

# Productivity Evaluation of r1700 ldh (load haul dump) to Meet Locomotive Productivity in Haulage Level in Underground Mine Grasberg Block Cave (gbc) PT. Freeport Indonesia

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**Abstract.** PT. Freeport Indonesia is one of the first mining companies in Indonesia to engage in world-class copper, gold and silver mining, located in Tembagapura, Regency Mimika, Papua Province. The company PT. Freeport Indonesia in its operations uses an open mining system (Surface Mining) and underground mining (Underground Mining). Grasberg block cave underground mine is one of the future mines of PT. The Freeport Indonesia mine has ore reserves of 874 billion tons with a copper content of 1.04%, gold 0.81 gram / tonne and silver 2.9 grams / tonne and to extract these ore reserves the Grasberg Block Cave underground mine applies the block cave method. (collapsed) but since the opening of the Grasberg Block Cave mine in 2008 until now the mine is still in the development stage. Basically, this increase in production can be achieved in two ways, firstly it can be done by maximizing the productivity of the existing R1700 LHD (Load Haul Dump) tool, and the second way that can be done is by using the addition of heavy equipment and production support tools so that production capacity to be bigger. With such a situation, it is necessary to study the calculation of productivity or the addition of the GBC (Grasberg Block Cave) underground mining equipment of PT. Freeport Indonesia, so that production can run evenly, smoothly and in accordance with the existing draworder. The purpose of this study was to determine the comparison of the productivity of the LHD (Load Haul Dump) tool R1700 at the extraction level with the locomotive productivity at the haulage level. To find out the obstacles that cause productivity of the LHD R1700 is not optimal. Optimizing the performance of the R1700 LHD (Load Haul Dump) in terms of operating hours and road conditions on the panel. Overburden stripping production target at PT. Freeport Indonesia amounted to 166,666 tonnes / hour and pershif 2000,000 tonnes / shift while the actual production of transportation equipment was 41,405 tonnes / hour per logan, but if 5 logan was 207,025 tonnes / hour, there was still a shortage of production where the mechanical equipment that had not been operated. work optimally. Based on the results of research conducted at PT. Freeport Indonesia, the work efficiency value is 79% or 0.79 work efficiency. The swell factor is obtained from the ratio of loose density to in situ density. From the data obtained from PT. Freeport Indonesia is 0.8. In Block Civing mining activities using the LHD (Load Haul Dump) unit R1700, the total production of 1 (one) unit of loading equipment is 117,431 tons / hour and in Block Civing

mining activities using 1 (one) Locomotive of 33,124 tons / hour and using 5 The carriage is 165,620 tons / hour. Meanwhile, the improved production from the calculation of the research results obtained total production for loading equipment of 128.682 tonnes / hour and total production of transportation equipment of 36.298 tonnes / hour and at 5 logan was 181.488 tonnes / hour, so it was known if the target had been met. The method used to meet the target is to analyze and make improvements to the factors that affect the work of the tool. Based on the results of observations and field data processing, mining activities carried out by PT. Freeport Indonesia has a production target of 4000,000 tonnes / day, 2000,000 tonnes / shift and 166,666 tonnes / hour with average real production yields in October and December 2018.

**Keywords:** Production, Loading Equipment, Transport Equipment, Efficiency.

## 1 Introduction

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## 2 Text formatting

To discuss problems regarding the Evaluation of LHD Device Productivity (Load Haul Dump) R1700 in Gold and Copper Ore Mining Activities in an Effort to Increase Production Targets at Underground Mines in the Grasberg Block Cave (GBC) Area at PT. Freeport Indonesia, There

are several work steps carried out in order to obtain the following data: This activity is to determine the comparison between the productivity of the loader at the level extraction and the productivity locomotive at the level haulage. At this stage, data collection includes data on the cycle time for the transportation of the equipment LHD (Load Haul Dump) R1700 and locomotive. Retrieval of primary data, consisting of: data collection Cycle time and distance traveled from the digging tool LHD (Load Haul Dump) R1700 and locomotive. Retrieval of time data retrieval that affects the productivity of LHD (Load Haul Dump) R1700 and locomotive. data is supporting data from primary data. Secondary data obtained from literature, existing research reports, archives from companies, consisting of: Administrative maps, Location map of research area, Topographic maps, Ore extraction distance, Situation map and lithology map at the level area extraction in Grasberg Block Cave (GBC). LHD specific (Load Haul Dump) R1700 and locomotive. LHD SOP (Load Haul Dump) R1700 and locomotive. processing is done by calculating the cycle time of the digging tool, the time of the drag, the productivity of the LHD (Load Haul Dump) R1700 and locomotive. Analysis is carried out to provide evaluations and recommendations to the company from various aspects. To increase the productivity and production of LHD (Load Haul Dump) R1700 and locomotive when operating with several influencing factors.

### 3 Result

productivity of mechanical equipment is not only influenced by physical and mechanical conditions, but also by the conditions in which the equipment is used. To determine the production of loading and transportation means, it is necessary to observe the factors that influence it. So that mining at PT. Freeport Indonesia. Underground Mine Grasberg Block Cave (GBC) from the extraction level site to the shedding Loco haulage level site using a combination of LHD tools (Load Haul Dump) R1700 and conveyances Locomotive. Time Effective uptime is the time that is actually used by the operator with the tools used for production operations. Effective working time affects work efficiency. In fact, in the field the available working time cannot be fully utilized because of the constraints that can reduce working time. Based on the working arrangements have been set events in one day with two shifts where the shift morning and the shift. night In this research, it was only conducted in the shift morning due to a request from the company.

Details of the work time used for 1 week at PT. Freeport Indonesia in its mining activities can be seen in table 3.1. Please follow the formatting instructions for headings given in Table 1.

**Table 1.** Available Working Hours

WORK HOURS AVAILABLE					
SHIFT- MORNING					
THE	AT		HOU RS	OF	DURATION
	Morning	Afternoon			
MONDAY - SATURDAY	4:00	16:00	12	HOU RS	5040.0000

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	TOTAL	5040.0000
	MINUTES / WEEK	5040.0000
	MINUTES /DAYS	720.0000
	OF HOURS / DAY	12 0000

#### Time of Constraints

In gold mining activities, there is an effective working time where this time is obtained from the time available minus the amount of time the obstacles take place during the activity. The obstacles that occur consist of obstacles that can be avoided and obstacles that cannot be avoided, namely: can be avoided

- a. Obstacles that.

Barriers that can be avoided are obstacles that occur because of deviations from the scheduled work time.

- b. Is an obstacle that occurs during working hours that causes loss of working time.

The magnitude of the obstacles that can be avoided or unavoidable for the digging tool per day can be seen in the table. The size of the loading tool barriers is obtained by observing directly in the field which can be seen in Table 2

**Table 2.** Work Constraints Work

Obstacles Can Be Avoided	Actual Minutes
Returning Early	25
Check the vehicle Round	10
Parking	10
Total	45
Barriers Can not Be avoided	Actual Minutes
MeetingCrew	20
Daily Service	30

Rest Spot	40
Thermal Engineering	15
number	105
Total	150

efficiency is the ratio between the time spent working with the total time available. Work efficiency can be used to assess whether a job is good or not, work efficiency is influenced by the effective working time and available work time. Based on the results of research conducted at PT. Freeport Indonesia, the work efficiency value is 79% or 0.79 work efficiency.

Formula:  $We = Wt - (Whd + Wtd)$

Where:

We = Effective working time  
Wt = Available working time  
Whd = Time obstacles can be avoided  
Wtd = Time obstacles cannot be avoided

Note:

Wt = 720 Min  
Whd = 85 Minutes  
Wtd = 65Minutes

Completion:

$$We = 720 - (85 + 65)$$

$$= 570 \text{ Minutes}$$

b. Calculation of Work Efficiency

Formula:  $ek = we / wt \times 100\%$

Where:

we = Effective working time  
wt = Available working time  
ek = Work efficiency

Known:

we = 570 Minutes  
wt = 720 Minutes

Solution:

$$ek = 570/720 \times 100\%$$

$$= 0.79\%$$

$$= 79\%$$

Production of Production of loading and transportation means is the amount of production that can be achieved in the working reality of the loading equipment and transportation equipment based on current conditions that can be achieved. From research data conducted at PT. Freeport Indonesia obtained the following production data: Inmining activities Block Civing using LHD units (Load Haul Dump) R1700, the total production of 1 (one) unit of loading equipment is 117,431 tons / hour. And the total production pershift is 1115,592 tons /shift.



**Fig. 1.** Production of LHD (Load Haul Dump) R1700

$$Pa = (3600/CT) \times KB \times FF \times EK \times SF$$

Note:

Pa = Production of digging equipment (LCM / hour)

CT = Cycle Time (seconds)

KB = Bucket Capacity

FF = Fill Factor (%)

EK = Work Efficiency

SF = Swell Factor a.

Actual production calculation for loading and unloading equipment

$$Pa = (3600/CT) \times KB \times FF \times EK \times SF$$

Where:

CT = 176.63 Minutes

KB = 11.97 Ton

FF = 0.80%

EC = 0.79%

SF = 0.8

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} Pa &= (3600/176.63) \times 5.7 \times 0.80 \times 0.79 \times 0.8 \\ &= 117.431 \text{ tons / hour (1 unit)} \\ &= 1115.592 \text{ tons / shif (1 unit)} \end{aligned}$$

real production load trencher is 117.431 tons / hour, Target productivity to meet the capacity of Locomotive 33.124 tons / h or 5 Logan amounted to 165.620 tons / hour, Where The working LHD 1700R has not reached the capacity of the device Locomotive.

In mining activities Block Caving using 1 (one) Locomotive of 33,124 tons / hour and using 5 carriages of 165,620 tons / hour. The total number of transportation means at mining GBC is 1 (one) Locomotive unit and 5 (five) carriages, the total production of transportation equipment is 1573,391 tons /shift.



**Fig. 2. Locomotive Production**

The actual or actual production capacity of a conveyance Locomotive uses the following equation:

$$Pb = (60/CTa) \times Ca \times EK \times SF \times D$$

Description:

Pb = Production of digging equipment (LCM / hour)

CTa = Cycle Time (seconds)

KB = Body Capacity Locomotive

EK = Work Efficiency

SF = Swell Factor

Calculation of conveyance production:

$$Pb = (60/CTa) \times KB \times EK \times SF :$$

Where

CTa = 28 Minutes

KB = 32 ton

EK = 0.79%

SF = 0.8

FF = 0.8

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned}
P_b &= (60/28) \times 32 \times 0.79 \times 0.8 \times 0.8 \\
&= 33.124 \text{ tonnes / hour} \\
&= 5 \text{ units} = 165.620 \text{ tonnes / hour} \\
&= 5 \text{ units of logan pershif} = 1573.391 \text{ tonnes / shift}
\end{aligned}$$

## 4 Conclusion

The real production of conveyances at each loading point is 33.124 tonnes / hour or 5 logans 165.620 tonnes / hour. Productivity target to meet LHD capacity of 117,431 tons / hour. Where the digging tool has not yet reached its productivity.

From the results of the analysis of the production of mechanical equipment operated at the open pit mine of PT. Freeport Indonesia, then we can conclude them as follows: Target production for mining ore(Ore)gold is 400,000 tons / day, 2000,000 tons / shif and 166 666 tons / hour production target has not been achieved because there are barriers that occur both from human factors such as being late for work, resting too early, stopping work before it's time to go home. as well as from the tool factor, namely mechanical equipment damage The work efficiency of the equipment in the shift is morningcurrently 79%. The increase in production after being carried out by reducing the time constraints that can be avoided is the efficiency of the work of the tools in the shift morning, which was originally 79% to 86%. Increasing the work efficiency of tools by making improvements to the obstacles that can be avoided, so that the production of loading equipment increases to 117,431 tons / hour and the total production oftransportation means Locomotive to 33,124 tons / hour and 5 Logan of 165,620 tons / hour.

Efforts that can be made to meet the production target of 400,000 tonnes / day, 2000,000 tonnes / shift and 166,666 tonnes / hour, namely: Emphasize effective working time, by reducing the time constraints that can be avoided.

To achieve the production target of 400,000 tonnes / day, 2000,000 tonnes / shift and 166,666 tonnes / hour. Try to achieve the work efficiency of the tool per Shift (79% -.86%).

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