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Geometallurgy and Energy (determining primary rock properties)

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Energy Curves*



*40% of the material milled in global gold, copper, lead, zinc, silver, nickel and platinum production



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SSE Energy Curve





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Instrumented rolls







SILC and Energy Index





New comminution modelling



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Relative progeny size, n (feed size/screen aperture)

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