

The International Network for Acid Prevention



*Linking people together on a
global issue*



What is INAP?

An organization of international mining companies dedicated to reducing liabilities associated with sulphide mine materials.



INAP Activities

- Information sharing and networking
- Technology Transfer
- Research



2004 Work plan



- Focus on networking and sharing: Less emphasis on projects

- NEW web page

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- Regional workshops





Networking Activities

INAP has made submissions to policy initiatives:

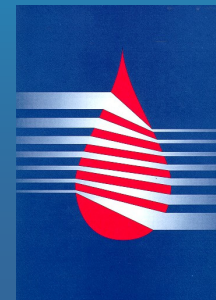
- World Bank Extractive Industries Review
- ICMM - GRI Mining Supplement
- IFC policy and guidelines

Global Alliance on Acid Drainage



- Regional organizations seen as ‘centres of excellence’
- Addresses the need for greater global coordination, communication and information sharing

Acid Drainage Technology Initiative





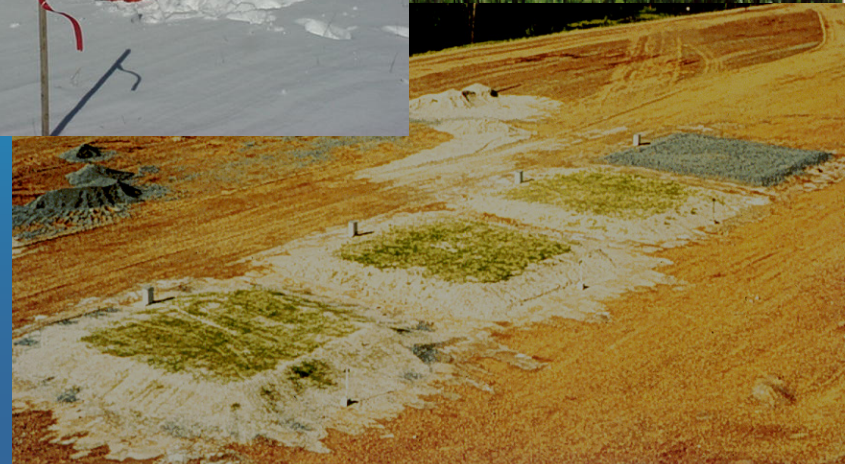
Benefits from the Global Alliance

- Industry partnerships with key groups that set the acid drainage agenda
- Leveraging funds for projects
- Reduction in potential research duplication – a wiser investment of scarce capital



2004 Research Projects

- Store and Release Covers
- Scale-up research at Diavik
- ADTI workbook series
- Sulphate reduction -
in South Africa
- Tailings characterization
- World wide guide on acid
drainage



An aerial photograph of a coastal region. The foreground and middle ground are dominated by a large, dark blue body of water. In the center, there is a large, irregularly shaped landmass with a network of roads and a small cluster of buildings, possibly a settlement or a small town. The background shows a vast expanse of water extending to the horizon under a cloudy sky. The overall color palette is dominated by blues and greys.

Thank you

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