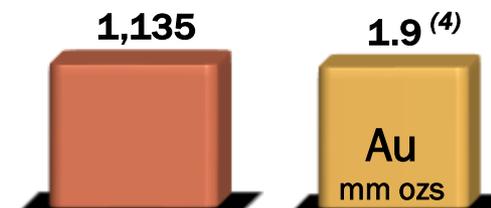
### North America



### South America



### Indonesia



(1) Estimates assume average prices of \$2.50/lb for copper, \$1,250/oz for gold and \$9/lb for molybdenum for 2Q17e – 4Q17e. Quarterly unit costs will vary significantly with quarterly metal sales volumes.

(2) Production costs include profit sharing in South America and severance taxes in North America.

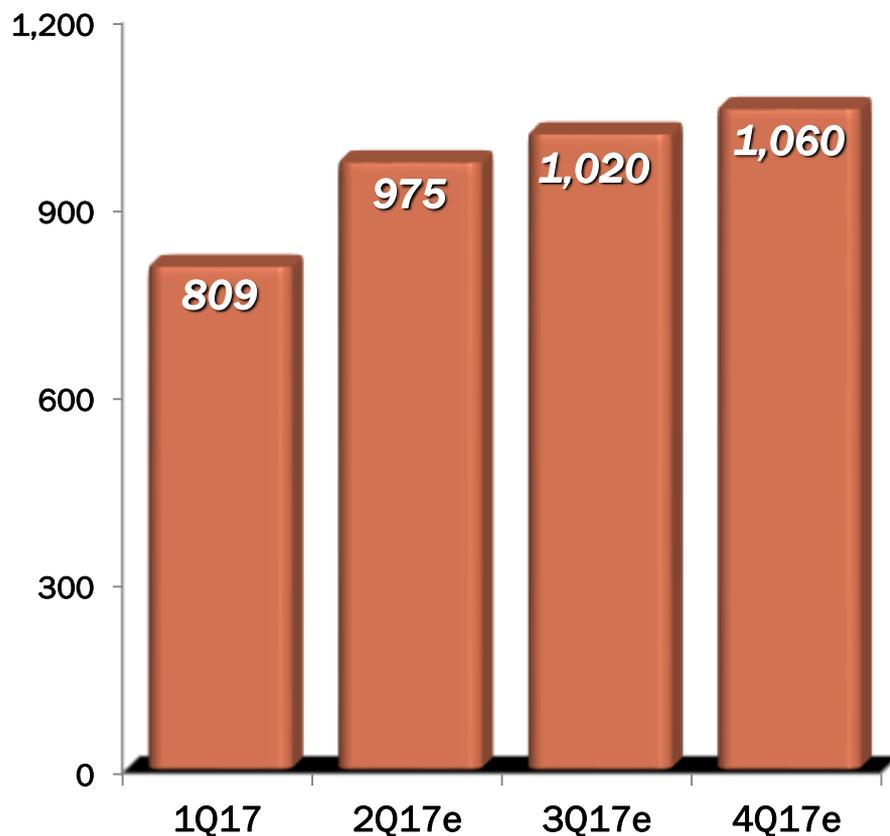
(3) Includes molybdenum produced in South America.

(4) Includes gold produced in North America.

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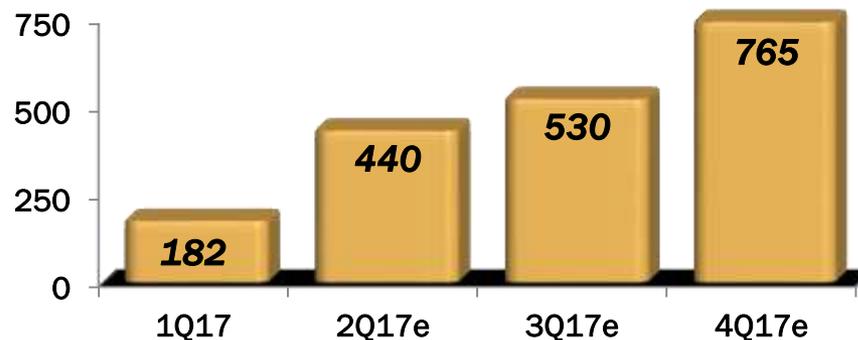
# 2017e Quarterly Sales

## Copper Sales (million lbs)



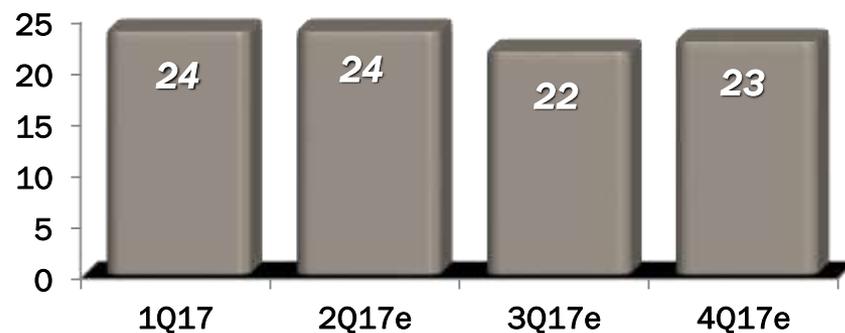
Note: Consolidated copper sales include approximately 156 mm lbs in 1Q17, 170 mm lbs in 2Q17e, 180 mm lbs in 3Q17e and 179 mm lbs in 4Q17e for noncontrolling interest; excludes purchased copper.

## Gold Sales (thousand ozs)



Note: Consolidated gold sales include approximately 17k ozs in 1Q17, 40k ozs in 2Q17e, 50k ozs in 3Q17e and 73k ozs in 4Q17e for noncontrolling interest.

## Molybdenum Sales (million lbs)

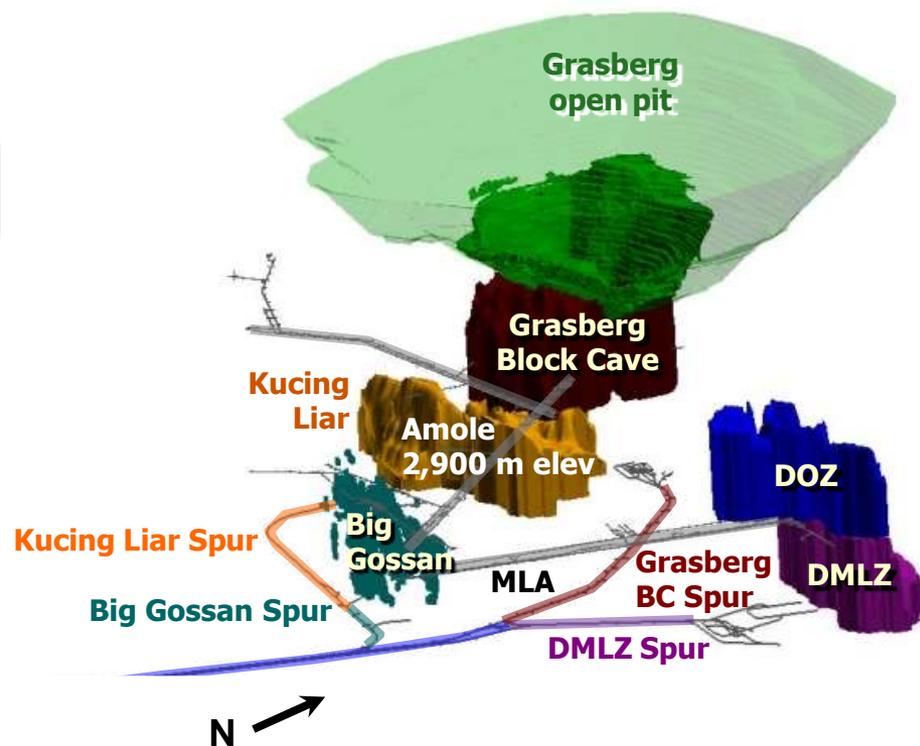


e = estimate. See Cautionary Statement.

# Grasberg Minerals District

## Reserves\*

(as of December 31, 2016)	DMLZ	Grasberg Block Cave
Tonnes (mm)	439	964
Copper Grade (%)	0.9	1.03
Gold Grade (g/t)	0.75	0.78
Copper (bn lbs)	7.6	18.5
Gold (mm ozs)	8.4	15.7
Start-up Year	2015	2018
Target (K t/d)	80	140-160
Ramp-up (years)	6	6



\* 100% Basis

NOTE: Ore grades in ramp-up of underground mines expected to be higher than life-of-mine average  
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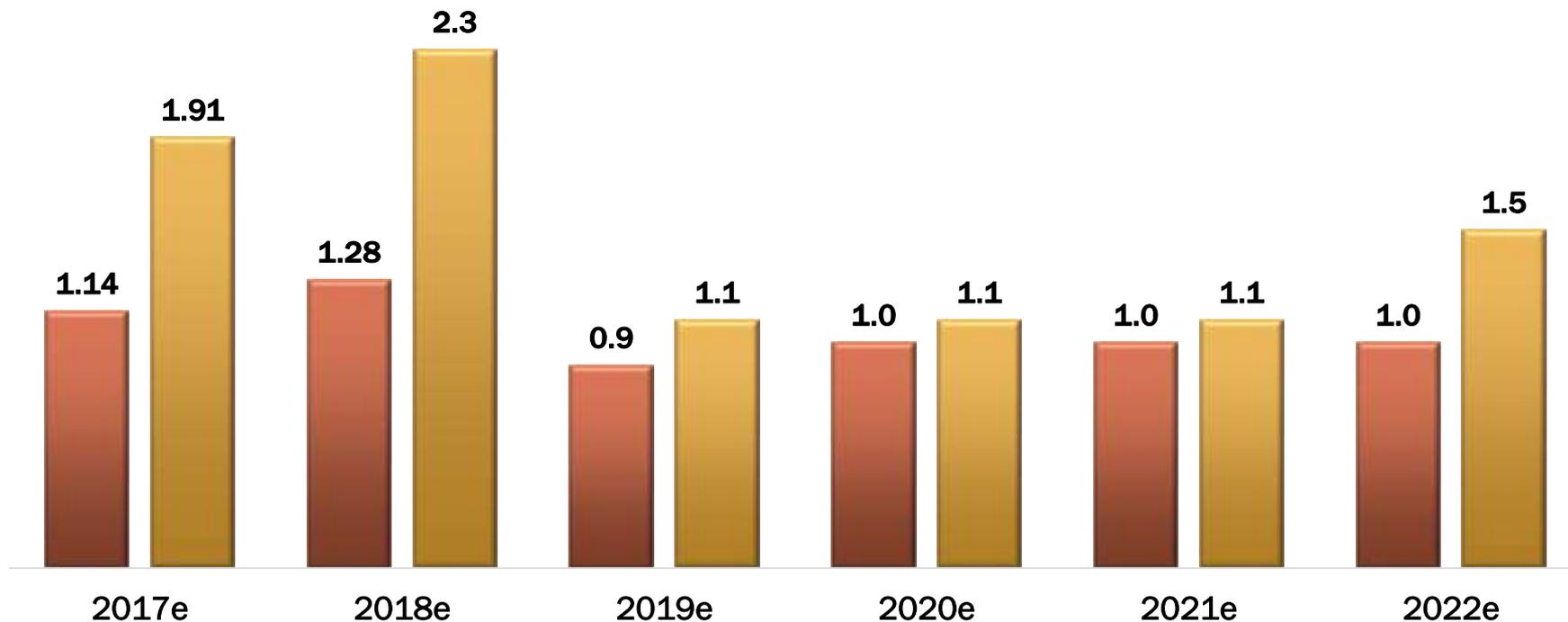
# PT-FI Mine Plan

## PT-FI's Share of Metal Sales, 2017e-2022e

2017e - 2022e PT-FI Share  
Total: 6.3 billion lbs copper  
Annual Average: 1.05 billion lbs

2017e - 2022e PT-FI Share  
Total: 9.0 million ozs gold  
Annual Average: 1.5 million ozs

 Copper, billion lbs  
 Gold, million ozs

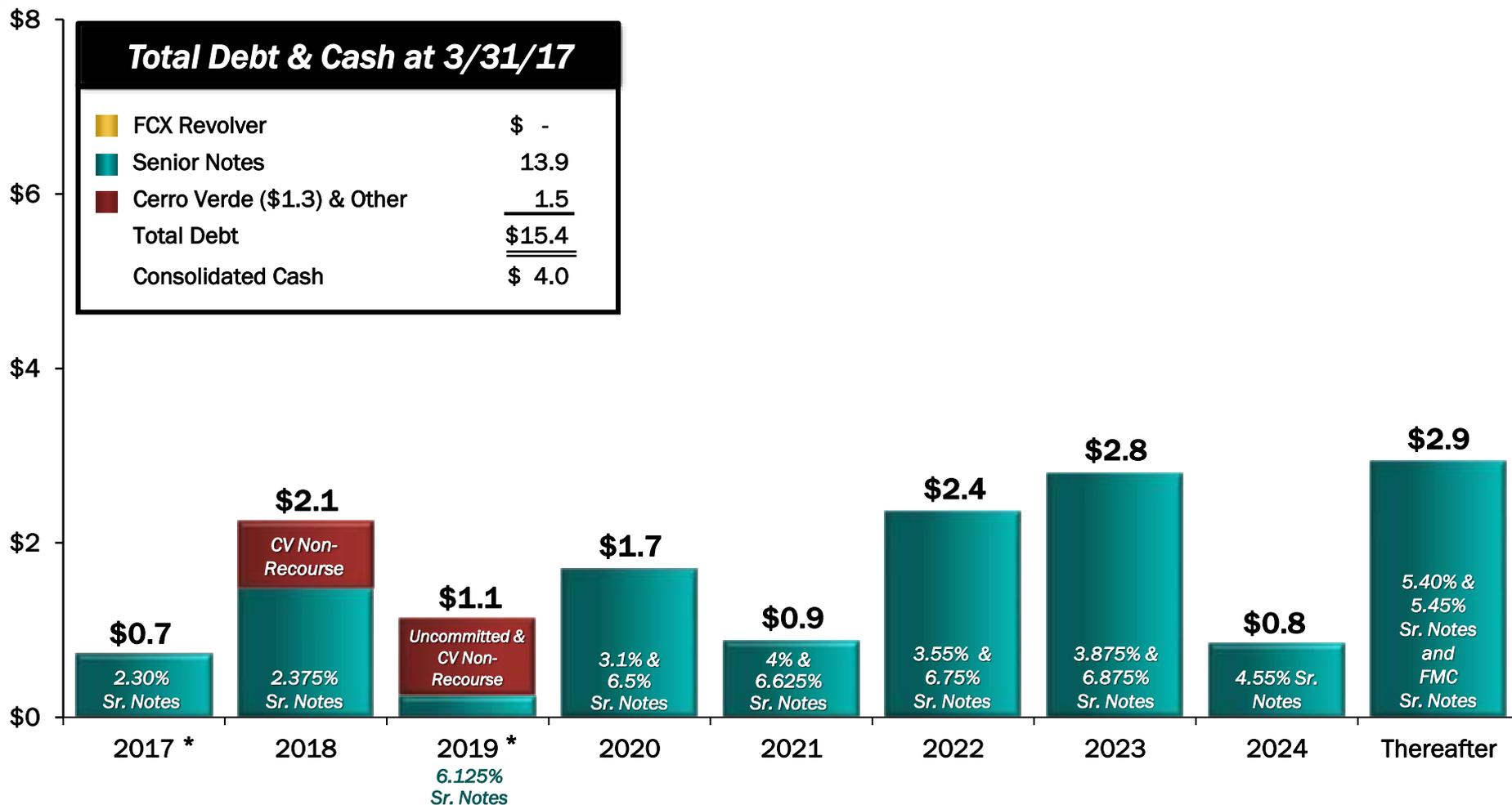


Note: Timing of annual sales will depend upon mine sequencing, shipping schedules and other factors.

e = estimate. Amounts are projections; see Cautionary Statement.

# FCX Debt Maturities as of 3/31/17\*

(US\$ billions)



\* For purposes of this schedule, maturities of uncommitted lines of credit and other short-term lines are included in FCX's revolver balance, which matures in 2019. See Cautionary Statement.

# Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation

<i>(in millions)</i>	<b>1Q 2017</b>	<b>12 Months Ended 3/31/2017</b>
Net Income Attributable to Common Stock – Continuing Operations	\$193	\$465
Interest expense, net	167	731
Income tax provision	174	468
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	389	2,257
Impairment of oil and gas properties	-	530
Drillship settlement/idle rig costs and other contract termination costs, net	1	762
Metals inventory adjustments	-	31
Gain on sales of assets	(23)	(672)
Accretion	31	131
Other special items <sup>(1)</sup>	59	277
Other income, net <sup>(2)</sup>	(25)	(64)
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interest (NCI)	75	240
Equity in affiliated companies' net earnings	(4)	(8)
Gain on redemption and preferred dividends attributable to redeemable NCI	-	(172)
Eliminations and adjustments from discontinued operations <sup>(3)</sup>	-	(183)
<b>Adjusted EBITDA – Continuing Operations</b>	<b>\$1,037</b>	<b>\$4,793</b>
<b>Adjusted EBITDA – Discontinued Operations <sup>(3)</sup></b>	<b>9</b>	<b>247</b>
<b>FCX Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(4)</sup></b>	<b>\$1,046</b>	<b>\$5,040</b>

(1) Other special items include (i) mining-related charges for costs charged directly to cost of sales as a result of the impact of regulatory restrictions on PT-FI's concentrate exports (\$21 million for 1Q17 and the 12-month period), asset retirement/impairment (\$19 million for 1Q17 and \$36 million for the 12-month period) and Cerro Verde social commitments (\$16 million for the 12-month period) and (ii) net adjustments to environmental obligations and related litigation reserves (\$19 million for 1Q17 and \$2 million for the 12-month period). The 12-month period also includes oil and gas inventory adjustments, asset impairment, restructuring and other net charges (\$161 million) and net noncash mark-to-market losses on oil derivative contracts (\$41 million).

(2) Includes net gains on exchanges and early extinguishment of debt.

(3) Adjustment reflects the inclusion of adjustments made to Africa mining's gross profit in connection with reporting Tenke as discontinued operations, primarily associated with the elimination of intercompany sales to other FCX subsidiaries.

(4) Adjusted EBITDA is a non-GAAP financial measure that is frequently used by securities analysts, investors, lenders and others to evaluate companies' performance, including, among other things, profitability before the effect of financing and similar decisions. Because securities analysts, investors, lenders and others use Adjusted EBITDA, management believes that our presentation of Adjusted EBITDA affords them greater transparency in assessing our financial performance. Adjusted EBITDA should not be considered as a substitute for measures of financial performance prepared in accordance with GAAP. Adjusted EBITDA may not necessarily be comparable to similarly titled measures reported by other companies, as different companies calculate such measures differently.