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## Redbank ups red metal output

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**COPPER production will more than double at Redbank Mines' namesake operation in the Northern Territory, following the installation of a new leaching vat.**

Redbank managing director Gino Vitale told *MiningNews.net* the new vat, in tandem with a second new vat under preparation and the re-addition of a heap leach to the production circuit, would see the mine producing 80-100 tonnes of copper each month.

Vitale said that output would generate revenue of \$700,000-800,000 per month, well up on the September revenue of \$300,000.

Production out of Redbank had been impacted by a number of cyclones through the area earlier this year.

"This gets us back on track with our projection, and it's important for us because it continues to provide funding for our exploration efforts," Vitale said.



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Redbank will begin a drill program of both infill drilling and testing of new areas at the end of the month.

Shares in Redbank were unchanged at 8c in morning trade today.

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