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2015 First Quarter Results

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Chairman and CEO

Management Team Members on the Call

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- Charles Main

  EVP, Finance and Chief Financial Officer

- Darcy Marud

  EVP, Enterprise Strategy

- Gerardo Fernandez

  SVP, Southern Operations

- Daniel Racine

  SVP, Northern Operations

- William Wulftange

  SVP, Exploration

2015 Overview

- Focused on:
  - Meeting production and cost expectations
  - Continuation of cost containment initiatives
  - Maximizing cash flow in the context of the gold price
  - Quality of mineral reserves and mineral resources
- Maintain costs at or below 2014 levels
  - Further cost reductions possible given local currency devaluations, input prices coming down
- Continue to advance the development of Cerro Moro and advance other projects in the pipeline
- Brio Gold: realize and recapture value from these assets
  - Plans progressing toward a going public event



Operations Overview

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	Q1 2015	
Production		
Gold (ounces)	304,874	
Silver (ounces)	2.5M	
Copper (lbs Chapada)	26.8M	
Costs	**Gold**	**Silver**
Cash Costs[(1)] per ounce	$654	$7.10
Co-Product Cash Costs[(1)] per ounce	$696	$7.71
All-in Sustaining Costs[(1,2)] per ounce	$893	$10.45
Co-Product All-in Sustaining Costs[(1,2)] per ounce	$896	$10.55
Co-Product Cash Costs per pound of copper (Chapada)	$1.81	

1. A non-GAAP measure. A reconciliation of which can be found at www.yamana.com/Q12015 in accordance with previous Canadian GAAP for public entities.
2. Includes cash costs, sustaining capital, corporate general and administrative expense, and exploration expense.

Operations Highlights

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- Quarterly gold production increased 33% year-over-year, driven by:

20%
Increase in production at Gualcamayo

9%
Increase in production at Chapada

15%
Increase in production at Minera Florida

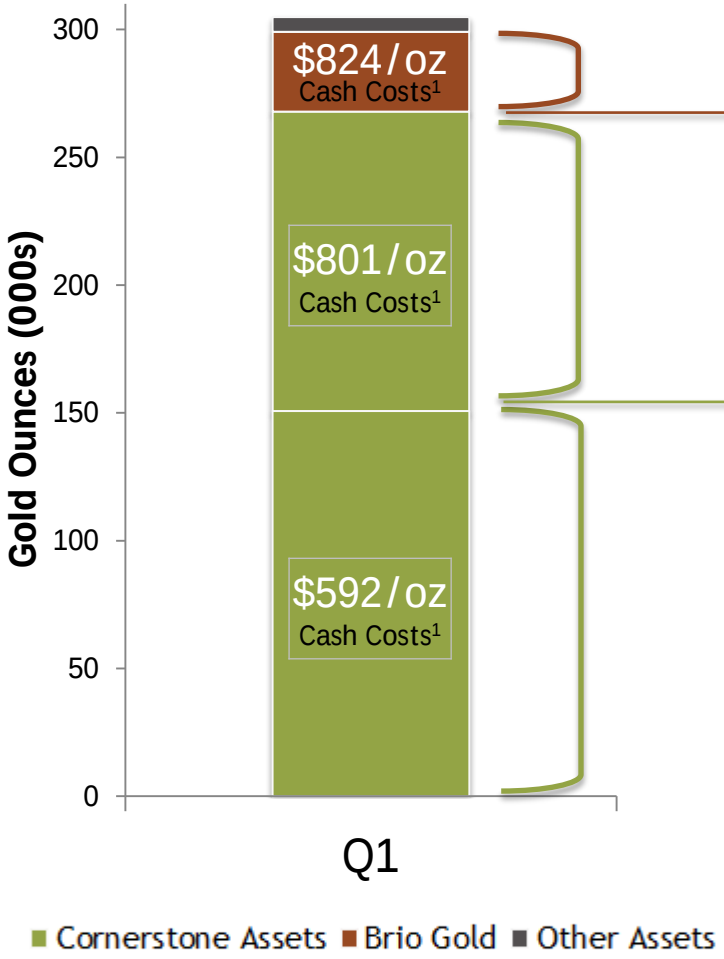
67.9koz
Record production at Canadian Malartic

25%
Increase in production at Jacobina with 23% lower cash costs[1]

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Focus on Primary Portfolio

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- Innovative plan to reclaim value at Brio Gold
- Other cornerstone assets offer potential to further enhance company value by producing quality ounces at better margins
- Flagship assets (Canadian Malartic, Chapada, and El Peñón) constitute top-tier assets with significant production and co-product cash costs of $592/oz of gold

Continuing to enhance our primary portfolio of cornerstone assets

1. Co-Product cash costs. A non-GAAP measure. A reconciliation of which can be found at www.yamana.com/Q12015 in accordance with previous Canadian GAAP for public entities.

Darcy Marud

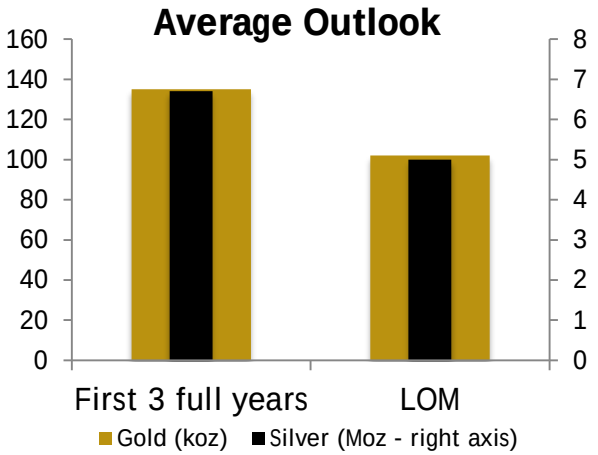
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Project Pipeline

Cerro Moro Project Parameters

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- In first three years of full production we expect average annual production of 135,000 ounces of gold and 6.7 million ounces of silver.
- Over the life-of-mine, based on current reserves, Cerro Moro should average annual production in excess of 100,000 ounces of gold and 5 million ounces of silver at all-in sustaining costs below our current corporate average
- This is a lower risk project with high-grade and modest throughput of 1,000 tpd
- Estimated total capital investment is $398M with
  - $265M of initial capital
  - $133M of sustaining capital



Life-of-Mine All-in Sustaining Costs(1,2)

$547 - $557 per ounce of gold

$7.60 - $7.80 per ounce of silver

3 Years

Expected Payback

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The approach to development at Cerro Moro applies lessons learned from other projects

Acquisition of Mega Precious Metals
Expanding our Canadian footprint

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- On April 24th, Yamana entered into an agreement to acquire Mega Precious Metals Inc.
- $14.4M in consideration, consisting of:
  - 0.02092 shares of Yamana and C$0.001 in cash per Mega Precious share
- Low acquisition cost of less than $5.00 per ounce*
- Advances our strategy to expand our presence in Canada
  - 100%-owned Monument Bay Project – impressive asset in northeastern Manitoba with large defined resource
    - 2.16M oz gold M&I mineral resources and 0.90M oz gold Inferred mineral resources
  - Adding experienced exploration team with proven track record
  - Includes portfolio of early stage- assets: North Madsen and Headway (Red Lake), Blue Caribou (Nunavut)
- $5M in exploration spending is being considered for 2015

* Measured & Indicated gold mineral resources

Daniel Racine

SVP, Northern Operations

Operations Snapshot
Canada and Mexico

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Canadian Malartic (50%)

- Another quarter of record production
- Cash costs positively impacted by lower fuel costs and depreciation of the Canadian dollar
- March production record of 54,000 oz. (100% basis)

Production	Cash Costs(1)
67,894 oz. Au	$632/oz. Au

Mercedes

- 21% increase in silver production due to 25% increase in recovery rate
- Planned lower gold and silver grades from an increase in stockpiles processed

Production	Cash Costs(1)
24,270 oz. Au 113,439 oz. Ag	$831/oz. Au $7.22/oz Ag

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Gerardo Fernandez

SVP, Southern Operations

Operations Snapshot
Brazil

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Chapada

- 9% increase in gold production reflects contribution of Corpo Sul
- Commissioning of in-pit crusher continued
- Co-product gold cash costs decreased 9%

Production	Cash Costs[1,2]
22,360 oz. Au 26.8M lbs Cu	($193)/oz. Au $1.81/lb[3]

Jacobina

- 25% increase in production year-over-year
- Cash costs 23% lower year-over-year
- Focus remains on quality ounces with sustainable margins

Production	Cash Costs[2]
18,591 oz. Au	$962

1. Cash Costs on a by-product basis.
2. A non-GAAP measure. A reconciliation of which can be found at www.yamana.com/Q12015 in accordance with previous Canadian GAAP for public entities.
3. Copper cash costs on a co-product basis

Operations Snapshot
Chile

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El Peñón

- Increased silver production at lower costs from continued mining in higher grade areas
- Heavy rains in the quarter resulted in lower throughput

Production	Cash Costs[1]
60,526 oz. Au 2,165,201 oz. Ag	$598/oz. Au $7.63/oz. Ag

Minera Florida

- Gold production increased 15% due to improved gold grades and recoveries year-over-year
- Recoveries and grades consistent with levels established in Q4 2014

Production	Cash Costs[1,2]
28,113 oz. Au 142,328 oz. Ag	$718/oz. Au $11.07/oz Ag

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2. Cash Costs on a by-product basis.

Operations Snapshot
Argentina

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Gualcamayo

- Production increased 20% year-over-year and was in-line with Q4 levels
- Q1 costs are lower than the levels established in H2 2014

Production	Cash Costs[1]
46,177 oz. Au	$771/oz. Au

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Operations Snapshot
Brio Gold

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Fazenda Brasileiro and Pilar

- Production at Pilar increased 61% from more efficient mining and dilution control
- Maintenance for upgrading CIL Circuit at Fazenda Brasileiro accelerated in Q1 to enhance operational flexibility
- Considerable progress made improving the Brio Gold portfolio and plans are advancing for a going public event in Q3

Production (oz.)	Cash Costs[1] (per oz.)
Fazenda Brasileiro – 12,024 Pilar – 19,153	Fazenda Brasileiro - $810 Pilar - $832

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Charles Main

Chief Financial Officer

Delivering Financial Performance

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	Q1 2015
Revenue	$458M
Gold Sales (ounces)	296,167
Silver Sales (ounces)	2.4M
Copper Sales (lbs Chapada)	26.7M
Adjusted Earnings/(Loss)[1]	$(37.5)M
Per share:	$(0.04)
Cash Flow[1,2]	$96.0M
Per share:	$0.11

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2. Operating cash flow generated from operations before changes in non-cash working capital in accordance with Canadian GAAP for public entities.

Robust Balance Sheet

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Cash & Available Credit	$911M
DD&A	$138M
Corporate G&A	$29M
Exploration Expense	$5M
Capital Expenditure	$76M
Net Debt[1,2]	$1,634M

-45%
Decrease in capex year-over-year

Proceeds from equity offering used to reduce balance on revolving facility

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2. Excluding debt assumed on the acquisition of Canadian Malartic which is neither corporate nor guaranteed by Yamana

Future Expectations
Earnings and Cash Flow

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Earnings	
G&A – Non-recurring payments in Q1 related to cost containment and head count reduction in Brazil	$2M
Brio Gold - going public event will reduce future G&A	$7M
Interest expense – will decline as revolver balance is paid down to zero	

Continuing to pursue opportunities to further reduce G&A and expenses

Cash Flow[1,2]	Q1 2015	Q1 2014
Reported Cash Flow	$96.0M	$93.9M
Cash Distribution from Alumbrera	$nil	$17.6M
Net Cash Flow	**$96.0M**	**$76.3M**

Excluding cash distributions from Alumbrera cash flow grew

+26%

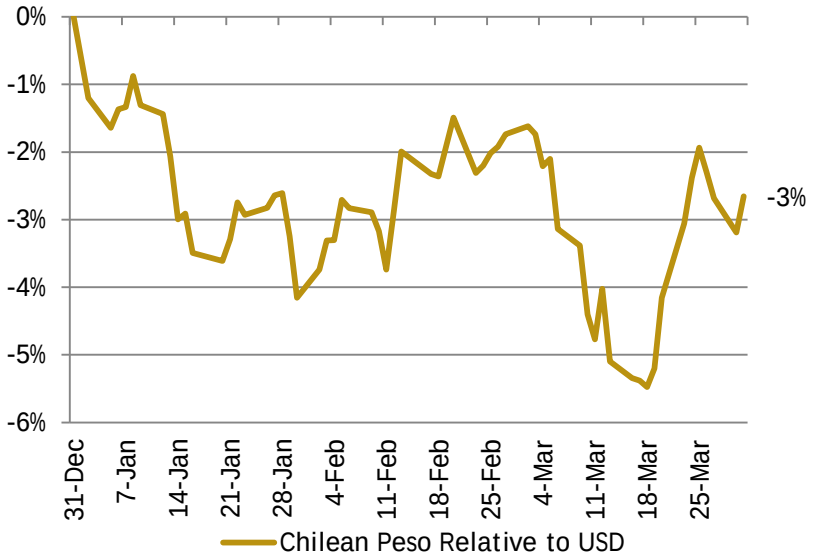
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Operating Currencies

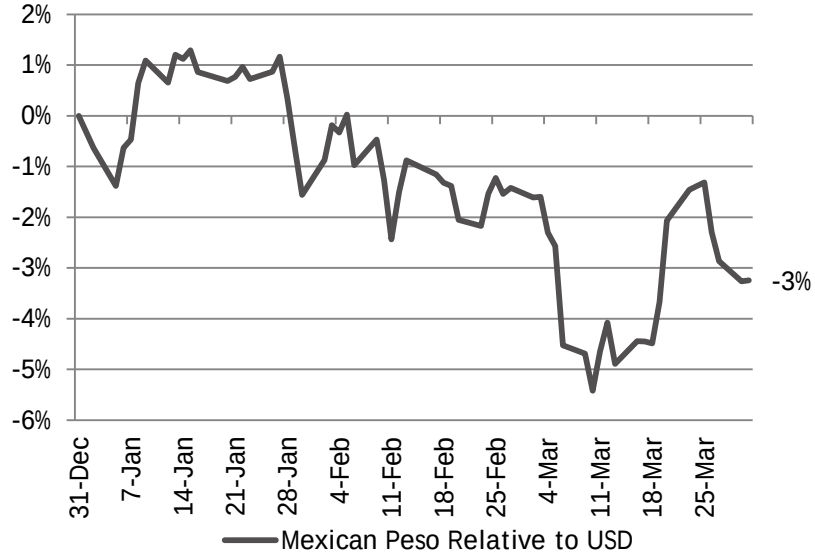
Movements over the Quarter

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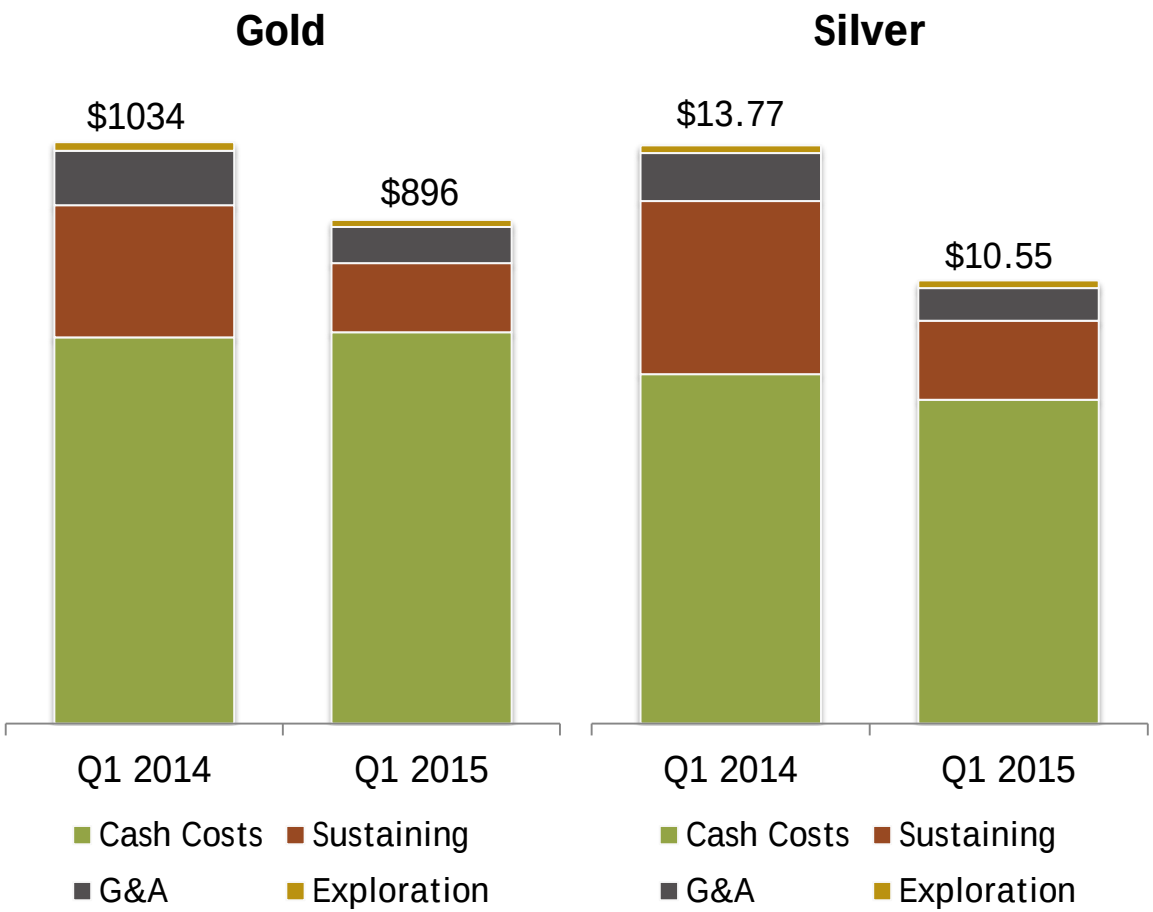


Source Note: FactSet

Lower AISC Cost Structure
Continued Improvement

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Co-Product All-in Sustaining Costs[1,2]



Q1 Gold AISC within guidance of **$880 - $910/oz**

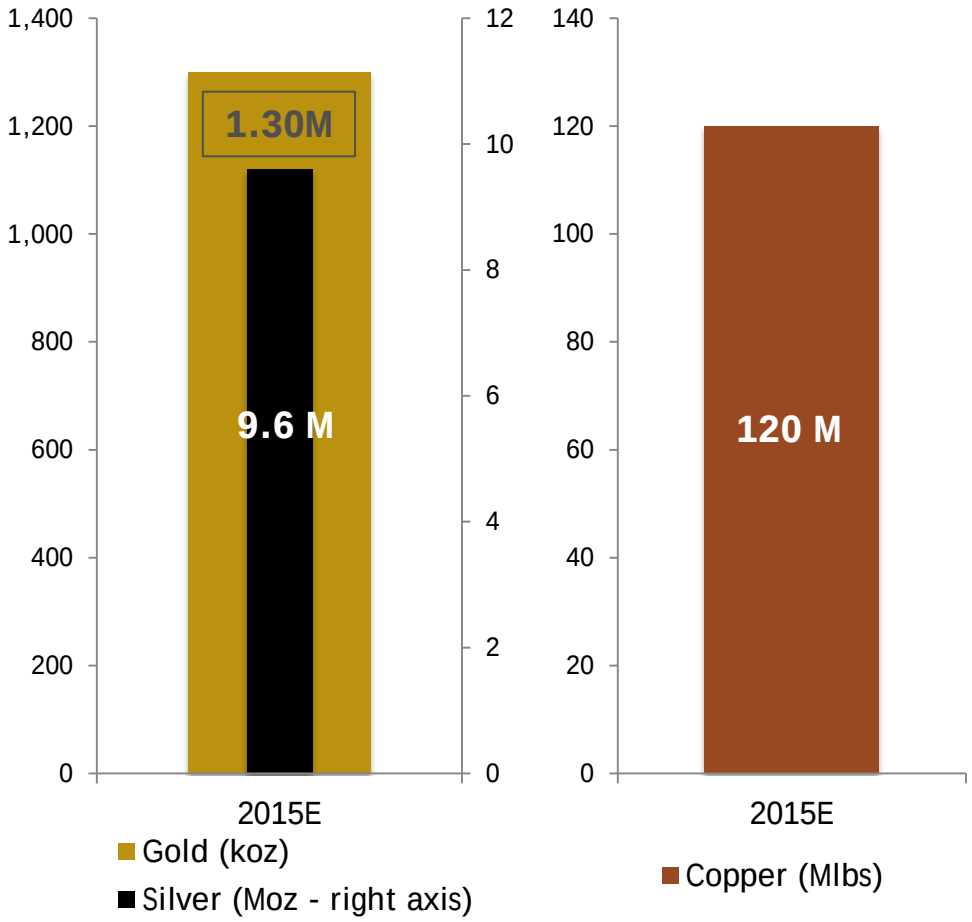
Q1 Silver AISC below guidance of **$11.10 - $11.30/oz**

G&A cost structure continues to decline

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Highlighting 2015 Guidance

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2015 AISC[(1,2)]

$800 - $830/oz Au

$10.30 - $10.50/oz Ag

2015 Expansionary Capital

$90 - $140M

2015 Sustaining Capital

$265M

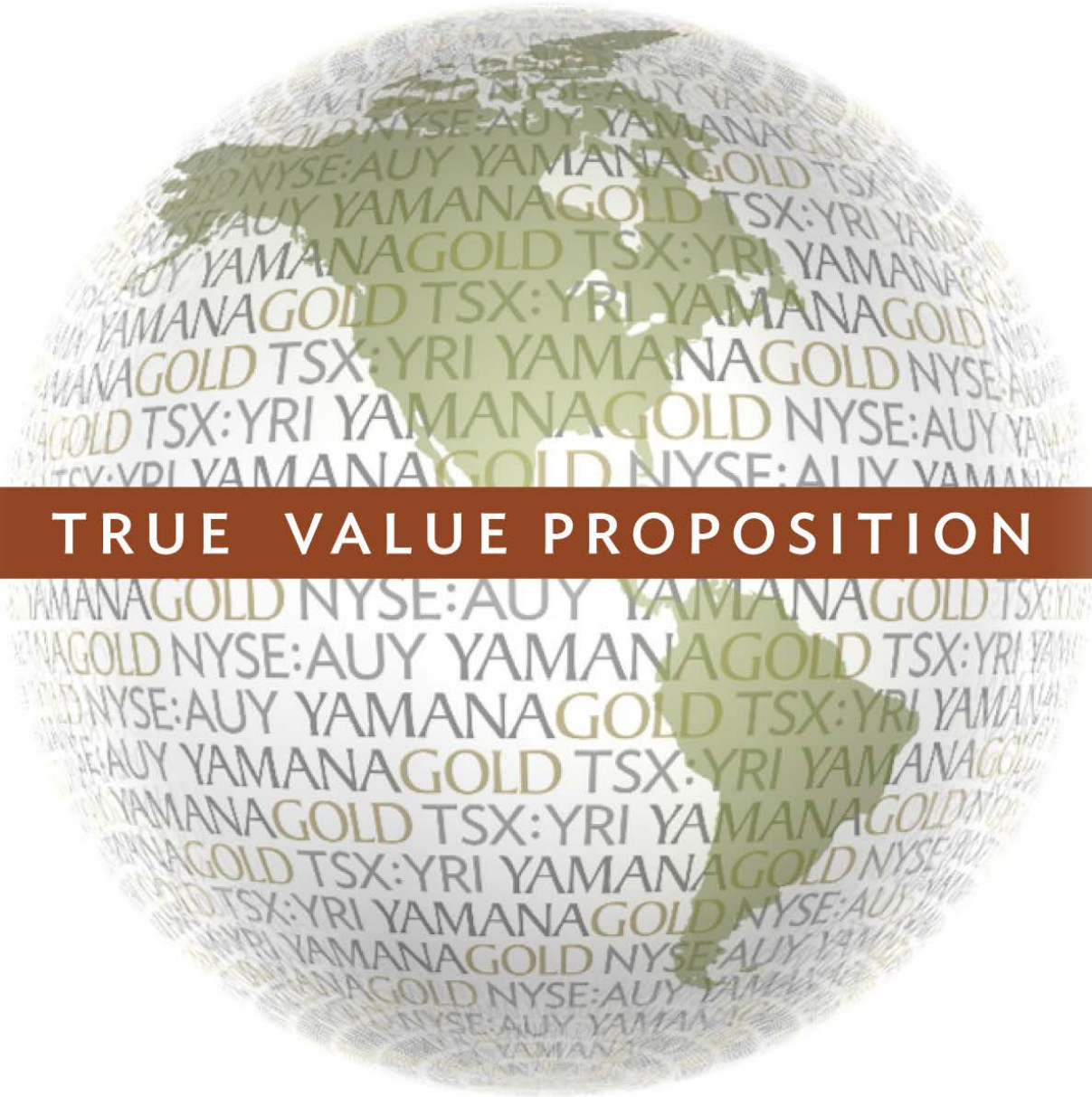
2015 Exploration

~$98M

Stabilized production and costs provide base to focus on growth

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