

RioTinto

Invested in the Northwest Territories

Producing over 6 million carats of diamonds per year

- Mines and mining projects
- △ Exploration projects
- ◇ Brownfield projects

- Copper
- Diamonds



\$100K

is the average salary, about 1.4 times the average wage in the territory



10%
of total employment in the territory



\$600M

to Northwest Territories GDP, representing

2,725
total jobs

12.6%
of total GDP

50% of our workforce are Northerners

25% of our workforce are Indigenous

72,000

tonnes of greenhouse gas emissions have been offset by our wind-farm power facility at the Diavik Diamond Mine



We produce diamonds that set the standard for ‘responsible’

About 200 kilometres south of the Arctic Circle, at the bottom of Lac de Gras, sit some of the world’s most beautiful and sought-after diamonds. This is the Diavik Diamond Mine, in Canada’s Northwest Territories, also home to our award-winning wind farm. Our diamonds from Diavik are stunning white gems, produced to the highest possible standards of safety and integrity.



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Our people can take great pride in their achievement to safely bring back the A21 pipe from development to commercial production. This new pipe is great news for the Northwest Territories and will help to deliver economic and social benefits that will endure beyond the life of the Diavik mine.”

Arnaud Soirat
Chief Executive
Copper & Diamonds

We provide financial assistance for northerners pursuing their education goals through various scholarships, including for graduating students in post-secondary programmes and for children of employees and contractors. We support a scholarship fund at the Yellowknife Community Foundation and, in 2018, funded a new scholarship for women in the Northwest Territories and Kitikmeot region to pursue post-secondary education in science, technology, engineering, and math programmes.

By partnering with Indspire, Canada’s leading Indigenous charity that provides bursaries and scholarships to Indigenous students, we help Indigenous students across Canada realise their incredible potential and be leaders in their community. Since 2015, we have supported 720 Indigenous students get a head start in science, technology, engineering and mathematics career paths.