

Chinese Resource Strategy

China is securing minerals and metals for which it is net import reliant.

COBALT

Democratic Republic of the Congo

PRODUCTION: 61%

RESERVES: 49%

CHINA'SINFLUENCE: Influence over 52% of cobalt production with equity stakes and supply agreements

NIOBIUM

Brazil

PRODUCTION: 88%

RESERVES 80%

CHINA'SINFLUENCE: Stakes in 100% production

PLATINUM GROUP METALS (PGMs)

South Africa

PRODUCTION: 54%

RESERVES: 91%

CHINA'SINFLUENCE: Stakes in ¾ of all major PGM sites

LITHIUM

Argentina

PRODUCTION: 10%

RESERVES 14%

CHINA'SINFLUENCE: Stakes in 41% of major planned projects accounting for 37% of reserves

Australia

PRODUCTION: 58%

RESERVES 19%

china'sinfluence Stakes in 61% of production

Bolivia

PRODUCTION: None

RESERVE

Believed to be among the world's largest

china's influence Stakes in 100% of development via an equity agreement

Chile

ристин 21%

RESERVES 57%

CHINA'SINFLUENCE: Stakes in 67% of Chile's output

PRODUCTION AND RESERVES FOR 2017. SOURCES: USSS; FPA ANALYSIS OF COMPANY FILINGS, DEAL FLOWS, EQUITY STAKES AND OFF-TAKE AGREEMENTS