

Chart 1: Annual Nickel Metal Production at the Lanfranchi Mine – Historical and Forecast

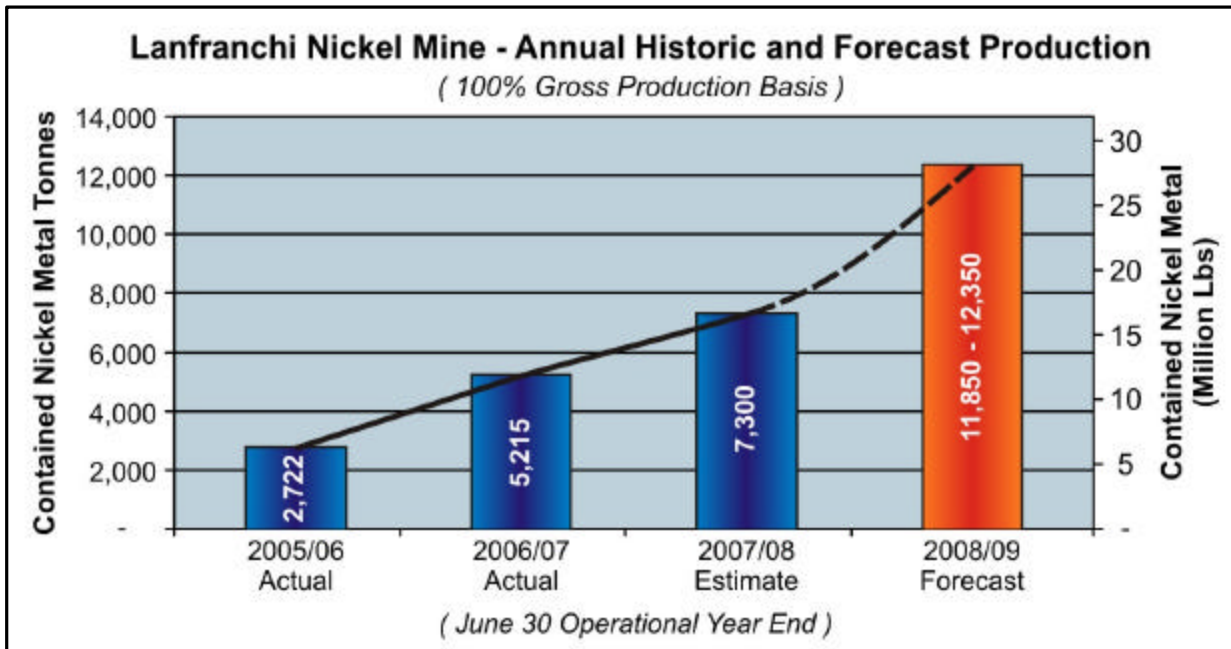


Chart 1 Notes:

25% of the contained nickel metal production is attributable to Brilliant

07/08 Estimate = preliminary June 2008 year end production estimate to be finalized upon reconciliation

08/09 Forecast = preliminary June 2008 year end production forecast to be finalized upon detailed scheduling