

INTELLIGENT MINERAL PROCESSING



CONSULTANCY & LABORATORY TESTING SERVICES

GOLD PROCESSING

At Grinding Solutions, we provide innovative and pragmatic recommendations that result in real improvements to our clients with a fast turnaround.

MAXIMISE YOUR RESOURCES

Grinding & energy efficiency
Recovery & grade
Production & profitability
Environmental sustainability

ADDING VALUE THROUGH INNOVATION

Exploring novel approaches for mineral liberation, comminution & separation

A unique integrated analytical approach

Flexible & responsive to client requirements

World leaders in fine & ultrafine grinding

Our team have expert knowledge and are passionate about working with global clients to solve challenges and maximise opportunities.

Our staff have a wealth of experience in gold processing working on projects based in North America, Europe, Africa and the Middle East. Integrating our world leading fine grinding expertise and gold processing knowledge, we offer an extensive range of test-work.

GOLD PROCESSING SERVICES

Mineralogical gold deportment studies

Diagnostic leaching

Gravity pre-concentration using spiral / tables

Andre Laplante GRG testing and concentrate handling

Flotation recovery of gold

Ultra fine grinding of concentrates

Laboratory cyanide leach tests (bottle roll / agitated tank)

Heap leach amenability testing (agglomeration testing to column leach testing)

Carbon loading kinetics and equilibrium loading tests for use in circuit simulation packages

Merril Crowe testing

Pre and post leach thickener requirements

Cyanide detoxification testing (INCO SO₂ air, H₂O₂ etc.)

Cyanide recovery (SART, AVR)

We also offer additional hydrometallurgical capabilities including bioleaching and biooxidation.





LABORATORY TESTING & PILOT PLANT CAPABILITIES



PROCESS MINERALOGY

Liberation analysis

Grind size determination

Process response modelling

Geometallurgy

Gold deportment study

Mineral/sample imaging & image analysis



GRINDING

Bulk milling, sample preparation & direct power measurement

SAG mill characterisation

Bond work index tests

Crushability & abrasiveness

Online grind chemistry monitoring & modification

(Magotteaux[™] mill)

Fine & ultrafine signature plot (IsaMill™, Metso Vertimill®, Metso SMD)

Grinding media characterisation (steel & ceramic)

Pilot scale fine grinding



CLASSIFICATION

Particle size analysis

Bulk separation (wet & dry) from 1 µm upwards



FLOTATION

Batch flotation & bulk separations

Rate kinetic testing (rougher & cleaner)

Locked cycle testing

Froth monitoring



GRAVITY SEPARATION

Scoping gravity separation

Spiral separator testing

Shaking table testing

Enhanced gravity separation

Bulk gravity separation

Gravity-recoverable gold testing

Jig testing



OTHER MINERAL SEPARATIONS

Heavy liquid separation

Magnetic & electrostatic response profiles

Bulk magnetic separation



SOLID-LIQUID SEPARATION

Flocculant screening & settling curves

Filtration testing

Rheology testing



HYDROMETALLURGY

Acid & alkali leaching

Bioleaching

Biooxidation

Batch bulk leaching

Batch precipitation testing

Cyanide leaching (CIP, CIL, heap)

Diagnostic leaching

Carbon adsorption isotherms & kinetics

Oxygen consumption



INDUSTRIAL MINERALS

Calcining

Low contamination milling

Bleaching

Brightness testing

Attrition scrubbing/blunging

Product-specific testing



CONSULTANCY

Investment & Marketing

Pre-Feasibility & Feasibility Studies

Process innovation

Plant optimisation

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