

# **HUMMINGBIRD RESOURCES PLC**

**CORPORATE UPDATE – APRIL 2021** 

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### Hummingbird Resources Plc: An overview

<b>Strong production base</b> 100 – 110koz (2021 guidance)	Multi asset & jurisdiction base 1 producing & 2 development assets in 3 West African countries	Senegal Mali
Strong financials Growing net cash position. ~US\$4.9mln* end Q1 2021 versus ~US\$1.5mln end of Q4 2020	Debt free in Q2 2021 ~US\$4.6mln debt remains, reduced by ~US\$8.6mln in Q1 2021	Yanfolia (1.9Moz) Kouroussa (1.2Moz) Kalana
Material exploration upside ~US\$10mln 2021 budget in Mali & planning in progress for Guinea	<b>Clear growth strategy</b> Targeting +200 koz from Mali & Guinea by 2023	Guinea Freedown Leone Morrovie Liberia Cote Divoire Cote Divoire
Kouroussa Gold Project, Guinea Second producing asset: Extensive pre- development plans underway then to development and production	Dugbe Gold Project, Liberia** Earn-in partner Pasofino Gold Ltd (TSX:VEIN) to deliver a DFS by the end of 2021 ***	Buchanan Greenvile Harper Atlantic Ocean Mali Guinea Guinea
<b>ESG policy</b> ESG policy & procedures central to the Company's strategy	Management expertise New COO in place to help drive operational improvements at Yanfolila & oversea the Kouroussa project delivery	Birimian Volcanics
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Note: \* Net-cash including the value of gold inventory as at 31.03.2021 \*\* Dugbe Gold Project, Liberia mineral resource estimates as of March 2014 \*\*\* Based on Pasofino Gold Ltd's current time line estimate expectations. See slide 11 for more details

### 2021 outlook: Key deliverable focus areas

#### 1. Deliver on 2021 forecasts:

- 100,000 110,000 oz of gold (2H weighted), @ AISC of US\$1,250 1,350/oz gold sold & drive Group profitability
- 2. Increase group life of mine ("LOM") potential:
  - Doubling exploration budget to \$10 mln to extend Group LOM potential
- 3. Yanfolila, Komana East Underground ("KEUG") development:
  - Finalise permitting, drilling and economic analysis to bring into future mine plans

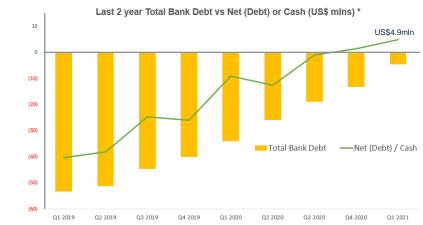
#### 4. Kouroussa, Guinea

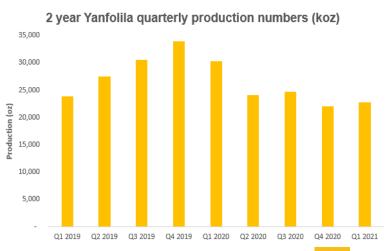
- Obtain mining licences, finalise pre-development plans, then a build decision
- Begin development and then targeting circa +200 koz group production by 2023
- 5. Dugbe, Liberia
  - Earn-in partner Pasofino Gold Ltd to complete a DFS by the end of 2021 \*\*

#### 6. ESG enhancement

 Continued enhancement of ESG initiatives and increasing the number of mines on the Single Mine Origin ('SMO') platform

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### Environmental, social & governance: 2021 plans

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### Environment

- **Diversity improvement:** Commitment to repair, improve & enhance the diversity environment on and around our mine sites
- World Gold Council Membership: Commitment to implementation & adhere to the Responsible Gold Mining Principles ('RGMPs')
- Hummingbird Tree Initiative: +8,000 trees per annum and a community lead nursery in operation
- Water: Rehabilitate market garden water infrastructure at local villages
- Tailings storage facilities ("TSF"): ~\$US2mln capex upgrade



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- Leave a positive legacy for our communities: Committed to building a lasting positive legacy for those living in the communities where we operate
- Community health: New local Dr at clinic
- **Market gardens**: Adding 2, total to 10, employing +700-900 locals
- Schools: 11 teacher salaries & school maintenance improvements
- **Poultry Farms**: Adding 2, total to 6, employing >40 locals
- Soap manufacturing: Training on manufacturing & business practices
- Honey initiative: Ongoing training on beehive manufacturing
- Malaria community spraying: Continue our annual community spraying campaign





### **People & Ethics**

- Operate responsibly and ethically: Committed to operating at the highest levels both responsibly and ethically
- World Gold Council RGMP adherence
- High local and region employment: >95% national and >25% local (inc. contractors)
- · Local and country supply chain focus

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The Company is a founding member of Single Mine Origin ('SMO') www.singlemineorigin.com. Aim to onboard more global mines onto the SMO platform in 2021



- Zero harm policy: Committed to operating to achieve Zero Harm with every employee, contractor and visitor returning home safely each day
- COVID 19 stringent work practices in place to minimise / eliminate virus spread
- Maintain industry leading Total Recordable Injury Frequency Rate ("TRIFR"). 0.42 in Q1 2021 vs. 0.82 in Q4 2020
- Monthly site safety champion awards
- CCI remote specialist health expertise on site <u>www.critcareint.com</u>



### Hummingbird Resources Plc: Mineral Resources Estimate Update at Yanfolila, Mali

#### 2020 Yanfolila Mineral Resources Table\*

As at 31		INDICATED			INFERRED			TOTAL RESOURCES		
December 2020	TONNES	GRADE	OUNCES	TONNES	GRADE	OUNCES	TONNES	GRADE	OUNCES	
Deposit	(kt)	g/t	(koz)	(kt)	g/t	(koz)	(kt)	g/t	(koz)	
Komana East	4,177	3.61	485	813	2.90	76	4,990	3.49	561	
Komana West	5,877	2.07	390	1,006	1.57	51	6,883	1.99	441	
Gonka	2,003	3.39	219	295	7.82	74	2,298	3.96	293	
Sanioumale East	1,669	2.64	142	754	2.58	62	2,423	2.62	204	
Sanioumale West	1,739	1.85	104	1,067	1.76	61	2,806	1.82	164	
Guirin West	1,160	1.98	74	-	-	-	1,160	1.98	74	
Kabaya South	1,370	1.42	62	650	1.10	23	2,020	1.31	85	
Kabaya South**				950	1.50	46	950	1.50	46	
Badogo- Malikila**				2,347	0.81	61	2,347	0.81	61	
Total Mineral Resources	17,995	2.55	1,475	7,882	1.79	454	25,877	2.32	1,929	

		Exploration	& Depletion			
March 2019 to December 2020 MRE Changes Table	March 2019 MRE	2020 Discovered Resources (12 months)	Mined Resources Depletion (21 months)	Non -Code / Geological Model Change	MRE Adjustments	December 2020 MRE
Onces (kozs)	2,003	+255	-258	-114	+43	1,929

#### Key highlights: \*

- 255,600 oz of gold were discovered during the 2020 exploration programme across three key deposits
- The 2020 exploration programme of \$5 mln achieved the following:
  - Added additional resources showing the ability to extend the mine life and test new greenfield targets
  - Improved confidence in the Company's mineral inventory by infill drilling within the pit shells
  - Reorganised the Company's MRE database to include increased JORC reporting
- The 2021 exploration budget doubled to \$10 mln and will focus on the three key deposits and greenfield targets
- The 2020 MRE will be used to update the Reserve Statement which is expected to be released later this year \*\*

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## 2021 exploration & drilling outlook: \$10mln budget (doubling 2020 budget)

#### MALI: Continue to extend current LOM potential

- Significant drilling results released 1 April showing LOM upside potential at Yanfolila (see Appendix for details)
  - SE: Key focus area for 2021
    - ~15,000m forecast drilling to extend current resource of ~204 koz
    - Targeting near surface extensions and new zones recently discovered

#### SW : Key focus area for 2021 with initial 2020 results very encouraging

- ~6,000m forecast drilling to extend current resource of ~164 koz
- Focus on northern extension drilling

#### KEUG : Development in 2021 then bring into future mine plans

- Finalise northern extension drilling, permitting, economic analysis and portal hole development
- Bring into the mine plan post completing the above

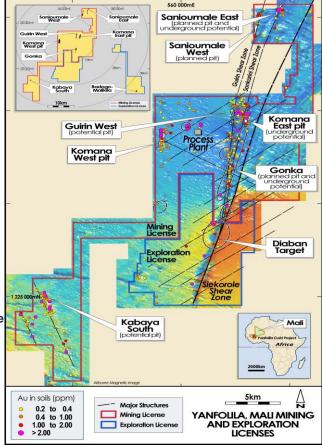
#### Greenfield : Diaban and other green field targets

Source of potential oxide resources

#### GUINEA: Develop exploration plans to improve and increase current ~1.18 Mozs @ +3 g/t resource base

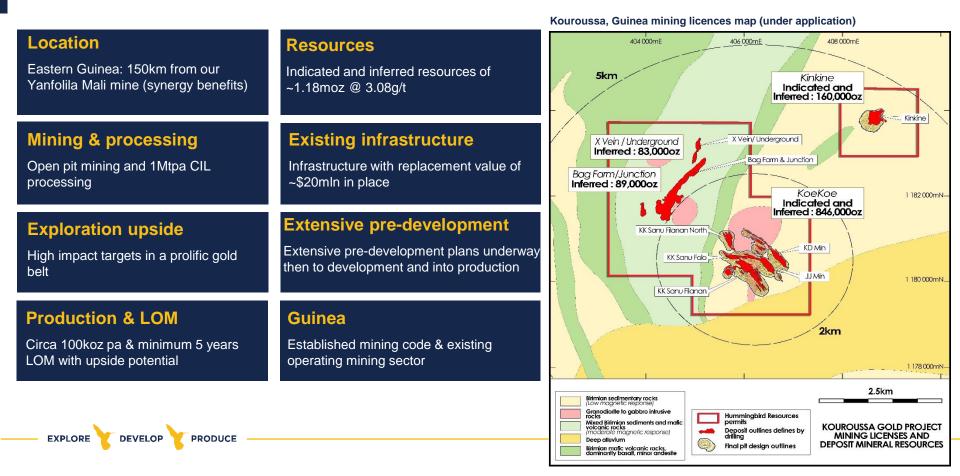
- 3 key initial target areas of the 9 potential currently identified including:
- KoeKoe: ~846 koz resources. Targeting extensions and new zones
- Kinkine: ~160 koz resources. Targeting extensions
- Bag Farm-Junction: ~89 koz resources. Near surface oxide and deeper targets
- X-Vein: ~83koz resources. Similar veins identified for follow-up





### The Kouroussa Gold Project, Guinea: Our next production asset

HIGH GRADE OPEN PITTABLE PROJECT IN GUINEA TO BECOME A C. 100,000 OZ PRODUCING PROJECT



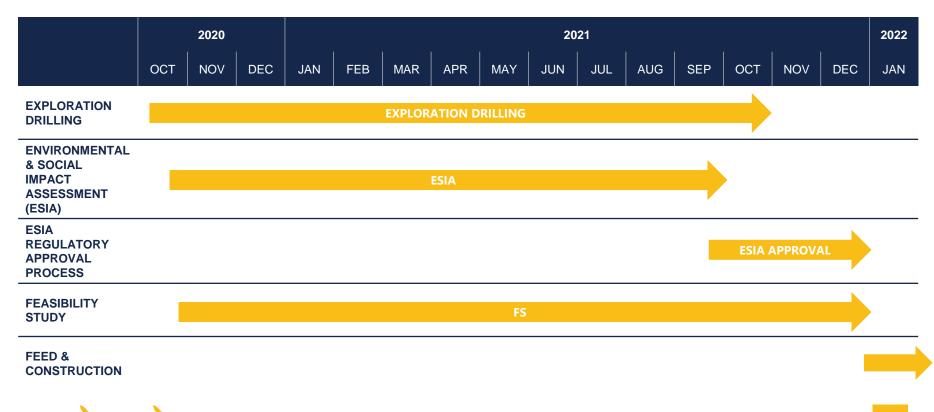
### Dugbe Gold Project, Liberia: Earn-in partner Pasofino Gold Ltd progressing towards a DFS

**OPTIONALITY & SCALE TO DRIVE HUMMIBGBIRD SHAREHOLDER VALUE RETURNS** 

HUM JV with Pasofino Gold Pasofino fund & deliver a DFS & exploration programme. On completion have the right to earn in a 49% stake	Experienced Pasofino team Highly experienced management & development team	KEY         Ducker herstert         ceology           coub sessories         - Ducker herstert         - Ducker herstert           coub sessories         - Ducker herstert         - Ducker herstert           sol cross         - Bucknitzert         - Bucknitzert           sol cross         - Bucknitzert         - Bucknitzert           wide rest         - Bucknitzert         - Buc
<b>Production forecast &amp; LOM</b> High annual production forecast of 200- 250 Koz & long LOM of 20 years	<b>Drill programme underway</b> Positive drill results received to date, aimed at expanding deposits and increasing the proportion of indicated MRE	V STRAN SEDMENTS NY JOE VILLAGE NY JOE VILLAGE ARGET ARGET ARGET COEENVILLE C
<b>Exploration upside</b> 2,559 km <sup>2</sup> under MDA for 25 years, with +100 exploration targets. 6 key targets being explored in 2021	<b>DFS expected end of 2021</b> Pasofino to complete a DFS by the end of 2021*	RENUMER VARIO CREAN
<b>Location advantage</b> 70 km by road from port with airstrip located outside the city	MDA passed Mineral Development Agreement passed into law in Q2 2019	0 5 10 20 30 LITW ZONE ZAN WCS 84 BASSFIND COLD

#### Dugbe, Liberia license area and exploration targets map

### Dugbe Gold Project, Liberia: Project development time line\*

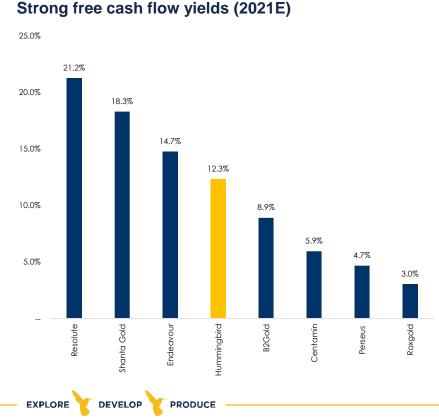


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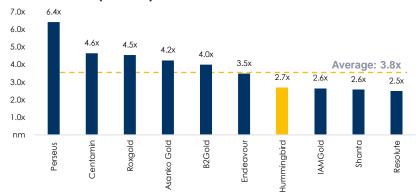
\*Note: Timetable as per Pasofino Gold Ltd who note: Completion of the activities on the timeline above are estimates made by Pasofino management based upon their current assumptions. This page contains "forward-looking information" and readers are referred to the "Disclosure" statement in this Presentation. Risks include, but are not limited to, receipt of necessary permits, successful results from earlier activities, the availability of the necessary financing, etc.

### Financial comparisons: Strong cashflow yield & relative valuations attractive

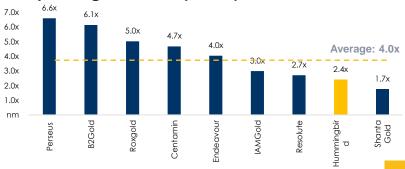
• Strong cash flow generation giving funding certainty for growth aspirations while trading at attractive relative valuations



#### EV/EBITDA (2021E)



### EV/Operating cash flow (2021E)



FCF Yield forecasts: Free cash flow yields calculated using broker consensus free cash flow expectations for 2021 and market capitalisation as at 20/04/2021 Free cash flow defined as: Cash from operating activities for the time period minus capital expenditures for the same period

### The team implementing the vision: Experienced Board & senior management

### Hummingbird Board



#### **Russell Kina** Non-Executive Chairman

 Former Chief Strategy Officer at Anglo American & member of the Executive Committee for 8 years & former Senior Non-Exec of Aggreko Plc Former Senior Advisor to RBC on Metals & Minina



### Attie Roux

- · 42 years' operational, technical and
- executive experience Former COO of Endeavour Mining
- Chairman of the TAC

Ernie Nutter

Group

Securities

BSc Geology

**Non-Executive Director** 

Mining analyst formerly with Capital

Former Director and Managing

**Stephen Betts** 

developing countries

of companies

Director of RBC Capital Markets

Former Chairman of RBC Dominion

**Non-Executive Director** 

Over 40 years' experience in trading

with gold and related businesses in

Chairman of the Stephen Betts group

Established several businesses in

West Africa during his career





- BSc from University of Quebec
- · Well-versed in operating in West Africa

### **VP** Finance

- 10 years' accountancy experience. covering a range of sectors, including natural resource & engineering
- Qualified as a chartered accountant with **BDOLLP**

### Senior VP Operations





#### Edrich Welthagen General Manager - Mali

- 15 vears' experience in open cast & underground mining in numerous commodities in various countries around Africa
- B(Eng) Mining Engineer (University of Pretoria - South Africa

### Senior management team

#### Edward Montgomerv Chief Strategy & ESG Officer

- · 20 vears' experience in global financial markets
- Accounting & global equity market experience with : PwC, Goldman Sachs, Ospraie Asset Management, Credit Suisse & Canaccord Genuity

#### Saidou Idé Senior Executive Stakeholder Relations

- · 20 years' of industry experience Former admin & finance positions at Avocet.
  - Resolute & Glencore

### Tim Huskinson

## John Meneahini







#### **Anthony Kocken Chief Operating Officer**



 COO African Mining Services, GM Bisha Share Mining Company, Operations director Mineração do Brasil, Xstrata Zinc

#### Luke Main **Corporate People &**

- Performance office 20 years industry and consulting experience, across global Aviation, Hospitality, Retail and Mining sectors
- · Formerly with InterContinental Hotels Group, Olivery Wyman and Accenture

#### **Murray Paterson VP** Geology

- 25 years' industry experience
- Mine, Mineral resource and Exploration aeoloaist
- Worked in East. West and Southern Africa. South America, Australia and Europe

#### Wayne Galea VP FPCM

- 31 years' experience in the mining industry, specialising in gold
- Process engineer background for AMEC, Bateman & Signet
- Experience working for gold mining companies such as KBK Gold

#### Ava Garibou Safety Manager - Mali

- +25vrs vears' mining experience in operational and health and safety roles
- Multiple years experience with AngloGold Ashanti before joining Hummingbird in 2019



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### Tom Hill

Dan Betts

Founded Hummingbird in 2005

a listed company with 6Moz+ gold

- **Finance Director**
- · 17 years' experience in the resource sector Metallurgy, Economics & Management Oxford university graduate

Developed the business from a private explorer to

18 years' previous experience in metals industry

Former Management Consultant at Accenture in

 Former Senior Manager within BDO LLP's natural resources department

#### **David Straker-Smith Non-Executive Chairman**

- Director of London-based investment research and advisory firm, CrossBorder Capital Ltd Director of New Vision Management Ltd and
  - Former positions at ING Barings Securities Ltd

### Nomad Energy UK Ltd

and Gerrard & National Holdings Plc

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### Capital structure: Supportive & diverse shareholder base

AT A GLANCE: AIM:HUM	
Market Cap (at 19.04.2021)	~US\$105 mln
Net cash inc. gold inventory value (at 31.03.21)	~US\$4.9 mln (unaudited )
Debt paid during Q1 2021	~US\$8.6 mln
Debt total at end Q1 2021	~US\$4.6 mln
Ordinary shares in issue	357,428,368
Official broker coverage with forecasts	Canaccord Genuity and Berenberg

### Significant Shareholders (>3%) \*

Ruffer	8.97%
Jupiter Asset Management	4.02%
Sustainable Capital Africa	3.98%
M&G Investments	3.78%



## **SUMMARY**

Strong shareholder value creation from:

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- Yanfolila, Mali high future cash flows
- Kouroussa, Guinea to double group production in the coming years
- Dugbe, Liberia valuation upside
- Strengthening balance sheet with rapid deleveraging occurring
- Exploration and drilling initiatives showing:
  - LOM extension potential at Yanfolila, Mali
  - Material upside potential at Kourousa, Guinea
  - Pasofino Gold Ltd's extensive exploration programme underway at Dugbe, Liberia
- Significant gold inventory in West Africa
- Backed by strong institutional shareholders
- Team in place to deliver on Company key initiatives









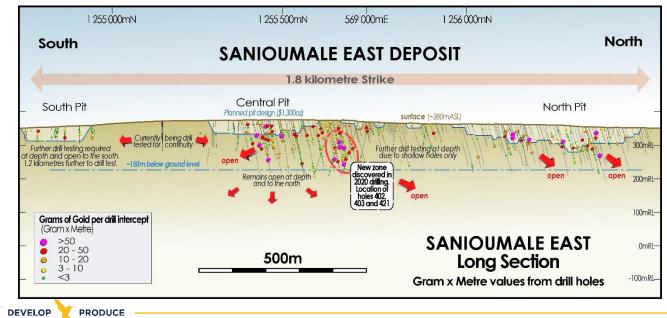
### SE & KEUG recent drilling results: Showing potential for resources growth

'Significant drilling results at Yanfolila': 1 April release shows continued resource upside potential at both SE and KEUG deposits

#### SE highlights:

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- Drilling results continue to show mineralisation being found and remains open
- Upside potential to current ~204 koz resources profile: ~1.5 kms having been tested along the highly prospective 3 km Sankarani Shear gold zone anomaly
- 15,000m drill programme for 2021
- Hole SNERC0421 (38 m at 5.39 g/t gold from 58 m depth) was drilled to confirm the widths and grade of the original discovery hole of the 'New Zone' by hole SNERC0402 (42 m at 4.07g/t gold from 80 m)



### SE & KEUG drilling results: Showing potential for resources growth (cont'd)

#### **KEUG highlights:**

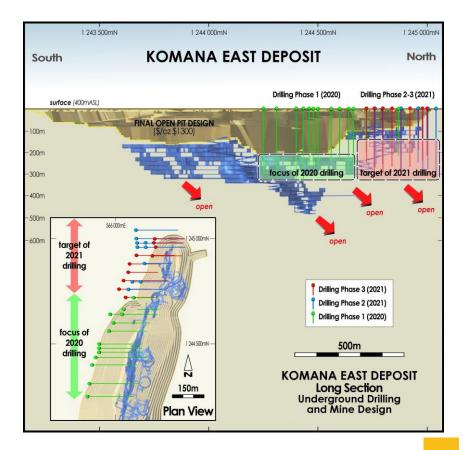
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- Drilling results continue to confirm mineralisation at depth
- 2021 drilling programme is focussing on expanding and drill testing for further mineralisation in the north of the deposit

#### Key next steps for KEUG include:

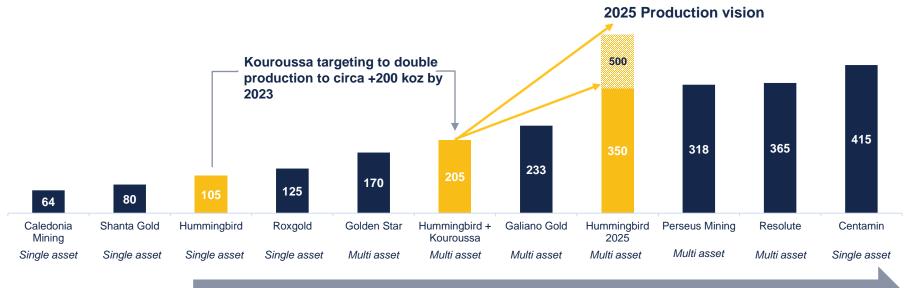
- Finalising the surface drilling programme
- Gaining permitting approval for the KEUG mine
- Finalising portal location and underground mine design
- Finalising economic studies in order to bring the underground mine into future mine plans



### Hummingbird 2025 Vision: +350-500koz gold production company comparison

Hummingbird's 2025 vison is to be producing +350-500koz of gold. Peer comparison company 2021 mid-range production guidance chart \*

Note: Hummingbird's 2025 production vision does not include company comparison future growth expectations



Transitioning from a single asset to multi asset and jurisdiction gold producer

Source: Company Reports; midpoint production guidance for 2021. We note these forecast from comparable companies could change, are a guide only and do not include their future growth expectations

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