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# Report

# for the six months ended 30 June 2019

Johannesburg, 8 August 2019 - AngloGold Ashanti is pleased to provide its financial and operational update for the six-month period ended 30 June 2019.

- H1 2019 production of 1,554koz, supported by solid Q2 2019 performance trends at Geita, Iduapriem, Tropicana and Mponeng
- All-in sustaining costs improved 2% year-on-year to \$1,002/oz; Total cash costs improved 4% year-on-year to \$792/oz
- South Africa's H1 2019 AISC down 11% year-on-year; safety improvements from new shift arrangements
- · Free cash flow of \$78m achieved in Q2 2019; H1 2019 free cash flow improved despite lower gold price received
- Full-year guidance for key operating metrics maintained, with seasonally stronger H2 2019 expected
- Q2 2019 AIFR best in Company's history at 3.07 injuries/million hours worked, 27% improvement on Q1 2019
- · Capital projects at Obuasi and Tropicana's Boston Shaker on track to deliver key improvements to portfolio
- · Initiative to streamline portfolio continues with sales processes ongoing
- Fitch inaugural credit rating of BBB-; two of three ratings now investment grade

		Six months	Six months	Year
		ended	ended	ended
		Jun	Jun	Dec
		2019	2018	2018
		US	S Dollar / Imperial	
Operating review			•	
Gold				
Produced	- oz (000)	1,554	1,629	3,400
Sold	- oz (000)	1,577	1,651	3,412
Produced from retained operations	- oz (000)	1,554	1,578	3,349
Financial review				
Gold income	- \$m	1,789	1,922	3,805
Cost of sales	- \$m	1,496	1,602	3,173
Total cash costs	- \$m	1,146	1,281	2,505
Gross profit	- \$m	337	410	772
Price received *	- \$/oz	1,299	1,310	1,261
All-in sustaining costs *	- \$/oz	1,002	1,020	976
All-in costs *	- \$/oz	1,118	1,109	1,068
Total cash costs *	- \$/oz	792	823	773
Profit attributable to equity shareholders	- \$m	114	33	133
, ,	- US cents/share	27	8	32
Headline earnings	- \$m	120	99	220
-	- US cents/share	29	24	53
Adjusted EBITDA *	- \$m	689	723	1,480
Net cash inflow from operating activities	- \$m	343	321	857
Free cash inflow (outflow) *	- \$m	(31)	(51)	67
Total borrowings (including lease liabilities)	- \$m	2,249	2,051	2,050
Adjusted net debt *	- \$m	1,739	1,786	1,659
Capital expenditure	- \$m	318	335	721

Notes: \* Refer to "Non-GAAP disclosure" for definition.

\$ represents US Dollar, unless otherwise stated.

Rounding of figures may result in computational discrepancies.

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**June 2019** 

# Operations at a glance

for the six months ended 30 June 2019

	Prod	uction	Cost o	f sales	Gross pr	ofit (loss)	All-in s	ustąining sts	Total ca	sh costs 2
	oz (000)	Year-on- year % Variance <sup>3</sup>	\$m	Year-on- year % Variance <sup>3</sup>	\$m	Year-on- year \$m Variance <sup>3</sup>	\$/oz	Year-on- year % Variance <sup>3</sup>	\$/oz	Year-on- year % Variance <sup>3</sup>
SOUTH AFRICA	193	(25)	(231)	(34)	15	25	1,169	(11)	1,021	(11)
Vaal River Operations	l –	(100)	` _	(100)	_	_	, <u> </u>	(100)	, <u> </u>	(100)
Kopanang	l –	(100)	_	(100)	_	9	_	(100)	_	(100)
Moab Khotsong	-	(100)	_	(100)	_	(9)	_	(100)	_	(100)
West Wits Operations	114	(4)	(140)	(18)	13	26	1,233	(9)	1,018	(11)
Mponeng	114	(4)	(140)	(18)	13	26	1,233	(9)	1,018	(11)
Total Surface Operations	79	(9)	(91)	(13)	2	(1)	1,076	(6)	1,025	(3)
CONTINENTAL AFRICA	711	2	(783)	(1)	189	4	932	(1)	792	(3)
DRC										
Kibali - Attr. 45% <sup>4</sup>	188	12	(170)	(13)	72	40	664	(24)	541	(23)
Ghana										
Iduapriem	135	8	(128)	9	55	(2)	814	(12)	732	(6)
Obuasi	-	_	_	(100)	_	(5)	_	_	_	_
Guinea										
Siguiri - Attr. 85%	104	(18)	(150)	8	8	(51)	1,145	39	1,078	35
Mali										
Morila - Attr. 40% <sup>4</sup>	16	7	(24)	26	(2)	(2)	1,335	1	1,322	23
Sadiola - Attr. 41% <sup>4</sup>	25	(16)	(26)	(27)	6	2	941	(10)	954	(3)
Tanzania										
Geita	243	6	(284)	_	50	20	1,078	5	846	(5)
Exploration and other			(1)	(50)	_	2				
AUSTRALIA	316	3	(319)	10	97	(3)	939	(11)	704	(11)
Sunrise Dam	136	(11)	(158)	6	27	(18)	1,098	(2)	887	_
Tropicana - Attr. 70%	180	18	(150)	14	81	17	748	(20)	525	(20)
Exploration and other			(11)	19	(11)	(2)				
AMERICAS	334	(10)	(385)	(10)	110	(47)	1,004	14	757	14
Argentina										
Cerro Vanguardia - Attr. 92.50%  Brazil	108	(23)	(137)	(24)	47	(45)	860	31	723	48
AngloGold Ashanti Mineração	175		(191)	1	47	(6)	1,036	4	761	
Serra Grande	51	(7)	(191)	(11)	12	1	1,030	11	799	_
Exploration and other	"	(1)	(31)	(11)	4	3	1,133	- ' '	133	_
Exploration and other			_	_	-	3				
Total	1,554	(5)					1,002	(2)	792	(4)
OTHER			2	(68)	3	(12)				
	J		(1,716)	(7)	414	(33)				
Equity accounted investments include	d above		220	(12)	(77)	(40)				
AngloGold Ashanti			(1,496)	(7)	337	(73)				

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Refer to note B under "Non-GAAP disclosure" for definition.

 $<sup>^{2}</sup>$  Refer to note C under "Non-GAAP disclosure" for definition.

 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 3}$  Variance June 2019 six months on June 2018 six months - increase (decrease).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Equity accounted joint ventures.

# Operations at a glance

for the three months ended 30 June 2019

	Prod	uction	Cost o	f sales	Gross pr	ofit (loss)	All-in sı co	ustaining sts	Total ca	sh costs <sup>2</sup>
	oz (000)	Year-on- year % Variance <sup>3</sup>	\$m	Year-on- year % Variance <sup>3</sup>	\$m	Year-on- year \$m Variance <sup>3</sup>	\$/oz	Year-on- year % Variance <sup>3</sup>	\$/oz	Year-on- year % Variance <sup>3</sup>
SOUTH AFRICA	102	2	(120)	(16)	6	21	1,145	(14)	1,007	(15)
Vaal River Operations	l –	_	_	(100)	_	1	_	_	_	_
Kopanang	_	_	_	(100)	_	1	_	_	_	_
Moab Khotsong	l –	_	_	(100)	_	_	_	_	_	_
West Wits Operations	62	8	(73)	(14)	10	19	1,174	(17)	971	(21)
Mponeng	62	8	(73)	(14)	10	19	1,174	(17)	971	(21)
Total Surface Operations	40	(6)	(47)	(11)	(4)	1	1,100	(8)	1,062	(4)
CONTINENTAL AFRICA	373	(2)	(398)	(1)	111	10	899	(2)	768	(3)
DRC										
Kibali - Attr. 45% 4	94	4	(84)	(14)	41	19	627	(23)	507	(21)
Ghana										
Iduapriem	71	3	(72)	19	28	(3)	836	(7)	767	2
Obuasi	-	_	4	_	4	4	_	_	_	_
Guinea										
Siguiri - Attr. 85%	55	(19)	(73)	11	2	(31)	1,126	55	1,079	41
Mali										
Morila - Attr. 40% 4	7	(10)	(11)	33	(2)	(2)	1,517	(1)	1,532	35
Sadiola - Attr. 41% 4	13	(15)	(14)	(28)	3	1	958	(12)	980	(3)
Tanzania										
Geita	133	2	(148)	_	34	21	1,033	(1)	771	(13)
Exploration and other			_	(100)	_	1				
AUSTRALIA	158	9	(168)	12	43	6	957	(12)	720	(15)
Sunrise Dam	64	(2)	(82)	10	6	(4)	1,141	(13)	924	(10)
Tropicana - Attr. 70%	94	17	(80)	14	43	11	763	(10)	510	(22)
Exploration and other			(6)	23	(6)	(1)				
AMERICAS	168	(7)	(214)	2	54	(14)	1,035	13	794	19
Argentina										
Cerro Vanguardia - Attr. 92.50%  Brazil	56	(25)	(82)	(8)	26	(25)	884	42	766	74
AngloGold Ashanti Mineração	88	8	(101)	10	23	6	1,069	(2)	788	(4)
Serra Grande	24	5	(31)	7	6	6	1,279	(1)	869	3
Exploration and other			_	_	(1)	(1)	,	( )		
Total	801						996	(2)	792	(3)
OTHER			_	(93)	1	(9)				. , ,
CHEN			(900)	(33)	215	14				
Equity accounted investments include	<b>⊸</b> d above		109	(13)	(42)	(19)				
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AngloGold Ashanti			(791)	3	172	(5)				

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# Financial and Operating Report

# **FIRST HALF 2019 PERFORMANCE REVIEW**

AngloGoldAshanti demonstrated steady progress during the first half of the year, delivering a record safety performance alongside improvements to earnings, costs, margins and free cash flow. Full-year guidance on all key operating metrics, including production, costs and sustaining capital expenditure, is maintained. The growth capital metric has been revised downwards due to the timing of some of the Obuasi capital spend, however the overall Obuasi project budget remains intact.

Production from retained operations for the first six months of 2019 was 1.554Moz at a total cash cost of \$792/oz, compared to 1.578Moz at a total cash cost of \$807/oz for the first six months of 2018 (excluding Moab Khotsong and Kopanang). All-in sustaining costs (AISC) were \$1,002/oz for the first six months of 2019, compared to \$1,005/oz from retained operations for the same period last year.

There was a \$31/oz, or 4% improvement in group total cash costs and a \$18/oz improvement in AISC in the first half of 2019 compared to the same period last year supported by weaker currencies, which were partly offset by inflationary pressures. This reflects a solid performance at Kibali with a higher contribution from the underground mine; improved grade-control at Iduapriem along with higher grade ore from Teberebie Cut 1 and Cut 3; higher head grade and mill throughput, alongside better metallurgical recoveries at Tropicana; and a streamlined South Africa portfolio, which delivered a \$139/oz or 11% improvement in AISC when compared to the same period last year.

In addition, production from Geita increased as a result of improved grades from Nyankanga Block 5 and the underground operations. At Siguiri, production decreased as a result of lower tonnes treated due to the commissioning of the combination plant and the associated challenges in the ramp-up programme, while at Cerro Vanguardia production was impacted by the anticipated reduction in grades in line with the current mine plan.

The **second quarter** of the year saw a strong recovery over the previous quarter, as anticipated. Production in the three months to 30 June 2019 was 801,000oz, which was 7%, or 49,000oz, higher than the first quarter's production of 752,000oz. This improvement was consistent with the seasonal production trend highlighted at the start of the year. Total cash costs remained steady from the first quarter to the second quarter, while AISC improved \$13/oz over the same period, despite a \$36m, or 26% increase in capital expenditures in the second quarter. Free cash flow improved significantly in the second quarter of 2019 to \$78m, compared to \$19m in the second quarter of 2018, and an outflow of \$109m in the first quarter of 2019.

Free cash flow for the six months ended 30 June 2019 improved by \$20m to an outflow of \$31m, from an outflow of \$51m in the first six months of last year, despite the impact of the continued slow cash repatriation from the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC) relating to Kibali. The improvement in free cash flow was supported by lower operating costs and lower taxes paid. This was partially offset by lower gold production, a lower gold price received and working capital lockups. The Company generated \$68m free cash flow before growth capital during the first six months of the year, compared to \$13m generated during the same period last year.

As previously communicated, AngloGold Ashanti's operating partner at Kibali in the DRC, Barrick Gold Corporation, continues to engage with the DRC government and administration on issues related to the new mining code introduced in 2018, in order to ensure that the mining code equitably balances the interests of the DRC government and capital providers, to allow both to participate fairly in the value creation that the mining industry offers. All holders of mining rights as of June 2018 have reserved their rights under the 2002 Mining Code. Free cash flow continued to be affected by the slower than anticipated Kibali loan repayments, as the country's new administration is in the process of being established. At 30 June 2019, \$121m (AngloGold Ashanti's attributable share) has not been repatriated, of which \$98m relates to the first six months of 2019. Cash of \$31m was received for the six months ended 30 June 2019. AngloGold Ashanti continues to engage with Barrick regarding this matter and it is expected that the cash will be received in the near future.

An increase in headline earnings year-on-year was delivered despite the lower production and gold price received, demonstrating a solid performance from a number of the group's operating assets.

Headline earnings were \$120m, or 29 US cents per share, for the first six months of 2019 versus \$99m, or 24 US cents per share in the first half of 2018. The earnings were favourably impacted by prior period retrenchment costs related to the restructured South African operations of \$22m (post-tax), or 5 US cents per share not repeating; the Brazilian power utility legal settlement received of \$11m (post-tax), or 3 US cents per share; and increased earnings from joint ventures, mainly Kibali, of \$38m (post-tax), or 9 US cents per share. Adverse impacts on earnings included a decrease in net by-product revenue of \$25m (post-tax), or 6 US cents per share mainly relating to a decrease in silver sales and silver price received at Cerro Vanguardia; and an increase in environmental rehabilitation costs of \$27m (post-tax and non-cash), or 7 US cents per share as a result of adverse impacts of lower risk-free interest rates used in determining the environmental rehabilitation obligations.

The Company reported basic earnings attributable to shareholders of \$114m, or 27 US cents per share for the first six months of 2019. This compares to basic earnings of \$33m, or 8 US cents per share in the first half of last year, which included the adverse impact of \$66m (post-tax), or 16 US cents per share related to the impairment of the Mine Waste Solutions Uranium plant in South Africa during that period.

Resulting from the above, adjusted earnings before interest, tax, depreciation and amortisation (Adjusted EBITDA) came in 5% lower at \$689m during the first half of 2019, compared to \$723m in the first half of last year.

The ratio of Adjusted net debt to Adjusted EBITDA at 30 June 2019 was 1.20 times, compared to 1.27 times reported at 31 March 2019 reflecting a positive operating performance trend. This is expected to continue to improve during the course of the year, in line with historical trends as production is expected to increase in the third quarter and even further in the fourth quarter of the year. The current Adjusted net debt to Adjusted EBITDA ratio falls well below the covenant ratio of 3.5 times, which applies under the revolving credit facilities, and continues to move towards AngloGold Ashanti's own target of 1.0 times, through the cycle.

The balance sheet and liquidity position remains robust. Cash and cash equivalents rose 59% year-on-year from \$215m at 30 June 2018 to \$342m at 30 June 2019. Adjusted net debt declined by 3% to \$1.739bn at the end of the first half of 2019, from \$1.786bn at 30 June 2018. At 30 June 2019, \$1.38bn was available on the \$1.4bn multi-currency revolving credit facility (RCF), approximately R4.25bn was available from the South African Rand RCFs and other facilities.

Capital expenditure (including equity accounted investments) decreased by \$17m, or 5%, from \$335m for the six months ended 30 June 2018 to \$318m for the six months ended 30 June 2019. The decrease was largely related to last year's South African asset disposals, the completion of investment in processing improvements at Sunrise Dam in Australia, the reduced combination plant capital expenditure at Siguiri, and lower capital spend at Iduapriem and Kibali. The decrease in capital expenditure was partly offset by the growth capital incurred at Obuasi. It is expected that the group's capital expenditure will increase in the second half of the year relative to the first half, in line with past trends and taking the Obuasi project investment into consideration.

Key projects remain on track and within budget. Obuasi remains a strategic priority for the management team and a key area of growth for our business with work continuing towards achieving its first gold pour at the end of this year. The Siguiri combination plant has now been completed. The development of the underground reserve at Tropicana's Boston Shaker deposit is making steady progress, creating a runway for the mine to extend its strong contributions to the group.

# Summary of operating and cost variations:

Particulars	Six months ended June 2019	Six months ended June 2018	% Variation six months vs prior year six months	Three months ended June 2019	Three months ended June 2018	% Variation three months vs prior year three months
Operating review Gold						
Production (kozs)	1,554	1,629	(5)	801	805	_
Production from retained operations (kozs)	1,554	1,578	(2)	801	805	_
Financial review						
Gold price received (\$/oz) ***	1,299	1,310	(1)	1,302	1,297	_
Total cash costs (\$/oz) ***	792	823	(4)	792	815	(3)
Corporate & marketing costs (\$m) *	40	37	8	20	20	_
Exploration & evaluation costs (\$m)	51	46	11	26	25	4
All-in sustaining costs (\$/oz) ** ***	1,002	1,020	(2)	996	1,014	(2)
All-in costs (\$/oz) ** ***	1,118	1,109	1	1,126	1,116	1
Adjusted EBITDA (\$m) ***	689	723	(5)	382	340	12
Net cash inflow from operating activities (\$m)	343	321	7	276	205	35
Free cash (outflow) / inflow (\$m) ***	(31)	(51)	39	78	19	311
Capital expenditure (\$m)	318	335	(5)	177	165	7

<sup>\*</sup> Includes administration and other expenses.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Refer to "Non-GAAP disclosure" for definition.

Free cash flow (\$m) <sup>(4)</sup>					
	Six months ended Jun 2019	Six months ended Jun 2018	Three months ended Jun 2019	Three months ended Jun 2018	Year ended Dec 2018
Net cash inflow from operating activities	343	321	276	205	857
Capital expenditure	(293)	(293)	(161)	(145)	(652)
Net cash from operating activities after capital expenditure	50	28	115	60	205
Repayment of lease liabilities	(20)	_	(12)	_	-
Finance costs accrued per income statement	(75)	(69)	(38)	(33)	(140)
Net cash flow after capital expenditure and interest	(45)	(41)	65	27	65
Other investing activities	26	308	27	(2)	317
Credit facility transaction costs	_	_	_	_	(10)
Add backs:					
Cash restricted for use	(12)	(9)	(14)	(6)	4
Proceeds on disposal of Moab Khotsong and Kopanang assets	-	(309)	ı	_	(309)
Free cash flow	(31)	(51)	78	19	67

 $<sup>^{(4)}</sup>$  Refer to note F under "Non-GAAP disclosure" for definition .

<sup>\*\*</sup> World Gold Council standard.

### 2019 Guidance

		Guidance	Notes
Production (000oz)		3,250 - 3,450	A stronger second half expected for Geita, Siguiri, Sunrise Dam, Mponeng and Brazil
Costs	All-in sustaining costs (\$/oz)	935 - 995	See economic assumptions below
Cosis	Total cash costs (\$/oz)	730 - 780	See economic assumptions below
Overheads Corporate costs (\$m)		75 - 85	
	Expensed exploration and study costs (\$m)	130 - 140	Including equity accounted joint ventures
	Total (\$m)	850 - 920	
Capital expenditure	Sustaining capex (\$m)	520 - 560	
	Non-sustaining capex (\$m)	330 - 360	Expenditure related to Obuasi, Siguiri, Tropicana, Quebradona and Mponeng
Depreciation and amorti	sation (\$m)	680	
Depreciation and amorti	sation - included in equity accounted earnings (\$m)	160	Earnings of associates and joint ventures
Interest and finance cos	ts (\$m) - income statement	130	
Other operating expenses (\$m)		85	Primarily related to the costs of care and maintenance for Obuasi and South African region

The 2019 guidance for key operating metrics, including production, costs and sustaining capital expenditure, is maintained at the previous levels reported. The growth capital metric has been revised downwards due to the timing of some of the Obuasi capital spend, however the overall Obuasi project budget remains intact. Economic assumptions are as follows: ZAR14.00/\$, \$/A\$0.75, BRL3.65/\$, AP40.00/\$; Brent \$74/bl.

Both production and cost estimates assume neither operational or labour interruptions, or power disruptions, nor any changes to asset portfolio and/or operating mines (and thus do not give effect to any of the contemplated divestitures in South Africa, Argentina and Mali) and have not been reviewed by our external auditors. Other unknown or unpredictable factors could also have material adverse effects on our future results and no assurance can be given that any expectations expressed by AngloGold Ashanti will prove to have been correct. Accordingly, actual results could differ from guidance and any deviation may be significant. Please refer to the Risk Factors section in AngloGold Ashanti's annual report on Form 20-F for the year ended 31 December 2018, filed with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC).

### **SAFETY UPDATE**

AngloGold Ashanti's operations reached a number of significant safety milestones during this first half of the year, as we continue our vigilance and further improve our safety practices to ensure safe workplaces for our colleagues.

The group achieved four consecutive quarters and a total of 449 days without a fatality at 30 June 2019, a first in the Company's history. The group All Injury Frequency Rate (AIFR) saw a 35% improvement at 3.63 per million hours worked for the six months ended 30 June 2019 from 5.60 per million hours worked in the same period a year ago. For the second quarter in 2019, the Company achieved an AIFR of 3.07 per million hours worked compared to 4.22 per million hours worked in the first quarter in 2019, representing a 27% improvement. The safety performance in the second quarter of this year was the best in the Company's history.

Operational safety highlights for the second quarter included:

- Record AIFR of 5.28 per million hours worked at the South Africa operations and lost-time injury rate of 4.58 per million hours worked.
- Obuasi redevelopment project recorded 1 million Lost Time Injury Free hours on 19 June 2019. Only one injury has been recorded since the start of the project in April 2018.
- Geita was named Overall Winner in Safety and Health best practice among 40 companies with mining operations in Tanzania.
- The Geita, Tropicana and Córrego do Sítio operations and the Colombia project had an injury-free quarter.

The Company remains focused on the successful execution of our safe production strategy. Close tracking of High Potential Incidents (HPIs) - low-frequency, high consequence events - remains an important source of learning and encourages heightened awareness. The Company recorded 34% fewer HPIs year-on-year.

# Update on Ebola outbreak

The Ebola outbreak in the DRC continues to impact the Ituri and North Kivu provinces of the DRC, which are located more than 500 kilometres from the Kibali operations. Teams at the Kibali mine are working in close collaboration with local and national authorities and partners to monitor outbreak trends and adjust preparedness responses accordingly. Robust infection control measures are in place and awareness programmes have been initiated through a detailed and comprehensive Ebola plan. In addition, daily monitoring continues at the group level. All of the Company's sites continue to be ready for an Ebola emergency, maintaining systems and resources to detect the virus as early as possible.

### **OPERATING HIGHLIGHTS**

### **African Operations**

The **Continental Africa** region delivered a solid operating performance for the six month period ended 30 June 2019, producing 711,000oz at a total cash cost of \$792/oz compared to 695,000oz at a total cash cost of \$816/oz in the first half of 2018. AISC for the region were \$932/oz for the first half of the year compared with \$939/oz for the same period last year.

In the DRC, Kibali's production increased as underground mining operations reached steady state performance after commissioning of the shaft, thereby displacing lower grade open pit material. This resulted in a 21% increase in recovered grade, partly offset by a 7% decrease in tonnes treated. For the six months ended 30 June 2019, total cash costs decreased by 23% year-on-year from \$699/oz to \$541/oz, mainly

due to higher gold production and a lower open-pit stripping ratio resulting in stockpile additions and a corresponding credit to cost. Total cash costs decreased despite the higher royalty rate.

In Tanzania, Geita's production improved as a result of a 20% increase in recovered grade from Nyankanga Block 5 and from underground operations, despite lower plant throughput due to maintenance of the ball mill end-plate during the first half of the year. For the six months ended 30 June 2019, total cash costs decreased on higher gold production by 5% year-on-year from \$891/oz to \$846/oz, partly offset by the increased utilisation of stockpile material compared to the same period a year ago.

In Ghana, Iduapriem's year-on-year increase in production was mainly due to a 10% increase in recovered grade resulting from access to higher grade ore from Teberebie Cut 1 and Cut 3 as well as better grade control practice. This increase was partially offset by a 2% decrease in tonnage treated due to power instability from the national grid resulting in lower plant availability when compared to the previous period. This has been resolved by a power grid changeover to Volta River Authority and GRIDCO pairing, which assisted power stability. Early signs of this change are reflected in improvements in tonnages treated during the month of June 2019, recording significantly increased milled tonnes, the highest ever in the life of the mine. For the six months ended 30 June 2019, total cash costs decreased by 6% year-on-year from \$781/oz to \$732/oz on the back of higher production at a lower stripping ratio.

The Iduapriem Stability Agreement expired at the end of April 2019. AngloGoldAshanti (Iduapriem) Limited is in engagement with the Government of Ghana in relation to a new Stability Agreement for the remainder of the operational mine life.

In Guinea, Siguiri's production declined by 18% when compared to the first half of last year from 127,000oz to 104,000oz given the drop in tonnes treated and the processing of lower feed grade material during this period as the combination plant was being commissioned. Total cash costs were impacted by the lower production and higher tonnes mined compared to the same period a year ago. Production trended upwards in the second quarter compared to the first quarter of the year and it is expected that production will continue to improve over the course of the year, as the new hard rock plant continues to be integrated, stabilised and optimised.

In Mali, Sadiola's production decreased by 16% to 25,000oz for the first six months of 2019 from 30,000oz during the same period last year, reflecting a decrease in recovered grade as plant feed was limited to stockpile treatment. Total cash costs decreased by 3% to \$954/oz for the first half of 2019 from \$980/oz for the same period last year, reflecting operational efficiency improvements.

Production at Morila increased by 7% to 16,000oz for the first six months of 2019 from 15,000oz during the same period last year, as a result of increased recovered grade due to the availability and treatment of higher-grade material from the Viper pit, partly offset by the treatment of harder ore compared to the blend of softer tailings and oxides treated in the same period a year ago. Total cash costs were impacted by the higher operating costs, partly alleviated by improved production.

The **South Africa** region produced 193,000oz at a total cash cost of \$1,021/oz for the first half of 2019, compared to 257,000oz (206,000oz from retained operations) at a total cash cost of \$1,152/oz (\$1,115/oz from retained operations) in the first half of last year. Total cash costs decreased year-on-year, attributable to operating efficiencies as well as a weaker exchange rate, partially offset by lower production. Cost reduction initiatives, aimed at calibrating both on- and off-mine cost structures with a smaller production base, are on-going in line with the Company's focus on operational excellence. AISC were \$1,169/oz for the first half of the year ended June 2019 compared with \$1,308/oz for the same period last year.

Mponeng produced 114,000oz at a total cash cost of \$1,018/oz for the six months ended June 2019, compared with 119,000oz at a total cash cost of \$1,147/oz in the first half of last year. The mine experienced some limitations on face length availability as a de-risking process was implemented to manage seismicity in the above 120 level mining area during the first half of the year. Seismicity remains a challenge in the region, which continues to be monitored closely.

Shift arrangements introduced at Mponeng in November 2018 have progressed well. Employees have responded positively to the new schedules, resulting in a 47% improved safety performance, a 19% uplift in productivity and a 6% increased rate of face advancement.

The Surface Operations and Mine Waste Solutions (MWS) production was negatively impacted by intermittent power availability from Eskom and inclement weather, which had an adverse impact on tonnages processed and plant stability, particularly at MWS where it impacted metallurgical efficiencies. Early signs of improvement were evident towards the end of the first half of the year, with better grades at MWS achieved by more efficient blending of feed sources and improving metallurgical efficiencies in the processing plants.

## **International Operations**

The **Australia** region produced 316,000oz at a total cash cost of \$704/oz in the first half of 2019, compared to 306,000oz at a total cash cost of \$790/oz in the first half of last year. AISC for the first half of 2019 were \$939/oz compared to \$1,052/oz in the first half of last year.

At Sunrise Dam, production was 11% lower at 136,000oz for the first six months ended 30 June 2019 compared to 153,000oz during the same period last year. The 11% drop in production was due to a lower mill feed grade and lower metallurgical recovery from the ore mined. The ore in the first quarter of 2018 was sourced from a particularly high grade, coarse-gold zone within Midway Shear that had a high metallurgical recovery. Focus is still very much on ore development in the Vogue ore body, which is expected to increase feed grade and mining flexibility going forward.

At Tropicana, production increased by 18% to 180,000oz for the first six months of 2019 from 153,000oz during the same period last year, largely driven by higher mill throughput following the successful commissioning of the second ball mill in November 2018. Processing plant throughput is now operating consistently at an annualised rate of 8.1mtpa.

In addition, Tropicana has committed to trialling Autonomous Drilling. This has the potential to improve drill productivity by approximately 15%, reducing the number of drills and operators required from 2020 if the trial is successful. Autonomous drilling is expected to reduce wear, extend drill bit life and improve utilisation of the equipment.

The **Americas** region produced 334,000oz at a total cash cost of \$757/oz for the first half of the 2019 year compared to 371,000oz at a total cash cost of \$662/oz in the first half of last year. AISC for the first half of 2019 were \$1,004/oz compared to \$877/oz in the first half of last year.

In Brazil, AngloGold Ashanti Mineração delivered stable production and cash cost performance when compared to last year. Total cash costs benefited from the favourable exchange rate against the US Dollar, partially offset by an increase in operational costs as spare parts, power equipment and vehicle-maintenance costs increased. Costs were also impacted by cashflow estimate updates to environmental rehabilitation obligations.

Total development metres at the Cuiabá mine reached a new site record of 1,101m in May 2019, exceeding the previous best of 1,059m recorded in September 2017. This was made possible through the implementation of projects to increase mobile equipment utilisation and reliability, in addition to improving infrastructure and successfully mobilising a new underground development contractor. The new contractor is consistently delivering approximately 300 metres of ore reserve development (ORD) a month. This performance is expected to further improve and the focus is on priority headings to accelerate access to the deeper and higher grade main ore body. Total development metres for the Cuiabá complex, i.e. Cuiabá and Lamego mines, averaged 1,348m per month for the six months ended 30 June 2019.

Serra Grande saw production decrease by 7% to 51,000oz for the six months ended 30 June 2019, compared to 55,000oz for the six months ended 30 June 2018, reflecting lower ore tonnes mined and treated in line with the mine plan. Total cash costs benefited from favourable exchange rate impacts and gold inventory movements, partially offset by cost escalation and the lower production levels.

Operational excellence initiatives are focused on improving meters developed, achieving cost reductions, enhancing safety and ensuring effective contractor management. A key focus area is to drive a step-change improvement in development rates across all the operations. This includes extensive internal and external benchmarking to identify best practices in drilling, blasting and ground support along with the optimal development cycle. It is expected that increased ORD will materially improve resource confidence, create flexibility by having additional workplaces which in turn will increase production to match available processing plant capacity.

In Argentina, Cerro Vanguardia's gold production declined by 23% to 108,000oz for the first six months of 2019 from 141,000oz during the same period last year. The production was impacted by the anticipated reduction in grades compared to the same period last year, in line with current life of mine plans. Total cash costs were higher as production decreased, and as a result of the inflationary effects mainly on labour costs, and the reduced by-product revenue generated from silver sales. This was partially mitigated by a favourable exchange rate and operational efficiencies derived from lower consumable costs and better advance rates in the underground mine. Costs also benefited from lower heap leach costs and a favourable stockpile movement.

### **CORPORATE UPDATE**

#### Portfolio Streamlining

AngloGold Ashanti has initiated separate processes to review divestment options for assets in South Africa, Mali and Argentina in an effort to streamline its portfolio, optimise capital allocation and increase focus in areas with the highest potential for growth. These processes, specifically related to its remaining South African assets, the Sadiola mine in Mali and the Cerro Vanguardia mine in Argentina, seek to attract strong buyers who have the ability to invest in the future of these assets. AngloGold Ashanti seeks to achieve what it considers fair value for these assets. Although these processes are underway, they may ultimately not result in any change to the ownership of these assets.

All of the above processes are proceeding. In respect of the process related to the review of divestment options for its remaining South African assets, AngloGold Ashanti has received strong interest and the first phase of a potential sales process, namely desktop due diligence review with a view to the submit indicative proposals, is currently underway. In respect of Cerro Vanguardia, following receipt of indicative proposals, the process proceeded during the second quarter of 2019 to the second phase of further due diligence, including site visits. In respect of Sadiola, various interested parties are continuing to conduct due diligence, including site visits.

# **Tanzania Arbitration Proceedings Update**

In respect of the ongoing arbitration proceedings, which commenced in July 2017, AngloGold Ashanti's focus continues to be on pursuing a collaborative dialogue with the government of Tanzania. As a result, the arbitration proceedings have been further suspended until 13 January 2020

## Silicosis and TB Class Action Settlement Update

On 26 July 2019, the Johannesburg High Court approved the settlement agreement in respect of the silicosis and tuberculosis class action. The class action settlement agreement is between the Occupational Lung Disease Working Group companies, which includes AngloGold Ashanti, and the settlement classes' representatives as well as the settlement classes' attorneys. This settlement agreement, resulting from three years of extensive negotiations, provides compensation to all eligible workers suffering from silicosis and/or tuberculosis who worked in the Occupational Lung Disease Working Group companies' mines from 12 March 1965 to date. This is the first class action settlement of its kind in South Africa.

## Brazil TSF update

Brazil's mining industry continues to feel the impact of stricter regulatory oversight and public scrutiny as a result of the collapse of a Tailings Storage Facility (TSF) operated by Vale in Brumadinho that occurred in January 2019. Licensing of TSFs in the state of Minas Gerais in Brazil was suspended in the first quarter in 2019. There are currently several draft bills under consideration at Federal and State levels which include, amongst others, proposals for a surety bond to cover TSFs related incidents, stricter requirements for approval, construction and inspection and maintenance of existing and new TSFs, a possible increase in mining royalties and taxes, and the possible removal of existing export incentives. AngloGold Ashanti's Brazilian operations are in compliance in all material respects with all laws and regulations as provided for in the existing permits.

# **Change to Board of Directors**

On 28 May 2019, AngloGold Ashanti announced the appointment of Ms Maria Ramos as an independent non-executive director to its board of directors, effective 1 June 2019. Ms Ramos will serve as a member of the Investment Committee and the Social and Ethics and Sustainability Committee.

### Rating action by Fitch Ratings Inc.

On 7 August 2019, Fitch Ratings Inc. (Fitch) confirmed a BBB- long-term corporate credit rating with a stable outlook for AngloGold Ashanti, which falls inside the investment grade category - refer announcement on the Fitch website at <a href="https://www.fitchratings.com/site/pr/10085222#">https://www.fitchratings.com/site/pr/10085222#</a>. This is the first time Fitch has provided AngloGold Ashanti with a rating. Of the three rating agencies that provide credit ratings to AngloGold Ashanti, two (Moody's Investor Service and Fitch), now assign the Company investment grade ratings.

### **Domestic Medium Term Note Programme (DMTN Programme)**

The Company will be deregistering its DMTN Programme from the JSE effective on 8 August 2019 per paragraph 1.15 of the JSE's Debt Listings Requirements.

### **UPDATE ON CAPITAL PROJECTS**

#### **Update on the Obuasi Redevelopment Project**

The overall project to achieve a production rate of 4,000tpd remains within budget and on schedule for completion at the end of 2020.

As communicated previously, the schedule to achieve an interim milestone of first gold production at the end of this year at a mining rate of 2,000tpd remains on a tight schedule. As the refurbishment has progressed there has been some growth in the refurbishment scope and the scope of procurement. Some steel work has required more extensive rebuild. The thickener gearboxes, MCCs and variable speed drives are obsolete and no longer have OEM support and are being purchased new. These changes are being managed within the project contingency.

In terms of progress with the sections of plant required for first gold production, mechanical completion is almost complete on the crushing, milling, flotation, biox module no1, and CIL circuits. Refurbishment work remains on the biox CCD circuit. The new jaw crusher and grizzly feeder were delivered to site. The new motor control switch boards are in transit. The electrical contractor has mobilised. The cooling tower has been shipped and is expected to arrive at the end of August 2019.

The work to achieve 4,000tpd at the end of 2020 is progressing well. Engineering is close to completion and is expected to be finalised in the third quarter of this year. Procurement is also close to completion. Demolition is complete. The SAG/Ball mills have been stripped to the shells. Civils have commenced. Major packages for the supply of structural steel and platework have been awarded. The piping package tender is currently in the market. The Paste-Fill plant contract has been awarded. Tenders have been called for the underground shaft, materials handling and pump station.

The operational readiness work is progressing well. Underground mine development is on track with 3,080m completed so far. Development to achieve first stoping, ventilation shaft and KRS shaft access is on schedule. The new GCVS ventilation shaft raise boring contract was awarded. Underground geological drilling commenced with 4 drill rigs now operating.

In compliance with the Reclamation Security Agreement, the mine closure & rehabilitation Community Consultative Committee has been formed. The committee includes representatives from the community and regulators. In line with our commitments, rehabilitation of the old treatment plant and shaft area in the north has commenced.

Ghanaian participation has also been a key commitment and we have made good progress in this area through contracting, procurement and employment. The civils, structural mechanical, electrical, reclamation and fuel supply contracts have been awarded to Ghanaian businesses. As for the mining contract, a joint venture was formed for the water treatment contract. Recruitment has progressed well and has been prioritised to the Obuasi communities and Ghanaian candidates.

A comprehensive Social Management Plan, which is aligned to the Ghanaian development goals has been rolled out and socialised with the community.

While costs remain within budget, due to the later completion of refurbishment work, timing of capital spend has been adjusted. The initial project capital for Obuasi remains around \$545m, including \$46m for the mining fleet purchased, of which 10% was spent in 2018, 50% is expected to be spent in 2019 and the remainder in 2020.

# Siguiri Combination Plant

The combination plant has now been completed. The focus for the third quarter of 2019 will be on treating a higher proportion of hard rock as the crusher is being ramped up to full design throughput, through feed blending and scalping of fine material to assist material flow.

## **Boston Shaker Underground Project**

The Boston Shaker Underground Project at Tropicana commenced on 8 May 2019, with the first blast of the portal taking place in the completed Tropicana pit. Boston Shaker underground is expected to contribute higher grade mill feed, resulting in an improved gold production profile and enhanced cash flow over the remaining life of mine.

Importantly, the project is expected to contribute to Tropicana's cash flow during the period from 2021 to 2023 when the mine plan includes periods of higher waste stripping in the Havana open pit. Ore from the underground mine is expected to enable Tropicana gold production to be maintained at between 450,000oz to 500,000oz per annum (100%) over the next five years (average of 480,000oz over the same period), while providing attractive returns.

The project has achieved approximately 322m of development during the second quarter of 2019 compared to the Feasibility Study target of 155m and remains on track to deliver first gold in the second half of 2020.

# **EXPLORATION UPDATE**

## **Greenfields Exploration Highlights**

Greenfields exploration activities during the first half of 2019 took place in Australia, Brazil and the USA. Greenfields exploration completed 40,516m of drilling globally with a total expenditure of \$16.8m for the period. In Australia, exploration took place in the Laverton District (100% owned) and Butcher Well and Lake Carey JV (51% earning to 70%). In the USA, Reverse Circulation (RC) and Diamond Drilling (DD) was

completed at the Silicon project in Nevada, and in Brazil, exploration focused on target generation activities. In Colombia, the company completed divestment of certain Greenfields exploration assets to Royal Road Minerals Limited in May 2019.

Australia: Air Core (AC) drilling at the Bismark prospect, 10km south of Sunrise Dam, highlighted three new coherent gold anomalies while AC drilling at the Ahab prospect delineated NNW-trending zone of anomalous gold extending approximately 1km on strike. AC drilling lines at the Cleveland prospect, a new regional target, intersected several anomalous gold intercepts associated with anomalous Ag, Pb and Zn. Infill AC drilling and DD are planned at all three prospects during the third quarter of the year. A total of 26,284m of AC drilling was completed in the Laverton district during the six months ended June 2019.

Elsewhere in Australia, six DD holes for 1,278m were completed at the Glandore project located 40km east of Kalgoorlie. Assay results are pending. In North Queensland (100%), two new intrusion-related gold prospects have been identified at the Lagoon Creek project. Additionally, a DD programme at Mt Clark is expected to commence during the third quarter of the year once the arrangements for the programme have been completed.

**United States of America:** A follow-up RC and DD programme at Silicon in Nevada was completed with 20 RC and 8 DD holes drilled for a total of 8,009m and 3,327m respectively during the six months ended June 2019. The programme followed up and further developed the understanding of the alteration system intersected in earlier drilling as well as testing other favourable litho-structural targets within the Silicon-Thompson structural corridor.

An Induced Polarisation (IP) survey was also completed, with the data assisting in refining drill targets within the primary alteration area in addition to highlighting potential additional targets within the mapped structural corridor. The second-year anniversary payment was made to Renaissance Gold during the period to maintain the Option Earn-in Agreement into the third and final year.

At Rhyolite, in Nevada, stream sediment sampling and concurrent surface mapping (1:5,000) and rock chip sampling commenced in the first half of 2019. The work focused on favourable target areas delineated during earlier reconnaissance trips. A total of 76 stream and 116 rock chip samples have been collected to date.

At Transvaal, in Nevada, surface gridded soil and stream sediment sampling commenced with a total of 191 and 47 samples collected, respectively. Additional mapping and sampling are scheduled to assist in delineating target areas for further work.

In Minnesota, winter roto-sonic drilling was completed over four target areas with 54 holes completed for a total of 1,619m. All results for the roto-sonic drilling have been received and interpretation of the data is ongoing.

### **Brownfields Exploration Highlights**

During the first half of 2019, Brownfields exploration activities were undertaken across Tanzania, Guinea, Ghana, the DRC, Argentina, Brazil, Colombia and Australia. Brownfields exploration completed a total 416,980m of drilling at a total expenditure for the first half of \$33.8m.

**Tanzania:** Surface and Underground drilling programmes at Geita completed a total of 43,034m for the first half of the year. Star & Comet Cut 2 and 3 exploratory drilling commenced towards the end of the second quarter 2019 and confirmed the continuity of mineralisation as projected. Results from Nyankanga confirmed and extended the interpreted mineralisation within Blocks 1 to 5. The preparation for surface drilling at Ridge 8 has been completed.

**Guinea:** Drilling programmes completed a total of 44,529m during the first half of the year. At Kami and at Kozan, infill drilling extended mineralisation below the Mineral Resource shell into the fresh rock with significant intersections reported. At Tubani South, the mineralisation was extended in the oxide. Sterilisation drilling at Kozan PB3 continues with two drillholes completed.

Drilling at Silokoro included five programmes, while at Kossise assays results confirm the extension of the mineralisation below the pit into the fresh rock close to the main faults and reconnaissance drilling at Balato North is nearing completion with all assays awaited.

Advance grade control at Foulata is half way complete and drilling at Saraya North, West and South was completed in the first quarter with the advance grade control done during the second quarter. At Seguelen fresh rock drilling continues and at Bidini drilling indicates that the mineralisation extends, in oxide, to the east of the pit. At Setiguiya West, reconnaissance drilling is half complete. Observations show high veining density in the central part of the target.

**Ghana:** At Iduapriem drilling totalled 5,293m during the first half of the year. At Ajopa two phases of drilling provided multiple significant intercepts. Mineral Resource conversion drilling at Block 1 confirmed overturned folding. Significant intercepts were returned. At Badukrom, two holes were drilled, and results received indicate that the mineralisation is hosted within fault zones. Thin high-grade intercepts were returned from the first hole. Drilling also started at Efuanta.

At Obuasi, drilling restarted with a total of 973m drilled in the underground exploration programme.

**Democratic Republic of the Congo:** Drilling programmes completed a total of 10,359m during the first half of the year in the Gorumbwa-Sessenge gap, at Ikamva, along the Kalimva-Ikamva and in other areas within the Kibali concession.

**Argentina:** Channel sampling continued with 11 channels cut across the Molino vein. The surface reconnaissance and mapping programme in the northern part of the Cerro Vanguardia lease continued. Ground magnetics lines (950km) were captured over the Laguna del Mineral and Aguila-Trinidad-Colo veins. Infill drilling continued on the Concepcion and the Laguna del Mineral veins.

Brazil: At Cuiabá, an aggressive drilling strategy is being pursued, with a focus on resource conversion.

The drilling campaign on the Galinheiro Footwall secondary target was completed and showed positive results. Economic gold grades were intersected from Level 11 on the quartz-vein targets. Drilling on Level 13 targeting the Viana orebody returned good results with grades of around 5g/t and thicknesses close to 1m. The gold grades for the Canta Galo and Balancão targets on Levels 15 and 16 demonstrate high grades and continuity. The Fonte Grande target below Level 19 is still showing positive results with the continuity and thicknesses well defined.

At Lamego, the Cabeça de Pedra target drilling campaign continued to report good results and the geological model has been updated. Results from Carruagem southwest target UG drilling campaign shows high grades and good potential for continuity towards the southwest. The narrowing distance between the two-fold limbs has been confirmed. The first field reconnaissance programme was started at the Gaia Target (eastern extension of Lamego Mine).

At **Córrego Do Sítio**, capitalised and expensed drilling programmes completed a total of 54,168m during the first half of 2019. The focus at Córrego do Sítio remains to identify and develop additional near-term ore sources to develop a two-year plan to establish the site's full endowment. Underground conversion and additional drilling were carried out in Laranjeiras and Carvoaria.

The surface drilling campaign in the region of the Rosalino target ended and returned excellent results. At Rosalino Sul the confidence in the Mineral Resource model was increased to Indicated.

At Mutuca, the extension drilling targeting the down plunge direction was successful. High-grade intersections were frequent, and it was possible to extend the model down plunge by at least 150m. The orebody is still open and further drilling is planned.

Five holes were completed in the northern portion of the São Bento mine (part of Córrego Do Sítio) and one significant intercept with free gold was received. A project to reintegrate old maps, transverse sections and orebodies interpreted over the years started. A drilling campaign was designed between Levels 21 to 23. This will require 350m of rehabilitation on Level 21 and the development of an exploration drift.

At **Serra Grande**, capitalised and expensed drilling programmes completed a total of 64,148m during the first half of 2019. At Inga, results confirmed the continuity of orebodies 9i4 and 9i2a. A significant intersection was returned from the corridor between Inga Mine and the down plunge of Mina Nova.

At Pequizão, positive results confirmed the continuity of Orebody G down plunge. While positive results to the south of the Mangaba orebody confirmed the continuity and possible extension of mineralisation. Drilling at Orebody 4 confirmed the continuity of the down plunge extensions.

Significant intercepts at Palmeiras South confirm the high-grade zone, whilst the intercepts returned from Mino Nova confirmed continuation and an increased volume of the main ore body.

The intercepts from Limoeiro indicate down plunge continuity as well as the presence of a short-term opportunity near the Expressa ramp.

**Colombia:** At Gramalote, an infill plan for Gramalote Central, Trinidad and Monjas West was defined and field inspections completed. The drilling procurement process has been completed and is being internally reviewed prior to the final approval. At Quebradona, the feasibility drilling as well as the geotechnical testing programme have been completed with the conceptual hydrogeological model completed.

**Australia:** At Tropicana drilling was concentrated on extensions, specifically testing the potential at Boston Shaker, Tropicana, Havana North and South, Havana, Havana South, Sanpan, Madras, Angel Eyes and the Southern Traverses.

A regional gravity survey, covering all tenements within the Sunrise Dam Combined Reporting Group, was completed and processed. Drilling programmes at Sunrise Dam completed a total of 70,112m during the first half of the year. A total of 90 significant intercepts were reported in the first half of 2019; 53 from Vogue, 11 from Cosmo East, 18 from Midway Shear and Midway Shear Steeps, one from Carey Shear Zone, one from MLE3, five from Regional EIS drilling and one from Sunrise south.

Assay results returned during the first half of 2019 show:

- An extension of Vogue mineralisation south of the current Indicated Mineral Resource, over an approximate 200m strike length;
- Southern extensions to Midway Shear Steep ore domains, approximately 135m south of current Indicated Mineral Resource;
- Southern extensions to Cosmo East, approximately 140m south of the current ore domains and locally improved definition of mineralisation down-dip;
- Continuity of mineralisation along a low angle structure between the Vogue domain and Carey Shear Zone;
- Mineralisation 600m to the south of the mine, suggesting the continuation of the Vogue orebody.

For a detailed disclosure on the exploration work done during the six months ended 30 June 2019 see the Exploration Update document on the Company's website (www.anglogoldashanti.com) on both Brownfields and Greenfields exploration programmes.



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# Independent auditor's review report on the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements for the six months ended 30 June 2019 to the Shareholders of AngloGold Ashanti Limited

We have reviewed the condensed consolidated financial statements of AngloGold Ashanti Limited contained in the accompanying interim report on pages 13 to 32, which comprise the accompanying condensed consolidated statement of financial position as at 30 June 2019 and the condensed consolidated income statement, statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the six months then ended, and selected explanatory notes.

Directors' Responsibility for the Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements

The directors are responsible for the preparation and presentation of these interim financial statements in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standard, (IAS) 34 Interim Financial Reporting, the SAICA Financial Reporting Guides, as issued by the Accounting Practices Committee and Financial Pronouncements as issued by Financial Reporting Standards Council and the requirements of the Companies Act of South Africa, and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of interim financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

## Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on these interim financial statements. We conducted our review in accordance with International Standard on Review Engagements (ISRE) 2410, Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity. ISRE 2410 requires us to conclude whether anything has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the interim financial statements are not prepared in all material respects in accordance with the applicable financial reporting framework. This standard also requires us to comply with relevant ethical requirements.

A review of interim financial statements in accordance with ISRE 2410 is a limited assurance engagement. We perform procedures, primarily consisting of making inquiries of management and others within the entity, as appropriate, and applying analytical procedures, and evaluate the evidence obtained.

The procedures performed in a review are substantially less than and differ in nature from those performed in an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion on these financial statements.

# Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying condensed consolidated financial statements of AngloGold Ashanti Limited for the six months ended 30 June 2019 are not prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standard, (IAS) 34 *Interim Financial Reporting*, the SAICA Financial Reporting Guides as issued by the Accounting Practices Committee and Financial Pronouncements as issued by Financial Reporting Standards Council and the requirements of the Companies Act of South Africa.

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Registered Auditor
Chartered Accountant (SA)
07 August 2019

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# **GROUP – INCOME STATEMENT**

		Six months	Six months	Year
		ended	ended	ended
		Jun	Jun	Dec
		2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Notes	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
Revenue from product sales	2	1,826	2,002	3,943
Cost of sales	3	(1,496)	(1,602)	(3,173)
Gain (loss) on non-hedge derivatives and other commodity contracts		7	10	2
Gross profit		337	410	772
Corporate administration, marketing and other expenses		(40)	(37)	(76)
Exploration and evaluation costs		(51)	(46)	(102)
Other operating expenses	4	(49)	(57)	(97)
Special items	5	(6)	(151)	(170)
Operating profit (loss)		191	119	327
Interest income		8	9	17
Dividends received		_	_	2
Other gains and (losses)		(1)	3	(9)
Finance costs and unwinding of obligations	6	(96)	(85)	(178)
Fair value adjustments		1	_	(3)
Share of associates and joint ventures' profit (loss)	7	78	40	122
Profit (loss) before taxation		181	86	278
Taxation	8	(65)	(43)	(128)
Profit (loss) after taxation		116	43	150
Allocated as follows:				
Equity shareholders		114	33	133
Non-controlling interests		2	10	17
Non-controlling interests		116	43	150
		116	43	130
Basic profit (loss) per ordinary share (cents) (1)		27	8	32
Diluted profit (loss) per ordinary share (cents) (2)		27	8	32

<sup>(1)</sup> Calculated on the basic weighted average number of ordinary shares.

The financial statements for the six months ended 30 June 2019 have been prepared by the corporate accounting staff of AngloGold Ashanti Limited headed by Mr Ian Kramer (CA (SA)), the Group's SVP: Group Finance. This process was supervised by Ms Kandimathie Christine Ramon (CA (SA)), the Group's Chief Financial Officer and Mr Kelvin Dushnisky (B.Sc. (Honours); M.Sc; J.D.), the Group's Chief Executive Officer. The financial statements for the six months ended 30 June 2019 were reviewed, but not audited, by the Group's statutory auditors, Ernst & Young Inc.

Any forward looking financial information disclosed in this results announcement has not been reviewed or audited or otherwise reported on by Ernst & Young Inc.

Certain information presented in this results announcement constitutes pro forma financial information. This information is the responsibility of the Company's board of directors and is presented for illustrative purposes only. Because of its nature the pro forma financial information may not fairly present the Company's financial information, changes in equity and results of operations or cash flows. This information has not been reviewed or audited or otherwise reported on by Ernst & Young Inc.

 $<sup>^{(2)}</sup>$  Calculated on the diluted weighted average number of ordinary shares.

# **GROUP – STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME**

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
Profit (loss) for the period	116	43	150
Items that will be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:			
Exchange differences on translation of foreign operations	9	(102)	(150)
Items that will not be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss:			
Net gain (loss) on equity investments	(7)	25	9
Actuarial gain (loss) recognised	_	_	5
Deferred taxation thereon	2	_	(5)
	(5)	25	9
Other comprehensive income (loss) for the period, net of tax	4	(77)	(141)
Total comprehensive income (loss) for the period, net of tax	120	(34)	9
Allocated as follows:			
Equity shareholders	118	(44)	(8)
Non-controlling interests	2	10	17
	120	(34)	9

# **GROUP – STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION**

		As at	As at	As at
		Jun	Jun	Dec
US Dollar million	Note	2019 Reviewed	2018 Reviewed	2018 Audited
	Note	itevieweu	Neviewed	Addited
ASSETS				
Non-current assets				
Tangible assets		3,374	3,478	3,381
Right of use assets	14	179		
Intangible assets		121	131	123
Investments in associates and joint ventures		1,573	1,504	1,528
Other investments		136	150	141
Inventories		126	91	106
Trade, other receivables and other assets		119	73	102
Deferred taxation			5	_
Cash restricted for use	_	36	34	35
	_	5,664	5,466	5,416
Current assets				
Other investments		7	6	6
Inventories		649	646	652
Trade, other receivables and other assets		228	252	209
Cash restricted for use		17	19	31
Cash and cash equivalents		342	215	329
		1,243	1,138	1,227
Total assets		6,907	6,604	6,643
EQUITY AND LIABILITIES				
Share capital and premium	10	7,192	7,157	7,171
Accumulated losses and other reserves	10	(4,444)	(4,552)	(4,519)
Shareholders' equity	-	2,748	2,605	2,652
Non-controlling interests		32	36	42
Total equity	-	2,780	2,641	2,694
	-	_,	_,	
Non-current liabilities				
Borrowings		1,324	2,004	1,911
Lease liabilities	14	145	222	007
Environmental rehabilitation and other provisions		872	868	827
Provision for pension and post-retirement benefits		102	111	100
Trade, other payables and deferred income		4	2	3
Deferred taxation	_	293	359	315
	_	2,740	3,344	3,156
Current liabilities				
Borrowings		731	47	139
Lease liabilities	14	49		
Trade, other payables, deferred income and provisions		564	536	594
Taxation		43	36	60
		1,387	619	793
Total liabilities		4,127	3,963	3,949
Total equity and liabilities		6,907	6,604	6,643

# **GROUP – STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS**

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
Cash flows from operating activities			
Receipts from customers	1,811	1,981	3,947
Payments to suppliers and employees	(1,433)	(1,613)	(3,015)
Cash generated from operations	378	368	932
Dividends received from joint ventures	33	49	91
Taxation refund	7	_	5
Taxation paid	(75)	(96)	(171)
Net cash inflow (outflow) from operating activities	343	321	857
Cash flows from investing activities			
Capital expenditure	(293)	(293)	(652)
Dividends from other investments	_	_	2
Proceeds from disposal of tangible assets	2	310	313
Other investments acquired	(28)	(54)	(81)
Proceeds from disposal of other investments	31	76	98
Investments in associates and joint ventures	(2)	(5)	(8)
Loans advanced to associates and joint ventures	(3)	(3)	(5)
Loans repaid by associates and joint ventures	6	_	22
Cash payment to settle the sale of environmental trust fund	_	(32)	(32)
Decrease (increase) in cash restricted for use	12	9	(4)
Interest received	8	7	12
Net cash inflow (outflow) from investing activities	(267)	15	(335)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Proceeds from borrowings	154	283	753
Repayment of borrowings	(82)	(500)	(967)
Repayment of lease liabilities	(20)	_	_
Finance costs paid	(68)	(66)	(130)
Lease finance costs paid	(5)	_	_
Bond settlement premium, RCF and bond transaction costs	_	_	(10)
Dividends paid	(43)	(39)	(39)
Net cash inflow (outflow) from financing activities	(64)	(322)	(393)
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	12	14	129
Translation	1	(4)	(5)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	329	205	205
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	342	215	329

# **GROUP – STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN EQUITY**

			Equity holders	of the parent	t				
US Dollar million	Share capital and premium	Other capital reserves	Accumulated losses Retained earnings	Fair value through OCI	Actuarial (losses) gains	Foreign currency translation reserve	Total	Non- controlling interests	Total equity
Balance at 31 December 2017	7,134	124	(3,349)	33	(16)	(1,263)	2,663	41	2,704
Profit (loss) for the period			33		()	(1,=11)	33	10	43
Other comprehensive income (loss)				25		(102)	(77)		(77)
Total comprehensive income (loss)			33	25	_	(102)	(44)	10	(34)
Shares issued	23					, ,	23		23
Share-based payment for share awards net of exercised		(13)					(13)		(13)
Dividends paid			(24)				(24)		(24)
Dividends of subsidiaries							_	(15)	(15)
Transfer of gain on disposal of equity investments			13	(13)			_		_
Translation		(7)	6	1			_		_
Balance at 30 June 2018	7,157	104	(3,321)	46	(16)	(1,365)	2,605	36	2,641
Balance at 31 December 2018	7,171	96	(3,227)	37	(12)	(1,413)	2,652	42	2,694
Profit (loss) for the period			114				114	2	116
Other comprehensive income (loss)				(5)		9	4		4
Total comprehensive income (loss)	_		114	(5)	_	9	118	2	120
Shares issued	21						21		21
Share-based payment for share awards net of exercised		(12)					(12)		(12)
Dividends paid			(27)				(27)		(27)
Dividends of subsidiaries							_	(16)	(16)
Transactions with non-controlling interests		(4)					(4)	4	_
Translation		2	(2)				_		_
Balance at 30 June 2019	7,192	82	(3,142)	32	(12)	(1,404)	2,748	32	2,780

# **Segmental reporting**

AngloGold Ashanti's operating segments are being reported based on the financial information provided to the Chief Executive Officer and the Executive Committee, collectively identified as the Chief Operating Decision Maker (CODM). Individual members of the Executive Committee are responsible for geographic regions of the business.

# **Gold income**

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
South Africa	244	332	602
Continental Africa	971	972	1,983
Australia	415	390	780
Americas	455	514	1,021
	2,085	2,208	4,386
Equity-accounted investments included above	(296)	(286)	(581)
	1,789	1,922	3,805

# By-product revenue

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
			_
South Africa	1	6	6
Continental Africa	1	2	3
Australia	1	1	2
Americas	35	72	128
	38	81	139
Equity-accounted investments included above	(1)	(1)	(1)
	37	80	138

# **Gross profit (loss)**

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
			_
South Africa	15	(10)	21
Continental Africa	189	185	380
Australia	97	100	160
Americas	110	157	310
Corporate and other	3	15	3
	414	447	874
Equity-accounted investments included above	(77)	(37)	(102)
	337	410	772

# Segmental reporting (continued)

# Cost of sales

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
			_
South Africa	231	352	590
Continental Africa	783	788	1,607
Australia	319	290	622
Americas	385	430	838
Corporate and other	(2)	(8)	(4)
	1,716	1,852	3,653
Equity-accounted investments included above	(220)	(250)	(480)
	1,496	1,602	3,173

# Amortisation

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
			_
South Africa	29	42	72
Continental Africa	172	183	379
Australia	86	63	149
Americas	80	89	192
Corporate and other	2	2	3
	369	379	795
Equity-accounted investments included above	(73)	(82)	(165)
	296	297	630

# Capital expenditure

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
South Africa	29	41	73
Continental Africa	150	139	313
Australia	58	79	156
Americas	80	75	176
Corporate and other	1	1	3
	318	335	721
Equity-accounted investments included above	(25)	(42)	(69)
	293	293	652

# Segmental reporting (continued)

# Total assets

	As at	As at	As at
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
South Africa	1,102	1,152	1,106
Continental Africa	3,283	3,109	3,135
Australia	956	876	888
Americas	1,309	1,229	1,286
Corporate and other	257	238	228
	6,907	6,604	6,643

# **Notes**

# for the six months ended 30 June 2019

# 1 Basis of preparation

The financial statements in this report have been prepared in accordance with the historic cost convention except for certain financial instruments which are stated at fair value. The group's accounting policies used in the preparation of these financial statements are in terms of the JSE Listings Requirements and are consistent with those used in the annual financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2018, except for the adoption of new or amended standards applicable from 1 January 2019.

As a result of adopting IFRS 16 Leases, the group has changed its accounting policies. The impact of adopting IFRS 16 Leases and the new accounting policy are disclosed in note 17.

The condensed consolidated interim financial statements of AngloGold Ashanti have been prepared in compliance with the framework concepts and the measurement and recognition requirements of IAS 34, IFRS as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board, the South African Institute of Chartered Accountants Financial Reporting Guides as issued by the Accounting Practices Committee, Financial Reporting Pronouncements as issued by the Financial Reporting Standards Council, JSE Listings Requirements and in the manner required by the South African Companies Act, 2008 (as amended) for the preparation of financial information of the group for the six months ended 30 June 2019. These financial statements should be read in conjunction with the Company's audited consolidated financial statements and the notes thereto as at and for the year ended 31 December 2018.

Based on materiality, certain comparatives have been aggregated.

### 2 Revenue

	Six mont	ns Six months	Year
	end	ed ended	l ended
	J	un Jun	Dec Dec
	20	19 2018	2018
US Dollar million	Review	ed Reviewed	Audited Audited
Gold income	1,789	1,922	3,805
By-products	37	80	138
Revenue from product sales	1,826	2,002	3,943

# 3 Cost of sales

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
Cash operating costs	1,081	1,208	2,356
Royalties	59	68	135
Other cash costs	6	5	14
Total cash costs	1,146	1,281	2,505
Retrenchment costs	2	2	4
Rehabilitation and other non-cash costs	26	(3)	20
Amortisation of tangible assets	273	294	625
Amortisation of right of use assets	21	_	_
Amortisation of intangible assets	2	3	5
Inventory change	26	25	14
	1,496	1,602	3,173

# 4 Other operating expenses

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
Care and maintenance costs	39	47	74
	33		
Pension and medical defined benefit provisions	4	5	10
Government fiscal claims, care and maintenance of old tailings operations and other expenses	6	5	13
	49	57	97

# 5 Special items

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
Leading of a distance of a set	•	0.4	404
Impairment and derecognition of assets	9	94	104
Retrenchment and related costs	6	33	34
Legal fees and other costs related to contract terminations and settlement costs	3	5	17
Brazilian power utility legal settlement	(16)	_	_
Write-down of inventories	_	1	1
Net (profit) loss on disposal of assets	1	22	20
Royalties received	(1)	(6)	(10)
Indirect tax expenses (recoveries)	4	2	4
	6	151	170

# 6 Finance costs and unwinding of obligations

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
Finance costs	75	69	140
Unwinding of obligations	21	16	38
	96	85	178

The interest included within finance costs is calculated at effective interest rates.

# 7 Share of associates and joint ventures' profit (loss)

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
Revenue	297	286	582
Operating costs, special items and other expenses	(227)	(259)	(472)
Net interest received (paid)	5	4	(8)
Profit (loss) before taxation	75	31	102
Taxation	(13)	(1)	(9)
Profit (loss) after taxation	62	30	93
Net impairment reversal of investments in associates	10	8	15
Net impairment reversal of investments in joint ventures	6	2	14
	78	40	122

# 8 Taxation

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
South African taxation			
Prior year (over) under provision	(1)	(2)	(2)
Deferred taxation			
Impairment and disposal of tangible assets	(2)	(48)	(47)
Other temporary differences	(9)	(27)	(34)
Prior year (over) under provision	(1)	_	(2)
Change in estimated deferred tax rate	_	(19)	(23)
	(13)	(96)	(108)
Foreign taxation			
Normal taxation	91	108	243
Prior year (over) under provision	(4)	5	1
Deferred taxation			
Temporary differences	(13)	26	(4)
Prior year (over) under provision	4	_	4
Change in estimate	_	_	(7)
Change in statutory tax rate	_	_	(1)
	78	139	236
	65	43	128

# Income tax uncertainties

AngloGold Ashanti operates in numerous countries around the world and accordingly is subject to, and pays annual income taxes under the various income tax regimes in the countries in which it operates. Some of these tax regimes are defined by contractual agreements with local government, and others are defined by the general corporate income tax laws of the country. The group has historically filed, and continues to file, all required income tax returns and to pay the taxes reasonably determined to be due. In some jurisdictions, tax authorities are yet to complete their assessments for previous years. The tax rules and regulations in many countries are highly complex and subject to interpretation. From time to time, the group is subject to a review of its historic income tax filings and in connection with such reviews, disputes can arise with the tax authorities over the interpretation or application of certain rules in respect of the group's business conducted within the country involved.

# 9 Headline earnings

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
The profit (loss) attributable to equity shareholders has been			
adjusted by the following to arrive at headline earnings (loss):	44.4	22	122
Profit (loss) attributable to equity shareholders	114	33	133
Net impairment and derecognition of assets	7	92	102
Net loss (profit) on disposal of assets	1	22	32
Taxation	(2)	(48)	(47)
Headline earnings	120	99	220
Headline earnings per ordinary share (cents) <sup>(1)</sup>	29	24	53
Diluted headline earnings per ordinary share (cents) (2)	29	24	53
(1) Calculated on the basic weighted average number of ordinary shares.			
(2) Calculated on the diluted weighted average number of ordinary shares.			
Number of shares	111		
Ordinary shares	413,711,485	410,750,435	411,412,947
Fully vested options	3,007,509	4,720,517	5,709,208
Weighted average number of shares	416,718,994	415,470,952	417,122,155
Dilutive potential of share options	355,659	_	257,250
Dilutive number of ordinary shares	417.074.653	415,470,952	417.379.405

# 10 Share capital and premium

	As at	As at	As at
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
Share capital			
Authorised:			
600,000,000 ordinary shares of 25 SA cents each	23	23	23
2,000,000 A redeemable preference shares of 50 SA cents each	_	_	_
5,000,000 B redeemable preference shares of 1 SA cents each	_	_	_
30,000,000 C redeemable preference shares at no par value	_	_	_
	23	23	23
ssued and fully paid:			
414,656,454 (June 2018: 411,611,313; Dec 2018: 412,769,980) ordinary shares in issue	16	16	16
2,000,000 A redeemable preference shares of 50 SA cents each	_	_	_
778,896 B redeemable preference shares of 1 SA cent each	_	_	_
	16	16	16
Treasury shares held within the group			
2,778,896 A and B redeemable preference shares	_		
	16	16	16
Share premium			
Balance at beginning of period	7,208	7,171	7,171
Ordinary shares issued	21	23	37
	7,229	7,194	7,208
Less: held within the group			
Redeemable preference shares	(53)	(53)	(53)
Balance at end of period	7,176	7,141	7,155
Share capital and premium	7,192	7,157	7,171

# 11 Borrowings

AngloGold Ashanti's borrowings are interest bearing.

	As at	As at	As at
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
ollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
Change in liabilities arising from financing activities:			
Reconciliation of borrowings			
A reconciliation of the borrowings included in the statement of financial position is set out in the following table:			
Opening balance	2,050	2,268	2,268
Proceeds from borrowings	154	283	753
Repayment of borrowings	(82)	(500)	(967)
Finance costs paid on borrowings	(61)	(60)	(117)
Interest charged to the income statement	62	62	127
Deferred loan fees	(9)	3	_
Reclassification of finance leases to lease liabilities	(60)	_	_
Translation	1	(5)	(14)
Closing balance	2,055	2,051	2,050
Reconciliation of finance costs paid			
A reconciliation of the finance costs paid included in the statement of cash flows is set out in the following table:			
Finance costs paid on borrowings	61	60	117
Commitment fees, environmental guarantees fees and other borrowing costs	7	6	13
Total finance costs paid	68	66	130
Reconciliation of lease liabilities			
A reconciliation of the lease liabilities included in the statement of financial position is set out in the following table:			
Opening balance	_		
Lease liabilities recognised	155		
Repayment of lease liabilities	(20)		
Finance costs paid on lease liabilities	(5)		
Interest charged to the income statement	6		
Reclassification of finance leases from borrowings	60		
Translation	(2)		
Closing balance	194		
Lease finance costs paid included in the statement of cash flows	5		

# 12 Cash generated from operations

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
Profit (loss) before taxation	181	86	278
Adjusted for:			
Movement on non-hedge derivatives and other commodity contracts	(7)	(9)	3
Amortisation of tangible and right of use assets	294	294	625
Finance costs and unwinding of obligations	96	85	178
Environmental, rehabilitation and other expenditure	(17)	(32)	(35)
Special items	12	112	106
Amortisation of intangible assets	2	3	5
Fair value adjustments	(1)	_	3
Interest income	(8)	(9)	(17)
Share of associates and joint ventures' (profit) loss	(78)	(40)	(122)
Other non-cash movements	50	10	39
Movements in working capital	(146)	(132)	(131)
	378	368	932
Movements in working capital:			
(Increase) decrease in inventories	(24)	30	(9)
(Increase) decrease in trade and other receivables	(88)	(59)	(72)
Increase (decrease) in trade, other payables and deferred income	(34)	(103)	(50)
	(146)	(132)	(131)

# 13 Financial risk management activities

### **Borrowings**

The rated bonds are carried at amortised cost and their fair values are their closing market values at the reporting date which results in the difference noted in the table below. The interest rate on the remaining borrowings is reset on a short-term floating rate basis and accordingly the carrying amount is considered to approximate the fair value.

	As at	As at	As at
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
Carrying amount	2,055	2,051	2,050
Fair value	2,149	2,101	2,084

# Fair Value hierarchy

The group uses the following hierarchy for determining and disclosing the fair value of financial instruments:

- Level 1: quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities;
- Level 2: inputs other than quoted prices included in level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (as prices) or indirectly (derived from prices); and
- Level 3: inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

The following tables set out the group's financial assets and liabilities measured at fair value by level within the fair value hierarchy:

# Types of instruments:

Equity securities												
		Jun	2019			Jun	2018			Dec	2018	
		Revi	ewed			Revi	ewed			Aud	lited	
US Dollar million	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Other equity securities FVTPL	20			20	22			22	19			19
Other equity securities FVOCI	62			62	75			75	69			69

### **Environmental obligations**

Pursuant to environmental regulations in the countries in which we operate, we are obligated to close our operations and rehabilitate the lands which we mine in accordance with these regulations. As a consequence AngloGold Ashanti is required in some circumstances to provide either reclamations bonds issued by third party entities, establish independent trust funds or provide guarantees issued by the operation, to the respective environmental protection agency or such other government department with responsibility for environmental oversight in the respective country to cover the potential environmental rehabilitation obligation in specified amounts.

In most cases, the environmental obligations will expire on completion of the rehabilitation although in some cases we are required to potentially post bonds for events unknown that may arise after the rehabilitation has been completed.

In South Africa, we have established a trust fund which has assets of ZAR 1.126bn and guarantees of ZAR 0.549bn issued by various banks, for a current carrying value of the liability of ZAR 0.818bn. In Australia, since 2014, we have paid into a Mine Rehabilitation Fund an amount of AUD \$5.5m for a current carrying value of the liability of AUD \$139.2m. At Iduapriem, we have provided a bond comprising of a cash component of \$9.99m with a further bond guarantee amounting to \$36.4m issued by Ecobank Ghana Limited, United Bank for Africa (Ghana) Ltd and Barclays Bank (Ghana) Limited for a current carrying value of the liability of \$45.9m. At Obuasi, we have provided a bond comprising of a cash component of \$20.6m with a further bank guarantee amounting to \$30.0m issued equally by Standard Chartered Bank (SCB) and United Bank for Africa Ghana Limited (UBA) for a current carrying value of the liability of \$176.8m. In some circumstances we may be required to post further bonds in due course which will have a consequential income statement charge for the fees charged by the providers of the reclamation bonds.

# 14 Leases

The group leases various assets including buildings, plant and equipment and vehicles. Some of the group's lease obligations are secured by the lessors' title to the leased assets for such leases.

		As at Jun 2019			
		US Dollar million			
Right of use assets	Mine Infrastructure	Land and buildings	Total		
Impact of adopting IFRS 16 - 1 January 2019	119	9	128		
Transfers and other movements (1)	59	14	73		
Additions	28	_	28		
Accumulated amortisation and other movements	(38)	(12)	(50)		
Net book value	168	11	179		
Amortisation for the period	21		21		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(1)</sup> Relates to contracts previously classified as leases under IAS 17 which the group has reassessed upon initial transition as leases under IFRS 16 as of 1 January 2019.

	As at Jun 2019
Amounts recognised in the income statement	US Dollar million
Amortisation expense on right of use assets	21
Interest expense on lease liabilities	6
Expenses on short term leases	49
Expenses on variable lease payments not included in the lease liabilities	116
Expenses on leases of low value assets	1

These expenses are allocated to cost of sales and corporate, administration and other costs.

Total cash outflow for leases during the period amounted to \$25m, consisting of repayments of liabilities of \$20m and finance costs paid of \$5m.

	As at Jun 2019
Lease liabilities	US Dollar million
Non-current	145
Current	49
Total	194

	As at Jun 2019
Maturity analysis of lease liabilities	US Dollar million
Undiscounted cash flows	
Less than and including 1 year	56
Between 1 and 5 years	101
Five years and more	84
Total	241

	As at Jun 2019
Reconciliation between IFRS 16 right of use assets and lease commitments as at 31 December 2018	US Dollar million
Lease liabilities at 1 January 2019	128
Discounting of lease liabilities	16
Non-qualifying leases (1)	121
Lease commitments at 31 December 2018	265

<sup>(1)</sup> Non-qualifying leases include right of use assets that are short term in nature, low value items, or where the contractual repayment structures are variable in nature only, as well as the service components of qualifying contracts, not capitalised as part of the initial cost of the right of use assets.

The group does not face a significant liquidity risk with regard to its lease liabilities. Lease liabilities are monitored within the group's treasury function.

All lease contracts contain market review clauses in the event that AngloGold Ashanti exercises its option to renew.

The weighted average incremental borrowing rate at the date of initial application is 5.96%.

# 15 Capital commitments

	As at Jun	As at Jun	As at Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Reviewed	Audited
Orders placed and outstanding on capital contracts at the prevailing rate of exchange <sup>(1)</sup>	223	111	99

<sup>(1)</sup> Includes the group's attributable share of capital commitments relating to associates and joint ventures.

### Liquidity and capital resources

To service the above capital commitments and other operational requirements, the group is dependent on existing cash resources, cash generated from operations and borrowing facilities.

Cash generated from operations is subject to operational, market and other risks. Distributions from operations may be subject to foreign investment, exchange control laws and regulations and the quantity of foreign exchange available in offshore countries. In addition, distributions from joint ventures are subject to the relevant board approval.

The credit facilities and other finance arrangements contain financial covenants and other similar undertakings. To the extent that external borrowings are required, the group's covenant performance indicates that existing financing facilities will be available to meet the above commitments. The financing facilities which mature in the near future are disclosed in current liabilities. The group believes that sufficient measures are in place to ensure that these facilities can be refinanced.

# 16 Contractual commitments and contingencies

AngloGold Ashanti's material contingent liabilities and assets at 30 June 2019 and 31 December 2018 are detailed below:

### Contingencies and guarantees

	Jun 2019	Dec 2018
US Dollar million	Reviewed	Audited
Contingent liabilities		
Litigation – Ghana (1) (2)	97	97
Litigation - North America (3)	_	_
Tax disputes – Brazil <sup>(4)</sup>	22	21
Tax dispute - AngloGold Ashanti Colombia S.A. (5)	168	144
Groundwater pollution (6)	_	_
Deep groundwater pollution – Africa (7)	_	_
	287	262

# Litigation claims

- (1) Litigation On 11 October 2011, AngloGold Ashanti (Ghana) Limited (AGAG) terminated Mining and Building Contractors Limited's (MBC) underground development agreement, construction on bulkheads agreement and diamond drilling agreement at Obuasi mine. The parties reached agreement on the terms of the separation and concluded a separation agreement on 8 November 2012. On 20 February 2014, AGAG was served with a demand issued by MBC claiming a total of \$97m. In December 2015, the proceedings were stayed in the Ghanaian High Court pending arbitration. In February 2016, MBC submitted the matter to arbitration. On 12 July 2018, the Ghana Arbitration Centre notified AGAG that MBC had appointed an arbitrator. AGAG subsequently selected its own arbitrator. These two arbitrators then selected the chairman of the arbitral panel and the panel met on 5 March 2019 to discuss preliminary matters. In March 2019, the arbitrator nominated by AGAG recused himself due to a conflict of interest. AGAG nominated a new arbitrator on 29 April 2019. On 25 July 2019, the panel held an arbitration management meeting to address initial procedural matters.
- (2) Litigation AGAG received a summons on 2 April 2013 from Abdul Waliyu and 152 others in which the plaintiffs allege that they were or are residents of the Obuasi municipality or its suburbs and that their health has been adversely affected by emission and/or other environmental impacts arising in connection with the current and/or historical operations of the Pompora Treatment Plant

(PTP), which was decommissioned in 2000. The plaintiffs' alleged injuries include respiratory infections, skin diseases and certain cancers. The plaintiffs subsequently did not timely file their application for directions, but AGAG intends to allow some time to pass prior to applying to have the matter dismissed for want of prosecution. On 24 February 2014, executive members of the PTP (AGAG) Smoke Effect Association (PASEA), sued AGAG by themselves and on behalf of their members (undisclosed number) on grounds similar to those discussed above, as well as economic hardships resulting from the failure of their crops. This matter has been adjourned indefinitely. AGAG intends to allow some time to pass prior to applying to have the matter struck out for want of prosecution. In view of the limitation of current information for the accurate estimation of a liability, no reliable estimate can be made for AGAG's obligation in either matter.

Litigation - On 19 October 2017, Newmont Mining Co. filed a lawsuit in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York against AngloGold Ashanti and certain related parties, alleging that AngloGold Ashanti and such parties did not provide Newmont with certain information material to its purchase of the Cripple Creek & Victor Gold Mining Company in 2015 during the negotiation- and-sale process. AngloGold Ashanti believes the lawsuit is without merit and continues to vigorously defend against it. The matter is proceeding. In view of the limitation of current information for the accurate estimation of a liability, no reliable estimate can be made for the obligation.

#### Tax claims

- (4) Tax disputes AngloGold Ashanti Limited's subsidiaries in Brazil are involved in various disputes with the Brazilian tax authorities. These disputes date back to 2007 and involve federal tax assessments including income tax, royalties, social contributions, VAT and annual property tax. Collectively, the possible amount involved is approximately \$22m (2018: \$21m). Management is of the opinion that these taxes are not payable.
- (5) Tax dispute In January 2013, AngloGold Ashanti Colombia S.A. (AGAC) received notice from the Colombian Tax Office (DIAN) that it disagreed with the company's tax treatment of certain items in the 2010 and 2011 income and equity tax returns. On 23 October 2013, AGAC received the official assessments from the DIAN which established that an estimated additional tax of \$20m (2018: \$20m) will be payable if the tax returns were amended. Penalties and interest for the additional taxes may amount to \$118m (2018: \$115m). The company believes that the DIAN has applied the tax legislation incorrectly. AGAC subsequently challenged the DIAN's ruling by filing lawsuits in March 2015 and April 2015 before the Administrative Court of Cundinamarca (the trial court for tax litigation). On 23 April 2018, the Administrative Court denied AGAC's arguments with respect to the 2011 income tax litigation. AGAC subsequently appealed this judgement to the Administrative Supreme Court of Colombia, which heard the case during 2018. A final judgement is expected to be delivered in the next 12 to 18 months.

In addition, in January 2018 AGAC received notice from the DIAN that it also disagreed with AGAC's 2013 income and equity tax returns on the same basis as the 2010 and 2011 returns, calculating additional tax along with penalties and interest of \$10m (2018: \$9m). On 21 December 2018, AGAC filed an appeal before the Administrative Court of Cundinamarca in respect of the 2013 assessment. In May 2019, AGAC received notice from the DIAN that it also disagreed with AGAC's 2014 income and equity tax returns on the same basis as the other challenged tax returns, calculating additional tax along with penalties and interest of \$8m. In February 2019, Gramalote Colombia Limited (GCL) also received notice from the DIAN that it disagreed with its 2013 income and equity tax returns on the same basis as the AGAC returns, calculating additional tax along with penalties and interest of \$9m. In March 2019, GCL also received notice of an amendment to its 2014 income and equity tax returns on the same basis as above, amounting to \$3m.

The total amount claimed by the DIAN, related to the above tax matters, amounts to \$168m (2018: \$144m). The matters are currently pending.

# Other

- (6) Groundwater pollution AngloGold Ashanti has identified groundwater contamination plumes at certain of its operations, which have occurred primarily as a result of seepage from mine residue stockpiles. Numerous scientific, technical and legal studies have been undertaken to assist in determining the magnitude of the contamination and to find sustainable remediation solutions. The group has instituted processes to reduce future potential seepage and it has been demonstrated that Monitored Natural Attenuation (MNA) by the existing environment will contribute to improvements in some instances. Furthermore, literature reviews, field trials and base line modelling techniques suggest, but have not yet proven, that the use of phyto-technologies can address the soil and groundwater contamination. Subject to the completion of trials and the technology being a proven remediation technique, no reliable estimate can be made for the obligation.
- Deep groundwater pollution The group has identified potential water ingress and future pollution risk posed by deep groundwater in certain underground mines in Africa. Various studies have been undertaken by AngloGold Ashanti since 1999 to understand this potential risk. In South Africa, due to the interconnected nature of mining operations, any proposed solution needs to be a combined one supported by all the mines located in these gold fields. As a result, the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act (MPRDA) requires that the affected mining companies develop a Regional Mine Closure Strategy to be approved by the Department of Mineral Resources. In view of the limitation of current information for the accurate estimation of a liability, no reliable estimate can be made for the obligation.

# 17 New and amended standards adopted by the group

AngloGold Ashanti adopted IFRS 16 Leases on 1 January 2019 which superseded IAS 17 Leases (see note 14 for detailed lease disclosures) and IFRIC 23 Uncertainty Over Income Tax Treatments.

The impact of the adoption of IFRS 16 and the new accounting policy are disclosed below.

The adoption of IFRS 16 has resulted in the recognition of right of use assets and related liabilities, previously not recognised on the statement of financial position.

The group has elected to apply IFRS 16 utilising the modified retrospective approach, no cumulative effect of initially applying IFRS 16 was identified and recognised as an adjustment to the opening balance of retained earnings. The cumulative impact on the adoption of IFRS 16 results in the recognition of right of use assets, lease liabilities and the ensuing deferred tax. Refer to Note 14 for the detail on the right of use assets and lease liabilities. The ability to set off deferred tax assets and liabilities resulted in an immaterial adjustment to the overall net deferred tax balance of the group. Comparative information has not been restated.

The group has applied the following practical expedients upon transition to the new standard:

Transition options applied:

- Leases with a remaining contract period of less than one year will not be recorded on the statement of financial position and the lease payments will be expensed in the income statement on a straight-line basis.
- · The right-of-use asset is based on the lease liability recognised.

# Practical expedients:

- The short-term lease exemption leases with a duration of less than a year will be expensed in the income statement on a straightline basis.
- The low value lease exemption the group has elected to take the low value exemption with a value of \$10k for the individual leased asset value. Further, the group has added an exception within its accounting policy to not capitalise leases with a net present value of \$250k based on an IAS 1 materiality assessment.
- Exclusion of initial direct costs for the measurement of the right of use asset at the date of initial application.
- Use of hindsight in determining the lease term where the contract contains options to extend or terminate the lease.

The leases accounting policy applicable from 1 January 2019:

The group assesses whether a contract is or contains a lease, at inception of a contract. The group recognises a right-of-use asset and a corresponding lease liability with respect to all lease agreements in which it is the lessee, except for short-term leases (defined as leases with a lease term of 12 months or less) and leases of low value assets. For these leases, the group recognises the lease payments as an operating expense on a straight-line basis over the term of the lease unless another systematic basis is more representative of the time pattern in which economic benefits from the leased asset are consumed. The lease liability is initially measured at the present value of the lease payments that are not paid at the commencement date, discounted by using the rate implicit in the lease. If this rate cannot be readily determined, the group uses its incremental borrowing rate. The group has applied the IFRS 16 portfolio approach in determining the discount rate for leases. As such a single discount rate has been used for contracts that share similar characteristics. The group has determined that contracts that are denominated in the same currency will use a single discount rate. This rate has been determined using various factors including in-country borrowings as well as other sources of finance.

For contracts previously classified as leases under IAS 17, the group has reassessed whether the contract is or contains a lease upon initial transition to the new standard and has also performed an assessment to identify significant contracts which have not previously classified as leases, but which may be a lease under the new standard.

Lease payments included in the measurement of the lease liability comprise:

- fixed lease payments (including in-substance fixed payments), less any lease incentives;
- · variable lease payments that depend on an index or rate, initially measured using the index or rate at the commencement date;
- the amount expected to be payable by the lessee under residual value guarantees;
- the exercise price of purchase options, if the lessee is reasonably certain to exercise the options; and
- · payments of penalties for terminating the lease, if the lease term reflects the exercise of an option to terminate the lease.

The lease liability is presented separately in the consolidated statement of financial position, allocated to non-current and current liabilities.

The lease liability is subsequently measured by increasing the carrying amount to reflect interest on the lease liability (using the effective interest method) and by reducing the carrying amount to reflect the lease payments made.

The group remeasures the lease liability (and makes a corresponding adjustment to the related right-of-use asset) whenever:

- the lease term has changed or there is a change in the assessment of exercise of a purchase option, in which case the lease liability is remeasured by discounting the revised lease payments using a revised discount rate.
- the lease payments change due to changes in an index or rate or a change in expected payment under a guaranteed residual value, in which cases the lease liability is remeasured by discounting the revised lease payments using the initial discount rate (unless the lease payments change is due to a change in a floating interest rate, in which case a revised discount rate is used).
- a lease contract is modified and the lease modification is not accounted for as a separate lease, in which case the lease liability is remeasured by discounting the revised lease payments using a revised discount rate.

The right-of-use assets comprise the initial measurement of the corresponding lease liability, lease payments made at or before the commencement day, any initial direct costs and restoration costs as described below. They are subsequently measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses.

The lease term shall be determined as the non-cancellable period of a lease, together with:

- · Periods covered by an option to extend the lease if AngloGold Ashanti is reasonably certain to make use of that option; and / or
- · Periods covered by an option to terminate the lease, if AngloGold Ashanti is reasonably certain not to make use of that option.

Whenever the group incurs an obligation for costs to dismantle and remove a leased asset, restore the site on which it is located or restore the underlying asset to the condition required by the terms and conditions of the lease, a provision is recognised and measured under IAS 37

Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets. The costs are included in the related right-of-use asset, unless those costs are incurred to produce inventories.

Right-of-use assets are depreciated over the shorter period of lease term and useful life of the underlying asset. If a lease transfers ownership of the underlying asset or the cost of the right-of-use asset reflects that the group expects to exercise a purchase option, the related right-of-use asset is depreciated over the useful life of the underlying asset. The depreciation starts at the commencement date of the lease.

The right-of-use assets are presented as a separate line in the consolidated statement of financial position.

The group applies IAS 36 *Impairment of Assets* to determine whether a right-of-use asset is impaired and accounts for any identified impairment loss accordingly.

The adoption of IFRIC 23 had no impact on the group at 30 June 2019.

### 18 Announcements

**Notification of change in Debt Sponsor** - On 11 January 2019, bondholders were advised that AngloGold Ashanti has terminated Rand Merchant Bank (A division of FirstRand Bank Limited) as its Debt Sponsor and have appointed The Standard Bank of South Africa Limited as its Debt Sponsor, effective 31 January 2019.

Sale of Greenfields Exploration tenements in Colombia - On 5 March 2019, AngloGold Ashanti announced an agreement with Royal Road Minerals Limited for the sale of its interests in Northern Colombia Holdings Limited.

**Boston Shaker underground mine to go ahead at Tropicana** - On 28 March 2019, AngloGold Ashanti Australia Limited (70% and manager) and Independence Group NL (30%) approved the development of the Boston Shaker Underground Project at the Tropicana Gold Mine in Western Australia.

AngloGold Ashanti starts process to review divestment options for South African assets - On 9 May 2019, AngloGold Ashanti announced that it was embarking on a process to review divestment options for its remaining South African assets. This process will consider all ownership options, with a view to maximising the value and future prospects of these assets.

AngloGold Ashanti announces a change to its Board of Directors - On 28 May 2019, AngloGold Ashanti announced the appointment of Ms Maria Ramos as an independent non-executive director to its board of directors, effective 1 June 2019. Ms Ramos will serve as a member of the Investment Committee and the Social and Ethics and Sustainability Committee.

High Court approves settlement of the Silicosis and TB class action - On 26 July 2019, a full bench of the Johannesburg High Court approved the settlement of the silicosis and tuberculosis class action suit. The settlement is between the Occupational Lung Disease Working Group - representing African Rainbow Minerals, Anglo American SA, AngloGold Ashanti, Gold Fields, Harmony and Sibanye Stillwater, and settlement classes' representatives as well as the settlement classes' attorneys Richard Spoor Inc, Abrahams Kiewitz Inc and the Legal Resources Centre.

By order of the Board

**SM PITYANA** Chairman

KPM DUSHNISKY
Chief Executive Officer

KC RAMON Chief Financial Officer

7 August 2019

# Non-GAAP disclosure

From time to time AngloGold Ashanti Limited may publicly disclose certain "Non-GAAP" financial measures in the course of its financial presentations, earnings releases, earnings conference calls and otherwise. Set out below are measures extracted from financial information regularly presented to the Chief Operating Decision maker (the Chief Executive Officer and the Executive Committee).

The group uses certain Non-GAAP performance measures and ratios in managing the business and may provide users of this financial information with additional meaningful comparisons between current results and results in prior operating periods. The Non-GAAP financial measures are used to adjust for fair value movements on issued bonds as well as the highly volatile marked-to-market movements on unrealised non-hedge derivatives and other commodity contracts, which can only be measured with certainty on settlement of the contracts. Non-GAAP financial measures should be viewed in addition to, and not as an alternative to, the reported operating results or any other measure of performance prepared in accordance with IFRS. In addition, the presentation of these measures may not be comparable to similarly titled measures that other companies use.

# A Price received

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited
			_
Gold income (note 2)	1,789	1,922	3,805
Adjusted for non-controlling interests	(36)	(45)	(84)
	1,753	1,877	3,721
Associates and joint ventures' share of gold income including realised non-hedge derivatives	296	286	581
Attributable gold income including realised non-hedge derivatives	2,049	2,163	4,302
Attributable gold sold - oz (000)	1,577	1,651	3,412
Price received per unit - \$/oz	1,299	1,310	1,261

# B All-in sustaining costs and All-in costs (1)

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million / Imperial	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited
Cost of sales per income statement (note 3)	1,496	1,602	3,173
By-product revenue (note 2)	(37)	(80)	(138)
Realised other commodity contracts	`_'	(2)	(5)
Amortisation of tangible, right of use and intangible assets (note 3)	(296)	(297)	(630)
Adjusted for decommissioning and inventory amortisation	(4)	(7)	(9)
Sustaining lease payments	25	_	_
Corporate administration and marketing related to current operations	40	38	76
Associates and joint ventures' share of costs	148	169	318
Inventory write-down to net realisable value and other stockpile adjustments	_	1	1
Sustaining exploration and study costs	19	15	38
Total sustaining capital expenditure	219	271	571
All-in sustaining costs	1,610	1,710	3,395
Adjusted for non-controlling interests and non-gold producing companies	(29)	(27)	(64)
All-in sustaining costs adjusted for non-controlling interests and non-gold producing companies	1,581	1,683	3,331
All-in sustaining costs	1,610	1,710	3,395
Non-sustaining project capital expenditure	99	64	150
Technology improvements	_	3	4
Non-sustaining exploration and study costs	34	31	67
Care and maintenance (note 4)	39	47	74
Corporate and social responsibility costs not related to current operations	9	10	24
Other provisions	1	_	(2)
All-in costs	1,792	1,865	3,712
Adjusted for non-controlling interests and non-gold producing companies	(30)	(34)	(69)
All-in costs adjusted for non-controlling interests and non-gold producing companies	1,762	1,831	3,643
Gold sold - oz (000)	1,577	1,651	3,412
All-in sustaining cost per unit - \$/oz	1,002	1,020	976
All-in cost per unit - \$/oz	1,118	1,109	1,068

<sup>(1)</sup> Refer to the Supplementary report for Summary of Operations by mine

# C Total cash costs (1)

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited
Total cash costs (note 3)	1,146	1,281	2,505
By-product revenue (note 2)	(37)	(80)	(138)
Associates and joint ventures' share of total cash costs	147	163	308
Adjusted for non-controlling interests, non-gold producing companies and other	(26)	(24)	(48)
Total cash costs adjusted for non-controlling interests and non-gold producing companies	1,230	1,340	2,627
Gold produced - oz (000)	1,554	1,628	3,400
Total cash cost per unit - \$/oz	792	823	773

 $<sup>^{\</sup>mbox{\scriptsize (1)}}$  Refer to the Supplementary report for Summary of Operations by mine

# D Adjusted EBITDA (2)

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited
Profit (loss) before taxation	181	86	278
Add back :			
Interest paid per income statement (note 6)	96	85	178
Interest received per income statement	(8)	(9)	(17)
Amortisation of tangible, right of use and intangible assets (note 3)	296	297	630
Other amortisation	6	11	15
Associates and joint ventures - adjustments for amortisation, interest, taxation and other	72	71	159
EBITDA	643	541	1,243
Adjustments :			
Other (gains) and losses	1	(3)	9
Fair value adjustments	(1)	_	3
Impairment and derecognition of assets (note 5)	9	94	104
Write-down of inventories (note 5)	_	1	1
Care and maintenance costs (note 4)	39	47	74
Retrenchment and related costs	6	33	32
Loss (profit) on disposal of assets (note 5)	1	22	20
Unrealised non-hedge derivative (gain) loss	(7)	(9)	3
Associates and joint ventures' special items	(2)	(2)	(2)
Dividend income	_	_	(2)
Realised gain on other commodity contracts	_	(1)	(5)
Adjusted EBITDA	689	723	1,480

 $<sup>^{(2)}</sup>$  EBITDA (as adjusted) and prepared in terms of the formula set out in the Revolving Credit Agreements.

# E Interest cover

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited
Adjusted EBITDA (note D)	689	723	1,480
Finance costs (note 6)	75	69	140
Interest cover - times	9	10	11

# F Free cash flow

	Six months	Six months	Year
	ended	ended	ended
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited
			0.55
Net cash inflow (outflow) from operating activities	343	321	857
Net cash inflow (outflow) from investing activities	(267)	15	(335)
Finance costs (note 6)	(75)	(69)	(140)
Repayment of lease liabilities	(20)	_	_
Movements in restricted cash	(12)	(9)	4
Acquisitions, disposals and other	_	_	(10)
Proceeds from sale of assets	_	(309)	(309)
Free cash flow	(31)	(51)	67

# G Net asset value - cents per share

	As at	As at	As at
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited
Total equity	2,780	2,641	2,694
Number of ordinary shares in issue - million (note 10)	415	412	413
Net asset value - cents per share	670	642	653
Total equity	2,780	2,641	2,694
Intangible assets	(121)	(131)	(123)
	2,659	2,510	2,571
Number of ordinary shares in issue - million (note 10)	415	412	413
Net tangible asset value - cents per share	641	610	623

# H Adjusted net debt

	As at	As at	As at
	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
US Dollar million	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited
Borrowings - non-current portion	1,324	2,004	1,911
Lease liabilities - non-current portion	145	2,004	1,011
Borrowings - current portion	731	47	139
Lease liabilities - current portion	49		
Total borrowings	2,249	2,051	2,050
Less cash and cash equivalents	(342)	(215)	(329)
Net debt	1,907	1,836	1,721
Adjustments:			
IFRS16 lease adjustments	(136)		
Corporate office lease	_	(13)	(9)
Unamortised portion of borrowing costs	21	16	13
Cash restricted for use	(53)	(53)	(66)
Adjusted net debt	1,739	1,786	1,659
Adjusted net debt to Adjusted EBITDA	1.20:1	1.12:1	1.12:1

# Other information - Exchange rates

	Jun	Jun	Dec
	2019	2018	2018
	Unaudited	Unaudited	Unaudited
ZAR/USD average for the year to date	14.19	12.30	13.25
ZAR/USD closing	14.07	13.72	14.35
AUD/USD average for the year to date	1.42	1.30	1.34
AUD/USD closing	1.42	1.35	1.42
BRL/USD average for the year to date	3.84	3.43	3.66
BRL/USD closing	3.83	3.86	3.87
ARS/USD average for the year to date	41.48	21.62	28.14
ARS/USD closing	42.45	28.86	37.81

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