

2EC

2EC - Combination of ore types 2E massive pyritic sulphides and 2C base metal - poor pyritic quartzite. Basically this ore type is massive pyritic sulphides with some quartzite present.

S.G. 3.5-4.0

Typical Assay: Pb Zn Fe
3.0 5.0 25-30

Higher specific gravity and improved grindability allow for a respectable throughput in grinding. The high iron content requires increased cyanide dosages. Metallurgy on both lead and zinc for this ore type is good. The EC ore type makes up about 16% of the Zone 3 ore body opposed to 43.5% of the Zone 2 ore body.