



Australian Industry
Participation Authority

Australian Jobs Act 2013

AIP Plan reference code:

Australian Industry Participation Plan Summary - Project Phase

Nominated project proponent: HAMERSLEY IRON PTY. LIMITED

Project details

Name: Brockman Syncline 1 Project

Location: West Pilbara, WA

Type: Mine or quarry

Purpose: Upgrade existing facility

Capital expenditure: \$500 million or more

Description: The Project will include the following components: Brockman Syncline 1 (BS1) is a greenfield satellite mine development to the Brockman 4 mine and will be located within the Greater Brockman Hub in the West Pilbara, approximately 8km north of the existing Brockman 4 operations (Site). The BS1 project is located on the country of the Puutu Kunti Kurrama people and the Pinikura people (PKKP), and on the country of the traditional owners of Muntulgura Guruma people (MG). BS1 will be required to deliver high-grade ore to Brockman to sustain the Brockman 4 production rate. An additional run-of-mine (ROM) will be transported to the B2/Nammuldi plants via a road train transfer pad located at the eastern end of BS1. BS1 ore will be primary crushed at BS1 and then transported by overland conveyor to the existing B4 plant for processing, stockpiling and train loading. The project will also include non-process infrastructure (NPI) facilities to support the mining operations, heavy vehicle and light vehicle road networks, a road train transfer pad, dewatering and water infrastructure, including a discharge pipeline, power and communications infrastructure, and a construction accommodation village. Anticipated key project dates: a) Approval of Early Procurement: Q2 2024 b) Full Project Approval: Q4 2024 c) Site Construction start: Q1 2025 d) Completion: Q4 2027 The Proponent has engaged Worley Services Pty Limited as the Project's Engineering, Procurement and Construction Management (EPCM) contractor.

Completion date: 30 Aug 2027

Key goods and services

Indicative list of key goods and services to be acquired for the project:

Key goods and services	Opportunities for Australian entities*	Opportunities for non-Australian entities	Explanation for no opportunities for Australian entities
Active Take-up Systems	Yes	No	
Conveyor Belts	Yes	No	
Conveyor Idlers and Frames	Yes	No	
Conveyor Pulleys	Yes	Yes	
Distributed I/O Boxes	Yes	No	
High Voltage Cables	Yes	Yes	
High Voltage Variable Voltage Variable Frequency (VVVF) Drives	Yes	Yes	
High Voltage Motors	Yes	No	
Isolation Gates	Yes	No	
Modular Buildings and Facilities	Yes	No	
Switchboards, Kiosks, Switch Rooms and MCC's	Yes	No	
Tramp Metal Magnet	Yes	No	
Transformers	Yes	Yes	
Civil and Earthworks	Yes	No	
Construction Camp	Yes	No	
Construction Camp Operation and Security	Yes	No	
Structural, mechanical and piping construction works	Yes	No	
Structural, mechanical, piping, electrical and instrumentation works	Yes	No	
Non-process infrastructure	Yes	No	
33kV Power Supply	Yes	No	
Offices and accommodation facilities	Yes	Yes	

* An Australian entity is an entity with an ABN or ACN

Project standards:

Australian

International

The Project will predominantly be built to Rio Tinto's internal Project standards. These standards are based on Australian Standards and commonly used International Standards.

Supplier information and communication

Project proponent's contact person for supplier enquiries:

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Contact person position Contracts Manager
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Project proponent website: <https://www.riotinto.com/products/iron-ore>

Project opportunities website: The ICN Project Portal (<https://gateway.icn.org.au/project/4141/rio-tinto-iron-ore-projects-western-australia>) will include a Project page, which will be created in Q1.2024. Other selected opportunities will be published on the Rio Tinto Iron Ore Buy Local Platform – <https://riotintobuylocal.riotinto.com/>

Supplier engagement and communication actions :

- Promote project opportunities through industry associations
- Engage with vendor identification agencies on project opportunities and bid processes
- Conduct supplier information briefings on project opportunities and bid processes
- Issue media releases or ASX announcements on project developments and opportunities
- Develop and distribute a supplier information guide for the project

Building Australian industry capability

Supplier capability development actions:

- Recommend suppliers undertake training and/or accreditation
- Provide market intelligence to suppliers
- Encourage joint ventures and alliances between suppliers

Global supply chain integration actions:

- Provide references for high performing suppliers

Feedback process for unsuccessful bidders:

Feedback sessions will be offered to unsuccessful Australian suppliers. These sessions will provide feedback on all aspects of the tender evaluation process including (where appropriate) recommendations for improvement in future tender submissions. Feedback will be provided in accordance with the Rio Tinto internal procurement and contracts procedure.