



# Deposit Outline

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## 1997 ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAM

- Comprehensive and advanced field investigations relating to open pit configurations, waste rock storage sites and tailings storage sites.
- The federal and provincial government agencies commenced a joint review of the project under the Canada – British Columbia Cooperation Agreement on Environmental Assessment (CEAA, BCEAA)

**1996/97 DIAMOND DRILL PROGRAM - DRILLING COMPLETED**

| <b>TYPE OF DRILLING</b>       | <b>NUMBER OF HOLES</b> | <b>TOTAL METRES</b> |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| Geotechnical Drilling         | 20                     | 10,994.05           |
| Acid Base Accounting Drilling | 13                     | 3,176.17            |
| Infill Drilling*              | 74                     | 42,705.22           |
| <b>DRILL HOLES COMPLETED</b>  | <b>107</b>             | <b>49,464.77</b>    |

\* Includes 5,594.30m in 7 infill oriented holes

**TASEKO MINES - 1991 through 1997**

| <b>TYPE OF DRILLING</b>       | <b>NUMBER OF HOLES</b> | <b>TOTAL METRES</b> |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| Geotechnical Drilling         | 54                     | 10,994.05           |
| Acid Base Accounting Drilling | 19                     | 4,875.72            |
| Infill Drilling*              | 198                    | 111,457.61          |
| <b>DRILL HOLES COMPLETED</b>  | <b>271</b>             | <b>127,327.38</b>   |

\* Includes 7,871.76m in 13 infill oriented holes

**DRILLING SUMMARY**

|  | <b>NUMBER OF HOLES</b> | <b>TOTAL METRES</b> |
|--|------------------------|---------------------|
| All Companies - Pre 1991                           | 176                    | 27,005.95           |
| Taseko Mines – 1991 through 1996                   | 233                    | 106,285.06          |
| <b>TOTAL DRILLING COMPLETED TO THE END OF 1996</b> | <b>409</b>             | <b>133,291.01</b>   |
| Taseko Mines – 1997                                | 38                     | 21,042.32           |
| <b>TOTAL DRILLING COMPLETED TO DATE</b>            | <b>447</b>             | <b>154,333.33</b>   |