

Project Lifecycle

Prospecting

Since 1970

• Are there any minerals?



Exploration, Feasibility and ESIA

- How much copper is there? Where is it?
- · How to mine and process the ore?
- What are the estimated costs and potential revenues?
- What are the potential positive / negative impacts? How to manage them?

Decision Point

- · Can a mine be built safely?
- How can impacts be managed?
- Should the project go ahead? (Government)
- Is the project viable? (NJV)



3 years

- Build mine.
- Implement recommendations outlined in the ESIA.
- · Training, education and apprenticeships.
- Employment and business opportunities.



25+ years

- Mine, process and sell the ore.
- Ongoing social and environmental management.
- · Training, education and apprenticeships.
- Employment and business opportunities.

Closure and Rehabilitation

2 - 5 years

- Close the mine, reclaim the land.
- · Leave the area in safe condition.
- Maximising post mine local community opportunities.



Drilling equipment



Environmental, social and cultural heritage studies

The project would only proceed if government regulatory approvals are given.

If government approval is received, Namosi Joint Venture (NJV) will then decide if the project will continue after the exploration and feasibility studies and Environmental and Social Impact Assessment (ESIA) phases are complete.



Constructing mine infrastructure



Mining



Mine rehabilitation