



Auriant Mining AB (publ.) publishes 12m 2021 operational update

Highlights:

- **In 12m 2021, total gold production amounted to 910.8 kg (29,283 oz),** compared to 964.7 kg (31,014 oz) in 12m 2020, a decrease of 6%, or 53.9 kg (1,731 oz), but in line with the 2021 production plan;
- **Hard rock gold production was 893.3 kg (28,720 oz),** compared to 952.7 kg (30,629 oz) in 12m 2020, a decrease of 6%, or 59.4 kg (1,909 oz);
- **Alluvial gold production amounted to 17.5 kg (563 oz),** compared to 12.0 kg (386 oz) in 2020, an increase of 46%, or 5.5 kg (178 oz);
- 12m 2021, total gold sales were 818.5 kg (26,316 oz), compared to 946.4 kg (30,428 oz) in 12m 2020, a decrease of 127.9 kg (4,112 oz), or 14%;
- 428,300 tonnes of ore were processed with an average grade of 2.30 g/t;
- In 12m of 2021, the CIL plant operated for 8,004 hours at an increased throughput rate of 53.5 tonnes per working hour (>50 t/hour) and at the targeted recovery rate of 91.2%;
- 458,500 tonnes of ore were mined in 12m 2021, compared to 387,200 tonnes in 12m 2020, an increase of 71,300 tonnes or 18%. Stripping volume in 12m 2021 was 1.86 million m³ (+956,900 m³, or 106% more than in the 12m of 2020);
- The average grade in 12m 2021 was 2.32 g/t, compared to 2.42 g/t in 12m 2020, a decrease of 4%. The mined average grade is in line with the Mineplan;
- Overall, the 2021 Production was in line with the company's forecast.

Total Gold Production

Production unit	12m 2021		12m 2020		Change		
	kg	oz	kg	oz	kg	oz	%
Hard rock							
Tardan (CIL)	893.3	28,720	952.7	30,629	-59.4	-1,909	-6%
Alluvial							
Staroverinskaya	17.5	563	12.0	386	5.5	178	46%
Total gold produced	910.8	29,283	964.7	31,014	-53.9	-1,731	-6%

Hard Rock Gold Production

	Unit	12m 2021	12m 2020	Change	
Mining					
Waste stripping	000 m3	1,859.3	902.4	956.9	106%
Ore mined	000 tonnes	458.5	387.2	71.3	18%
Gold in Ore	kg	1065.7	937.0	128.7	14%
Average grade	g/t	2.32	2.42	-0.10	-4%
CIL					
Ore processing	000 tonnes	428.3	393.5	34.8	9%
Grade	g/t	2.30	2.66	-0.36	-14%
Gold in ore processing	kg	983.9	1,045.2	-61.3	-6%
Gold produced CIL	kg	893.3	953.0	-59.7	-6%
Opening WIP (gold)	kg	1.2			
Closing WIP (gold)	kg	5.2			
Recovery	%	91.2%	91.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Warehouse on Dec 31					
Ore	000 tonnes	131.6	101.0	30.6	30%
Grade	g/t	2.19	2.03	0.16	8%

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including two operating mines (Tardan and Alluvial at Staroverinskaya), one early stage exploration asset and one development asset.

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