



Mining Mondays

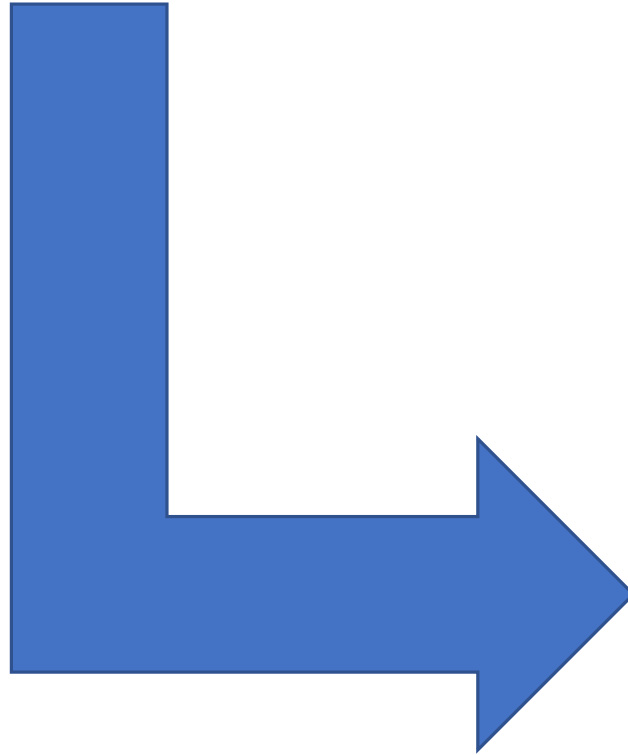
AMEC challenges & opportunities

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A bit about me...

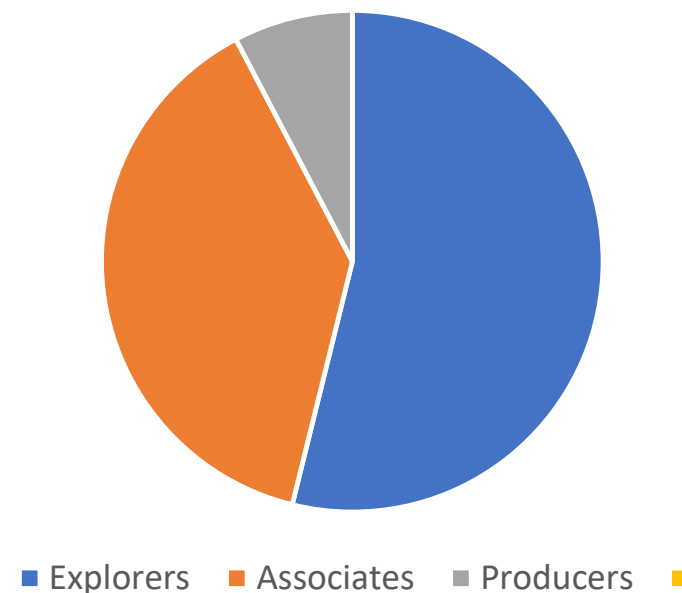




Who is AMEC?

- Est. in early 1980s as a voice for junior and mid-tier explorers
- Nationally > 530 members, 71 members in QLD
- Diverse business models, most exploration members have 3 – 10 employees
- \$443.8M invested in 2021; increase of \$22.5M in expenditure for first 2 quarters of 2022
- Exploration makes up 26.5% of those employed in mining, or 20,433¹

QLD members



¹ [Mining employment in Queensland | Tableau Public](#)



What do we do?

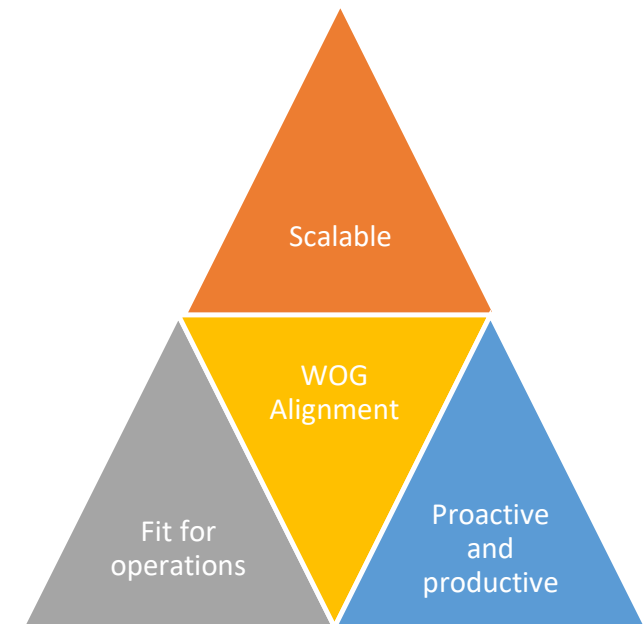
- Voice for juniors
- Policy and legislative advocacy
 - Stakeholder consultation
 - Pre-emptive / strategic
- Member support
 - Advisory
 - Escalation
- Events





AMEC QLD 2023 Top 5 Priorities

1. Safety
2. Whole of government alignment
3. Land access and co-existence
4. Critical Mineral Sandbox
 - Achieve faster assessments, reduce the cost of business
5. Environmental regulation





Thank you.

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