# Ray Complex- Ray and Hayden Operations



# **Operational Highlights**

**Process Operations:** Large open-pit mine; two concentrators; a leach-solvent extractionelectrowinning plant; an INCO Oxygen Flash Smelter, oxygen plant and a metallurgical acid plant.

**Location**: 64 miles southeast of Phoenix; 70 miles northeast of Tucson; smelter 18 miles southeast of mine. (Pinal and Gila Counties)

#### December 31, 2014 Employment:

Total: 1417 employees; 1125 hourly / 292 salaried.

#### **Economic Impacts**

2014 Wages, salaries and fringe benefits: \$ 139.3 million

2014 Property, severance and sales taxes: \$ 13.1 million

2014 Total materials and other spending (energy, fuel and supplies): \$358.6 million

2013 Wages, salaries and fringe benefits: \$140.2 million

2013 Property, severance and sales taxes: \$18.9 million

2013 Total materials and other spending (energy, fuel and supplies): \$ 361.8 million

## Milestones:

#### 1983-

Smelter Modernization—INCO Oxygen Flash Smelter Commissioned

### 1986-

Ray Mines Division purchased from Kennecott Copper Corporation

### 1992-

Ray Concentrator Commissioned; Expansion of Ray Mine completed

# 2044-

Reserve life of Ray Mine

### **Production Statistics**

Copper in SX-EW Cathode: 62.0 million lbs. (2014) 63.6 million lbs. (2013) Copper in Anodes: 316.2 million lbs. (2014) 273.7 million lbs. (2014) 273.7 million lbs. (2013) Sulfuric Acid: 577.1K short tons (2014) 490.0K short tons (2013)

## Society Infrastructure Needs Copper

Refined copper uses include: household wiring, plumbing and appliances, consumer electronics, industrial motors and transformers, automotive, medical equipment and power generation and transmission.

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