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Marathon Palladium Project Jobs and Economics

The Marathon Palladium Project is a proposed open-pit mine in which copper and palladium ore will be crushed and processed at an on-site facility. Mine site production is estimated to begin late 2023, with a peak required workforce of nearly 900 workers during the construction phase. On average, the operation will employ 400 people with full time, permanent jobs, for the estimated mine life of roughly 12 years in addition to 2 years of construction.

A large variety of workers are required in a mining setting. The majority of support comes from trades and production occupations, including mechanics, welders, heavy equipment operators and the manufacturing of utilities. Engineers, geologists and geotechnicians have important roles in the development and extraction of the open-pit and mine rock, and conduct environmental monitoring daily. The entire operation is supported by a department of human resources and administration services that will provide management, servicing and complete financial obligations.

In the Marathon region, mining is an important industry and provides employment for nearly 700 persons, which is nearly 15% of the labour force. The Project will bring increased economic benefits to local and regional communities and Indigenous communities along the north shore of Lake Superior. We are focussed on increasing business and economic opportunities and labour incomes in local communities.



To review the Marathon Project Socioeconomics baseline report please visit: <https://www.genmining.com/projects/generation-pgm/technical-reports/>

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