

Newcrest is committed to the transparent, holistic and sustainable management of water across our operations.



Caring
about people



Integrity
and honesty



Working
together



Innovation and
problem solving



High-
performance

Newcrest commits to effective stewardship of water resources in areas under our control or influence within the catchments in which we operate.

Newcrest will:

- Publicly disclose the company's approach to water stewardship and strive to identify and engage proactively and inclusively with stakeholders that may influence or be affected by operational water use and discharge in areas related to our activities.
- Engage on external water governance issues either directly or via industry bodies with governments, local authorities and community stakeholders to support effective regulation that underpins integrated water resource management.
- Aim to consistently integrate water considerations into strategic business planning including allocation of responsibilities and accountabilities for water at key levels of the business.
- Seek to identify, evaluate, and respond to catchment-level water-related risks and opportunities.
- Focus on proactively managing water quantity and quality to reduce potential socio-environmental impacts and to realise water stewardship opportunities.
- Establish water quality and efficiency targets for our sites based on water balances that consider catchment-wide water uses and cumulative water impacts within the catchments where our operations are located.
- Seek to support water stewardship initiatives that promote efficient water use, effective catchment management and contribute to improved water security and sanitation in areas related to our operations.
- At their place of work, provide our workforce with access to clean drinking water and gender-appropriate sanitation facilities.
- Publicly report on company water performance, key water related material risks and opportunities and describe relevant management responses using common industry metrics and recognised approaches.

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