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Electrifying the future

Green Gully Resources



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Executive Summary

Our strategy will allow Green Gully Resources to implement sustainable initiatives that will **reduce emissions**

CONSIDERATIONS

Decreasing the current CO₂ emission to reach net zero

How to fund the capital expenditure required

Methods to improve current infrastructure

QUESTION

How can Green Gully Resources implement **sustainability initiatives** in the years leading up to 2034, especially during the rollout of new infrastructure, to minimise its carbon footprint and prepare for the introduction of electric haul trucks?

STRATEGY



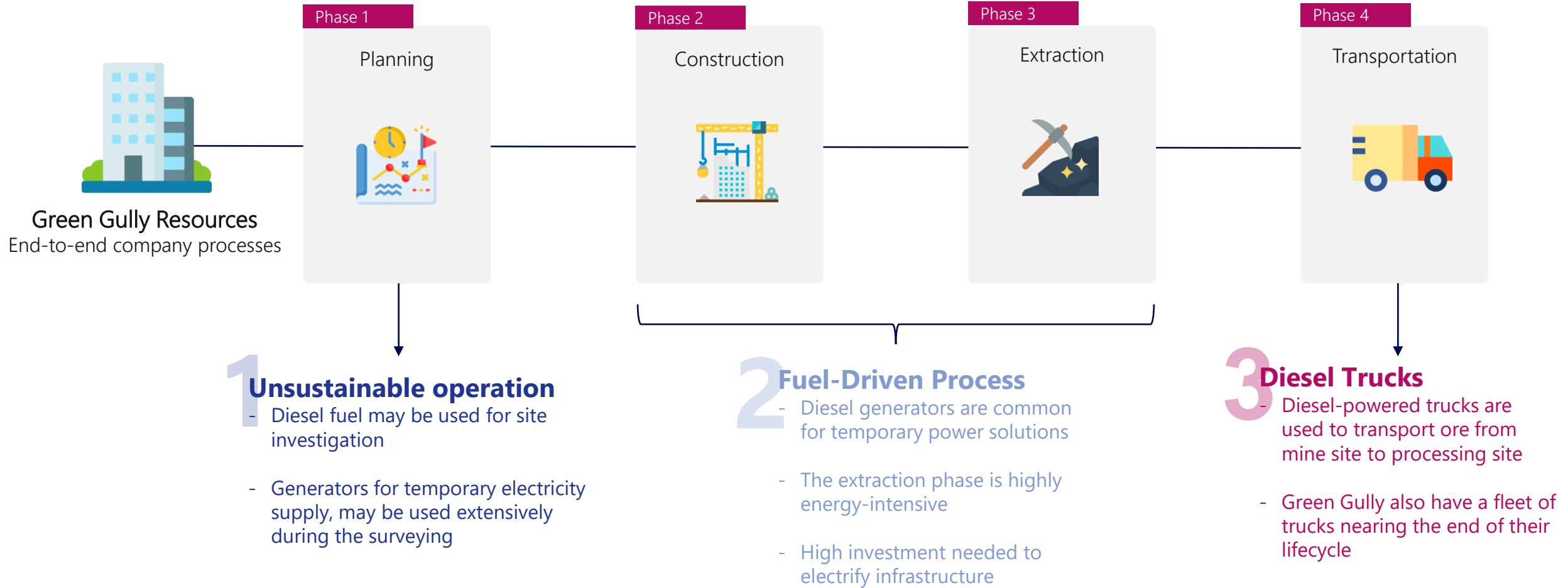
IMPACT

50%
Emissions Reduced

200GWh
Of Energy Saved

21.6%
Energy Efficiency Increased

The company overview for Green Gully Resources reveals numerous practices that currently fall short of sustainability standards



An analysis of key competitors...

...Allows us to look into industry best practices...

...Leading to clear opportunities



RioTinto

BHP



NORTHERN STAR
RESOURCES LIMITED



1. Tracking and reporting progress
Improving visibility through data analytics platforms

2. Partner with technology providers
Looking towards more sustainable energy options

3. Deployment of electric fleet
Moving towards more sustainable transportation methods

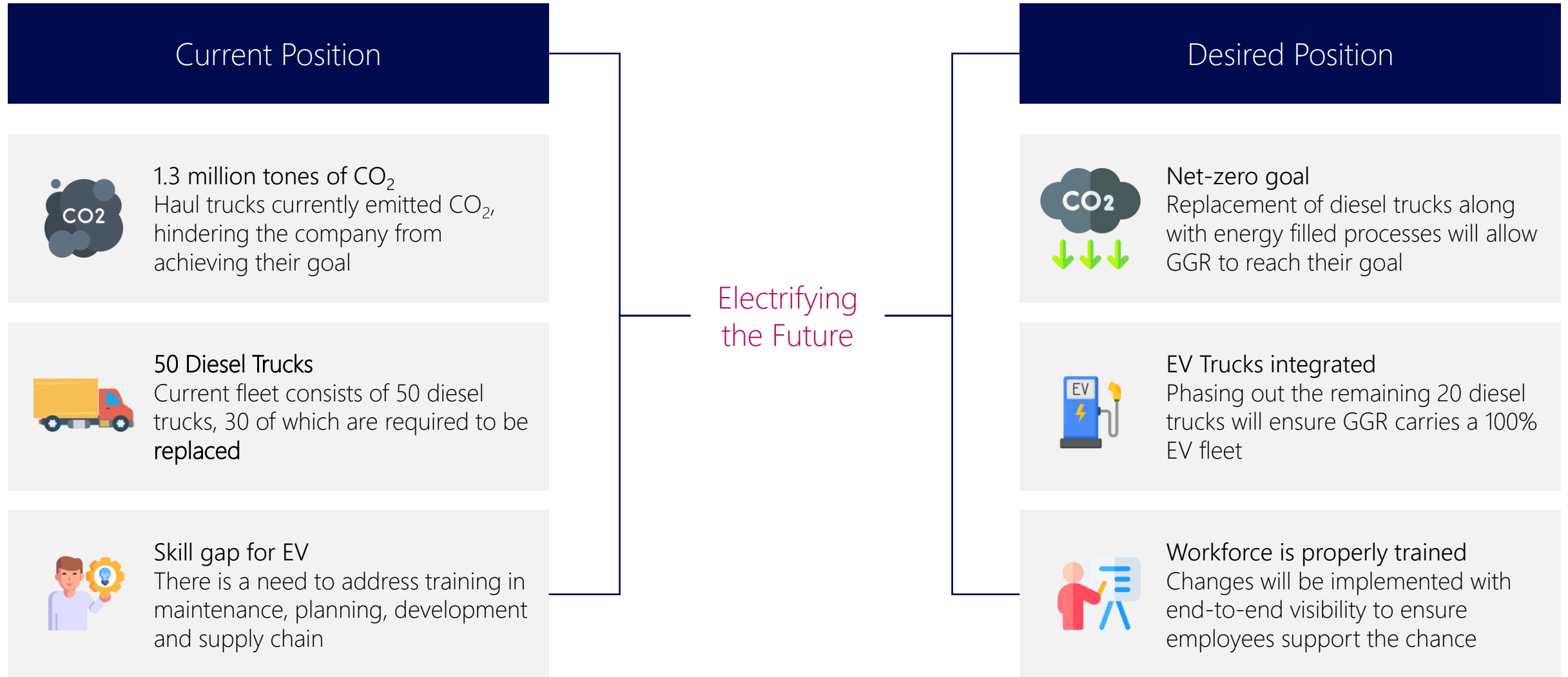
4. Financing options
Look towards securing grants and green bonds

1 Data Analytics

2 Deployable energy

3 Funding methods

Green Gully Resources (GGR) heavily relies on non-renewable energy, signalling a clear opportunity for **sustainable energy transition**



How can GGR implement **sustainability initiatives** in the years leading up to 2028 to minimise its carbon footprint and prepare for the introduction of electric haul trucks?

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Digital Twin

Enhancing oversight of operations and electric fleet transition through digital twin technology

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Digital Twin



Virtual representation of physical assets, processes, or systems, enabling real-time monitoring, analysis, and optimization



Key Features



Data Acquisition: collecting data from various sensor integrations; IoT devices; geospatial data



Data Integration: includes the process of aggregating and integrating diverse data streams to create a comprehensive digital representation



Analytics and Simulation: predictive analytics; machine learning models; simulation models; digital prototyping

Supply Chain Process



Planning

Unsustainable Operations



Construction

Fuel-Driven Processes



Extraction

Fuel-Driven Processes



Transportation

Diesel Trucks



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-  **Planning**
Unsustainable Operations
-  **Construction**
Fuel-Driven Processes
-  **Extraction**
Fuel-Driven Processes
-  **Transportation**
Diesel Trucks



Key Features

-  **Data Acquisition:** geological surveys, exploration reports, and historical mining data to understand the terrain, mineral composition, and environmental factors
-  **Data Integration:** data from exploration activities, geospatial databases, and market trends provide a holistic view for strategic planning and decision-making
-  **Analytics and Simulation:** analytics tools analyse geological data to identify optimal locations for extraction, and simulate various mining scenarios to determine feasibility and optimize resource allocation

Supply Chain Process



Planning

Unsustainable Operations



Construction

Fuel-Driven Processes



Extraction

Fuel-Driven Processes



Transportation

Diesel Trucks



Key Features



Data Acquisition: collect data from engineering designs, equipment specifications, and construction plans to understand project requirements and constraints



Data Integration: integrated data from mine planning software, asset management systems, and sensor networks provide real-time visibility into extraction processes and facilitate data-driven decision-making



Analytics and Simulation: analytics algorithms analyse operational data to optimize extraction processes, predict equipment failures, and optimize production schedules; simulation models simulate different mining scenarios

Supply Chain Process



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Unsustainable Operations



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Fuel-Driven Processes



Extraction

Fuel-Driven Processes

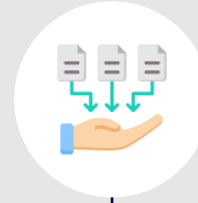


Transportation

Diesel Trucks



Key Features



Data Acquisition: collect data from fleet management systems, vehicle telemetry, and logistics platforms to monitor transport routes, vehicle performance, and cargo status



Data Integration: transportation management systems, inventory databases, and geospatial mapping tools ensure efficient coordination between transportation activities and operational requirements



Analytics and Simulation: optimize route planning, minimize fuel consumption, and improve vehicle utilization. Simulation models simulate traffic patterns, vehicle movements, and loading/unloading processes

How digital twin makes GGR's operations more sustainable



RESOURCE OPTIMIZATION

By identifying inefficiencies and implementing corrective measures, digital twins help minimize resource waste and reduce the environmental footprint of mining operations



ENERGY EFFICIENCY

Through predictive analytics and simulation, digital twins help operators optimize energy usage, reduce reliance on fossil fuels, and integrate renewable energy sources into the operation



EMISSIONS REDUCTION

By analysing emissions data and identifying emission hotspots, digital twins support the implementation of mitigation measures to reduce emissions and improve air quality

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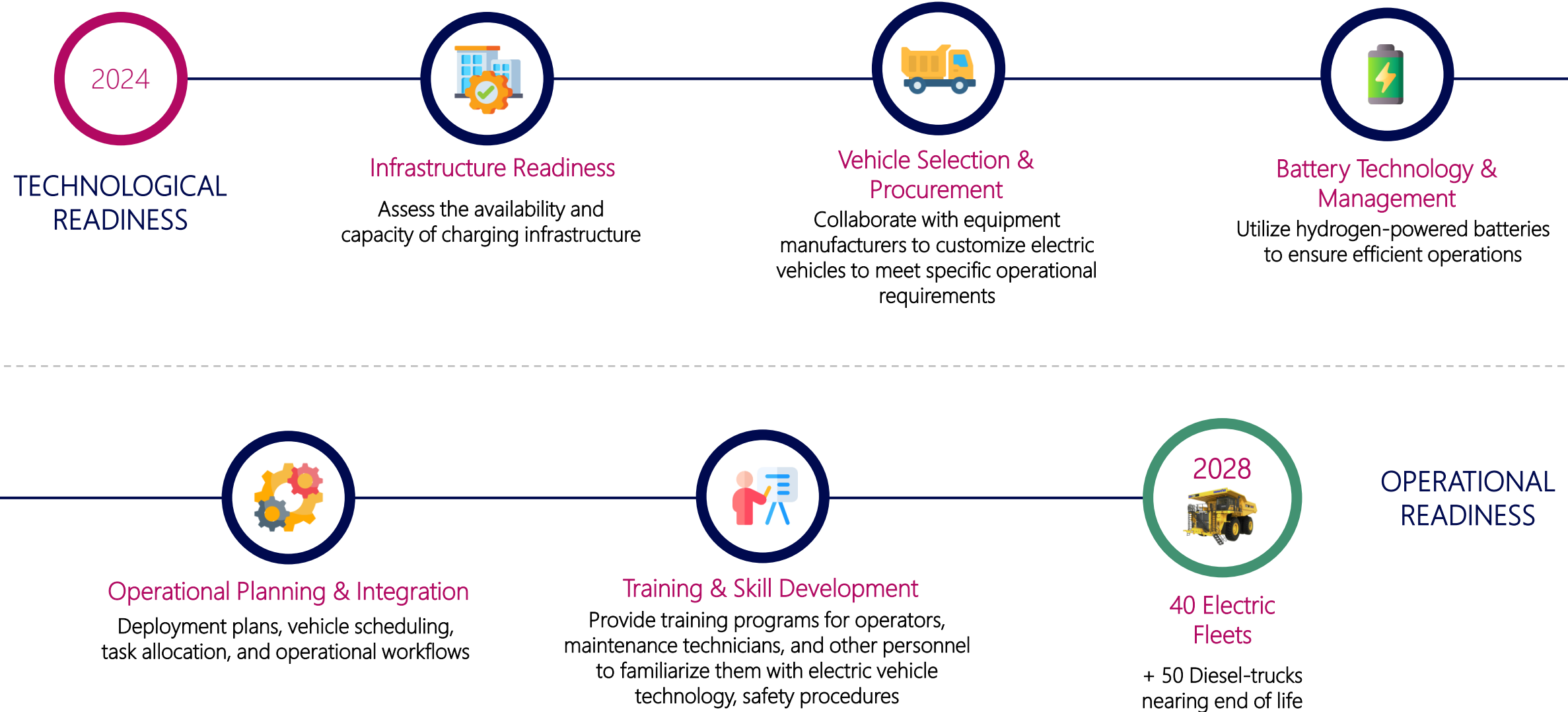
How will digital twin help GGR with the rollout of electric fleets?

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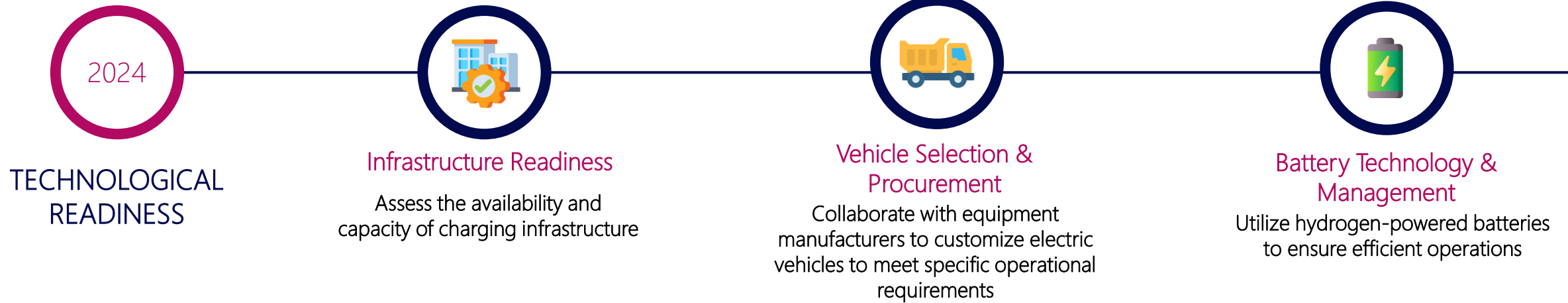
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Digital Twin can assist with the planning of electric fleets.



Digital Twin

GGR can input various factors such as:

- ✓ Fleet metrics
- ✓ Battery capacity considerations
- ✓ Geographical factors

Predictive modelling can assist GGR with:

- ✓ Optimising transport routes
- ✓ Check out optimal locations for charging station
- ✓ Forecast demand and availability of electric trucks

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Operational Planning & Integration

Deployment plans, vehicle scheduling, task allocation, and operational workflows



Training & Skill Development

Provide training programs for operators, maintenance technicians, and other personnel to familiarize them with electric vehicle technology, safety procedures



40 Electric Fleets

+ 50 Diesel-trucks nearing end of life

OPERATIONAL
READINESS

Effective training is very critical in the mining industry and digital twin can help that.



Digital Twin

- ✓ Provide a safe and efficient training environment, allowing experienced personnel to pass on their knowledge while minimising risks of costly accidents or injuries.

- ✓ Can simulate emergency scenarios such as equipment failure, cave-ins, or gas leaks
- ✓ Enables workers to understand the practical implications of their actions
- ✓ Helps them respond more effectively and safely if such an event occurs.

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Power Purchase Agreements (PPA)

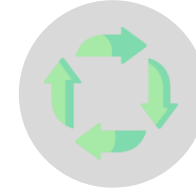
Power Purchase Agreements are contracts that allow buyers to purchase energy from renewable farms

Develop contract



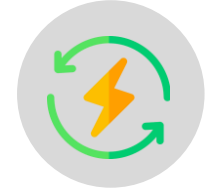
Buyers purchase an agreement that lasts for 10-20 years at a fixed rate

Deploy Solar



Renewable energy generation is immediate to the site

Maintain Energy stream



A stable and cost-effective stream of energy is supplied

PPAs have stronger offerings than Utility services



Price Stability



Access to Renewable Energy



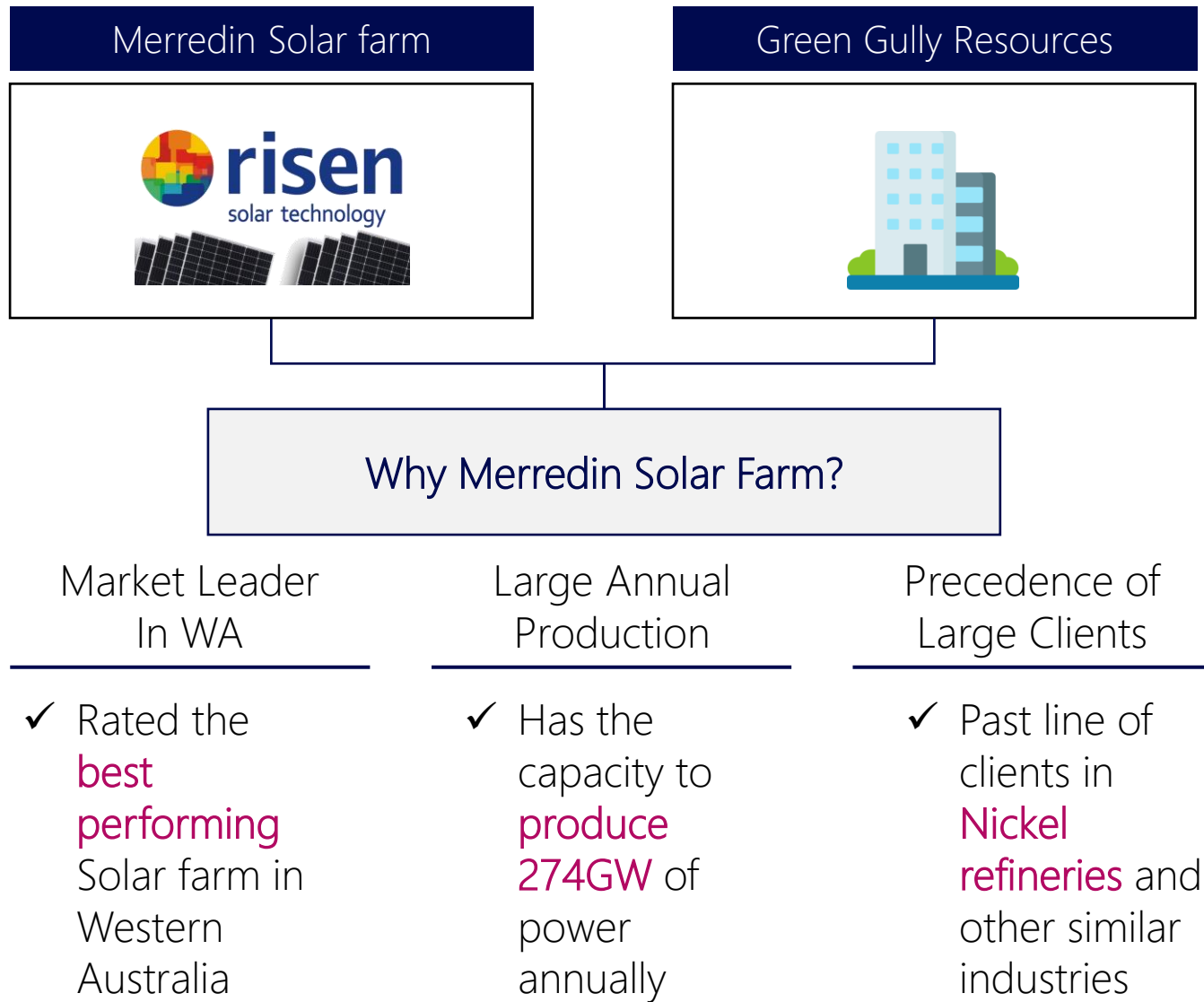
No maintenance responsibility

Case Study:

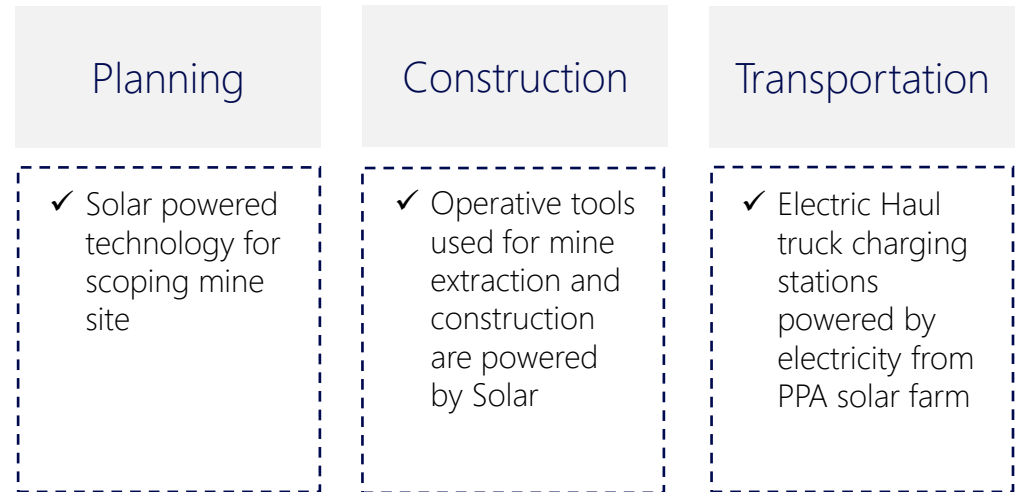


- ✓ Upon signing, has displaced 3.65 MT of Carbon
- ✓ PPA accounts for 56% of energy generated and used in the Gold mine
- ✓ Cost-efficient

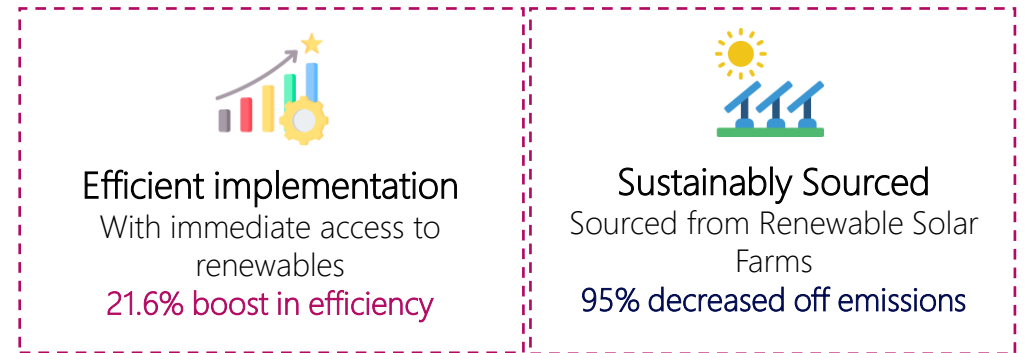
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Benefits



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Merredin Solar farm



Green Gully Resources



How it is implemented into the operations and changing trucks

Planning

Construction

Transportation

How can we help GGR develop these initiatives and bring their sustainable vision to life?

In WA

- ✓ Rated the **best performing** Solar farm in Western Australia

Production

- ✓ Has the capacity to **produce 274GW** of power annually

Large Clients

- ✓ Past line of clients in **Nickel refineries** and other similar industries

Benefits



Efficient implementation
With immediate access to renewables
21.6% boost in efficiency



Sustainably Sourced
Sourced from Renewable Solar Farms
95% decreased off emissions

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GGR will fund a greener future with **Sustainably Linked Loans (SLL)**

SLLs are loan facilities where the borrower is incentivised through the loan pricing to achieve pre-agreed sustainability performance targets (SPTs). Where SPTs are achieved, the borrower is rewarded with a decrease in the applicable interest rate.



Green Gully Resources
End-to-end company processes



Upskill workers

Educating current workers on the importance of sustainable operations, and utilizing updated equipment

Funding Digital Twins

Streamlining digital twin systems, to ensure a smooth integration of electric haul trucks

Enabling PPA's

Help fund sustainable futures for GGR, diverting from Fuel and adopting solar powered operations



Lower Pricing

- ✓ Competitively lower borrowing rates
- ✓ Lower debt rates



Sustainable Offerings

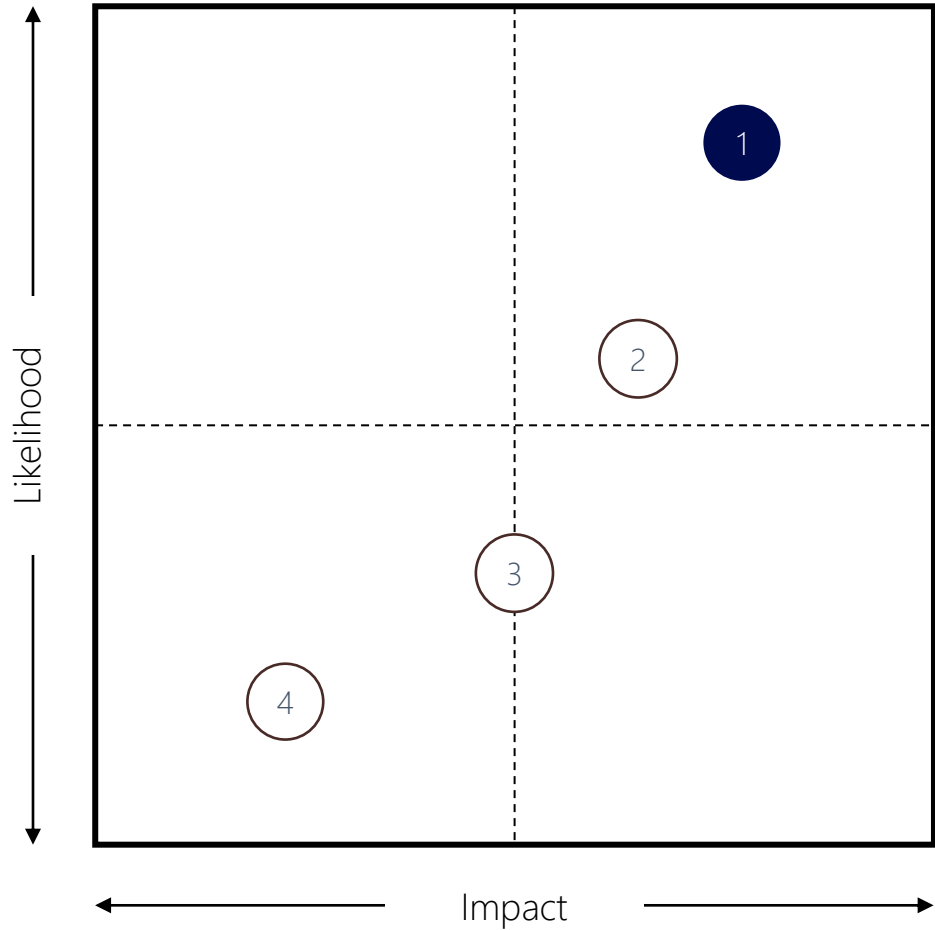
- ✓ Incentivizes sustainable practices and initiatives
- ✓ Long-term and can be applied to future projects



Increased Access

- ✓ Sustainable integration with external funding
- ✓ \$5M budget from loan

Understanding key risks will ensure success



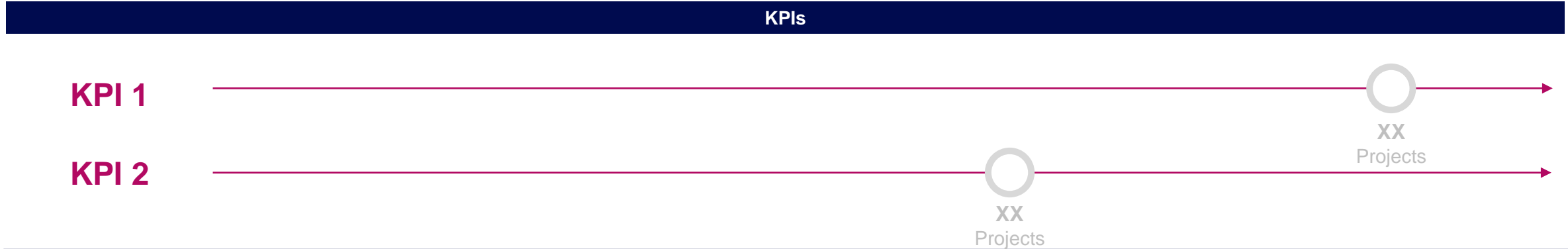
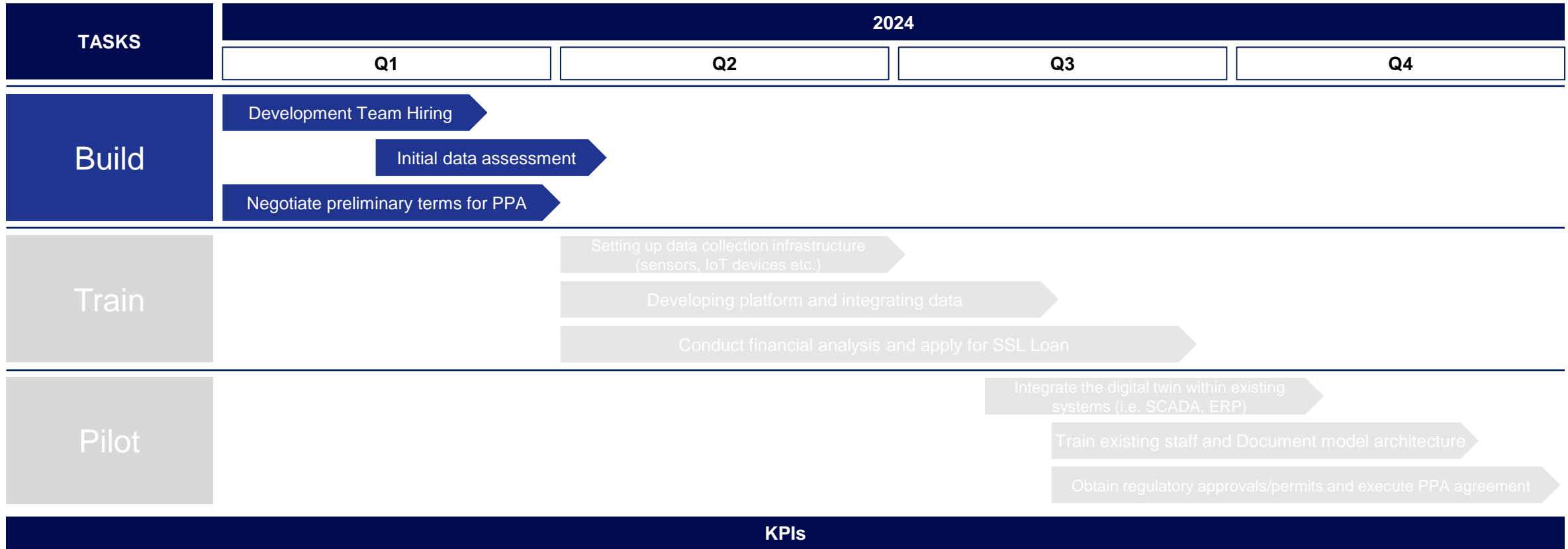
Primary Risks

Mitigation

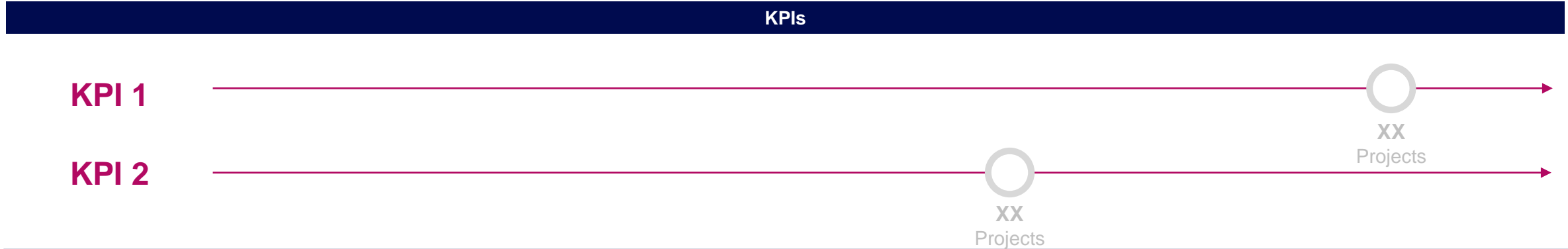
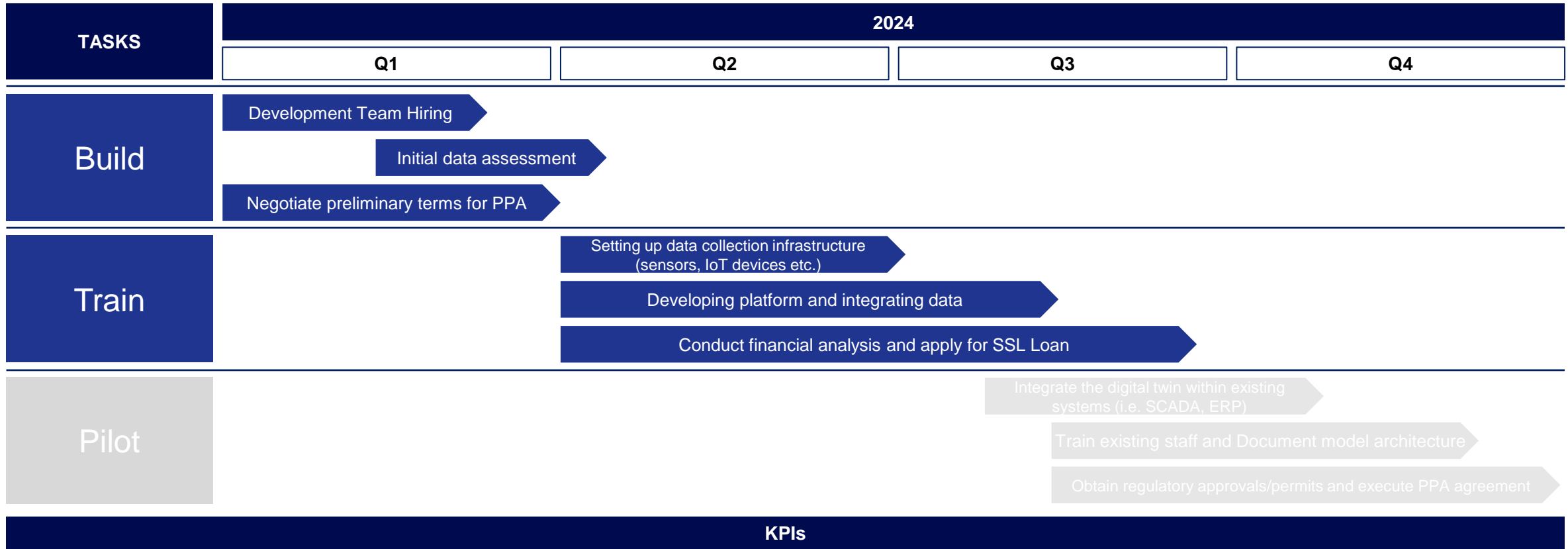
- 1 Integration of the Digital Twin Model
- 2 Logistical Complexities
- 3 Centralised energy grid through PPAs
- 4 Unable to meet targets

- 1 Doubling the average implementation timeline to account for mining operations complexities
- 2 Developing a detailed implementation roadmap to ensure successful implementation of new technology
- 3 This will be accounted for in the contracting of the PPA agreement to ensure that the Energy provider is responsible for grid shortages
- 4 Our modelling shows that GGR is already on its way to meet sustainability targets through electrification

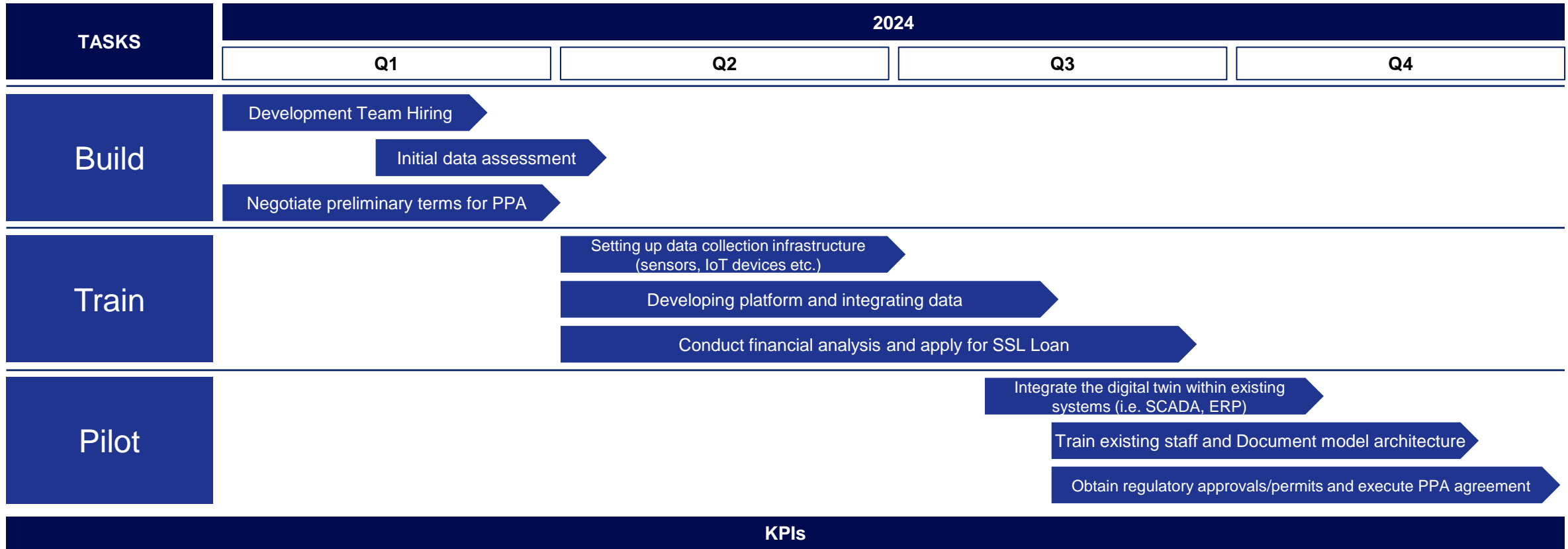
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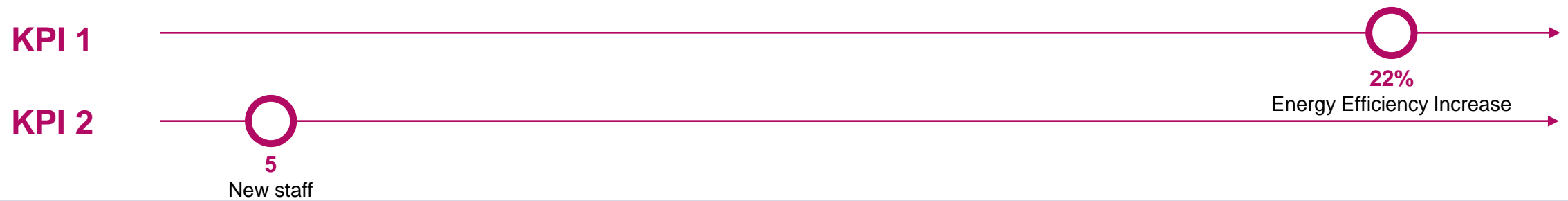
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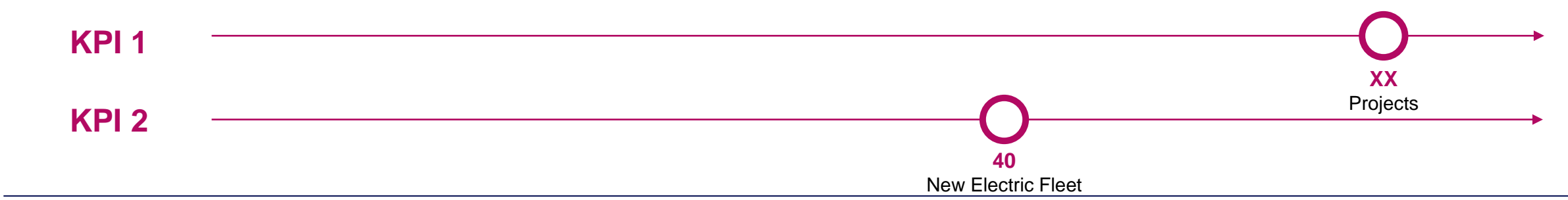
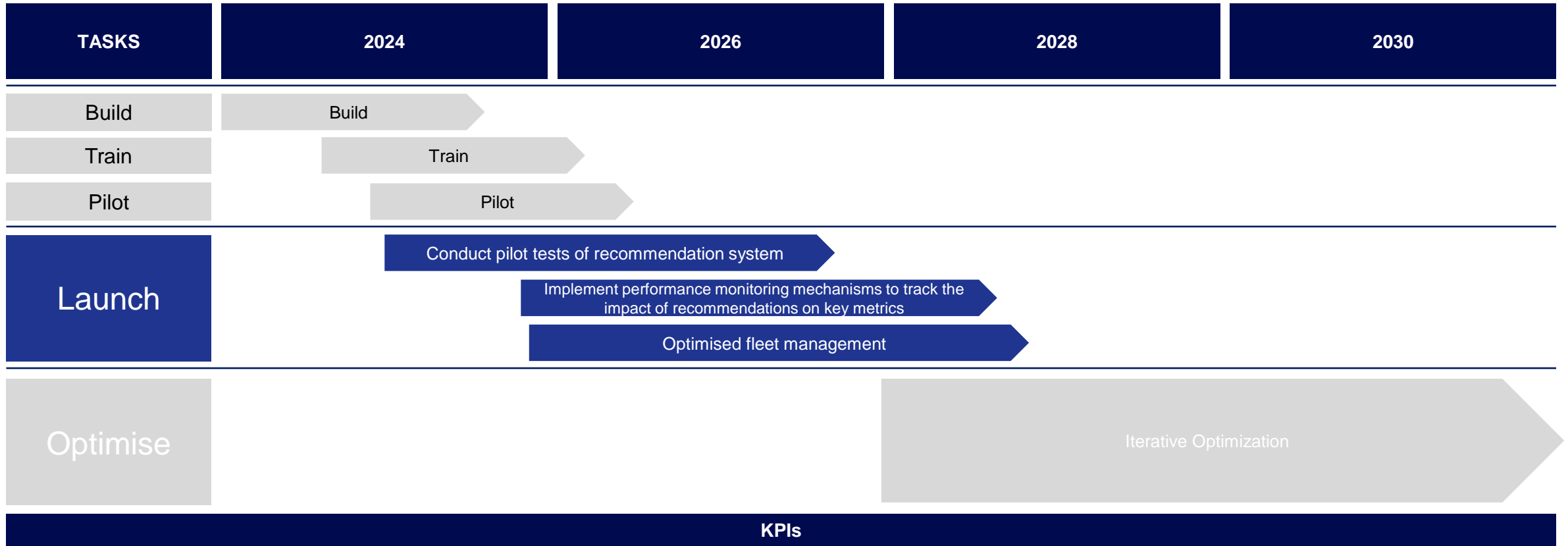
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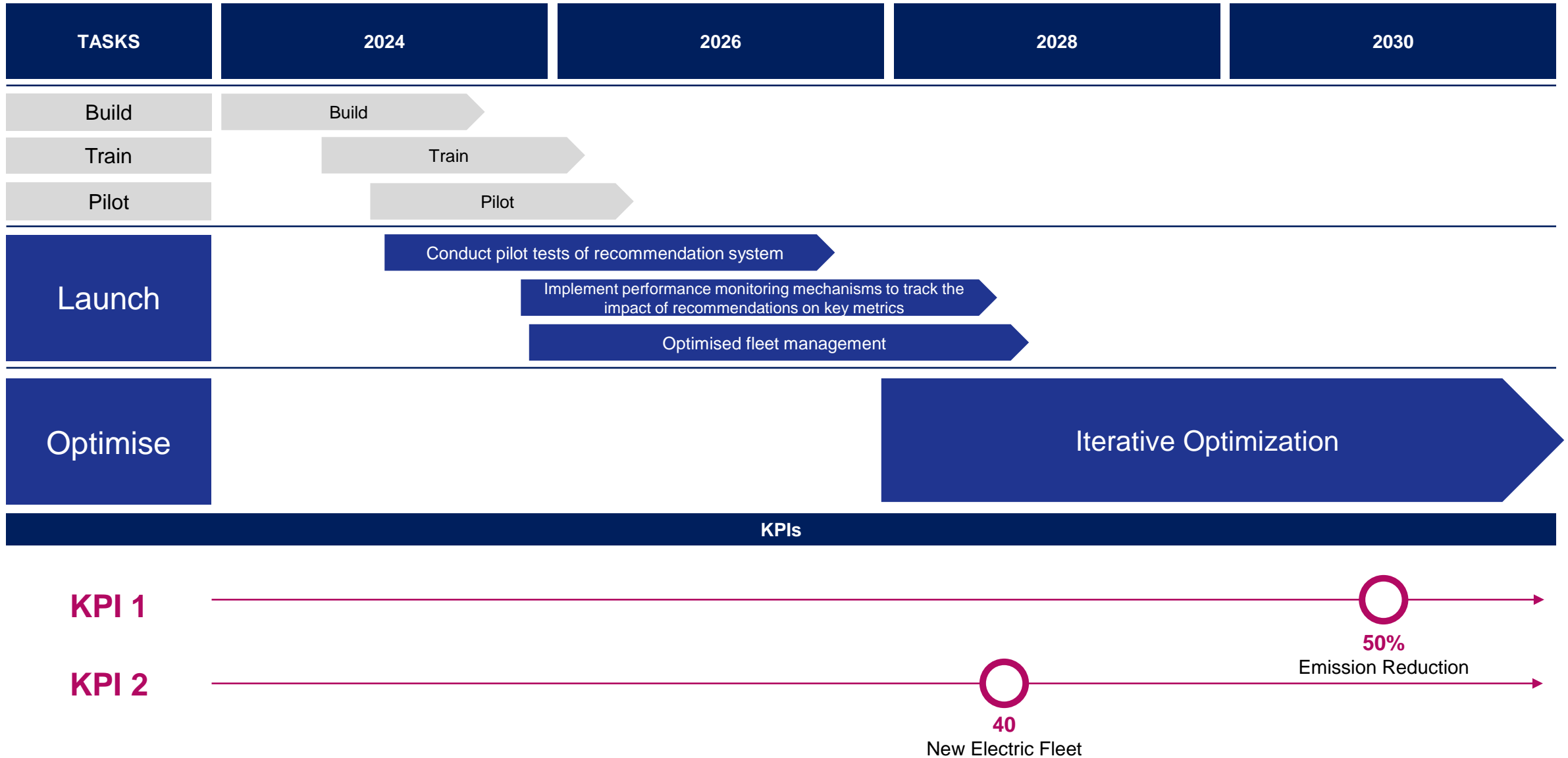
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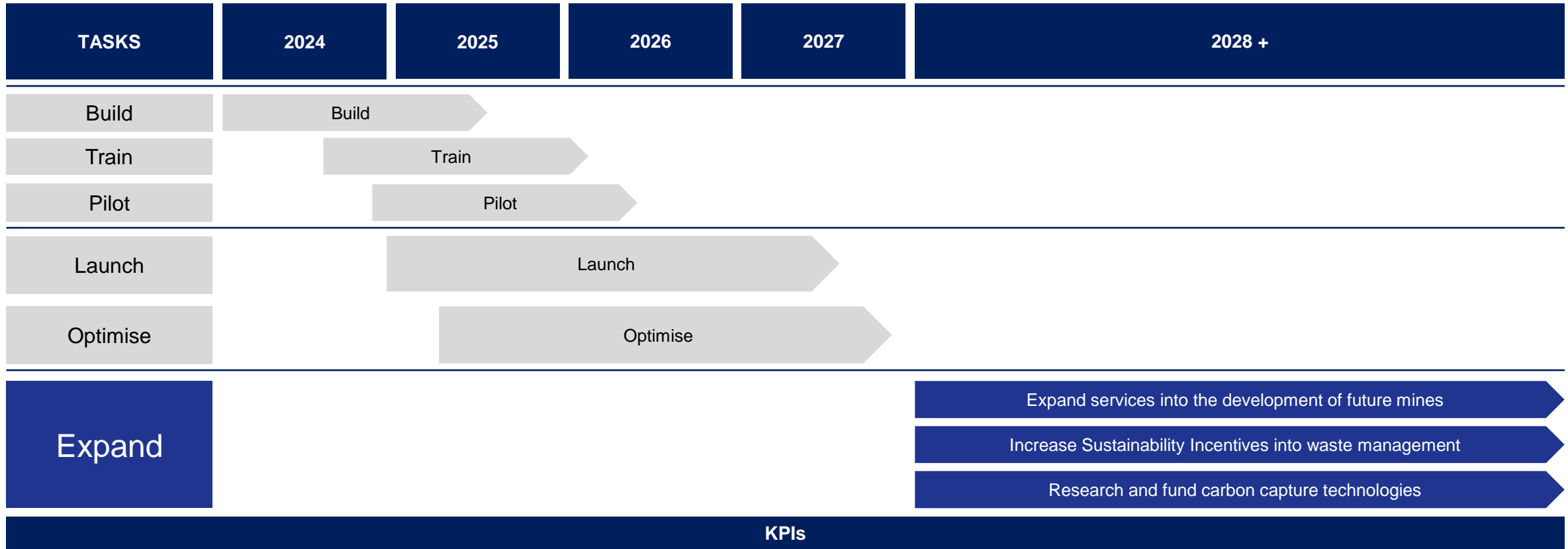
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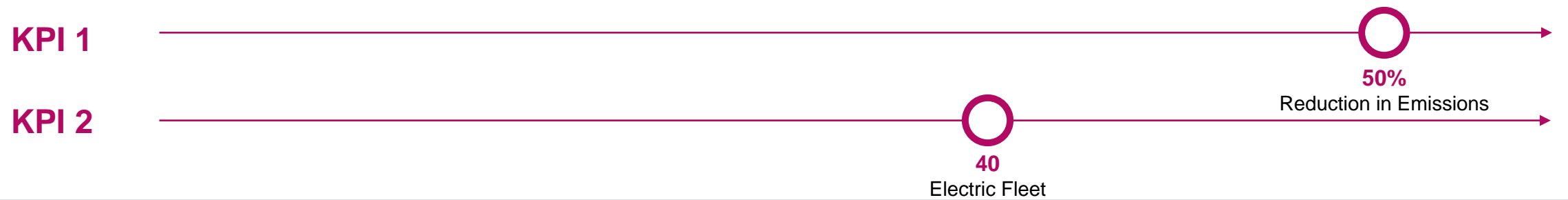
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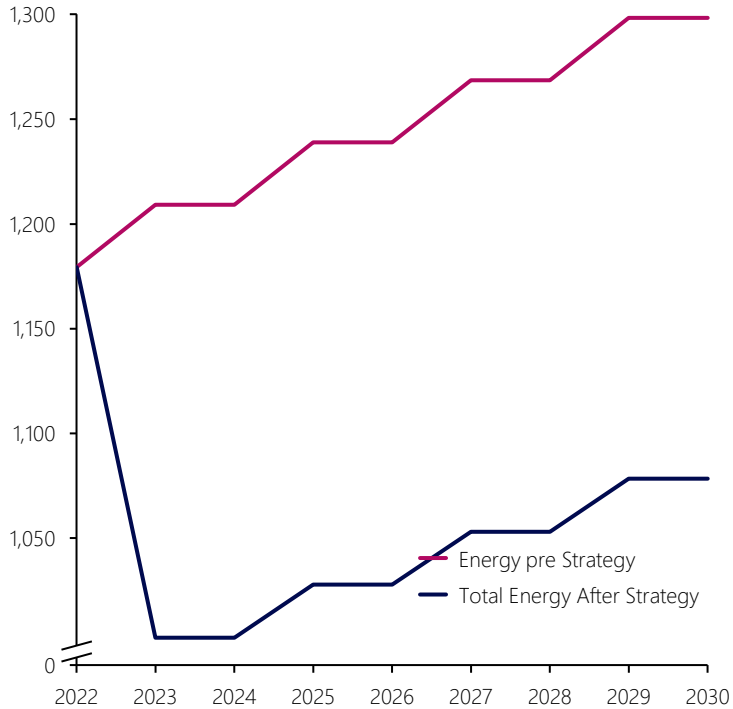


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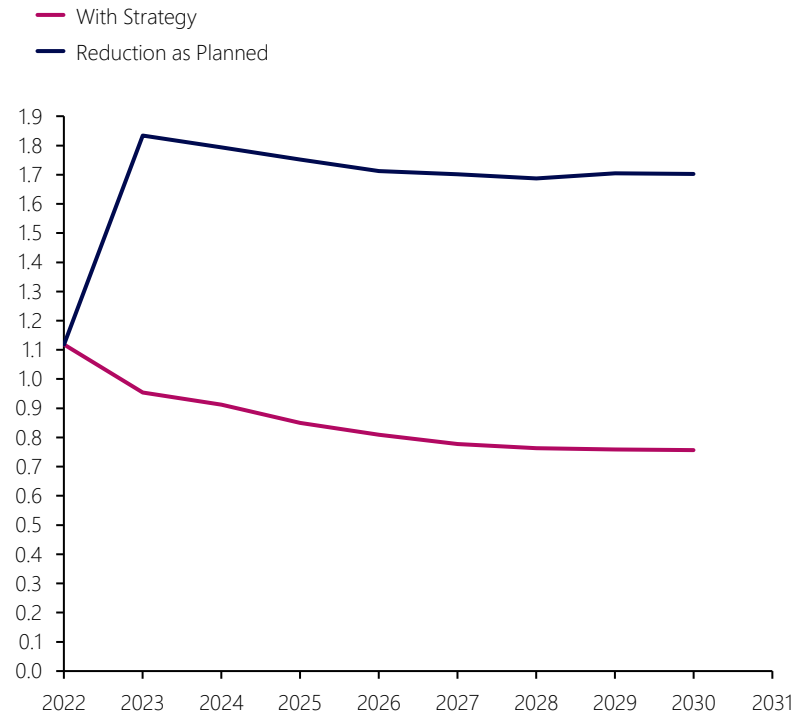


GGR can revolutionise their **sustainability impacts** through our strategy

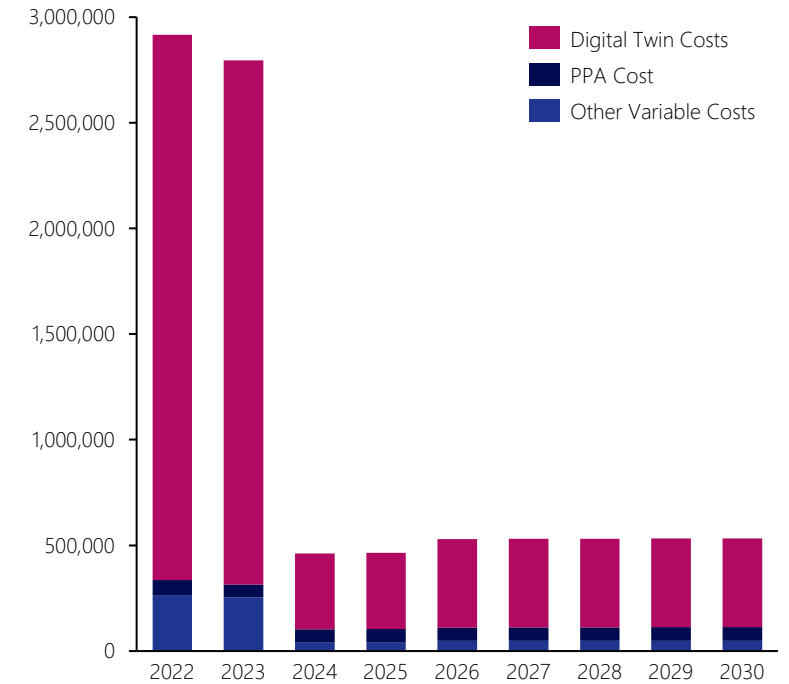
Energy Required



Emissions MtCO₂



Costs Overview



17%

Energy Usage Reduced

202GWh

Of Energy Saved through Digital Twin

63%

Reduction in Emissions due to energy

21.6%

Energy Efficiency Increase

95%

Energy emissions will be reduced through PPAs

1MtCO₂

Reduced by the end of 2034

95%

Off Emissions through Energy reduced through PPAs

5M

Initial Boost Required that will be offset by loan

7%

Of initial Cost come from Strategy

Electrifying the Future



The impact of the incoming new fleet of haul trucks is not enough



Through our digital twin, PPA and SLL loans we will reduce emissions to meet our sustainability targets



By the end of 2034 Green Gully Resource will reduce carbon emissions by 68%

Impacts

15%

Reduction in Emissions due to new trucks

+

35%

Reduction in Emissions due to our strategy

=

50%

Reduction in Emissions due to our strategy

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CASE STUDY



Canada's first all-electric operation
and the world's first diesel-free hard
rock mine:
Newmont Goldcorp's Borden mine



Replaced all of its underground diesel
fleet of trucks with Battery Electric
Vehicles, making it one of the first all-
electric underground mines in Canada

Battery-operated drilling and blasting
equipment, to electric bolters, personnel
carriers and, ultimately, a 40-metric-tonne
battery-powered haul truck, eliminate all
GHG emissions associated with the
movement of ore and waste rock

Utilises IoT Sensors by Maestro

Reduction in annual greenhouse gas (GHG)
emissions of 70%

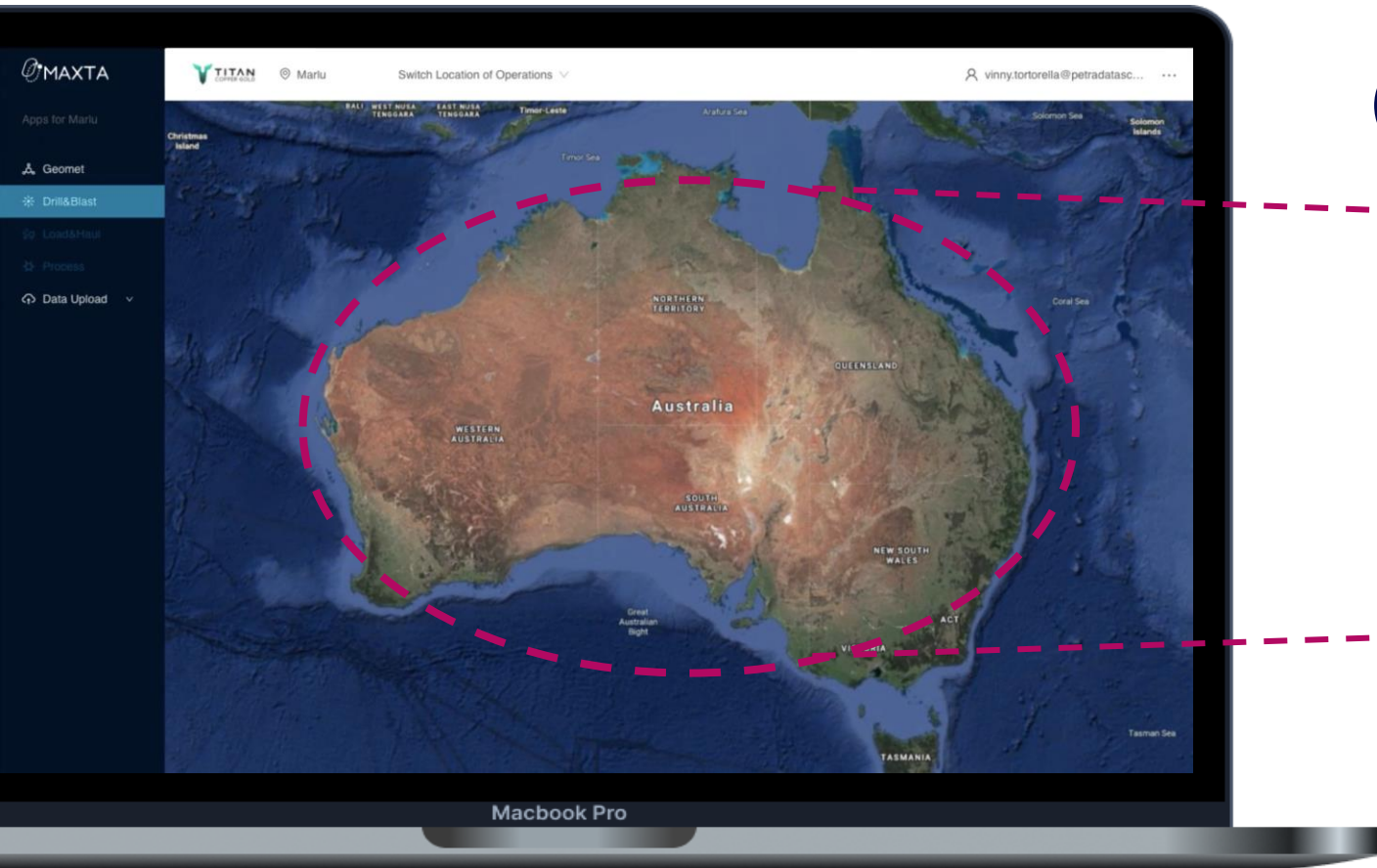
Improved staff well-being

Reduced megawatt hours of 33,000 per year
because of the huge decrease in ventilation
requirements by 50%

Improved safety performance



- 1 Creation of centralised dashboard
- 2 Various digital twin applications throughout supply chain



- 3 Predictive modelling

CASE STUDY



In 2018, PanAust's Ban Houayxai gold-silver operation in northern Laos faced a challenging issue: infrequent episodes of very poor gold recovery, often falling below 50%.



PanAust turned to PETRA and its MAXTAGeomet application, a groundbreaking orebody learning **powered by AI for mine value-chain optimisation**

MAXTAGeomet utilises operational data to **predict plant performance**, making it an ideal choice for the Ban Houayxai project, using geological data for input to digital twin model

The PETRA team integrated this data into the MAXTA software, **creating a predictive model** that could be applied to the mine's block model for **historical reconciliation analysis and future predictions**

MAXTAGeomet successfully identified conditions leading to high levels of locked gold and poor recovery

Following the successful Ban Houayxai project, MAXTA found applications across iron-ore, copper-gold, and gold operations worldwide

Its capabilities expanded beyond geometallurgy, encompassing product quality, comminution energy consumption, and crusher, beneficiation, milling throughput maximisation

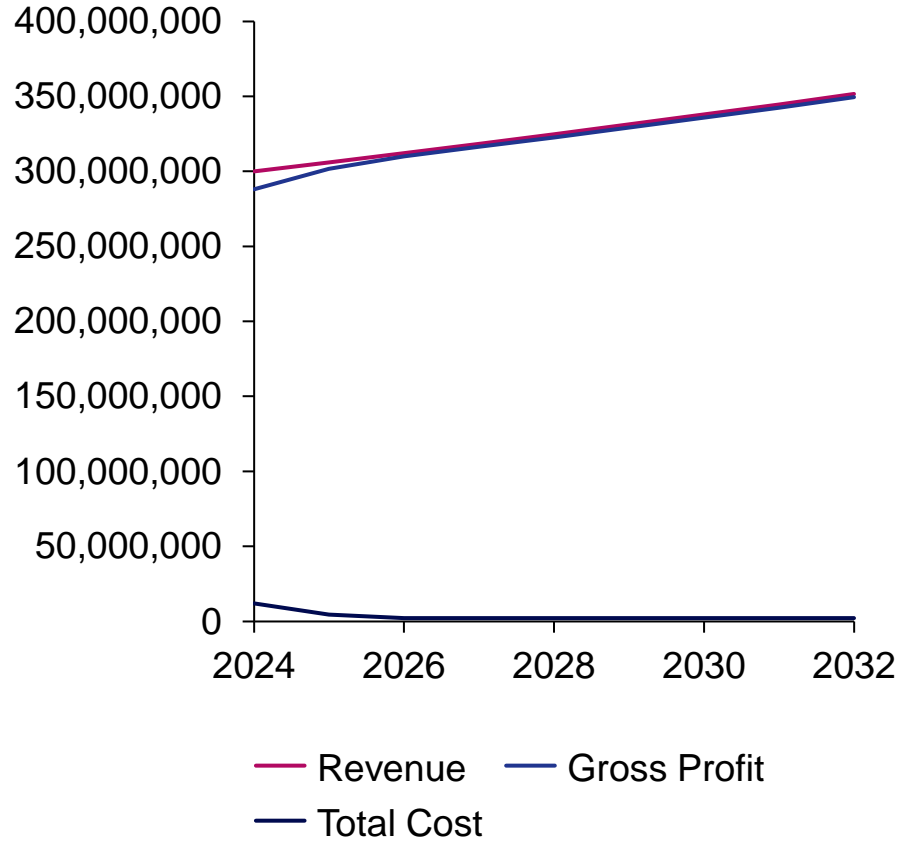
This approach quantified mining risk, supplying valuable data for cost improvement studies, analyses, and simulations for various scenarios.



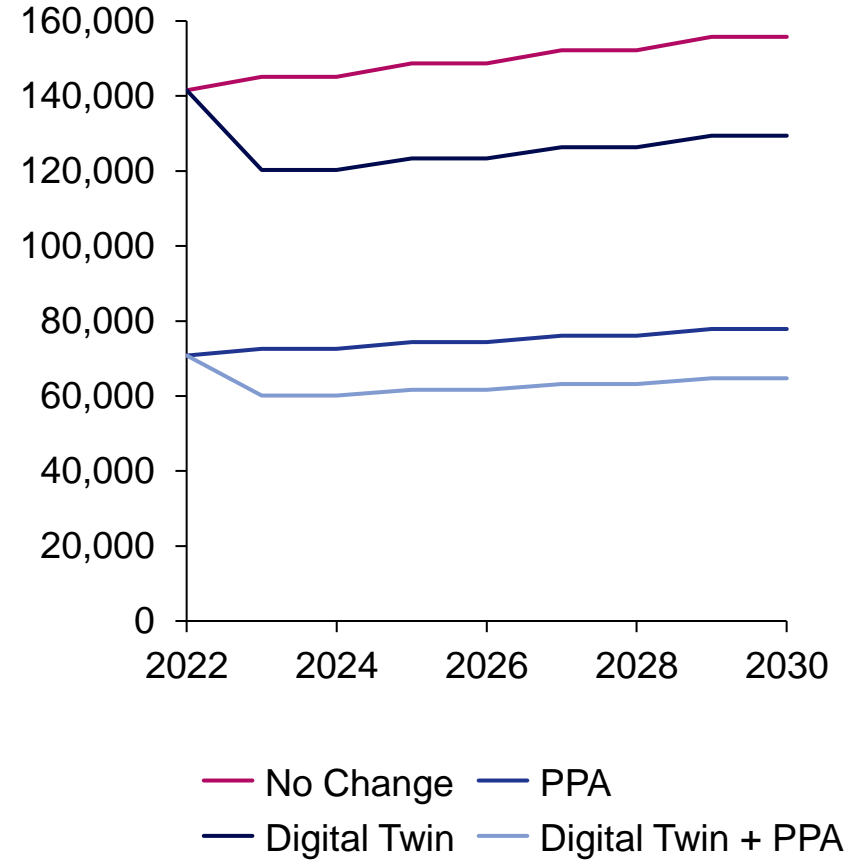
- ✓ Diverse Renewable Energy Portfolio:
 - ✓ managing a substantial renewable energy portfolio, operating three power plants with a combined capacity of around 310 MW.
- ✓ Strategic Partnership and Expansion:
 - ✓ focusing on growth by entering into a strategic partnership, transferring a 50% stake of Enel Green Power Australia to INPEX
- ✓ Contribution to Sustainable Development:
 - ✓ Enel Green Power Australia is at the forefront of supporting Australia's sustainable development

- ✓ Innovative Renewable Energy Investment:
 - ✓ Sun Metals has demonstrated a commitment to renewable energy by investing \$200 million in constructing a 143MWAC solar farm.
- ✓ Large-scale Solar Infrastructure:
 - ✓ housing around 1.26 million solar PV modules and 52 large-scale outdoor inverters.
- ✓ Leadership in Energy Market Transformation:
 - ✓ Sun Metals has been a driving force in the adaptation of the Queensland and Australian energy markets to new electricity network requirements.

Revenue vs Total Costs



Electricity Cost Savings



Energy Reduction

Energy Required		2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
BASE LINE:										
Western Australia Mineral Mining:										
Iron Ore	Mt	761								
Lithium	Mt	3								
Alumina	Mt	13								
Others	Mt	10								
Total	Mt	787								
No Mines in Western Australia		125								
Average Mineral Amount per mine		6								
Green Gully Resources:										
Mines in total		10								
Mt of minerals produced	Mt	63								
Energy intensity Per Mt	kWh/tonne	11								
Energy due to minerals	GWh	674								
No of fleet		0	10	10	20	20	30	30	40	40
Available trucks		0	9	9	18	18	26	26	35	35
Utilised trucks		0	6	6	11	11	17	17	23	23
distance travelled per fleet per day	km	250								
distance travelled per fleet per year	km	65000								
distance travelled by fleet per year	km	0	371800	371800	743600	743600	1115400	1115400	1487200	1487200
Energy per 100km	kWh	80								
Energy used by fleet	GWh	0	30	30	59	59	89	89	119	119
Energy due to processing	GWh	337								
Energy due to support infrastructure	GWh	168								
Total Energy Used	GWh	1179	1209	1209	1239	1239	1269	1269	1298	1298
WITH STRATEGY										
Servicable Addressible Energy Usage	GWh	505	535	535	565	565	595	595	624	624
<u>Digital Twin:</u>										
Optimization of Transport	GWh	0	4	4	9	9	13	13	18	18
Optimization of Machinery	GWh	67								
Optimization of Processing	GWh	51								
Optimization of Support Infrastructure	GWh	84								
Total Reduction in Energy from Digital Twin	GWh		207	207	211	211	216	216	220	220
Total Energy after Strategy	GWh	1179	1002	1002	1028	1028	1053	1053	1078	1078

Emissions Reduced		2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
Base Line	<i>MtCo_2</i>	1.3								
Direct Emissions	%	40								
Diesel and Other Fuel	<i>tCo_2</i>	0.2600	0.2080	0.1664	0.0998	0.0599	0.0240	0.0096	0.0019	0.0004
Process Emissions		0.208								
Energy Emissions Percentage	%	20								
Emissions per kWh	<i>kg</i>	0.85								
Energy Emissions	<i>tCo_2</i>	0.26	0.51	0.51	0.53	0.53	0.54	0.54	0.55	0.55
Other Emissions Percentage	%	30								
Other Emissions	<i>tCo_2</i>	0.39								
Total Emissions with out hual truck change	<i>MtCo_2</i>	1.12	1.37	1.37	1.38	1.38	1.40	1.40	1.41	1.41
Total Emissions	<i>MtCo_2</i>	1.12	1.32	1.28	1.22	1.18	1.16	1.15	1.15	1.15
With Strategy										
Energy Emission Reduction										
<u>Power Purchase Agreement</u>										
Emissions Reduction for PPA's percentage	%	75								
Reduction Emissions for PPA's	<i>MtCo_2</i>		0.385	0.386	0.395	0.395	0.405	0.405	0.414	0.414
Emissions Reduction for Renewable per MW	<i>kg</i>	0.95								
Reduction from energy efficiency	<i>MtCo_2</i>		0.3662	0.3663	0.3753	0.3753	0.3843	0.3843	0.3933	0.3933
Total Emissions after strategy		1.12	0.95	0.91	0.85	0.81	0.78	0.76	0.76	0.76

Cost Breakdown

Cost Analysis		2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	2032
Fixed Costs:										
Charging Infrastructure	\$	1500000								
Delivery Costs	\$	5000000								
Disposal of Old Assets	\$	200000								
Trucks Cost x10	\$	6000000								
Total Fixed Costs	\$	12700000								
Digital Twin Costs:										
Data Collection and Integration	\$	100000								
Model Development	\$	2000000	2000000							
Software Team	\$	240000	240000	360000	360000	420000	420000	420000	420000	420000
Deployment and User Training	\$	240000	240000							
Total	\$	2580000	2480000	360000	360000	420000	420000	420000	420000	420000
PPA Cost per MW	\$	60								
PPA Cost	\$	70762	60148	60148	61665	61665	63182	63182	64699	64699
PPA Cost without energy efficiency	\$	70762	72546	72546	74331	74331	76116	76116	77900	77900
Other Vairable Costs										
Maintenance Cost	\$	1000000	1000000	1000000	1000000	1000000	1000000	1000000	1000000	1000000
Misc. Costs	\$	162801	348000	136000	136000	142000	142000	142000	142000	142000
Total other Vairable Costs	\$	1162801	1348000	1136000	1136000	1142000	1142000	1142000	1142000	1142000
Total Costs	\$	16442802	3828002	1496002	1496002	1562002	1562002	1562002	1562002	1562002
Cost of just strategy	\$	3742802	3828002	1496002	1496002	1562002	1562002	1562002	1562002	1562002
Cost Reduction										
Sustainability Linked Loan	\$	-5000000								
Annual Interest Rate	%	1.99								
Annual Payment		556341	556341	556341	556341	556341	556341	556341	556341	556341
Total Cost	\$	\$11,999,143.16	4384343	2052343	2052343	2118343	2118343	2118343	2118343	\$2,118,343.15
Revenue										
Natural Revenue Growth Rate	%	2								
Baseline Revenue	Million	300	306	312	318	325	331	338	345	351
Cost Saving:										
Original Cost of Electricity per MW (0.12 kWh)	\$	120								
Cost of electricity without energy efficiency		141523	145093	145093	148662	148662	152231	152231	155800	155800
Cost of Electricity with energy efficiency	\$	141523	120296	120296	123330	123330	126364	126364	129398	129398