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### Current situation

### Sanctions impact

#### **Equity**

- Polymetal share price remains depressed. The Company is no longer part of various indices and lost most institutional shareholders
- ▼ Polymetal shareholders in NSD remain unable to receive dividends and vote (see slide 6)

#### Corporate

The Company's incorporation in Jersey (being an "unfriendly" jurisdiction) imposes countersanctions which brings about significant restrictions for corporate development initiatives (see next slide)

#### **Operations**

- Purchases from western contractors/suppliers are limited in Russia. The group has accumulated enough stock to continue business as usual and has established alternative supply and logistics channels
- Sales channels successfully redirected to exports
- Reduced availability of USD and EUR funding due to sanctions. Polymetal is currently borrowing at higher rates in local currencies and CNY with local banks

### Current situation

#### Counter-sanctions

The Company's incorporation in Jersey (being an "unfriendly" jurisdiction) imposes countersanctions which brings about significant restrictions for corporate development initiative:

#### **Capital controls**

- Prohibition to transfer money from the Russian accounts to other jurisdictions as well as granting of intragroup loans
- Prohibition to pay dividends from the Company's Russian subsidiaries to the Company

#### **Corporate actions**

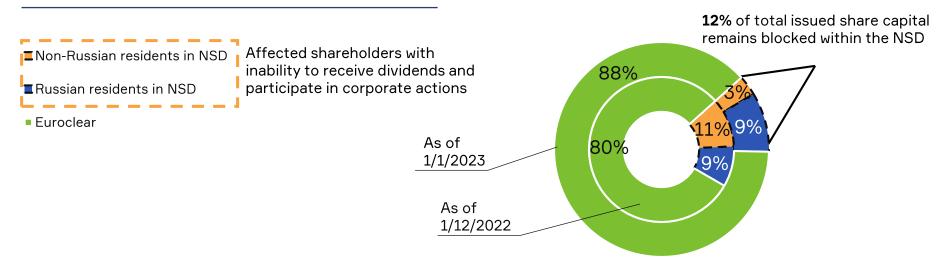
- Prohibition to deal with shares of joint stock companies
- Prohibition of any transaction with shares in the Russian operating subsidiaries, including sale of gold mining assets

With these limitations the existing corporate structure is considered unsustainable

### Exchange offer update

- The Company launched an offer for shareholders whose rights have been affected by the sanctions imposed on NSD to exchange their shares into certificated form, on a one-for-one basis
- In December 2022, a total of 39.1 mln shares were repurchased and exchanged under the first tranche of the exchange offer
- 12% of total issued share capital remains blocked
- Russia resident shareholders on MOEX are unable to receive dividends due to the imposition of EU sanctions on NSD. The Company continues to look for alternative options to unlock shareholders after completion of re-domiciliation process

#### SHAREHOLDERS STRUCTURE



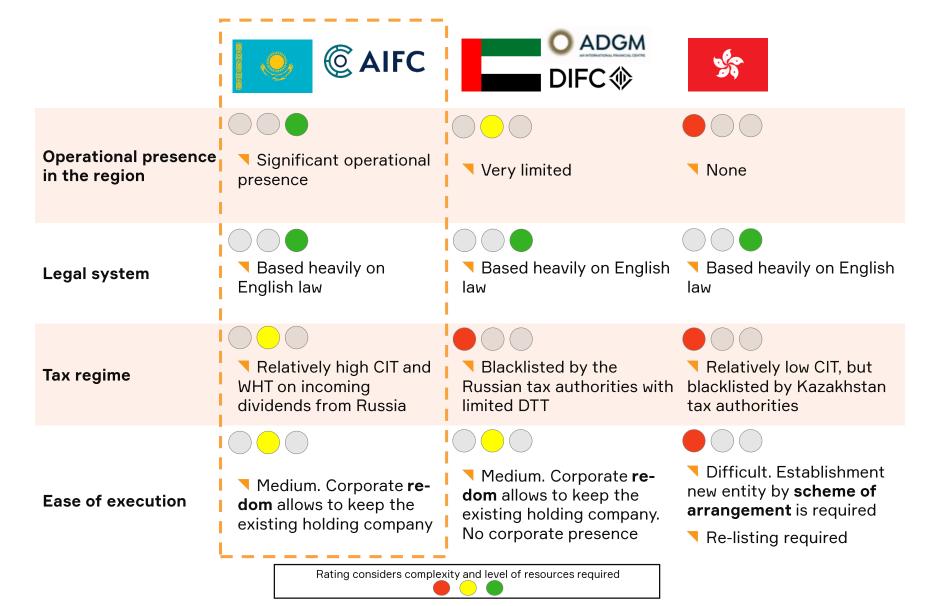
### Strategic rationale behind re-domiciliation

A re-domiciliation to a "friendly" jurisdiction will allow the Company to:

- Continue its efforts to restore its shareholder value
- Enable the Company to execute other corporate actions (i.e. purchase/disposal of assets in Russia or Kazakstan) ensuring distinct ownership of its assets in Russia and Kazakhstan
- Continue steps to restore the ability to deliver dividends to all shareholders

Avoid further unfavorable treatment domestically in Russia

### Possible target jurisdictions



### Possible target jurisdictions

# Rationale for preferrable option to re-domiciliation to AIFC\*

- ✓ **Significant presence in the region** with 38% of revenue<sup>1</sup>, 40% of reserves<sup>1</sup> and majority of free cash flow of the Group attributable to operations in Kazakhstan
- ✓ The AIFC represents a familiar (common law based) legal environment, and is not deemed an "unfriendly jurisdiction" by the Russian government
- ✓ No new share issuance/entity incorporation required
- ✓ Existing AIX listing and established relationship with the regulator
- ✓ Polymetal's local office is already **located within** the boundaries of **AIFC**

### Re-domiciliation objectives

The Company is re-domiciled to AIFC. Listing maintained on all three exchanges, trading continues

The Company remains committed to UK corporate standards, reporting, IR and ESG best practices

■ NSD shares are unlocked – dividends and voting available

The Company is able to execute **further corporate actions** in order to **separate** its asset holding structure **by geographical jurisdictions** (jurisdictional split)

# Key steps/approvals of re-domiciliation

#### If AIFC selected

- ✓ Notice to creditors
- ✓ Approval by Jersey Registrar of Companies
- ✓ Application Submission to AIFC
- ✓ Approval from AFSA (Astana Financial Services Authority)
- ✓ Kazakhstan Central Securities Depository (KACD) assigns new ISIN based on AIFC registration certificate
- Approval of options to secure continuous trading by shareholders from all exchanges

Polymetal International plc changes its domicile to the AIFC as the same entity

### Post-redomiciliation trading options

Should POLY proceed with a re-domiciliation to the AIFC, primary listing may move to AIX.

The Company will need to re-assess its listing strategy and look to **ensure continuous liquidity of trading** either through:



#### **GDR** issuance on LSE

LSE: ordinary shares are exchanged into depositary receipts - trading continues on LSE



#### New listing on alternative exchange

■ LSE: trading discontinued. Shareholders transfer their ordinary shares to a new exchange and/or AIX



#### Adequate liquidity on AIX

■ LSE: trading discontinued. Shareholders transfer their ordinary shares to AIX

Management will initiate shareholder consultation to evaluate trading options

### Indicative timeline



Note: Timetable is subject to change

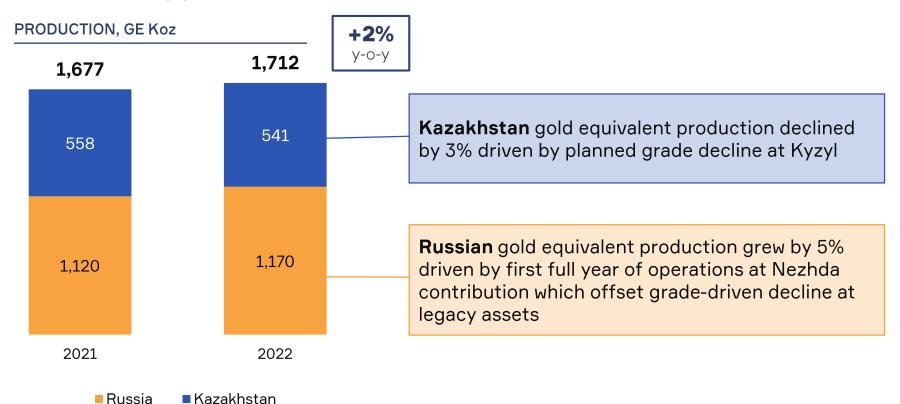
### Conclusions

- The Company's current jurisdictional position is unsustainable in the current environment
- AIFC represents the preferred jurisdiction for a potential redomiciliation
- Jurisdictional split and potential unblocking of remaining NSD holders would only be possible after the re-domiciliation
- The evaluation of the re-dom process is **ongoing**. **No decision has been made** in relation to the various options available to the Company and **no certainty** that the Company will ultimately complete a re-domiciliation
- The Company is keen to execute the re-domiciliation as soon as possible



### FY 2022 production & sales

- ▼ The Company's FY2022 gold equivalent ("GE") production grew to 1,712 Koz in line with the original production guidance
- Revenue stood at \$2.9 bn, a decrease of 3% due to lower average metal prices. Q4 revenue was up 30% to \$1.0 bn as the company sold down metal and concentrate inventory accumulated in the previous quarters
- The remaining gap between production and sales is expected to close in H1 2023



### FY 2022 production by mine

M:	Production, GE Koz (@80 Au/Ag)			- Comment	
Mine	2022	2021	Change	Comment	
Kazakhstan	541	558	-3%		
Kyzyl	330	360	-8%	Planned grade decline	
Varvara	211	198	+7%	Higher grade in the Komar ore	
Russia	1,170	1,120	+5%		
Dukat	292	291	+0%	Primorskoye compensated for grade declines at other mining areas	
Albazino	230	249	-8%	Full depletion of the high-grade Anfisa open pit	
Omolon	199	217	-8%	Lower grades	
Nezhda	133	21	+518%	First full year of operation	
Mayskoye	120	139	-14%	Grade and recovery decrease (higher carbon content)	
Svetloye	104	109	-5%	Negative grade dynamics	
Voro	93	93	+0%	Stable	
TOTAL	1,712	1,677	+2%		

## Guidance update

	2022 Outlook	2023 Guidance
Production, Koz of GE	<b>1,712</b> (actual)	1,700
TCC, \$/oz of GE	900-1,000 (unchanged)	950-1,000
AISC, \$/oz of GE	1,300-1,400 (unchanged)	1,300-1,400
Capital expenditure, \$m	<b>725-775</b> (unchanged)	700-750

Assumptions	2022 Average	2023 Budget
Gold, \$/oz	1,795	1,800
Silver, \$/oz	22	20
RUB/USD rate	68	65
KZT/USD rate	461	450

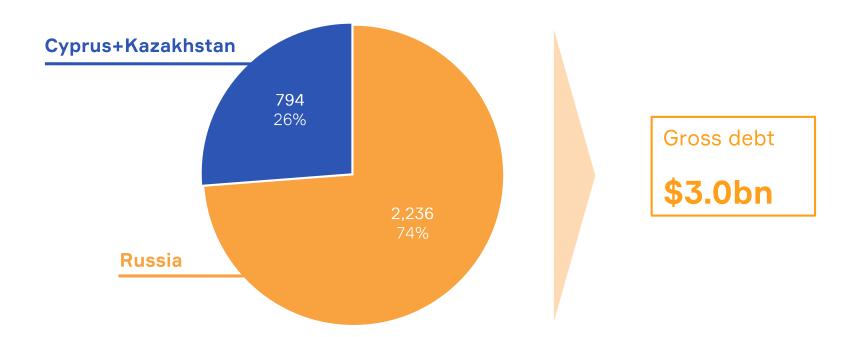
# Cost assumptions

	2022 Actual	2023 Budget	Change
Inflation, Russia	12%	7%	-5 p.p.
Inflation, Kazakhstan	20%	9%	-11 p.p.
Mineral Extraction Tax (Au & Ag), Kazakhstan	5%	7.5%	+50%
Diesel fuel, \$/kg	1.02	1.26	+23%

### Debt structure

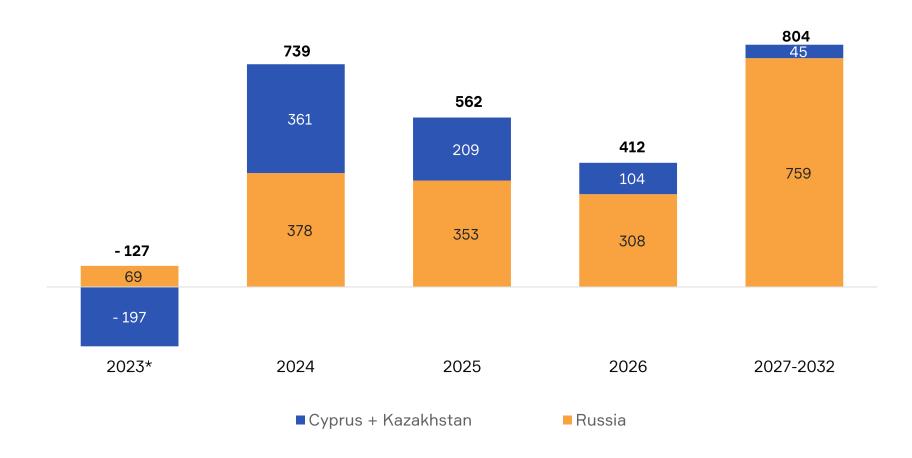
- Net debt as at 31 December **\$2.4 bn**, total debt of **\$3.0 bn**
- 64% of outstanding debt is denominated in hard currency, 28% in RUB, 7% in CNY, 1% in EUR
- Average interest rate is 5%
- Strong cash position of \$642 m covering ST refinancing needs

DEBT STRUCTURE BY JURISDICTION as at 31/12/2022, \$m



### Debt maturity profile

As at 31/12/2022, \$m

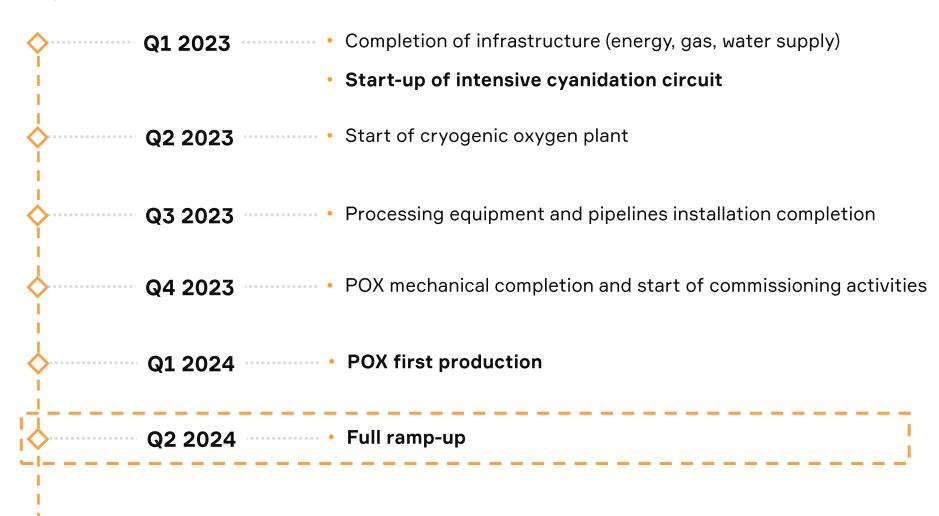


### POX-2

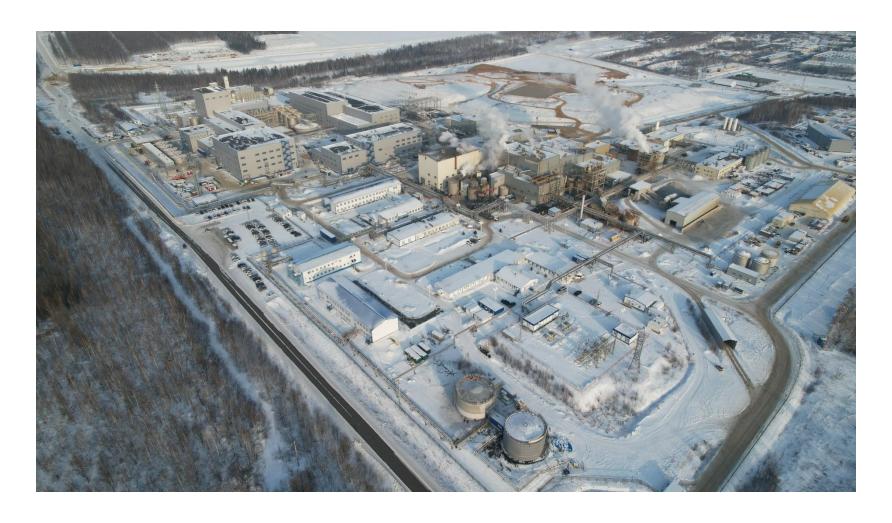
### Completion scorecard

	Engineering	Contracting	Equipment Delivery	Construction
POX Area (Hatch Scope)	100%	100%	95%	75%
Other processing areas (PME Scope)	100%	100%	100%	80%
Oxygen Plant	100%	100%	100%	95%
Internal and external infrastructure	100%	100%	100%	90%

# POX-2 Updated timeline

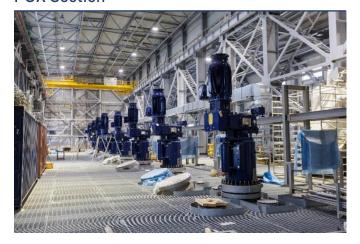


### POX-2 Site view

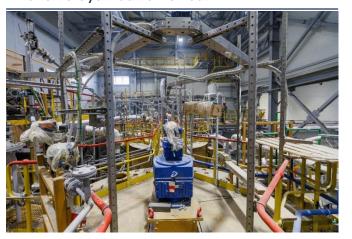


### POX-2 Photo update

**POX Section** 



**Intensive Cyanidation Circuit** 



**POX Section** 



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**High Bay** 



# POX-3 Main concepts

#### **Key parameters**

#### **▼** Feed:

Own high- and low-carbon concentrate <u>from Kyzyl</u> and <u>3rd party</u> Au concentrates

#### **▼ Flowsheet:**

Identical to POX-2 with minor changes based on the results of POX-2 DE

#### **▼** Capacity:

~250-300 Ktpa

- Conceptual construction CAPEX: ~\$730m
- Investment decision in: Q2 2024
- Potential start up in: H2 2028

#### **LOCATION**

- Located in a developed industrial region with good infrastructure
- River port on Ertis river (Pavlodar), railway and road access
- 500 km from **Kyzyl** / 440 km from **Astana**



### Board update

#### **INDEPENDENT DIRECTORS**



**EVGUENI KONOVALENKO** SINED (N, R) Ex-MD Renaissance Capital (UK)



**JANAT BERDALINA** INED (R. S) Ex Managing Partner and President of KPMG in Kazakhstan & Central Asia



PASCALE PEREZ INED (S, N) Special advisor of High Power Exploration Inc (HPX)

Appointed in December 2022





**VITALY NESIS** Group CEO (S)



**PAUL J. OSTLING** INED (A, N, R) **Business Council for** International Understanding (BCIU) member



R - Remuneration Committee

A - Audit and Risk Committee



STEVEN DASHEVSKY INED (A, S) CEO and CIO of D&P Advisors LLP (UK)



**RICHARD SHARKO** INED (A) Board member and audit committee Chair at Agri Europe Cyprus

Appointed in December 2022



KONSTANTIN YANAKOV ICT Group Ltd Ex-CFO of Polymetal

Polymetal is compliant with the UK Corporate Governance Code (the UK Code) and Parker Review (one director of ethnic diversity)



## Supply chain

### Challenges and responses in 2022

#### **Challenges**

**Sanctions** 

Supply chain shortages

Supplier's self-sanctions



Post-covid global logistic crisis

Raw material's deficit

#### Responses

Procurement department transformation

Focus on vital items for production plan execution

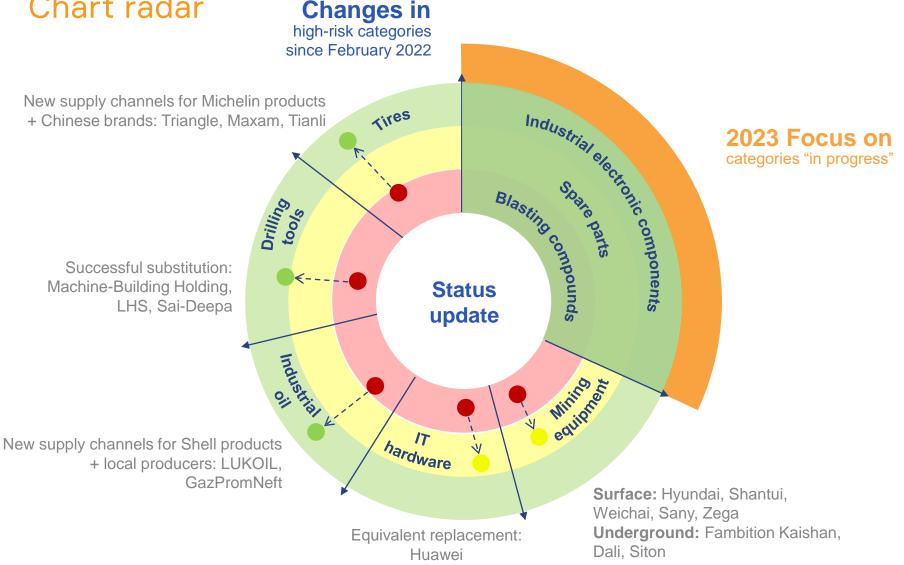
Brands / manufacturers replacement

Alternative supply channels

Reverse-engineering: changing components

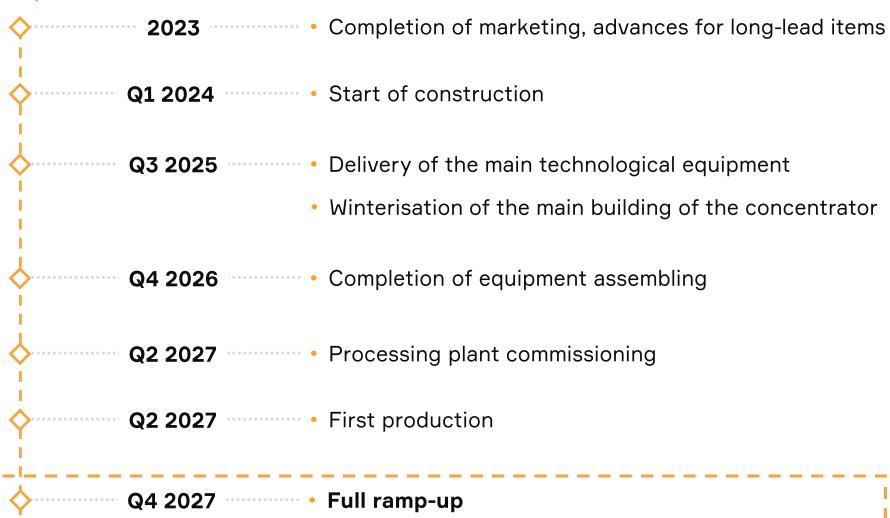
# Supply chain

Chart radar



## Veduga

### Updated timeline



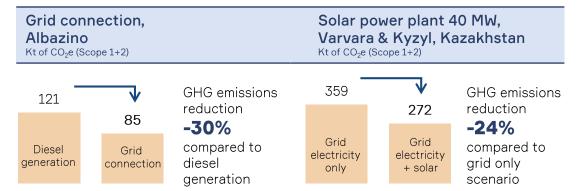
### Environment and climate strategy

#### **GHG INTENSITY TARGET**

(kg of CO<sub>2</sub>e per oz of GE)



#### **NEXT CLIMATE-RELATED ACTIONS**



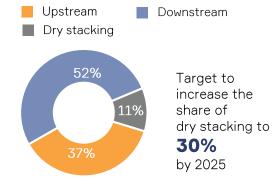
#### FRESH WATER USE TARGET

(m<sup>3</sup>/Kt of processed ore)



#### **TAILINGS**

(% of total weight, 2021 data)



#### **BIODIVERSITY**

- No-go policy for World Heritage Sites or any other designated protected area
- Biodiversity monitoring at each stage of the asset life
- Target to reforest 2,750 ha of land by 2025

### Safety

#### Zero harm approach and continuous improvement

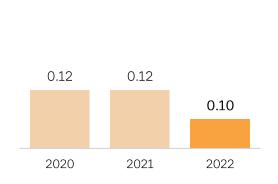
#### **OUR TARGETS**

- Ensure zero fatalities
- Maintain LTIFR<sup>1</sup> below 0.2
- Year-on-year decrease in absent days following accidents

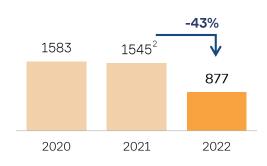
#### **OUR APPROACH**

- Safety-positive culture
- Engaging employees and contractors in safety risk assessment
- Digitalising safety monitoring and management
- Extending safety standards from operations to exploration sites

#### EMPLOYEE LTIFR1



### DAYS LOST DUE TO WORK-RELATED INJURIES



#### Zero

Fatalities among employees of contractors in 2022

100%

operating sites ISO 45001 certified

#### Notes:

- Hereinafter lost time injury frequency rate per 200,000 hours worked.
- 2) Restatement of 2021 data is made due to the extension of sick leave for the employee injured in December 2021.

### Employees and communities

### Building trusted relationship and improving life quality

#### **OUR PRIORITIES**

#### Actively engaging communities in each region of operation to understand stakeholders needs and concerns

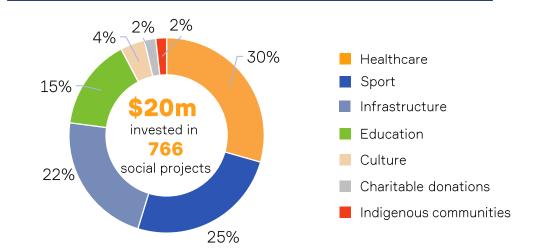
- Maintaining the level of community investment and social projects' impact assessment
- Attracting and retaining best talent with decent work conditions and professional growth opportunities
- Ensuring labour rights though collective bargaining agreements and feedback mechanisms
- Supporting employees: salary raise with inflation rate, no discrimination on any grounds, health insurance and social benefits





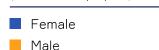


#### COMMUNITIES INVESTMENTS IN 2021





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# Prognoz Site view



### Prognoz

### Key project milestones



### Voro flotation

### Commissioning – Q1, launch in Q2 2023



### Kutyn Kutyn site at the start-up in September

