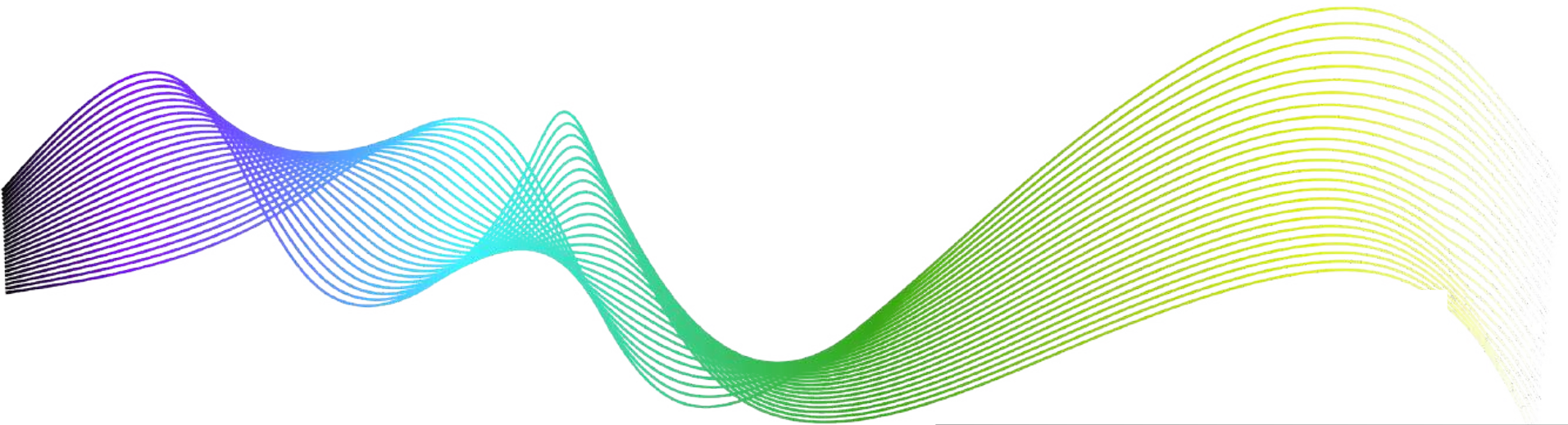


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STRATEGIC RESOURCES

DEVELOPING A CANADIAN GREEN STEEL SUPPLIER
THE BLACKROCK PROJECT – CANADA
THE MUSTAVAARA PROJECT - FINLAND



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Important factors that could cause actual results to differ from these forward-looking statements include risks related to failure to define mineral resources, converting estimated mineral resources to reserves, the grade and recovery of ore which is mined varying from estimates, future prices of vanadium and other commodities, capital and operating costs varying significantly from estimates, political risks arising from operating in Finland and Peru, uncertainties relating to the availability and costs and availability of financing needed in the future, changes in equity markets, inflation, changes in exchange rates, fluctuations in commodity prices, delays in the development of projects, conclusions of economic evaluations, changes in project parameters as plans continue to be refined, uninsured risks and other risks involved in the mineral exploration and development industry.

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BLACKROCK PROJECT

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CORPORATE DISCLOSURE

Adrian Karolko, P.Geo.	Has verified the data and information disclosed in this presentation
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Saguenay

A WORLDCLASS SITE FOR INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT



- Phase 1: Permitted iron ore pellet plant at deep sea port - access to infrastructure and global markets ⁽¹⁾
 - Plan to produce 4 million tonnes of direct reduction iron ore pellets per year

- Phased expansion for permitted direct reduction furnace to produce direct reduced iron

- Phased future integration to permitted mine and plant that will produce pig iron, vanadium and titanium with 39-year mine life and tier one operating costs
 - High Purity Iron, Vanadium and Titanium are all critical minerals

(1) Amending existing permit for larger pellet plant.



- Quebec Government & Orion Mine Finance as partners
 - Port Saguenay, a federal public port - natural gas from TransCanada pipeline - low-cost hydroelectric power, enables cost-effective and lower CO2 emission pellets compared to plants in the Labrador Trough
- +C\$250 million Government infrastructure development:
 - conveyor, natural gas line, hydro-electric power supply & process water supply





- Shift from blast furnaces to electric arc furnaces (EAFs) is supported by governments to reduce CO2 emissions by up to 75% per tonne of steel
 - Expected deficit in DR grade pellets/ DRI as EAFs go from 30% to 50% of global steel manufacturing, a 2 billion tpa market
- Increasing focus on critical mineral supply chains for North America and Europe
 - High Purity Iron, Vanadium and Titanium are all critical minerals and in the steel inputs value chain

Strategy

Build a low-cost green steel supplier by providing solutions for the iron metalics deficit with great partners and significant growth projects

The BlackRock Project – Canada



Phase 1 – The Iron Pelletizer *(Port Saguenay, Quebec)*

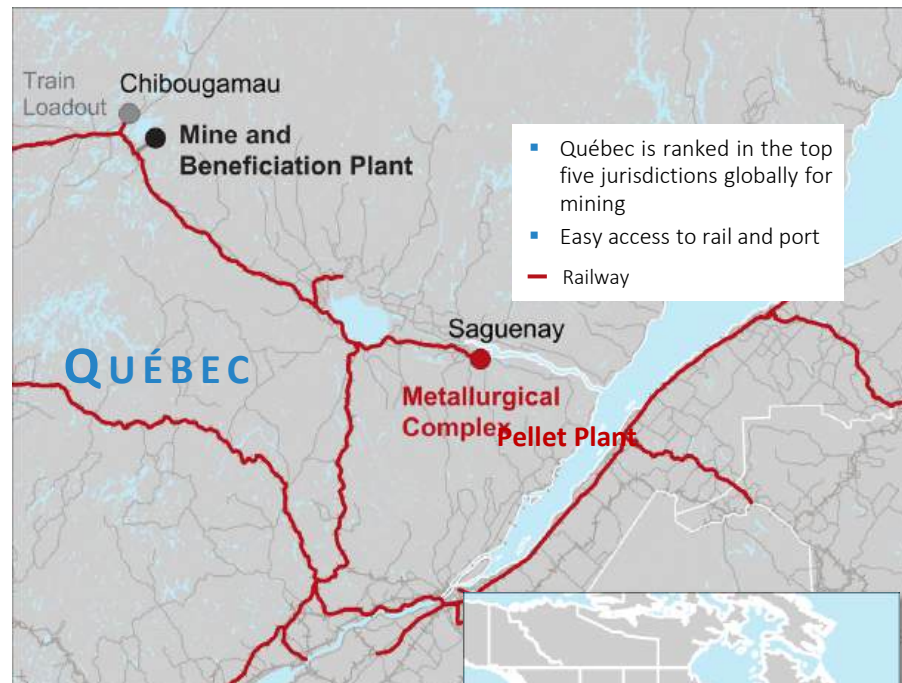
A Unique Fully Permitted Multi-Metal Project



BLACKROCK PROJECT OVERVIEW

- Multi-metallic ferroalloy project located in Québec
 - Project with an integrated mine and concentrator in Chibougamau with metallurgical facility at Port Saguenay
 - Targeting production of merchant pig iron (“MPI”), vanadium and titanium
- Low-cost supplier to the North American market for Vanadium & high purity merchant pig iron, a critical ingredient for electric arc furnaces (“EAF”) to dilute impurities in scrap steel
- Advantaged infrastructure access for rail, road, port and electricity
- Strong project sponsors, community and provincial support
- Major international engineering and technical partners
- Environmental permitting at the mine already secured
- Geology well understood & Metallurgy already pilot tested

STRATEGICALLY LOCATED IN MINING FRIENDLY JURISDICTION



PRODUCT PORTFOLIO – SUBSTANTIAL POTENTIAL FOR PROJECT EXPANSION



Iron Pellets



Producing an average of 4 million tonnes per year over the project life



Iron



Producing an average of 526 kt MPI per year over the project life



Vanadium



Producing an average of 4.4 kt FeV₈₀ per year over the project life



Titanium



Producing an average of 118 kt Ti slag per year over the project life

Generational Resource with Exploration Upside

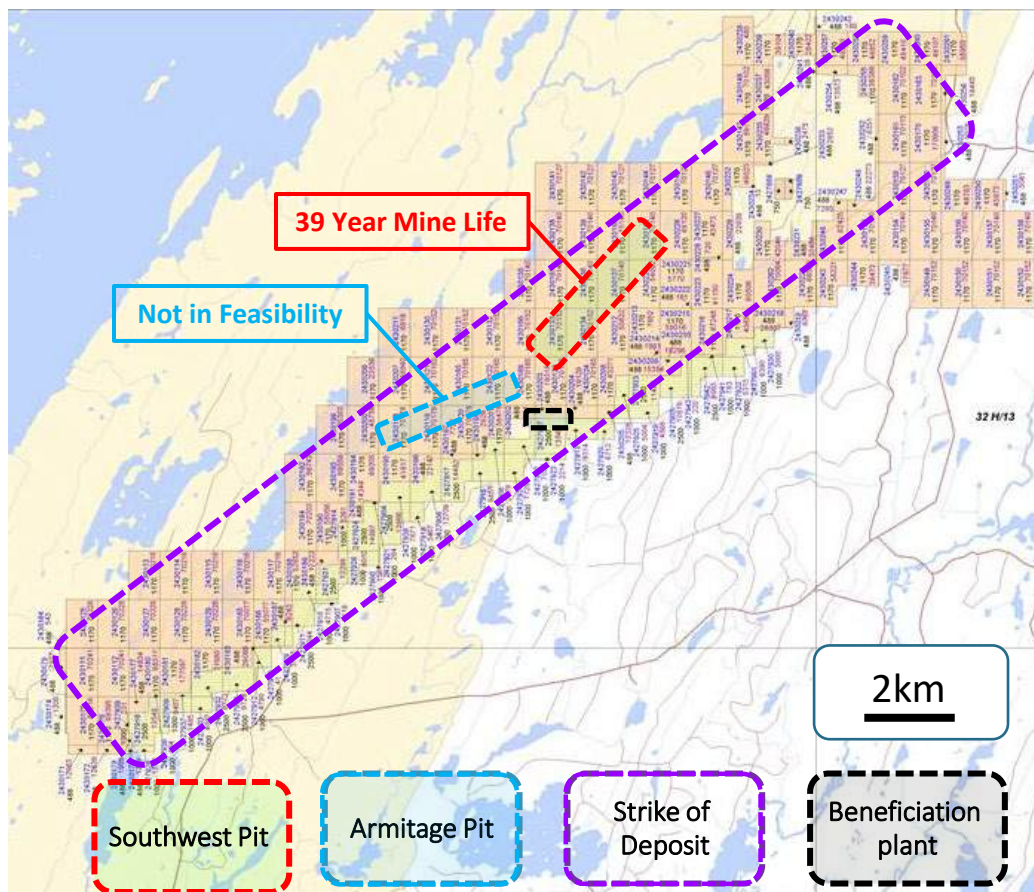


SUMMARY RESERVES AND RESOURCES (MT)

Proven & Probable	Southwest Deposit	Armitage Deposit	Total
Contained Fe ₂ O ₃ (Iron Oxide)	51.4	-	51.4
Contained V ₂ O ₅ (Vanadium Pentoxide)	0.6	-	0.6
Contained TiO ₂ (Titanium Dioxide)	9.8	-	9.8

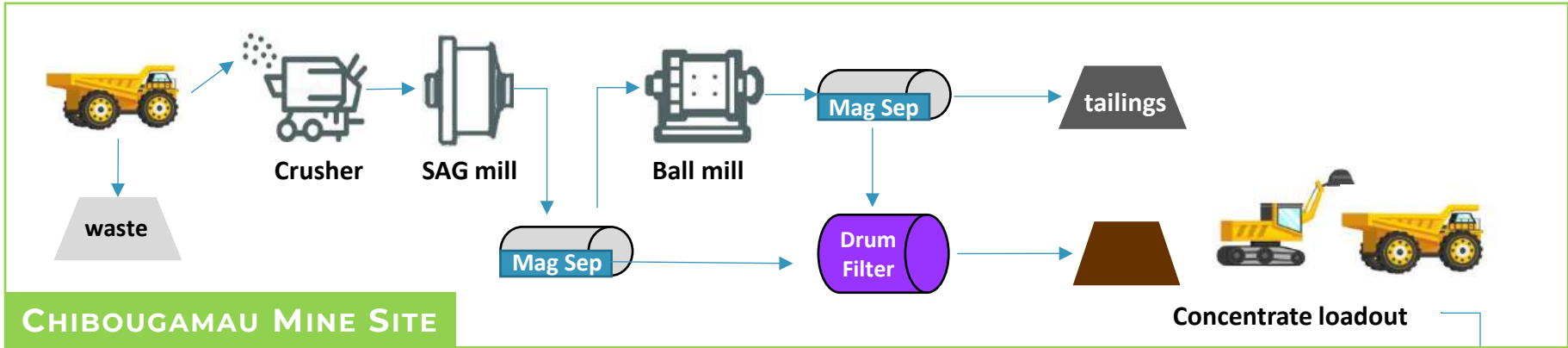
Measured & Indicated	Southwest Deposit	Armitage Deposit	Total
Contained Fe ₂ O ₃ (Iron Oxide)	75.0	63.8	138.6
Contained V ₂ O ₅ (Vanadium Pentoxide)	0.9	0.7	1.6
Contained TiO ₂ (Titanium Dioxide)	14.4	12.3	26.7

PIT & BENEFICIATION PLANT LAYOUT



20 km strike length provides scope for substantial resource growth

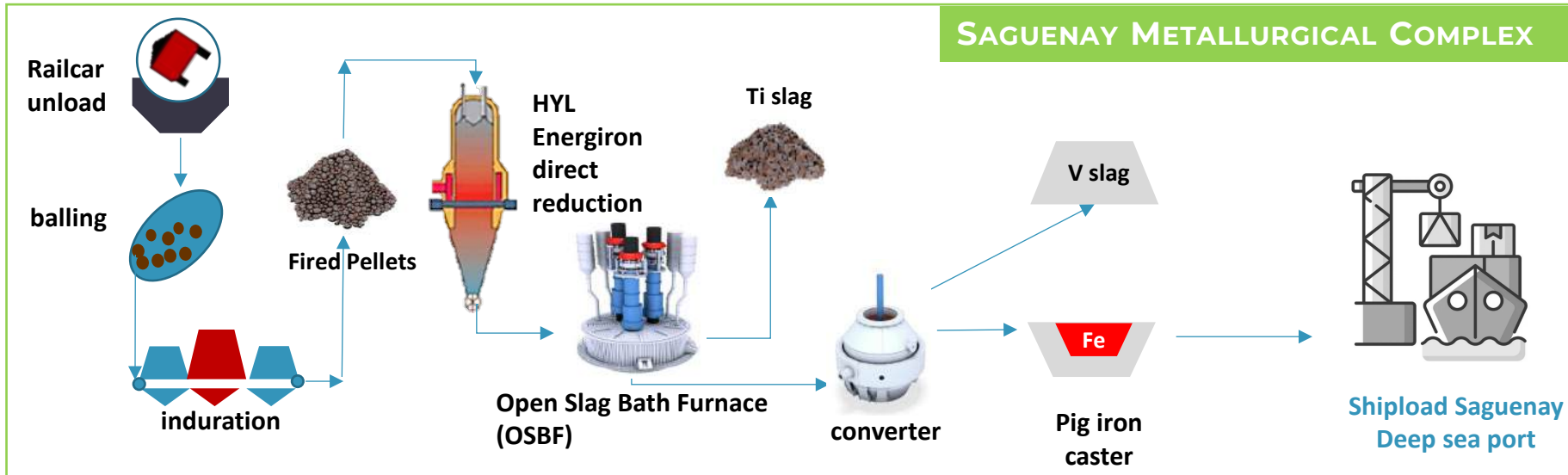
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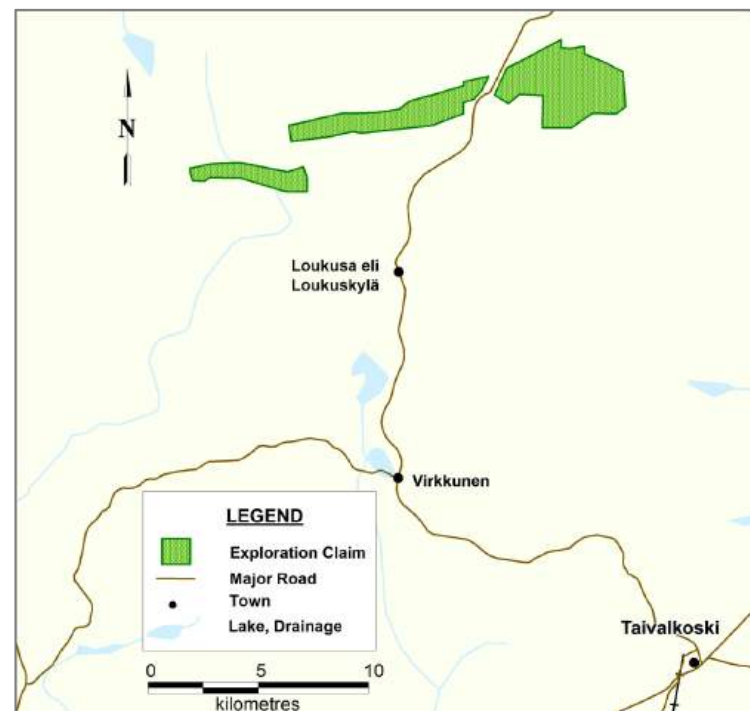
Trucking 25km to Chibougamau 3rd party train loadout



Mustavaara Project Highlights - Finland



- Mustavaara Mine is located in north-central Finland, approximately 179 km northwest of Oulu and 650 km north of Helsinki
- Consists of three reservations totaling ~2,650 ha
- Approximately 10,000 metres of drilling over 73 holes has been completed on the property
- Previously mined by the Finnish state company Rautaruukki Oy between 1976 and 1985
 - Mustavaara and the nearby Otanmäki deposit accounted for almost 10% of world vanadium production during its operation
- Historic mining reached a max depth of 50 metres along a 1,000 metre corridor before ceasing due to low metal prices of ~US\$1.50/lb V₂O₅
- Current NI 43-101 compliant M&I resource totaling 104 Mt @ 15.4% magnetite and 0.90% vanadium in concentrate
- Vanadium-rich magnetite zones located along an 18 km long magnetic anomaly – *Large scale potential along strike*
 - Simple magnetic separation upgrade based on previous concentrator experience with this specific ore



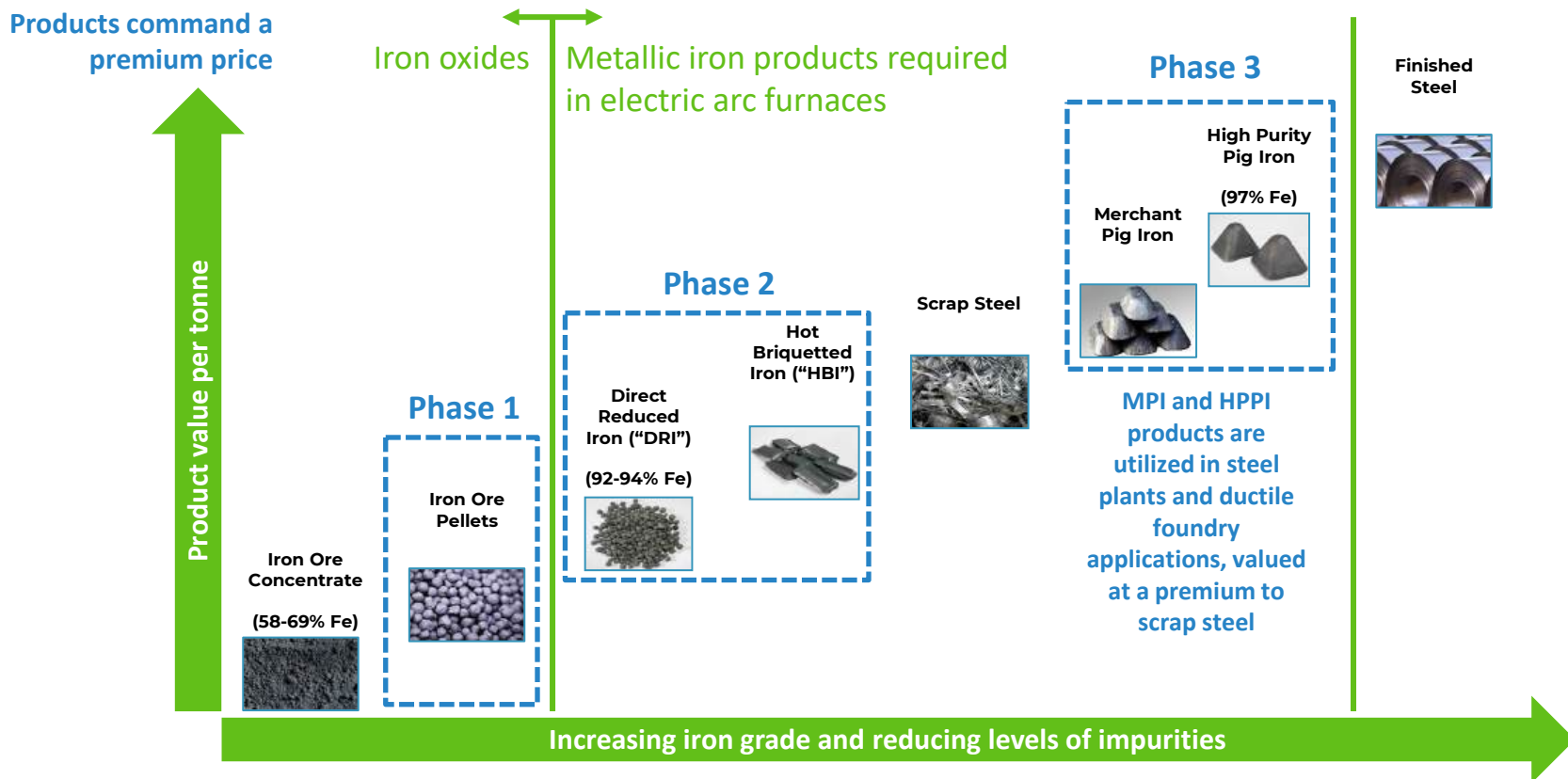


Mustavaara Mine Existing Pit

Product Focus - High Value Steel Inputs



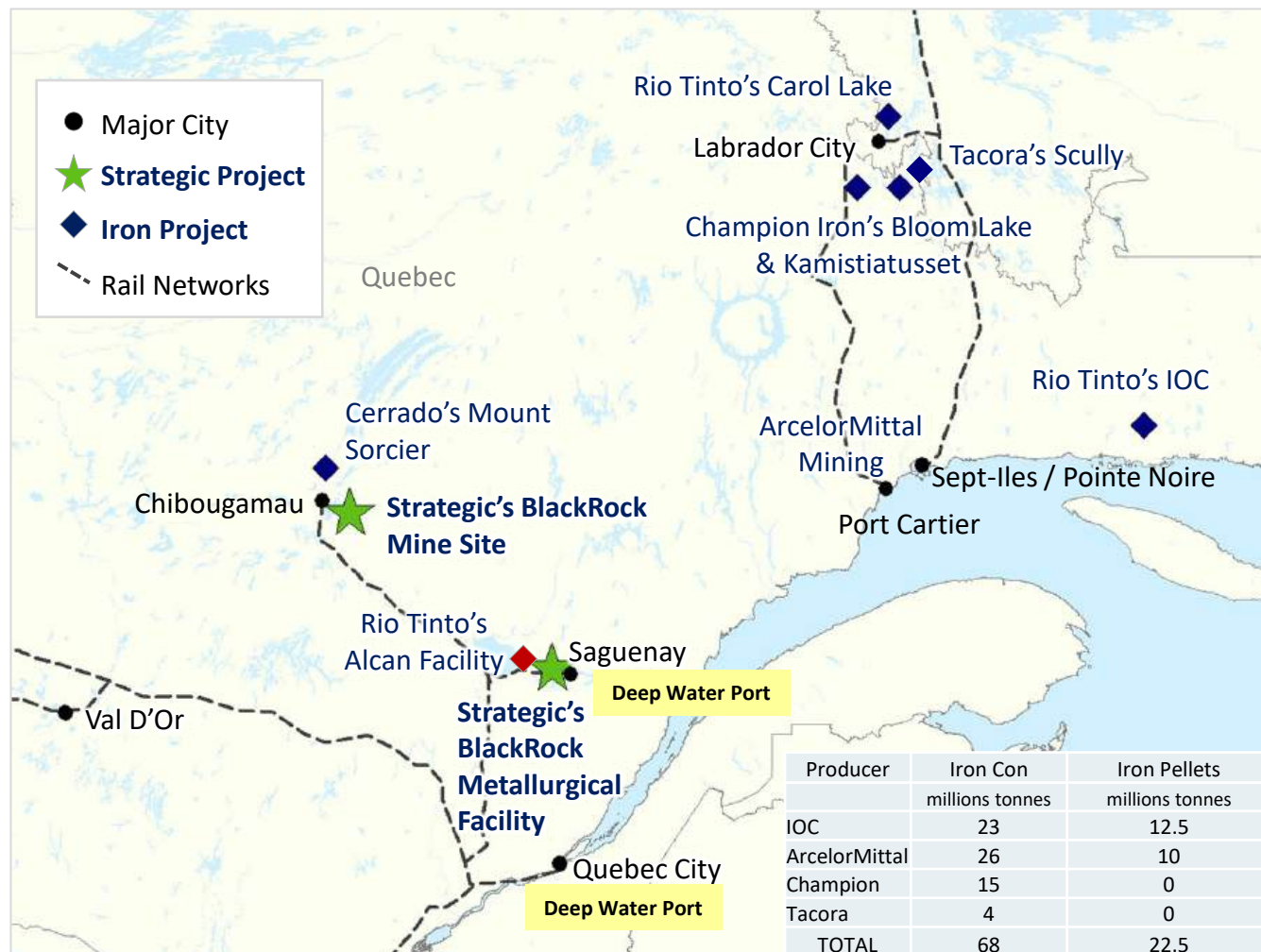
- The 'Phase 1' pellet plant at Port Saguenay will produce 4Mt per year of direct reduction grade pellets
- Strategic has permits to produce direct reduced iron that can be pressed into hot briquetted iron, which would be 'Phase 2' project development at Port Saguenay
- 'Phase 3' would integrate the permitted BlackRock mine and would produce high purity pig iron as well as vanadium and titanium



The Northern Québec Iron Landscape



- Québec will be a focal point for the high-grade iron concentrate and high-grade iron metallic products that will drive the green steel transition
- Strategic's BlackRock project is ideally positioned near existing mines, infrastructure, communities and ports that provides ongoing services to the steel value chain
- Quebec & Labrador produce ~70 mtpa of iron concentrate and ~23 mtpa of iron pellets but expansion of iron pellet capacity is limited by permitting and emissions issues



The Natural Gas pipeline in Quebec ends at Saguenay so pellet plant expansion north of Saguenay cannot be permitted and is capped at 23 million tonnes



- The port provides excellent access to steel manufacturing in the Great Lakes Region, Gulf of Mexico and Europe.
- The low carbon nature of the product will be well suited for Europe's future Carbon Border Adjustment Mechanism



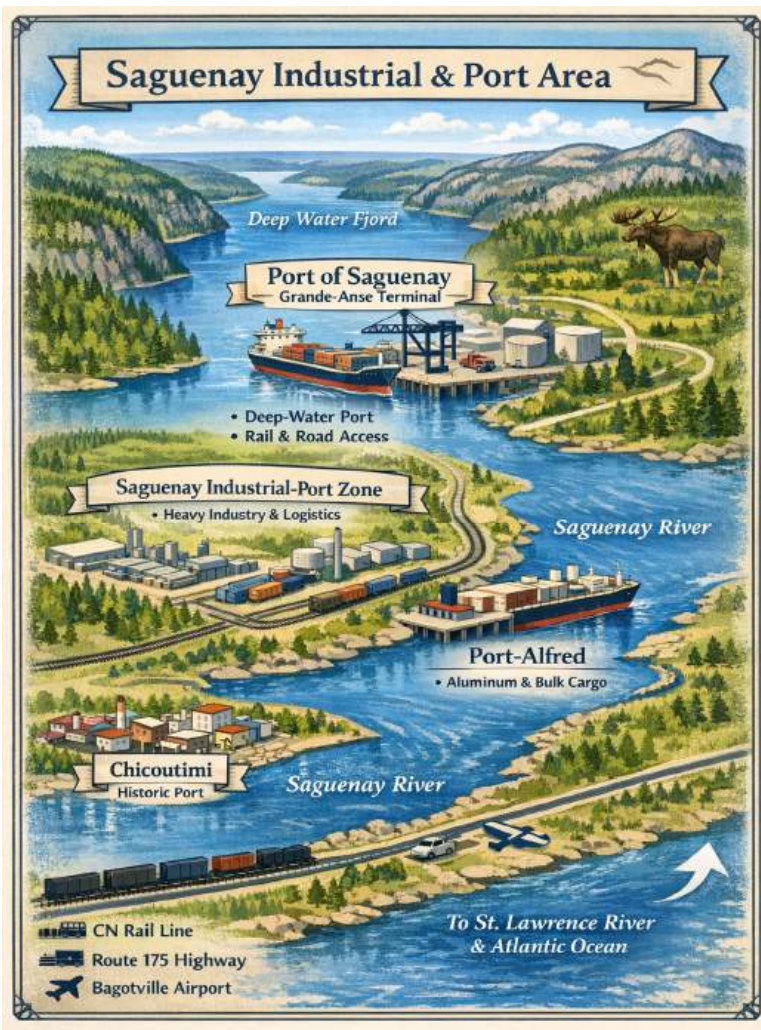
McKinsey Research : What Makes a Good HBI Hub?

- ✓ **Natural gas and/or hydrogen** – On the TransCanada Pipeline
- ✓ **Logistics** – Existing Federal port and wharf
- ✓ **DR grade pellets** – Strategic has a permitted iron pellet plant with access to high grade iron pellet feed
- ✓ **Skilled work force** – Saguenay has an industrial skilled workforce
- ✓ **Contract with OEM's** – Strategic has Metso as an OEM partner
- ✓ **Financing** – Strategic has large investments from Orion Mine Finance and the Quebec Government

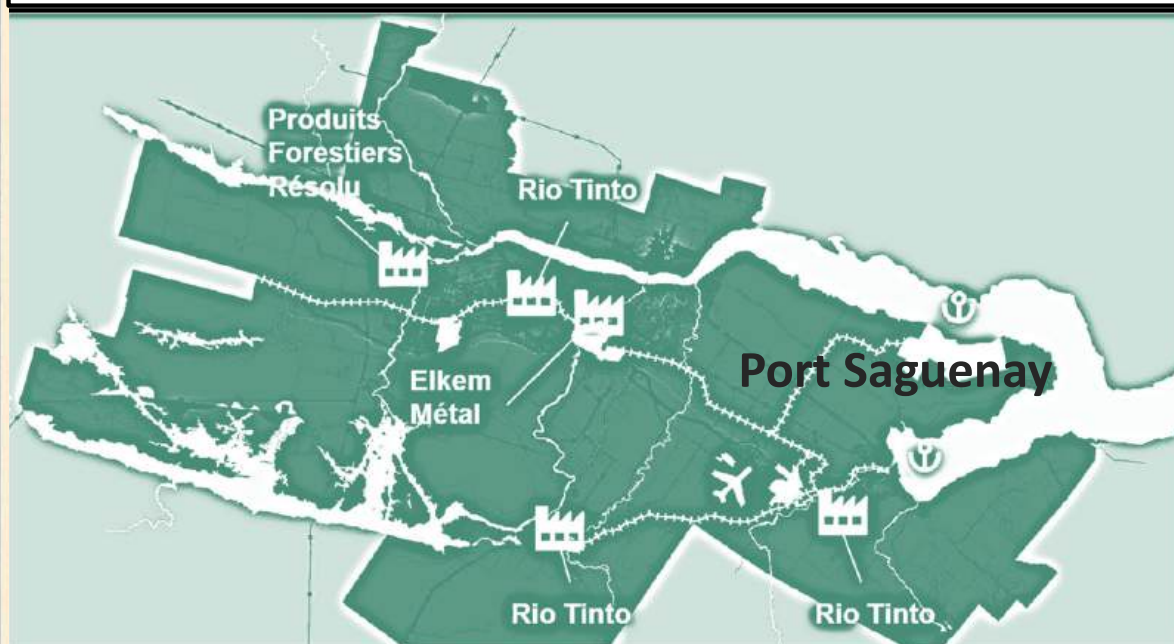
Saguenay – A Developed Industrial Area



- Population 280,000+ producing aluminum, hydro electricity, forest & foundry products
- Close to Quebec City / 45-minute flight from Montreal to public airport/AirForce Base near our Port
- Local university with 6,500 students and 8 institutions with technical and professional programs



Saguenay Regional Overhead View



Port Saguenay - One of Canada's most Strategic Ports





Complete intermodality



Deepwater port



Access to North American railway networks directly on-site



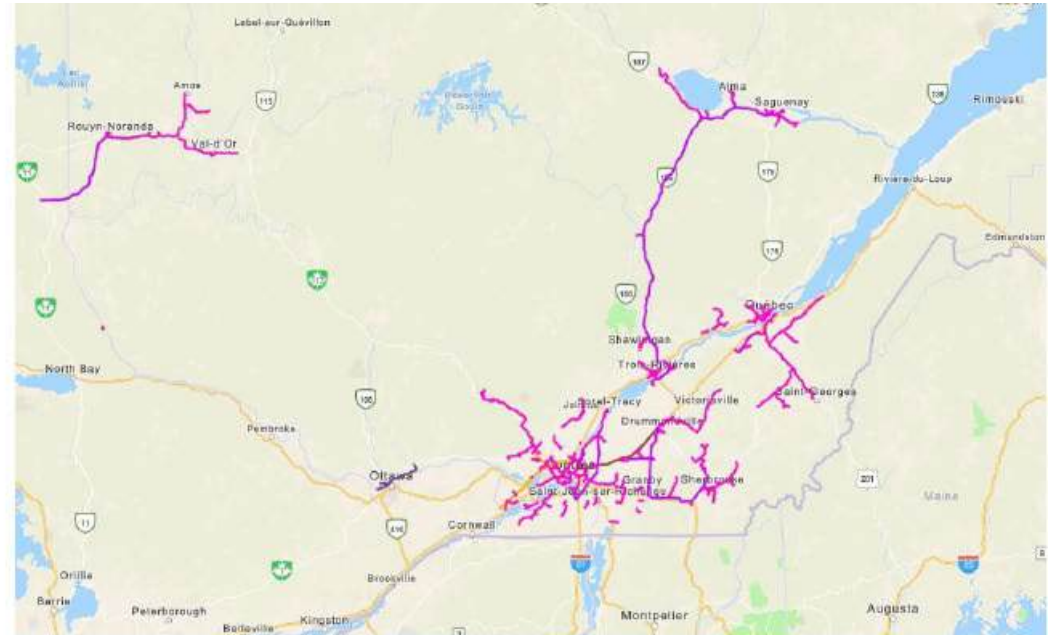
Direct links to North American highway networks



Close to a modern airport (less than 10 miles)



Green energy hub



Natural gas



Lease

- Strategic Resources has a long-term lease at the port

Government Support

- Federal and provincial governments funding a C\$111M multi-user conveyor facility that will take iron con and pellets to and from the facility – currently under construction

Industrial zone

- Industrial permitted zone 15 square kilometers
- Existing areas include pads, roads and railroad spur

Wharf Capacity

- Deep sea wharf – 14 m draft at low tide, open four seasons
- Marcel-Dionne wharf can berth ships up to 100 000 DWT. Wharf is 286 meters long and can load up to small capsized vessels
- New wharf being developed on the East side of the existing terminal. This will handle ships up to 25 000 DWT, with 11.7 m draft and 221m long (Lakers for shipment into the Great Lakes)
- Storage capacity - 250,000 m² (additional lay down areas planned in excess of 100 000 m²)

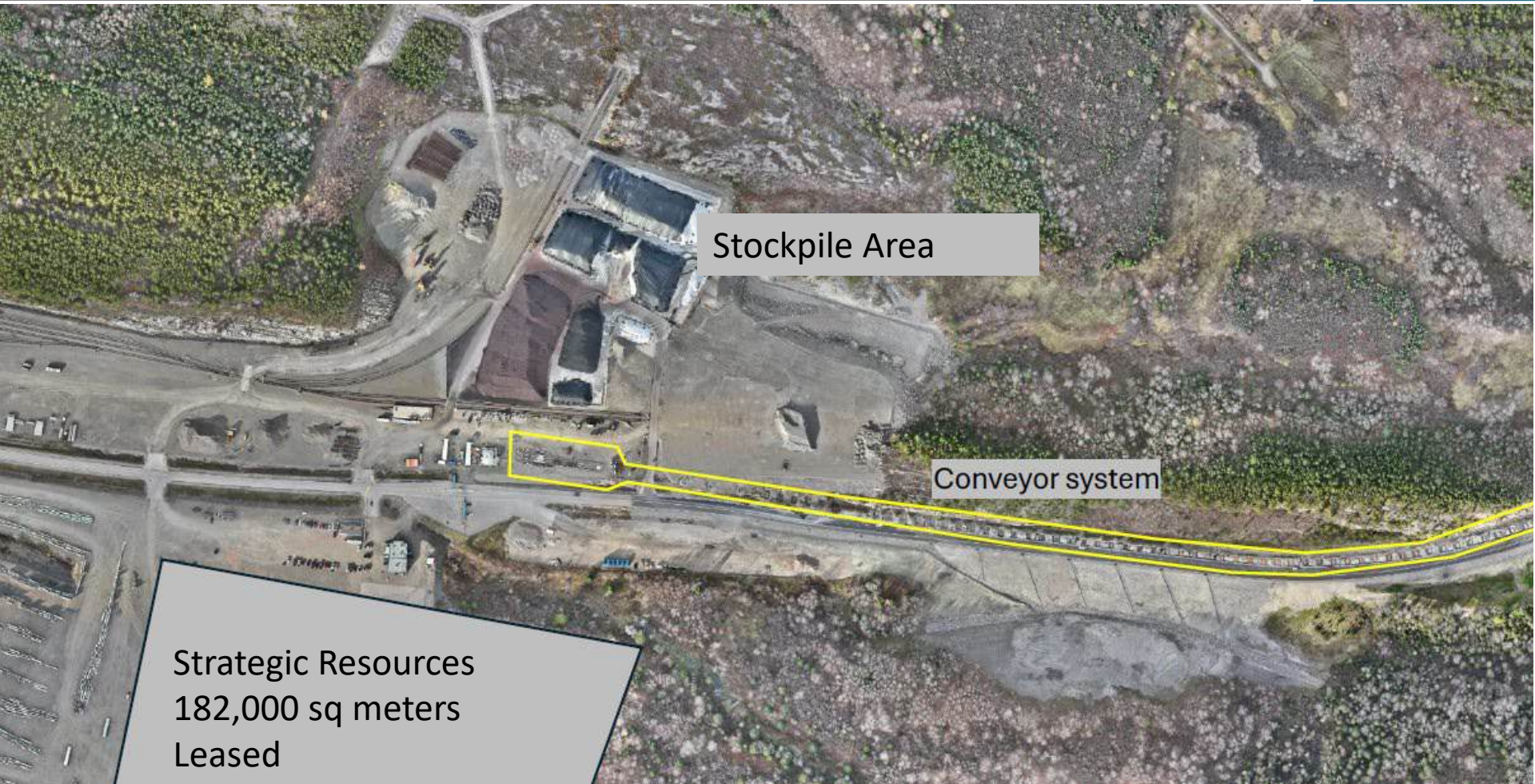


One of the newest and largest megasites in North America

A 1 200 ha site developed in collaboration with the Government of Quebec and Government of Canada, dedicated to large industry



Strategic Conveyor System Under Construction





High quality industrial lands, directly on the port area.

- High bearing capacity (composed mainly of rock)
- Site far from neighbors but close to services (20 min from downtown)
- An industrial tradition and strong regional expertise in the development of major projects.
- Industrial land available and more to be develop with the support of City of Saguenay and Government of Québec





A major economic development Project for Quebec

\$250 M in infrastructure projects by 2028





Opportunities to expand maritime capacity

- Potential to build the largest deep-water terminal in Quebec that can be connected to the North American rail network
- New wharf section:
 - 400 meters long
 - 18 m at low tide
- Possible to accommodate « Post-Panamax » ships of 250 000 DWT





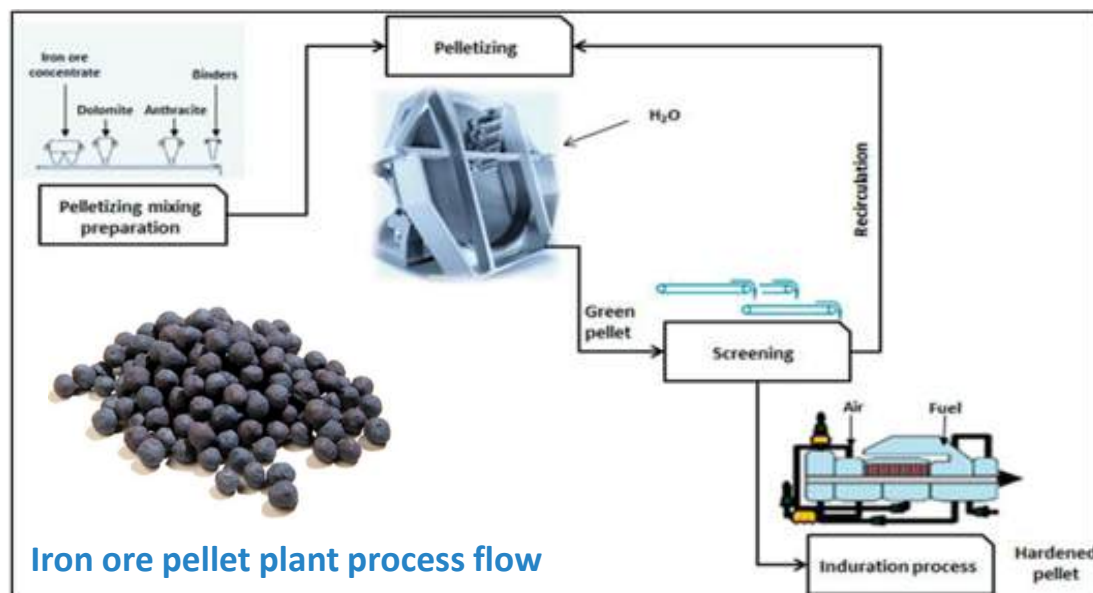
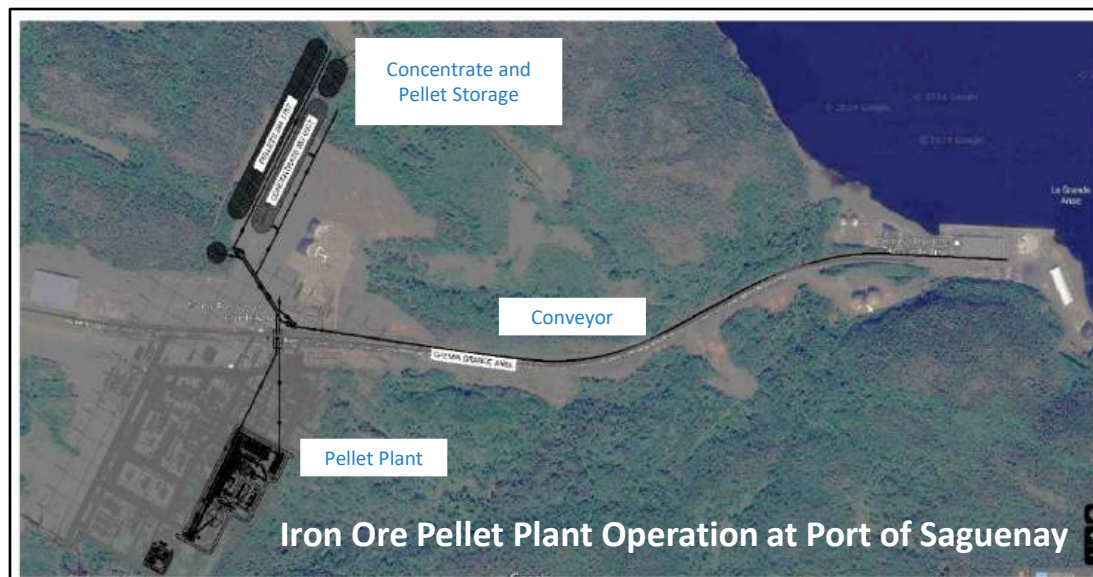
A 3D model of the Port of Saguenay's future conveyor. (File photo)

PHOTO: COURTESY OF THE PORT OF SAGUENAY

New two-way conveyor system at Port Saguenay to handle iron ore product under construction to be completed Q1 of 2026



- Strategic has chosen Metso as its OEM provider for the pellet plant in Saguenay
 - ~55% of the initial capital estimate is the purchase of the plant from Metso
- The plant will leverage the conveyor system currently being constructed by the Port and government authorities to transport seaborne iron concentrate from the wharf to the plant
- This two-way conveyor system will also be utilized to send the finished pellets back to the wharf for export





- Strategic Resources has signed agreements with Javelin Global Commodities to procure direct reduction (“DR”) grade iron concentrate to supply the 4 million tonne per annum plant and to market and sell the DR grade pellets.
- Javelin will be the exclusive agent for purchase of iron concentrate feed and the marketing of the iron ore pellets.
- A 10-year contract from the completion of construction with an option for Strategic to terminate after seven years from the commencement of production.
- Javelin will be paid a percentage fee on the total cost of the iron concentrate feed and percentage fee of the revenue from direct reduction iron pellet sales.
- Javelin can also provide a working capital facility of up to US\$150 million for the Project for a period of up to three years.

Key Terms of Supply and Marketing Agreements

Term:	10 years from commencement of production with right to terminate after 7.
Fees:	A percentage of iron ore concentrate value and a percentage of DR grade pellet value. Specific terms are confidential and will be integrated into the planned Feasibility Study.
Process:	Open book purchase and sale strategy that will source from multiple mines. Strategic will be able to select and blend feed based on spec. and logistics costs as presented by Javelin. Javelin can offer hedging services for logistics, short-term pricing and counter party risk.

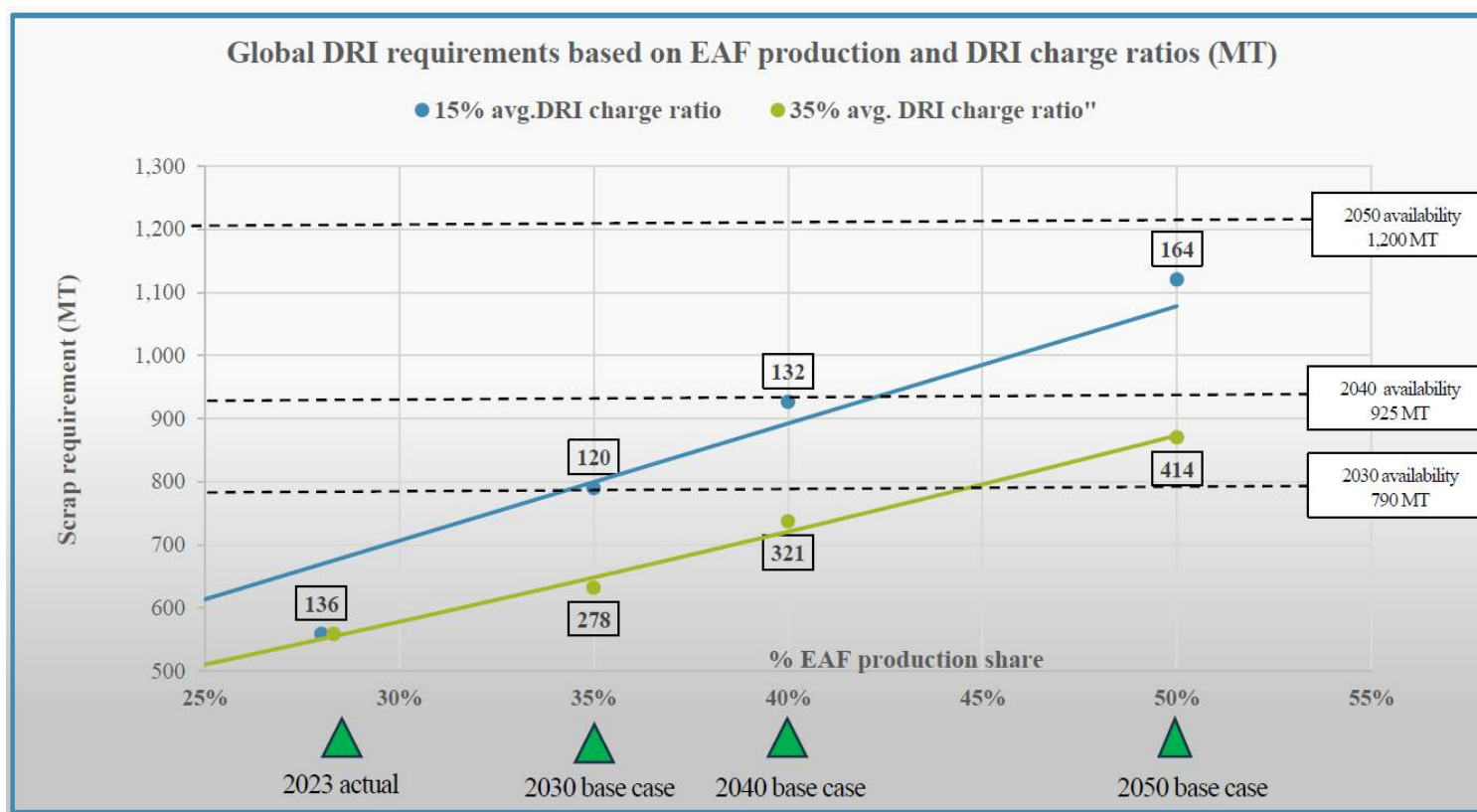
Key Terms of Non-binding US\$150M Working Capital Facility

Term:	3 years
Security:	1 st security against current assets (iron concentrate, WIP material and DR grade pellets)

Significant Growth in Direct Reduced Iron (DRI)



- Global demand estimated 164Mt to 414Mt of DRI by 2050, assuming that 50% of steel making is Electric (EAF).
 - DRI production globally for 2023 was 135.7 million tonnes (up 6.5% versus 2022) and for 2024 was 140.8 million tonnes (up 3.8% versus 2023)
- DRI is produced with High Grade Iron Ore Pellets so demand for these Pellets is expected to growth significantly
- The need is determined by availability and quality of scrap material; higher EAF conversion or reduced scrap availability and/or quality will increase these demand forecasts

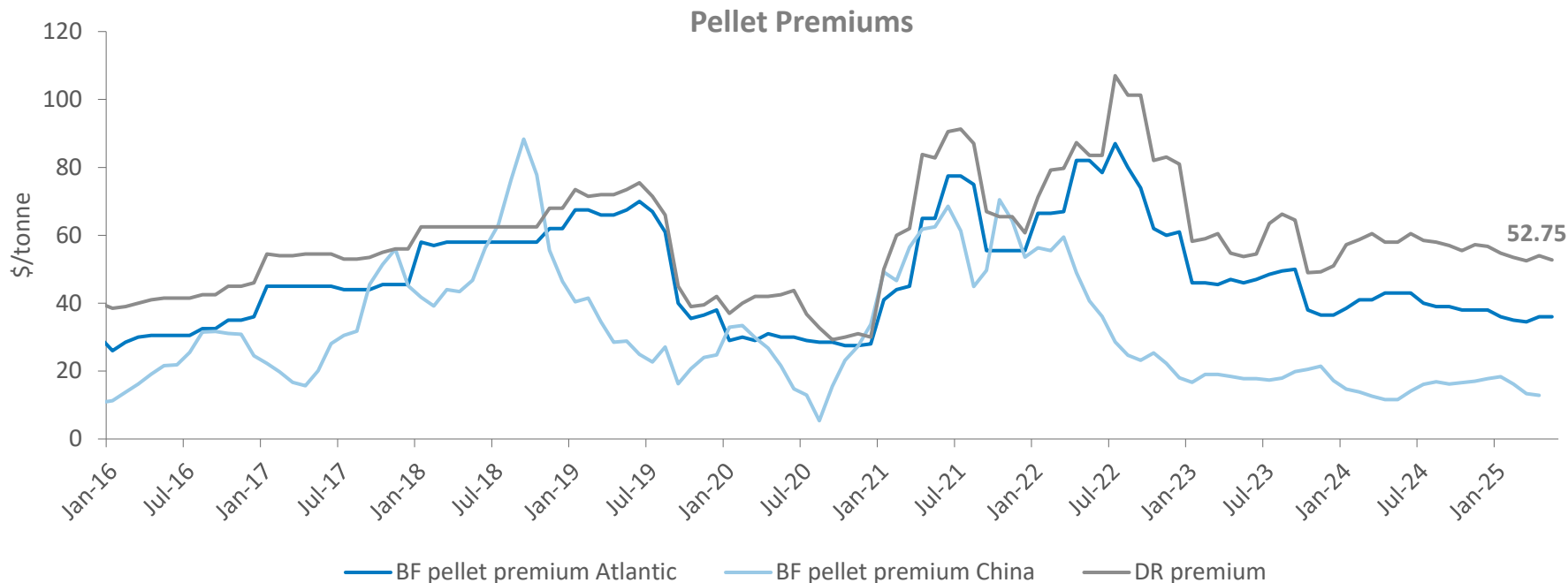


Source: World Steel Dynamics Analysis

Direct Reduction Pellet Market



- Pellet and pellet feed are currently only ~15% of the global seaborne iron market
 - BMO sees a trend towards pellet and pellet feed making up ~30% of market share to serve new direct reduced iron projects globally, which in turn feed the electric arc furnaces
- DR grade pellets achieves larger premiums compared to blast furnace pellets
 - Currently at US\$53/t, a US\$17/t premium over blast furnace pellets in the Atlantic market
- Steel producers will be paying more attention to the embedded carbon and inputs from pelletizing iron ores over time; these differences may drive added pricing premiums for “greener” pellets

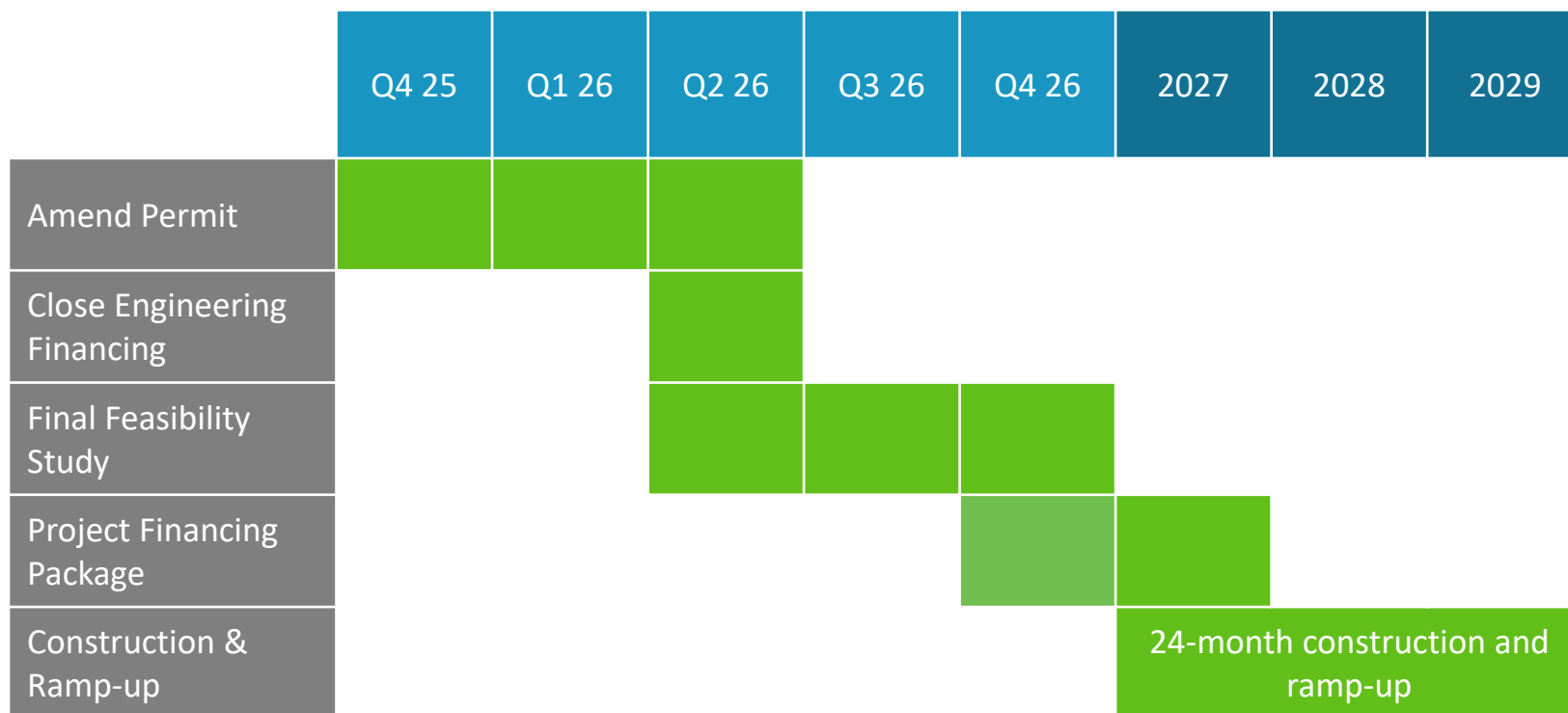


Source: BMO Capital Markets, Wood Mackenzie and Bloomberg



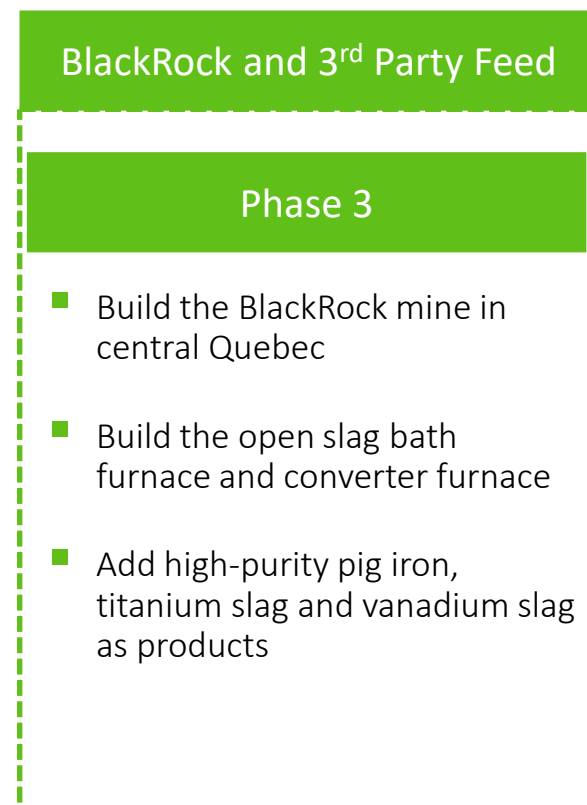
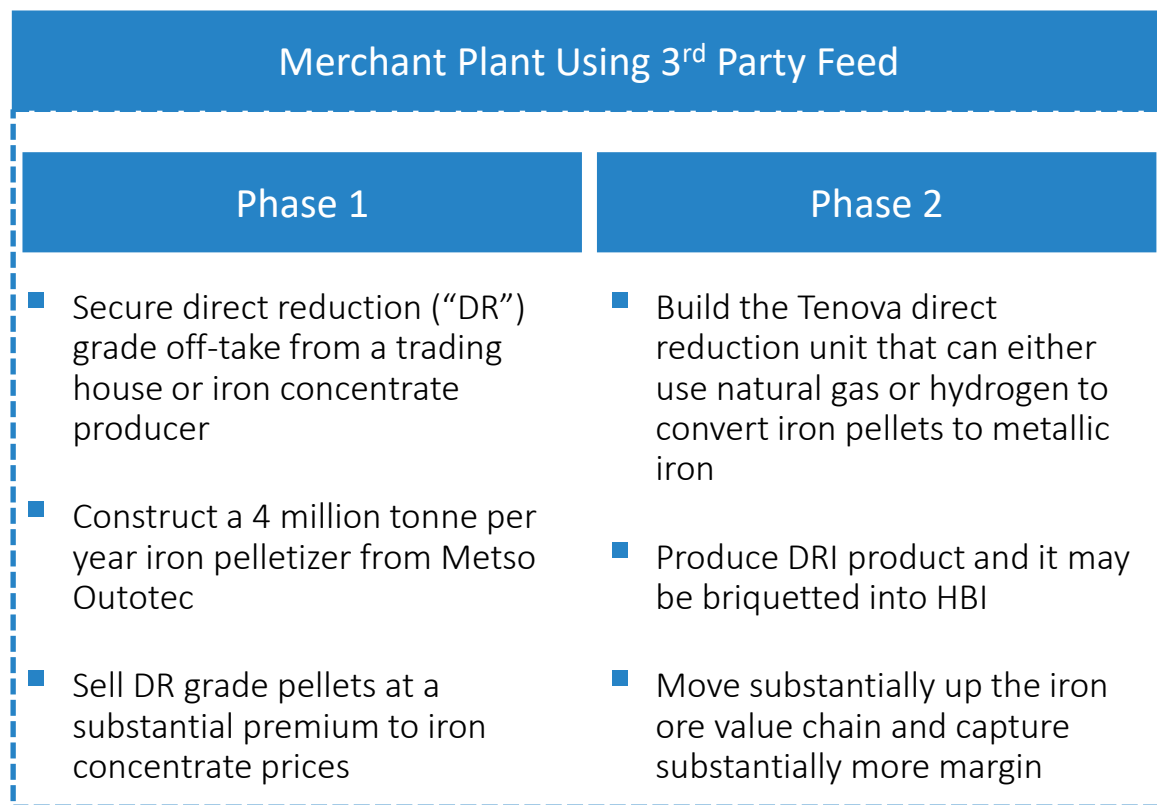
- Strategic is working to advance its Feasibility Study and secure a construction funding package consisting of debt, equity and a working capital facility
 - Societe Generale has been engaged to work on US\$300M of project finance debt
 - Strategic's major shareholders will help to finance the remaining required capital

Illustrative Phase 1 Pellet Plant Timeline:





- The company has multiple, already permitted phases of growth for future expansion

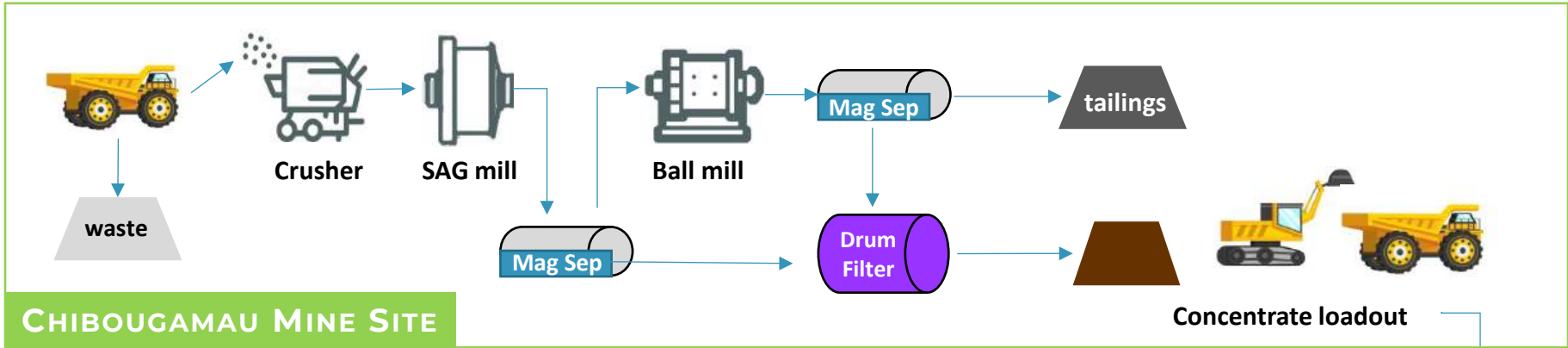


Note: Phase 1 as described above is an independent economic scenario from the BlackRock National Instrument 43-101 Feasibility Study (“FS”), which was effective on November 18, 2022. Phase 1 will not exploit any of the company’s mineral reserves. It is possible that the full BlackRock Project as was described in the FS could benefit from Phase 1 and Phase 2 infrastructure in the future, but the potential benefits are unknown at this time.



The Big Picture – Building Out the Mine

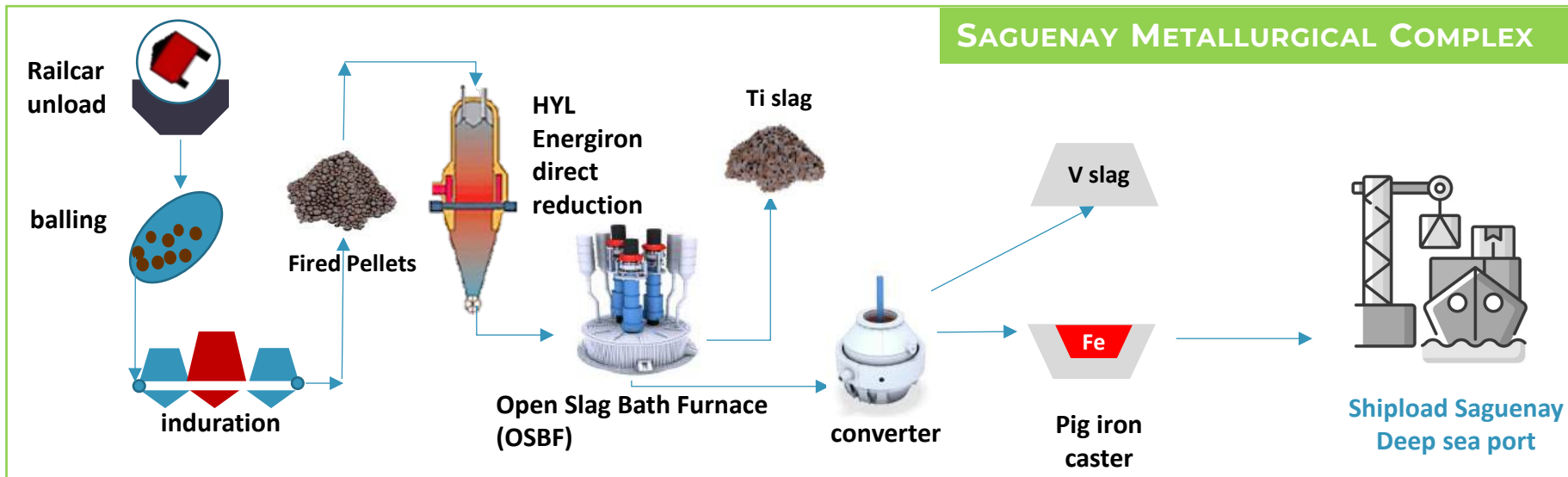
Integrated Mine, Mill & Metallurgical Plant



Rail 400km to Saguenay



Trucking 25km to Chibougamau 3rd party train loadout





- Collaboration agreement to study supplying the BlackRock Project's metallurgical facility with Anion Exchange Membrane ("AEM") Electrolysers.
- These AEM Electrolysers manufactured by Ciper Neutron will be designed to produce Green Hydrogen in order to support the transition to Green Steel.
- Strategic process technology consist of Hydrogen ready solutions supplied by Tenova (HYL Energiron direct reduction plant) and Metso (Pellet Plant).
- Collaboration agreement to study supplying the BlackRock Project's metallurgical facility with Levidian's patented decarbonization technology referred to as LOOP systems ("LOOP").
- LOOP has a unique net cost advantage over other Hydrogen production technologies because the system produces a byproduct of Graphene, a valuable mineral used for batteries, superconductors, solar cells, and faster and more efficient electronics.

Will enable Strategic to accelerate its hydrogen development roadmap and move towards producing near emissions free iron metallic products



2013

- Applied for a mining lease from the Ministère des Ressources naturelles du Québec and the Canadian Agency for Environmental Evaluation held public hearings
- Granted provincial Global Certificate of Authorization for the production of magnetite concentrate containing vanadium at the mine site

2017

- Metallurgical Plant Impact Study submitted

2019

- Granted modified provincial Global Certificate of Authorization for the production of magnetite concentrate containing vanadium at the mine site
- Permit was modified to reduce tonnage of concentrate produced to match requirements of metallurgical plant
- Granted permit for the metallurgical plant

2023

- Full project, mine site and metallurgical facility are shovel ready

2026

- Modified Permit Application for 4 mtpa Pellet Plant

**Mine site and metallurgical facility have received all required construction permits
Pellet Plant Revised Permit Expected in Q1 2026**



Southwest NI 43-101 Mineral Reserve Estimate

Category	Tonnes (Mt)	In Situ Grade (%)			In Situ Contained (Mt)		
		V ₂ O ₅	Fe ₂ O ₃	TiO ₂	V ₂ O ₅	Fe ₂ O ₃	TiO ₂
Proven	123.9	0.46	40.2	7.7	0.57	49.8	9.5
Probable	3.9	0.42	40.3	8.1	0.02	1.6	0.3
Total Reserves	127.8	0.46	40.2	7.8	0.59	51.4	9.8

Southwest and Armitage NI 43-101 Mineral Resource Estimate

Category	Tonnes (Mt)	In Situ Grade (%)			In Situ Contained (Mt)		
		V ₂ O ₅	Fe ₂ O ₃	TiO ₂	V ₂ O ₅	Fe ₂ O ₃	TiO ₂
Measured	287.2	0.45	39.0	7.5	1.3	112.0	21.5
Indicated	68.3	0.44	39.0	7.6	0.3	26.6	5.2
Total M&I	355.5	0.44	39.0	7.5	1.6	138.6	26.7
Inferred	73.3	0.44	39.7	7.9	0.3	29.1	5.8

Note: See Appendix for Reserve and Resources notes.



1. Resources are defined at a minimum cut-off of 10% Satmagan. Due to the necessary rounding of estimates, the rounded totals may slightly differ from the sum of rounded individual estimates.
2. The Mineral Resource estimate was completed by Michel Dagbert, Eng. (OIQ #45944) from SGS Canada, an independent Qualified Person as defined in NI 43-101.
3. The effective date of the Mineral Reserve estimate is October 2022
4. The Mineral Reserves were estimated using the Canadian Institute of Mining, Metallurgy and Petroleum (CIM) Standards for Mineral Resources and Reserves, Definitions and Guidelines prepared by the CIM Standing Committee on Reserve Definitions and adopted by CIM Council in May 2014.
5. Qualified Person: The Mineral Reserve statement was prepared by Isabelle Leblanc (OIQ #144395) of BBA, an “independent qualified person”, as that term is defined by National Instrument 43-101.
6. Open pit Mineral Reserves have been estimated using a 0.29 net revenue factor apply on High Purity Pig Iron (HPPI) price of 670 CAD/t of product, a Ferrovandium (FeV) price of 54,341CAD/t of product, a foreign exchange rate of CAD1.33 to USD1.00.
7. Open pit reserves have been estimated using a cut-off grade of 10% Diluted Satmagan.
8. The life of mine strip ratio is 2.2.
9. Reserves are derived from the Satmagan Resources Statement (127.8Mt of resources in the Measured and Indicated categories at a cut-off grade of 10%) prepared by Michel Dagbert (OIQ #45944) of SGS Geostat. BlackRock exploration program in the Chibougamau Municipality is being supervised by Charles Perry, P.Geo., and Pierre O'Dowd, P.Geo., both Qualified Persons, as defined by National Instrument 43-101. Mineral Resources are inclusive of Mineral Reserves.
10. The reference point for the Mineral Reserves is the crusher feed.
11. Expected % V2O5 in concentrate and % metallurgical weight recovery are based on Davis Tube Analysis (DTA) metallurgical test work.
12. BBA is not aware of any known environmental, permitting, legal, title-related, taxation, socio-political, marketing or other relevant issue that could materially affect the Mineral Reserves estimate.



TIER 1 COUNTRY

- Finland - stable government with growing economy
- EU looking to Finland to supply growing critical metal requirements



ESG

- Brownfields site with prior disturbance
- Access to carbon free hydro and nuclear power



REDUCED RISK

- Past producer of V205 and pig iron
- Metallurgy that works with proven ability to upgrade material to concentrate
- Consistent, well understood mineralization



Mineral Resource Estimate Summary (11.0% magnetite cut-off grade)

Resource Class	Million Tonnes	Average Grade				Contained Metal		
		Magnetite (%)	VinMC ⁽¹⁾ (%)	Ti ⁽²⁾ (%)	Fe ⁽²⁾ (%)	VinMC ⁽¹⁾ (kt)	Ti ⁽²⁾ (kt)	Fe ⁽²⁾ (kt)
Measured	64.0	15.41	0.91	3.75	63.3	90	370	6,244
Indicated	39.7	15.27	0.88	3.53	62.8	53	214	3,805
Total M&I	103.7	15.36	0.90	3.67	63.1	143	584	10,049
Inferred	42.2	15.11	0.92	3.75	62.3	59	239	3,971

Sensitivity of Measured + Indicated Mineral Resource to Cut-Off Grade

Cut-Off Magnetite (%)	Million Tonnes	Average Grade				Contained Metal		
		Magnetite (%)	VinMC ⁽¹⁾ (%)	Ti ⁽²⁾ (%)	Fe ⁽²⁾ (%)	VinMC ⁽¹⁾ (kt)	Ti ⁽²⁾ (kt)	Fe ⁽²⁾ (kt)
8.0	107	15.17	0.9	3.64	63.2	146	593	10,281
10.0	106	15.26	0.9	3.65	63.2	146	590	10,291
11.0	104	15.36	0.9	3.67	63.1	143	584	10,049
12.0	95	15.71	0.9	3.72	63.0	134	555	9,394
14.0	67	16.81	0.9	3.80	62.9	102	430	7,115

Note: The mineral resource estimate has an effective date of September 14, 2020. Metal prices used: Pig Iron US\$350.00 per tonne, Ferrovanadium US\$30.00 per kilogram. (1) The weight percent of vanadium retained in the magnetic fraction is reported as VinMC (Vanadium in Magnetic Concentrate) and can be correlated with magnetically recovered vanadium grades in large scale magnetic separation plants. This work has indicated that the magnetite content could be upgraded by a factor of six. (2) Ti (titanium) and Fe (iron) grades and contained metal values are stated in recovered magnetite concentrate post upgrading.



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