Department of **Mines, Petroleum and Exploration**

GOVERNMENT OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Investment Opportunities

Gold (Au)



Western Australia's gold production for 2024–25 was worth more than **A$29 billion**

All data extracted as at: January 2026

Project with gold resources >2.2 million ounces ranked by contained gold as at January 2026

Mineral Resource Estimates reported in accordance with JORC (2012) unless otherwise stated

	Project	Status	Owner	Resources (Mt)	Av. grade Au (g/t)	Contained Au (Moz)	Resource date
	Golden Mile	Operating	Northern Star Resources	836.2	1.42	38.51	31/03/2025
	Hemi	Feasibility	Northern Star Resources	310.0	1.40	13.60	14/11/2024
	Paddington[2^]	Operating	Zijin Mining/Norton Gold Fields	327.9	1.14	12.06	30/04/2025
	Murchison[3]	Operating	Westgold Resources	131.4	2.34	9.66	30/06/2025
	Kanowna	Operating	Northern Star Resources	109.0	2.28	8.03	31/03/2025
	Paterson	Exploration	Rio Tinto	741.0	0.34	8.01	31/12/2024
	Gruyere	Operating	Gold Fields	172.0	1.43	7.94	31/12/2024
	Kundana/Mungari[4]	Operating	Evolution Mining	171.5	1.30	7.21	31/12/2024
	Matilda	Operating	Wiluna Mining	91.8	2.38	7.06	31/12/2024
	Gwalia	Operating	Genesis Minerals	63.2	3.45	7.04	31/12/2024
	Havieron	Under development	Greatland Resources	132.0	1.63	6.95	21/12/2023
	Jundee	Operating	Northern Star Resources	79.3	2.54	6.50	31/03/2025
	Tropicana	Operating	AngloGold Ashanti/Regis Resources	90.0	1.86	5.41	31/12/2024
	Sunrise Dam[#]	Operating	AngloGold Ashanti	84.7	1.88	5.14	31/12/2024
	Thunderbox[5]	Operating	Northern Star Resources	86.0	1.71	4.75	31/03/2025
	Mt Gibson	Pre-Feasibility	Capricorn Metals	152.0	0.96	4.73	11/11/2025
	Kambalda Gold	Operating	Westgold Resources	63.5	2.28	4.67	30/06/2025
	Central Norseman	Operating	Pantoro Gold/Tulla Resources	43.2	3.30	4.60	22/09/2025
	Bullabulling	Exploration	Minerals 260	135.7	1.04	4.54	01/12/2025
	Carosue Dam[6]	Operating	Northern Star Resources	66.1	2.10	4.48	31/03/2025
	Boddington[#]	Operating	Newmont	248.2	0.54	4.31	31/12/2024
	Mt Magnet	Operating	Ramelius Resources	82.4	1.58	4.20	30/06/2025
	Tarmoola – King of the Hills	Operating	Vault Minerals	139.1	0.93	4.19	30/06/2025
	Plutonic[7]	Operating	Catalyst Metals	40.8	3.10	4.08	01/07/2025
	Laverton	Pre-Feasibility	Genesis Minerals	74.1	1.67	3.99	08/03/2024
	Granny Smith[#]	Operating	Gold Fields	23.6	5.10	3.88	31/12/2024
	Randalls – Mt Monger	Operating	Vault Minerals	27.6	3.83	3.41	30/06/2025
	Telfer	Operating	Newcrest Mining	154.1	0.64	3.18	31/12/2024
	Duketon	Operating	Regis Resources	87.0	1.13	3.18	31/12/2024
	South Kalgoorlie	Operating	Northern Star Resources	36.8	2.68	3.18	31/03/2025
	Bellevue	Operating	Bellevue Gold	10.7	8.99	3.10	01/03/2025
	Citadel	Exploration	Rio Tinto	127.1	0.70	2.89	26/08/2024
	Coolgardie*	Operating	Focus Minerals	44.6	1.87	2.68	31/12/2024
	Kambalda – St Ives*	Operating	Gold Fields	23.8	3.58	2.75	31/12/2024
	Minyari Dome	Pre-Feasibility	Antipa Minerals	57.7	1.45	2.69	18/12/2025
	Dalgaranga	Feasibility	Ramelius Resources	16.1	5.11	2.66	28/10/2025
	Katanning	Feasibility	Ausgold	68.6	1.11	2.46	30/06/2025
	Gum Creek	Scoping	Panoramic Resource/Horizon Gold	38.0	1.89	2.31	04/11/2025
	Ulysses	Operating	Genesis Minerals	35.1	2.04	2.31	31/12/2024
	Apollo Hill	Pre-Feasibility	Saturn Metals	137.0	0.51	2.26	18/07/2025
	Lady Julie	Pre-Feasibility	Magnetic Resources	39.1	1.78	2.24	19/01/2026

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Resource estimates have been rounded.
^ Mineral Resource is not JORC 2012 compliant and not CRIRSCO equivalent.
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* Mineral Resource contains both JORC 2012 compliant and JORC 2004 compliant resources.
1 Resources are across two projects — Hemi and Pilbara Gold.
2 Resources are across three projects — Paddington, Ora Banda, and Binduli.
3 Resources are across three projects — Central Murchison, Fortnum and Murchison.
4 Resources are across four projects - Kundana, Mungari, Broads Dam and Carbine.
5 Resources are across four project - Thunderbox, Bundarra / Bligh, Bannockburn, and Kailis.
6 Resources are across three projects - Carosue Dam, Deep South and Porphyry.
7 Resources are the combined Plutonic Gold, Plutonic Dome Projects.
Spatial and resource estimates data sourced from WA Mines and Mineral Deposit database (MINEDEX).

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Gold WA statistics (FY2024–25)

$A29,247 million
sales value

208.6
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35,672
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3rd
production, world ranking

A$10,682 million†
investment projects

2.5%
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* Included gold refined/processed and exported from Western Australia, but produced from mining operations in other jurisdictions.
† Includes projects planned, possible, committed or under construction as of September 2025.

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Western Australia hosts world-class gold deposits

- Western Australia's gold production for 2024–25 was 6.7 Moz, worth over A$29 billion.

Mining activity

- During 2025, first gold was poured from mines at the Widgiemooltha (Auric Mining), Devon (Matsa Resources), Phillips Find (Horizon Minerals), Boorara (Horizon Minerals), and Murchison (Meeka Metals) Projects.
- Northern Star Resources acquired the Hemi Project on 5 May 2025. This was the biggest acquisition deal ever done in Australia with an acquisition cost of A$5 billion. Hemi represents one of the largest undeveloped gold projects in a tier-1 jurisdiction.
- Several major projects are now at Feasibility and Pre-Feasibility stage including the Katanning (Ausgold), Apollo Hill (Saturn Metals), Lady Julie (Magnetic Resources), Dalgaranga (Ramelius Resources), Garden Gully (New Murchison), Menzies (Brightstar Resources), Rebecca and Roe (Ramelius Resources), Youanmi Gold (Rox Resources), Feysville and Mandilla (Astral Resources), and Lady Ida (Lamerton) Projects.
- The Havieron Project (Greatland Gold) is currently under development.

Resources

- Significant mineral resource upgrades have been announced for the Golden Mile + Kanowna + Jundee (Northern Star Resources), Murchison (Westgold Resources), Kundana/Mungari (Evolution Mining), Mt Gibson (Capricorn Metals), Kambalda Gold (Westgold Resources), Bullabulling (Minerals 260), Plutonic (Catalyst Metals), Minyari Dome (Antipa Minerals), Kambalda – St Ives (Gold Fields), Lady Julie (Magnetic Resources), and Dalgaranga (Ramelius Resources) Projects.

Exploration

- Significant gold intercepts continue to be announced from several projects in the State including – Minyari Dome (Antipa Minerals), Garden Gully (New Murchison), Kundana – White Flag (Evolution Minerals), Kambalda Gold (Westgold Resources), Central Norseman (Pantoro Gold), Neptune–Bryah (Tambourah Metals), and Lady Ida (Lamerton) Projects.
- Several gold discoveries were announced during 2025 including at the Island Gold (Caprice Resources), Comet Vale (Gorilla Gold), Mt Ida (Ballard Mining) and Barwidgee (Yandal Resources) Projects.

