

STRATEGIC PROJECT

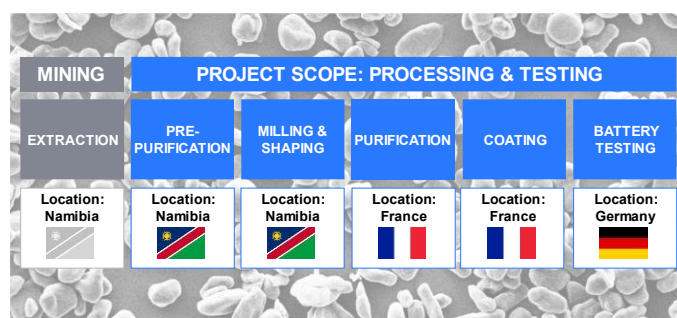
European Initiative for Strategic and Sustainable
Graphite Production

Description of project

The project European Initiative for Strategic and Sustainable Graphite Production is developing a processing plant in northern France. The project will utilize natural graphite sourced from Northern Graphite's Okanjande mine in Namibia as the input material, to be transformed into high-purity graphite concentrate into battery anode material ("BAM").

Benefit for the EU

The project European Initiative for Strategic and Sustainable Graphite Production will contribute to the EU's supply of battery grade graphite by establishing a new plant for transforming graphite into Battery Anode Material with the potential to cover about 4% of the European demand. The planned activities are committed to environmental, social, and governance principles, ensuring all project activities align with global best practices, also aiming to generate socio-economic benefits to the local economy both in the EU and Namibia.

**Project Name:**

European Initiative for Strategic and Sustainable Graphite Production

Project Type:

Processing

Strategic Raw Material:

Graphite (battery grade)

Project Promoter:

NGC Battery Materials GmbH

Project Country:

France, (Namibia and Germany)

Estimated Starting Date of Production:

2028

UNFC Classification:

E2 // F 2.1 // G1

Website of the Strategic Project:

<https://www.northerngraphite.com>