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You will hear from Our Chief Executive, Jakob Stausholm, Chief Financial Officer, Peter Cunningham and Bold Bataar, Chief Executive Copper which will be followed by a Q&A session.

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I would like to draw your attention to the cautionary statement, which contains important information on the basis on which this presentation has been prepared. Now, let me hand over to Jakob



Thank you Menno.

Good morning and good evening.

I'm pleased to be here with you in London and thank you to those joining virtually. Peter is with me, and I am very excited that we have Bold joining us from 1.3 kilometres underground from the Oyu Tolgoi mine in the Gobi desert of Mongolia.

Before I start, I would like to acknowledge and pay my respects to all Traditional Owners and First Nations people that host our operations around the world.

	Strong finar	ncials	
Rio	\$bn, except where stated	2020 – 2022	2022
	Underlying earnings	47.1	13.3
	Underlying ROCE	32% ¹	25%
	Capital expenditure	20.3	6.8
	Free cash flow	36.1	9.0
Biolino	Dividends paid	33.2	11.7
	Taxes & government royalties ²	29.2	8.4
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For me, 2022 was about building an even stronger Rio Tinto, by investing in the health of our business and shaping our portfolio for the future, while also delivering during the year.

We achieved strong financial results with underlying earnings of \$13.3 billion, free cash flow of \$9.0 billion and a return on capital employed of 25%.

We will return \$8 billion to our shareholders, in line with our policy and representing the secondlargest ordinary dividend in our 150-year history.

These results continue our track record of delivering consistently strong performance in an everchanging world.

Since 2020 we have achieved \$47 billion in earnings, paying \$29 billion in taxes and royalties, investing \$20 billion in the business, and returning \$33 billion to our shareholders.

Our consistently strong financial results highlight the underlying strength of the business, our world-class assets and, most of all, our great people in meeting various challenges.

Building an even stronger Rio Tinto

Investing in the health of existing business

All-injury frequency rate

Asset health

0.40 Safety remains our <u>Safe</u> Production System,

our greater stability, stronger maintenance practices

Building a thriving culture

Creating a safe, respectful and inclusive workplace Empowering workforce, becoming less risk averse

Strengthening our social licence

Western Range – first codesigned mine. New agreements in place to deliver better outcomes for Indigenous peoples

Shaping our portfolio for the future

Oyu Tolgoi

top priority

TRQ acquisition; 27 drawbells achieved, sustainable production in Q1 Rincon Progressing small-starter battery-grade lithium carbonate plant and early works

Simandou

Non-binding term sheet signed to progress co-development of infrastructure; high-quality iron ore essential for green steel

Portfolio alignment

Rhodes Ridge - underpinning the Pilbara's competitive position for decades to come Cortez royalty and Roughrider divestments

Second highest ordinary dividend ever and strengthening future dividend potential

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As we look to build an even stronger future, it's clearly about more than today's financials.

It's about meeting our objectives and progressing our strategy to set the business up for long-term success. It's also about having the right values – of care, courage, and curiosity. And, transforming our culture.

2022 was another fatality-free year, building on the prior three years.

Much of the success is the result of work implemented through our Safety Maturity Model, which provides a roadmap for our leaders.

I recently visited many sites and what I am seeing gives me confidence that we are on the right track to restoring our DNA of being the best operator. The momentum from the rollout of our Safe Production System is clear.

The teams are working together, are having open and transparent conversations, and are finding better ways to address irritants and improve efficiency. This is translating into operational performance, higher levels of employee engagement and improved safety performance.

We have been working hard to implement meaningful change in the way we partner with communities.

A real highlight was the agreement with the Puuti Kunti Kurrama and Pinikura people to create the Juukan Gorge Legacy Foundation as part of the remedy for the destruction of the rock shelters in May 2020.

This is a significant step forward, but we know it will be a long journey to rebuild trust.

In addition, we have signed new agreements with the Yindjibarndi and Yinhawangka peoples in Australia, and the Pekuakamiulnuatsh First Nation in Canada.

An investment of \$3.9 billion in sustaining capex and a more active approach to maintenance, meant our existing assets were in better health at the end of the year than they were at the beginning.

In short, the health of our assets, our culture and our social licence improved in 2022.

Our acquisitions of TRQ and Rincon will add tonnes in materials essential to the energy transition and strengthen our ability to deliver strong returns for the long term.

In addition, we realised value through divesting the Cortez gold royalty.

I am proud that we re-set our relationship with Mongolia. Coupled with the acquisition of TRQ, we are able to work much closer together to ensure all stakeholders benefit from Oyu Tolgoi.

At Simandou, we incorporated the infrastructure joint venture with our various partners and the Government of Guinea.

This was an important milestone and we are now working on finalising the shareholder agreement, cost estimates and regulatory authority approvals necessary to progress the co-development of rail and port facilities.

So, we made real progress in 2022 reshaping our portfolio and thereby strengthening Rio for the longer term.

As we strive to become a more outward looking company, we are engaging broadly.

I have met with customers, suppliers, governments, communities and other stakeholders in Canada, Japan, the US to name a few and I will be visiting China in the coming weeks.

In particular, from the conversations I am having with governments and customers, they are increasingly aware of the importance of mining to achieving the energy transition and strengthening supply chain security.

It is now clearer than ever that putting climate at the heart of our strategy is the right thing to do, and the right business decision.

While it is early days in a long journey, with the progress to date, I am confident that we have the pathways to achieve our 2030 and 2050 targets.

In 2023 we will continue to invest in moving from ambition to solutions.

It's a complex challenge, but there is real energy from our people and the many partners we are working with to decarbonise and deliver more of the materials needed for the transition.

Let me now hand over to Peter to take you through the financials in detail.



Thank you, Jakob.

Good morning and good evening everyone.

Let's take a look at the numbers in more detail.

Solid results against all-time highs in 2021

\$bn, except where stated	2022	2021	2020	vs 2021	vs 2020
Consolidated sales revenue	55.6	63.5	44.6	-13%	+25%
Underlying EBITDA	26.3	37.7	23.9	-30%	+10%
Underlying earnings	13.3	21.4	12.4	-38%	+7%
Net earnings	12.4	21.1	9.8	-41%	+27%
Underlying ROCE	25%	44%	27%		
Cash flow from operations	16.1	25.3	15.9	-36%	+2%
Capital expenditure	6.8	7.4	6.2	-9%	+9%
Free cash flow	9.0	17.7	9.4	-49%	-4%
Total dividend	8.0	16.8	9.0	-52%	-11%
Total dividend per share (\$)	4.92	10.40	5.57	-53%	-12%
Net (debt)/cash	(4.2)	1.6	(0.7)		



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Once again, we've announced a solid set of results.

And of course, this is set against a context of record prices and financials in 2021.

The business remained resilient, and we entered 2023 with good operational momentum, especially in Pilbara iron ore, which I will come back to later.

However, lower prices and accelerating cost inflation throughout the year led to margin compression,

with underlying EBITDA down 30% to \$26 billion.

Cash flow from operations of \$16 billion included some items of a non-recurring nature which were not representative of the underlying strength of the performance of the business.

In aggregate, the ATO settlement in respect of 12 historical years, the final payment on Australian taxes for 2021 profits and hedging losses on US\$ dividend payments reduced operating cash flow by just under \$2 billion.

Free cash flow of \$9.0 billion was after \$6.8 billion of capital expenditure and a modest working capital outflow, reflecting elevated prices for raw materials in aluminium inventory.

Following \$11.7 billion of dividends paid and \$3.8 billion of acquisitions, we ended the year with net debt of \$4.2 billion.

With a 25% return on capital and underlying earnings of \$13.3 billion, we have declared an \$8 billion full year ordinary dividend, a 60% payout.

Now let's look at some of the key drivers.





2022 was a volatile year for commodity prices, with declines in the first half, albeit from record highs, accelerating in the second.

Realised iron ore prices dropped 22%, copper 19% and for aluminium, it really was a year of two halves, with the significant pricing momentum we enjoyed in the first half tailing off sharply in the second, down 25%.

Following three years of growth to an all-time high in 2021, global iron ore demand contracted.

In China, the property market worsened, while COVID restrictions impacted steel demand, exerting downward pressure on prices.

This is clearly reflected in the graph on the left but I would just highlight that our average realised pricing relative to Platts markedly improved in the second half.

In Aluminium, expectations of a stronger demand outlook and Russian supply cuts did not eventuate,

leading to prices falling to a low point in the second half as fears of a global economic slowdown set in. This was compounded by higher coal prices and costs for key materials such as petroleum coke and coal tar pitch.

Copper prices also trended down, as a wave of uncertainty surrounded the global economy and China's zero-COVID policy weighed on demand prospects.

Let's now take a closer look at some of the year-on-year movements.



Overall, I should stress that it was a solid result, with \$26.3 billion of EBITDA still at very attractive levels, 10% above 2020.

As ever, commodity prices were the biggest driver of the 2021 variance, lowering EBITDA by \$8.1 billion in aggregate.

Iron ore was \$9.2 billion negative, following the record prices of 2021.

This was partly offset by Aluminium and a recovery from Minerals, in particular titanium dioxide feedstocks and borates.

Let me make a few points on inflation.

I would like to highlight this is an industry-wide phenomenon and therefore supportive of higher prices, as cost curves shift upwards.

The impact of general price inflation, - is reflected on the left of this chart.

This, together with rising energy costs, mostly diesel but also higher market-linked prices for raw materials especially in Aluminium, lowered EBITDA by \$3.5 billion.

If we look at the right of the chart, you can see that the other factors were reasonably well contained – despite the tightness in some of our key labour markets, which raised costs above the general level of inflation.

This demonstrates the resilience of our operations and focus on controllables.

Higher volumes and changes in product mix increased EBITDA by \$600 million. This was mostly attributable to increased iron ore sales from China portside along with some favourable value-

added product premiums for Aluminium.

We are proactively incurring new costs as we build up teams to successfully deliver on our strategy, to protect heritage, drive value-accretive growth and de-risk the business as we decarbonise in the years to come.

These include increased resourcing in the Pilbara to support the ramp-up of Gudai-Darri and additional resources in pit health and system reliability.

And higher evaluation costs at Simandou and Rincon as activities accelerate.

We also incurred additional costs at Kitimat and Boyne as we recovered from disruptions.

So overall, I am reasonably comfortable with our cost performance, but I would just point out that higher costs are not going away overnight.

As supply contracts are renewed and collective bargaining agreements come up for negotiation, we will see some inflation continuing to flow through to the cost base in 2023.

Resilient product group financials: well positioned for 2023

\$bn, except where stated	Iron Ore	vs 2021	Aluminium Margin compression in the second half	vs 2021	Copper Investing in growth	vs 2021	Minerals Resilient portfolio	vs 202 ⁻
Underlying EBITDA ³	18.6	-33%	3.7	-16%	2.4	-40%	2.4	-7%
EBITDA margin ^{1,2}	68%	-8pp	29%	-9pp	49%	-10pp	40%	-3pp
Capex	2.9	-26%	1.4	+6%	1.6	+22%	0.7	+5%
Free cash flow	11.0	-27%	1.7	-27%	(0.3)	-120%	0.8	+7%
ROCE ^{2,3}	62%	-38pp	10%	-6pp	6%	-8pp	22%	+1pp
Performance	 Operational records achieved; healthy stock levels Lower pricing (Platts -25%) driving lower EBITDA Continued focus on controllable costs in inflationary environment 		 Kitimat and Boyne recovery progressing with full ramp-up in 2023 Sharp price decrease in the second half (-25%), combined with rising input costs led to a significant margin squeeze and 72% reduction in EBITDA HoH 		 Anticipated decrease in gold sales at Oyu Tolgoi and raw materials inflation impacted EBITDA Average realised price decreased 5% in conjunction with negative provisional pricing (-\$175m) 		 Safe Production System delivering operational improvements at IOC Strong markets for TiO₂ and borates Lower EBITDA due to weaker pricing for iron ore, inflationary pressures and higher cash costs 	

Turning to Product Group performance.

We have entered 2023 in good shape with our iron ore business having turned a corner operationally.

Clearly the financials were not as strong as 2021 when we enjoyed unsustainably high prices.

But we did set a number of second half records in our Pilbara system and year end inventories were healthy.

Aluminium was more challenged, both operationally and in terms of markets which led to the significant squeeze I mentioned earlier with EBITDA margins compressed from 41% in the first half to just 15% in the second when we felt the full impact of the cyclical downturn. However, markets have since recovered somewhat and the longer-term outlook for the industry remains positive. With its superior hydro power position, our business has clear competitive advantages and is very well placed for the next cycle.

We also have some production uplift ahead with output from Boyne and Kitimat recovering and full ramp-up expected later this year.

The delta in Copper was mainly market related although lower gold volumes, as planned, were also a driver, pushing up net unit costs.

The success of the TRQ acquisition will see our copper production rise to between 650 and 710 thousand tonnes this year on a consolidated basis, increasing to around 1 million tonnes once

Oyu Tolgoi reaches full capacity.

And lastly Minerals, where Iron & Titanium and Borates posted strong recoveries, somewhat masked by lower prices at the Iron Ore Company of Canada.



Looking ahead - physical markets remain tight

Looking ahead, there is much uncertainty, with high inflation and tight monetary policy carried into 2023 and the global economy expected to slow down further.

Nevertheless, there are some green shoots.

Commodity prices have found some support in recent months with global base metal inventories at low levels and Chinese policy pivoting to pro-growth.

This could provide some support, especially in infrastructure and real estate.

Cost pressures should ease over time, with lower energy prices flowing through.

However, we should expect further volatility, with constraints for skilled labour and increases still to come in contracted costs, which are often lagged to an index.



Returning to our Pilbara business. We finished 2022 with strong momentum with our best fourth quarter production ever and healthy inventories across the system.

This has not always been the case.

The rate of cost inflation in the Pilbara is moderating, with 2023 unit cost guidance of 21 to \$22.5 per tonne a modest increase on last year.

It reflects our continued focus on asset integrity and disciplined management of controllables,

with some volume benefits.

We continue to prioritise management of heritage sites as we engage and work with Traditional Owners. Western Range is a great case in point – our first

co-designed mine.

This will lead to better heritage and environmental outcomes and greater certainty for mine development.

We remain focused on ramping up Gudai-Darri and expect it to reach nameplate capacity on a sustained basis later this year.

The systematic approach of our Safe Production System - or SPS - is yielding results, with full

deployments last year at Tom Price and Brockman 4. We are targeting a 5 million tonne production uplift across the system this year, as mentioned at our Investor Seminar last November.

Safe Production System underpins improvements across safety, people and productivity

	Kennecott concentrator	IOC concentrator	Amrun fixed plant
Safety Practices and training have improved safety* performance *AIFR measured at the asset	AIFR 33% improvement compared to 2021	AIFR 40% improvement compared to 2021	AIFR 29% improvement compared to 2021
People Our measure of engagement over bi-annual surveys show significant improvements in empowerment across lighthouse sites	Employee Satisfaction 6% improvement compared to the rest of the site. Strongest in empowerment and inclusion	Employee Satisfaction 5% improvement compared to the rest of the site across collaboration, empowerment and resources	Employee Engagement 64% improvement compared to the rest of the site in employee participation in the people survey
Productivity SPS supports operating time by addressing asset stability and availability	Operating Rate (quarterly – higher = improvement) Deployment Start 4% ¹ 2023	(quarterly – lower = improvement) Deployment Start 2021	Operating Time (quarterly – higher = improvement) Deployment Start 2022 2023
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Following the success of SPS in the Pilbara, our productivity drive is gathering momentum globally.

We met our 2022 target with 30 deployments across 16 sites, and we are already seeing improved performance at many locations.

Each deployment addresses a different bottleneck. For example, at IOC and Kennecott we focused on the concentrators and at Amrun on the fixed plant.

Roll-outs are ongoing, to continuously improve safety, strengthen employee engagement and sustainably lift operational performance.

Replicating the successes across our assets

Product Group	Actual sites	2023 target	Total sites ¹
Iron Ore	7	2 to 6	9 to 13
Aluminium	7	1	8
Copper	1	0	1
Minerals	1	1	2
Total	16	4 to 8	20 to 24
Priorities in 2023:			
 Going deeper at existing sites where we have already deployed to increase 	 Identify key Ka opportunities) 	(1	0

- Going deeper at existing sites where we have already deployed to increase sustainable impact
- New impact driven deployments
 Focus on improving asset health and performance to stabilise production

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variability

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- Identify key Kaizens (problem solving opportunities) to address high-priority improvements, with replication across Rio Tinto
- Upskill our people through training programmes

143 eligible sites across Rio Tinto



And we will build on that in 2023, rolling out to new sites and going deeper at existing ones, replicating the learnings from last year.

The focus will be very much on improving asset health and performance in order to stabilise the variability we currently experience around production levels.

We will also seek to identify key Kaizens for high-priority improvements, replicate these across the organisation and upskill our people through training initiatives.



Moving onto Capital allocation.

We will continue to invest throughout the cycle, balancing near-term returns to shareholders with reinvestment for growth and de-risking future cash flows. Essential capital remains our priority for capital allocation.

It includes sustaining capital to ensure the integrity of our assets, high-returning replacement projects and decarbonisation investment.

This is followed by ordinary dividends within our well-established returns policy.

We then test investment in compelling growth against debt management and additional cash returns to shareholders.

In 2022, investment in essential capital dipped slightly to \$6.2 billion and we finished the year with total capex of \$6.8 billion.

We successfully completed all sustaining and critical path replacement projects with the lower spend driven by a weaker Australian dollar, timing of growth capex and phasing on decarbonisation.

Now, it's worth looking at our third priority for capital allocation in more depth.

Over the past few years, we have supplemented the ordinary dividend with specials, given our strong earnings and cash flows.

We are now seeing a modest shift towards compelling growth as we unlock opportunities, with \$5.3 billion allocated in 2022, including our first forays into M&A for over a decade.



The largest components of our investment in growth were the \$825 million acquisition of Rincon and the \$3 billion purchase of non-controlling interests in TRQ, doubling our holding in Oyu Tolgoi to 66%.

This is of course our largest growth project, where we invested a further \$500 million in 2022, with first sustainable production now expected in the first quarter.

Bold will be updating us shortly, direct from Mongolia.

Our exploration and evaluation spend also gathered momentum at \$900 million, with greenfield programmes mainly focused on copper, and evaluation prioritised on projects where we expect near-term investment decisions.

We've included our usual capex slide as an appendix. We now expect our share of capital to be around \$8 billion in 2023, including \$2 billion for growth.

Importantly, we are absorbing inflationary pressures within our total guidance. For each of '24 and '25 we expect this to rise to between \$9 and \$10 billion, including \$3 billion of growth each year.

As we said at our Seminar, Simandou comprises around 45% of the forward-looking growth capex over the next 3 years.

But, as I have mentioned before, investment in growth is highly dependent on the timing of commitments.

If we cannot develop value-accretive options, we will follow our capital allocation framework. Simandou is a clear example: it is included in our capital guidance but we first need to reach agreement with our JV partners, the Government of Guinea and WCS on the infrastructure pathway.

Let's now take a look at the balance sheet.

Disciplined approach is unchanged, we intend to maintain	\$bn	2022	2021	2020
t throughout the cycle	Net cash generated from operating	40.4	05.0	45.0
Balance sheet strength is an asset. Offers resilience and creates optionality	activities	16.1	25.3	15.9
· · · · ·	Capital expenditure	6.8	7.4	6.2
Principles-based approach to anchor balance sheet around a single A credit rating	Dividends paid	11.7	15.4	6.1
Moody's: A2 (stable), S&P: A (stable)	Net (debt)/cash	(4.2)	1.6	(0.7)
No net debt target		. ,		
Our financial strength allows up to simultaneously	Cash and liquid resources	8.8	15.2	12.9
Our financial strength allows us to simultaneously: Reinvest for growth (up to \$9-10bn per year in total capex depending on opportunities)	Revolving credit facility (5 year maturity)	7.5	7.5	7.5
Accelerate our own decarbonisation (\$7.5bn to 2030, ong term contracts + other indirect investment)	Net debt (cash)/Underlying EBITDA	0.16x	-0.04x	0.03x
Continue to pay attractive dividends in line with our policy	Gearing	7%	-3%	1%
(consistent seven-year track record)	Weighted average debt maturity	11 yrs	11 yrs	9 yrs

We maintained our financial strength, ending the year with net debt of \$4.2 billion, compared with net cash of \$1.6 billion at the end of 2021. The movement reflected, in part, our acquisitions of TRQ and Rincon.

This balance sheet strength enables us to run our business consistently and maintain investment, regardless of where we are in the cycle. We do not have a net debt target but have a principles-based approach to anchor the balance sheet around a single A credit rating.



Attractive dividends remain paramount

Finally, the dividend.

We have declared a 60% payout for the full year - this equates to \$8 billion and is our second highest ordinary dividend ever.

Going forward, we will continue to review whether additional returns are appropriate in line with our policy of supplementing the ordinary dividend in periods of strong earnings and cash generation.

We have remained very consistent with our shareholder returns policy, which has now been in place for 7 years.

The dividend remains a core part of our equity story, which we see as paramount for maintaining discipline.

Our financial strength means that we can accelerate our decarbonisation, reinvest for growth, and continue to pay attractive dividends through the cycle.

With that, let me hand over to Bold.



Thanks Peter.

I am currently in Mongolia with our team celebrating Tsagaan Sar --- Mongolian Lunar New Year

During this holiday, we (Mongolians) celebrate -- by visiting and paying respect to our elders --- sharing our achievements of the past year with pride --- and talking about our plans and dreams for the future.

Today I am talking to you live, 1300 metres below the surface next to draw bell 18, of this world class underground development.

I am thrilled by the immense progress we have made in developing this true technological marvel - that will generate value for our investors and stakeholders for generations to come.



2022 was a significant year for Oyu Tolgoi.

In January last year, we achieved a mutual understanding and agreement with the Government of Mongolia -- on a number of issues that have caused friction for many years.

As a result, Jakob and Prime Minister Oyun-Erdene stood side by side -- and together initiated the start of our underground caving operations.

In June 2022, we completed construction of the first draw bell, and since then, we have completed 27 --bringing forward first Sustainable Production to the first quarter of this year.

This means, that the underground mine will start producing ore and generating revenues.

It will take time, for the underground mine to reach its full potential --- but it is a huge milestone for investors, employees, our partners, and my home country.

This is truly a national achievement for Mongolia.

In December 2022, we completed the acquisition of Turquoise Hill Resources, which doubles our attributable volumes of copper and gold from OT going forward --- but just as importantly ---it gives us a direct shareholding in the business, to work more closely with our partner Erdenes Oyu Tolgoi.

We are now entering a critical period of observation over the next 12 months to learn how the cave behaves

Block cave mining is complex.

Our success rests on cutting edge cave monitoring, data collection and systems, together with

disciplined execution that benefits from 25 years of block caving experience in Rio Tinto.

Block caving always has risk in terms of footprint stability and how the cave propagates ---whether it goes too fast or too slow, or stalls.

But our platforms give us an integrated view of the cave, offering early insights into potential problems, and allow us to respond more quickly.

All early indicators concerning cave propagation and seismicity, suggest that we are tracking well on cave development.

Other panels of the underground mine are progressing, despite challenges.

We were severely impacted by COVID-19 restrictions on the movement of people and global logistical challenges.

We had to wait 9 months to mobilize our shaft sinking experts from South Africa during 2021 and 2022 --- and at times we had to reduce our site population by more than 50%, where the average miner spent over three months out of the year in quarantine.

Nevertheless, we responded with resilience and continued our progress.

The remaining panels of the underground mine, Panels 1 and 2 are continuing with their design optimization and development based on data and learnings gathered from Panel 0.

Shaft number 4 passed 500 metres in depth and Shaft number 3 400 metres, on their way to approximately 1,100 metres to support future production volumes.

And the conveyor to surface is now around 30% complete.

Committed to long-term partnership in Mongolia



January 2022 agreement delivered opportunity to reset relationship and commitment to continued dialogue and partnership

Mongolia remains **highly prospective for resources**, with a young talented population

Workforce of ~20,000 with 97% Mongolian and average age 28

500+ national suppliers and ~\$15bn spent in-country since 2010 Made in Mongolia campaign of local suppliers and continued growth in Rio Tinto Mongolia Business and Support Centre delivering innovative group-wide shared services

Investment in long term Mongolian development – \$50m in South Gobi Town Development -Khanbogd Oyu Tolgoi Catalyst Fund starts major projects in local community

Pro-FDI country focused on longterm development principles, including New Economic Revival Policy

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We are committed investors in Mongolia

Our acquisition of Turquoise Hill and ongoing investment in OT demonstrates our commitment and belief in Mongolia as an investment destination.

We are continuing to work with the Government, and there is a commitment from both sides to work through any past, current or future issues with patience and respect. I am really encouraged by the progress and open dialogue.

Mongolia has a lot to offer as an investment destination

We look forward to welcoming investors during the year to visit the underground and to celebrate our achievement of Commencement of Underground Production.

Our talented workforce is 97% Mongolian and we have over 850 local suppliers, of which 100 are from Gobi. In the coming years, you will see a significant wave of Mongolians taking their place as part of the global mining expert community.

We now have almost 100 Mongolian employees working across our Product Groups in other jurisdictions, from the US to Madagascar, and Australia.

It has been a seminal year for our history in Mongolia, but 2023 will be an even bigger one

Ten years after the open pit first exported product to customers, we are perfectly positioned to begin to realise the true value of OT through an aligned partnership with our government partners

I could not be prouder.



Delivering the TRQ acquisition and the Underground Mine is part of our strategy to grow in Copper.

We have an ambition to double annual Copper output by the end of the decade.

We have an interest in 2 of top 5 copper assets globally by 2035 according to WoodMac.

With the energy transition in the US and the US being short on copper cathode, we are well placed to providing domestic supply.

Kennecott is 1 of 2 operating smelters and is an important strategic asset --- We have approved investment to start underground mining and expand our copper production and provide critical minerals such as Tellurium.

Resolution in the established Arizona copper triangle is vital to the US to bringing on more copper supply and critical minerals to support its energy transition.

We we continue to work with the indigenous peoples, Forest service and local and Federal governments.

And we won't stop there.

The ambition to double our production does not include some of our larger investment or expansion cases or our proprietary bioleaching technology, Nuton

Nuton is the product of over 30 years in-house R&D and is a vehicle to Copper Growth through our proprietary bioleaching technology.

Nuton has the potential to deliver copper recoveries of around 80% from traditionally hard to mine

primary sulphides such as chalcopyrite providing access to traditionally hard to mine green and brownfield ore bodies.

It promises to deliver strong ESG credentials, has a lower footprint using less water and energy and has a very low capital intensity producing 99.9% copper cathode

We have seen a lot of interest and looking to have a pilot site up and running in 2023.

I am personally incredibly excited by the opportunities within our portfolio today.

We have set our course in '22 and '23 will require patience and execution discipline as we ramp up our world class OT UG operation and most immediate source of growth tonnes.

I look forward to updating you on progress.

Back to you Jakob.



Thank you Bold.



When I became chief executive, I introduced four objectives:

- To become the best operator
- To strive for impeccable ESG
- To excel in development
- And to strengthen our social licence

The objectives, coupled with our values of care, courage and curiosity, are the foundations for our culture and guide our people day in and day out.

In 2021, we launched our strategy with climate at its heart, which sets out the long term pathway for Rio supported by the objectives.

The final piece late last year was the launch of our purpose.

"Finding better ways" speaks to our drive for both innovation and continuous improvement.

It emphasises how solutions are delivered - with impeccable ESG performance.

"To provide the materials the world needs" connects our contribution to everyday life, our customers, the communities where we operate, and society at large.



There is always more to be done. But we are on the right track.

In 2023 we will continue to focus on lasting change to make our workplace a safer, more inclusive environment. Implementing the recommendations of the Everyday Respect Report is absolutely crucial to driving this change. But it goes broader and deeper.

We are embedding a change in mindset and behaviours throughout the organisation.

This is very clear to me as I visit our sites.

Recently, I went to Tom Price, Paraburdoo and Marandoo in the Pilbara and I was so encouraged by the honest and open conversations we had and proud of how the teams are working together to each make a difference every day.

We will spend time listening and learning from our people, communities and partners, as we continue to build better relationships by finding new and better ways to work together.

For example, through co-management of country in Australia.

I also visited the Western Range project, where we have commenced early works at our first codesigned iron ore mine.

The approach we are taking with this project deepens our relationships with the traditional owners, the Yinhawangka people, and with our long-term partner and customer, Baowu.

2022 was about progressing our strategy and delivering against our four objectives, to strengthen our existing assets and build our portfolio for the future.

We are on a multi-year journey, but the progress we have already made gives me confidence that

the best is ahead of us.

In 2023, we will continue to empower and unleash the quality of our people through the deployment of our safe production system and by building a positive culture.

We will create options to deliver future value and growth with projects like Rincon and Simandou.

And as Bold just shared, we will reach sustainable production at Oyu Tolgoi before the end of this quarter.

We will progress the pathways we have mapped to decarbonise our business, working with a range of partners to innovate and develop solutions.

And as we mark 150 years of Rio Tinto, we reflect on our past, the role it has played in making us who we are today and helping us achieve our purpose in the future.

Outlook underpins a stronger Rio Tinto for the long term



All the materials we provide are needed for today's world.

And looking to the future, the demand will only grow – driven by ongoing urbanisation and the energy transition.

The demand we will face through to 2035 will grow around 3.7% per annum with around half stemming from the energy transition.

That is why our strategy is about growing in the materials needed, such as copper, lithium, aluminium and high-quality iron ore.

A key task for our industry will be to find better ways to provide for those needs at pace, reliably and with a low carbon footprint and to work with our customers to reduce the impact of emissions across the value chain.

This will be challenging.

But we are up for it.

We know we can't solve these challenges alone, so we're also partnering with others, ramping up our technical skills and building capabilities for some of the bigger challenges we face.

As I have noted before, this is a multi-decade journey.

As we look ahead, the materials we provide are crucial to the world and the long-term outlook is attractive.

In summary, 2022 was all about building an even stronger Rio Tinto, by investing in the health of our business and shaping our portfolio for the future, while also delivering during the year.

We are uniquely-positioned:

- To accelerate the decarbonisation of our portfolio;
- To invest and grow in the commodities needed for the energy transition; and
- To continue to pay attractive dividends.

We are progressing with purpose as we build a stronger Rio Tinto for the long term.

Thank you.

We are now happy to take questions.

Menno, over to you.

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