

# Acquisition of mine and exploration rights in Finland

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## **Acquisition summary**

- Acquisition mine and exploration areas in east Finland
- Financials 2013:
  - Sales 72 MUSD
  - EBIT 18 MUSD
- Cash-flow positive
- Cash cost Normal C1 1.94 \$/lb¹
- Life of mine 2021
- 110 employees and ~120 contractors

- Enterprise value: 95 MUSD
  - EV/EBIT: 5
- Seller: Altona Mining, Australia
- Transaction subject to:
  - Approval by the Finnish competition authority
  - Shareholders' approval in Altona Mining
- Closing expected 1 October 2014
- Boliden's net debt/equity ratio increase by 3 percentage points



## **Acquisition rationale**

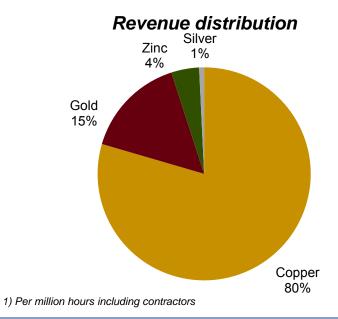
- Operating mine in Outokumpu area with geology similar to Boliden's
  - Kylylahti mine and Luikonlahti concentrator
  - Synergies in mining and metallurgy
- Brown field potential
  - Limited exploration after 1980
  - Leverage on Boliden's strong near mine exploration and geophysical expertise
  - Infrastructure in place
- Low country risk





## Kylylahti mine

- Operating since January 2012
- Production capacity 650 ktpa
- Life of mine until 2021 on mineral reserves
- Cash cost Normal C1 1.94 \$/lb
- LTI frequency<sup>1</sup> 12.3



		12 months			
	Apr 13- Jun 13	Jul 13- Sep 13	Oct 13- Dec 13	Jan 14- Mar 14	Apr 13- Mar 14
Production					
Ore mined, ktonnes	130	168	167	159	624
Ore milled, ktonnes	135	163	166	166	630
Head grades					
Cu grade, %	1.46	1.77	1.41	1.56	1.55
Au grade, g/tonne	0.57	0.72	0.62	0.58	0.62
Zn grade, %	0.59	0.79	0.69	0.67	0.69
Recoveries, %					
Copper	91.5	92.6	91.6	92.5	92.1
Gold	73.3	77.3	72,0	76.6	74.8
Zinc	48.4	53.6	48.2	44.9	48.7
Metal content					
Copper, kt	1.8	2.7	2.1	2.4	9.0
Gold, kg	57	91	74	74	296
Zinc, kt	0.4	0.7	0.6	0.5	2.2
Silver, kg	427	665	506	541	2,139

Source: Altona Mining



### Concentrator

- Located in Luikonlahti 43 km from the mine
  - Ore transported by road from the mine
- Constructed 1968
  - Refurbished 2012
- Capacity 700 ktpa
  - Environmental permits 800 ktpa
- Concentrates shipped to Boliden
   Harjavalta 510 km and Boliden Kokkola
   400 km by road





## Kylylahti mine – Reserves & Resources

#### Reserves included in resources

Ore reserves	M t	Cu %	Au g/t	Zn %	Cobalt %	Ni %
Proven	0.57	1.43	0.66	0.66	0.25	0.15
Probable	3.98	1.7	0.86	0.61	0.27	0.17
Total	4.55	1.66	0.83	0.62	0.27	0.16

Resources incl. reserves	M t	Cu %	Au g/t	Zn %	Cobalt %	Ni %
Measured	1.2	1.19	0.48	0.56	0.22	0.19
Indicated	7.2	1.35	0.77	0.53	0.24	0.23
Inferred	0.5	1.38	1.71	0.54	0.27	0.24
Total	8.8	1.33	0.78	0.54	0.24	0.22

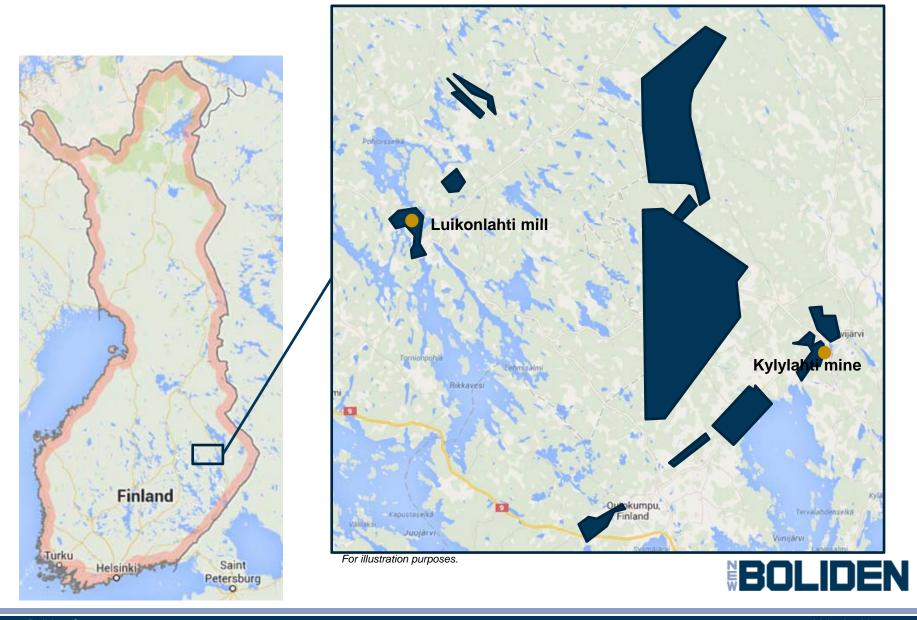
Please note that resources include reserves.

Ore reserves updated 7 May 2014. Mineral resources updated 26 March 2014.

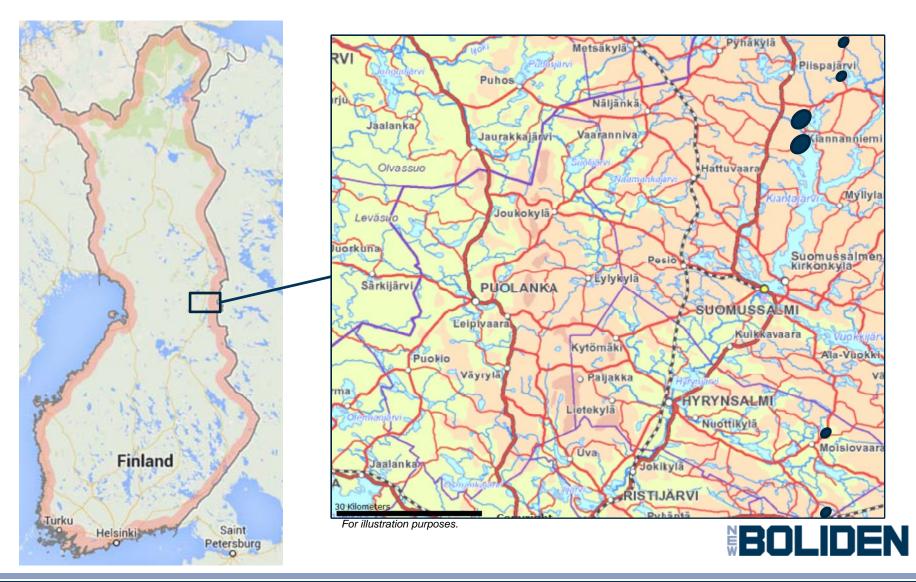
Prices as base for calculation: Copper 6,600 US\$/t, Gold 1,300 US\$/tr oz, Zinc 1,874 US\$/t, Euro/USD 1.25



## **Assets and exploration rights**



## Assets and exploration rights, cont.



## **Deposits and resources**

Deposit	Category	Mt	Cu (%)	Co (%)	Ni (%)	Zn(%)
Saramäki	Inferred	3.4	0.71	0.09	0.05	0.63
Vuonos	Inferred	0.76	1.76	0.14		1.33
Riihilahti	Indicated	0.14	1.69	0.04	0.16	
Valkeisenranta	Indicated	1.54	0.29	0.03	0.71	
Särkiniemi	Indicated	0.1	0.35	0.05	0.7	
Vaara	Indicated	2.62	0.04	0.01	0.49	
	Inferred	0.14	0.04	0.01	0.45	
Peura-Aho	Indicated	0.4	0.29	0.04	0.63	
	Inferred	0.09	0.23	0.03	0.48	
Hietaharju	Indicated	0.85	0.44	0.06	0.85	
	Inferred	0.24	0.27	0.04	0.59	
Sika-Aho	Inferred	0.17	0.01	0	0.66	
Arola	Inferred	1.5	0	0	0.46	
Options						
Hautalampi	Measured & Indicated	2.26	0.37	0.12	0.45	0.06
	Inferred	0.9	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.1



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