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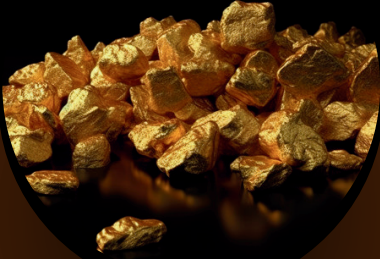


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ABOUT US

Gold Target Export (GTE) is a distinguished player in the precious minerals sector within Guyana, contributing significantly to the country's thriving economy. Over the past 25 years, the precious minerals industry has witnessed remarkable growth, becoming a vital component of Guyana's economic landscape.

The company has been a family business since 1994 and was formally established in 2008 as Gold Target Export. It stands as a three-generation, family-run enterprise deeply rooted in the industry's rich history. Since the surge in production by small and medium-scale miners in the hinterland region, we recognized the crucial role of intermediaries in facilitating seamless trade between miners and exporters. The initial establishment in Mahdia, a key gateway to the hinterland regions, marked the beginning of our journey. Subsequent expansions into Bartica and other Amerindian settlements, where mining activities were on the rise, solidified our presence.

In 2023, Guyana's gold exports reached an impressive US \$396 million, with diamond exports surpassing US \$25 million. Gold Target Export, with its trade license encompassing gold and diamonds, stands as a cornerstone of Guyana's top mineral exports. Our strategic positioning and network expansion, reaching 19 locations across the country by 2015, primarily in the hinterland region, demonstrate our commitment to facilitating trade while upholding transparency, trust, and ethical practices.

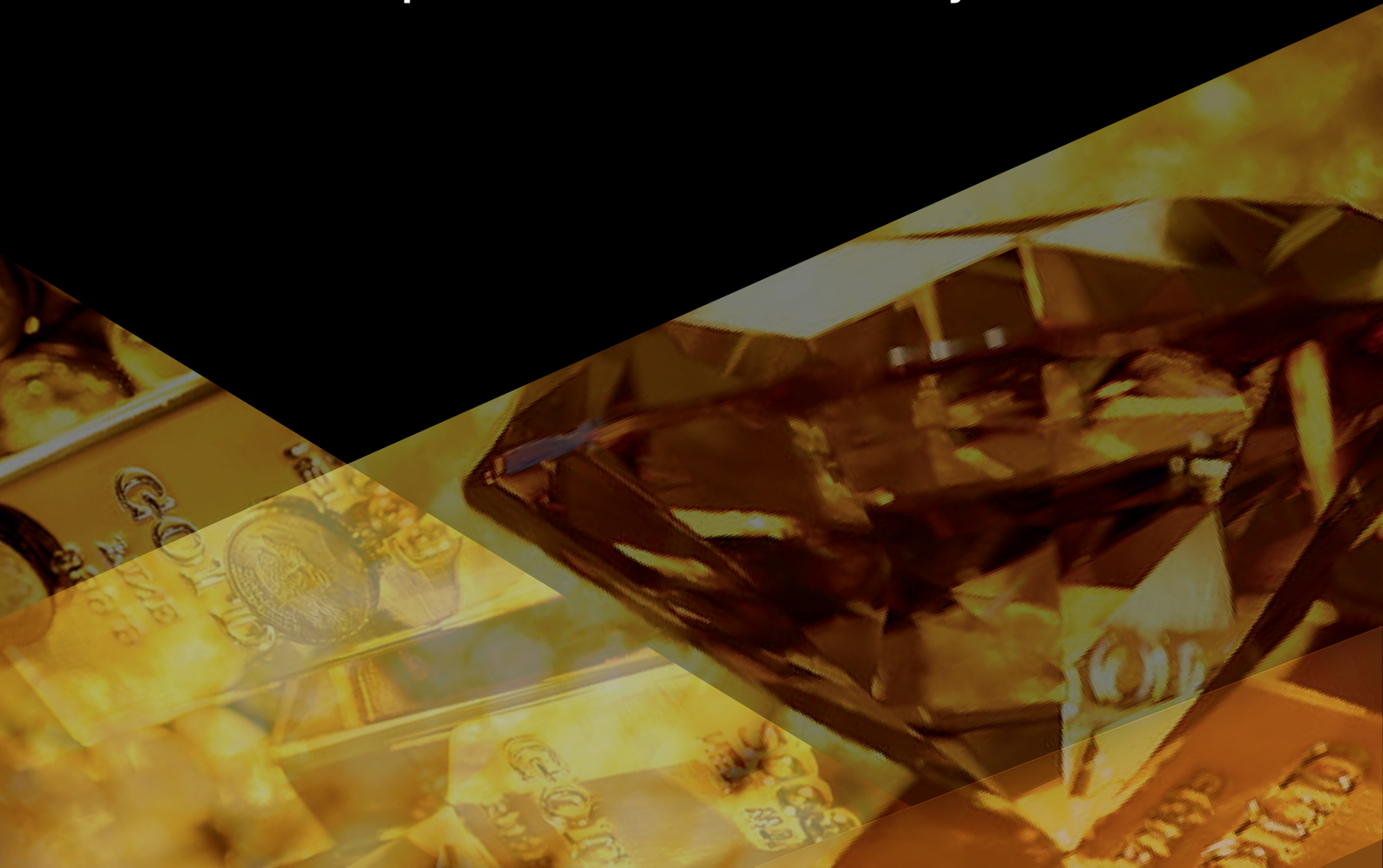


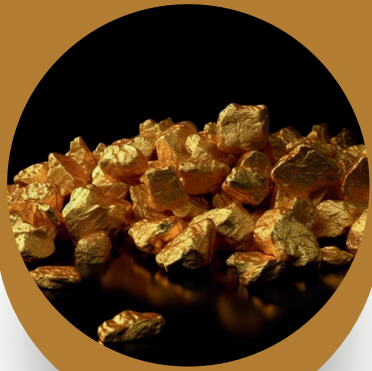


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Today , Gold Target Export is recognized as a pioneer in Guyana's gold and diamond industry, boasting a pristine reputation. Our journey from bridging the gap between miners and exporters to becoming a key player in the market reflects our dedication to excellence and our unwavering commitment to the prosperity of Guyana's precious minerals industry.





VISION & MISSION

OUR VISION

To become a leading service provider across sectors and geographical borders and achieve a degree of national inclusion through our networks

OUR MISSION

Gold Target Export aims to provide services in every sector that will improve the standard of access for all individuals across Guyana. To have a business network that satisfied national geographic coverage by establishing footholds in various communities in each of the ten (10) administrative regions.



OUR GOALS

Create a highly effective team that is 100% Guyanese.

Encourage, promote, and create avenues for the personal and professional advancement of each team member.

Create a CSR program to benefit the Indigenous communities we operate in, programs that will promote education, culture, and economic advancement

Become a part of every sector in Guyana and become a positive influence for change and growth.

OUR VALUES

Our team, our family :
Teach them well enough
they can always leave,
treat them well enough
they never want to,
collaborate, delegate,
and achieve unison.

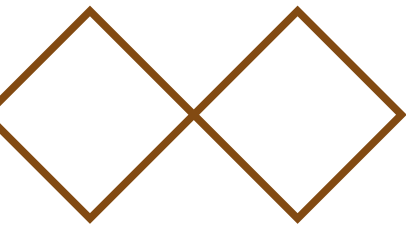
**Build trust, be
honest, be
transparent and
accept
accountability.**

**Efficiency is key,
effectiveness will
not be sacrificed
in the interest of
time.**

**Reliability: customers,
partners, agents, and
other stakeholders
must be able to rely on
the quality of the
services we provide.**

**Prioritize our
customers, listen to
their opinions and the
changes in their
preferences to innovate
our services to suit their
needs.**

**Security is
mandatory; safety
should not be a
rule but second
nature.**



MILESTONES



Building a loyal customer base, network, and team to the point where we can have nineteen (19) offices in operation smoothly.



Being able to employ sixty (60) individuals, 100% Guyanese.



Opening our private security firm to assist in day-to-day operations.



Expansion into mining gold & diamonds which contributes to the trade.



Gold Target Export holds approximately 12% of the market share; as of 2022-2023, we are among the top 3 traders out of the 200 existing in the country.



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OUR PRODUCTS & SERVICES

Being in business for 25 years, Gold Target Export has established 4 other entities formed by directors that assist in operations and eliminate the need for outsourcing.

- Baksh Diamond Enterprise
- Baksh Diamond Enterprise Security [BDE Security]
- Gold Target Loans and Pawn Shop
- J & D Mining

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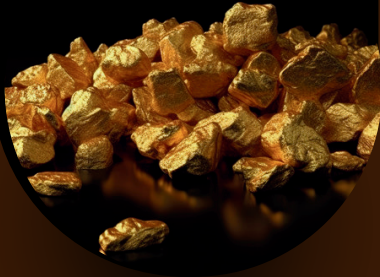
Gold Target Export is responsible for the trade of gold and rough diamonds as well as money transfers. In the past, miners would have had to travel to the capital or nearest dealer in order to liquidate their minerals; GTE has made it more convenient and safer for miners given our strategic positioning of the 19 locations throughout the country by eliminating the need for on-ground transportation and the presence of security personnel. They receive their payment on the spot and can carry on with their mining activities. Similarly, money transfers to various locations can be done in less than 5 minutes.

Baksh Diamond Enterprise

Baksh Diamond Enterprise deals with polished diamonds. Our team is well trained in the transformation of diamonds from rough to polished, wholesaling of polished diamonds, appraisals, and other related activities.



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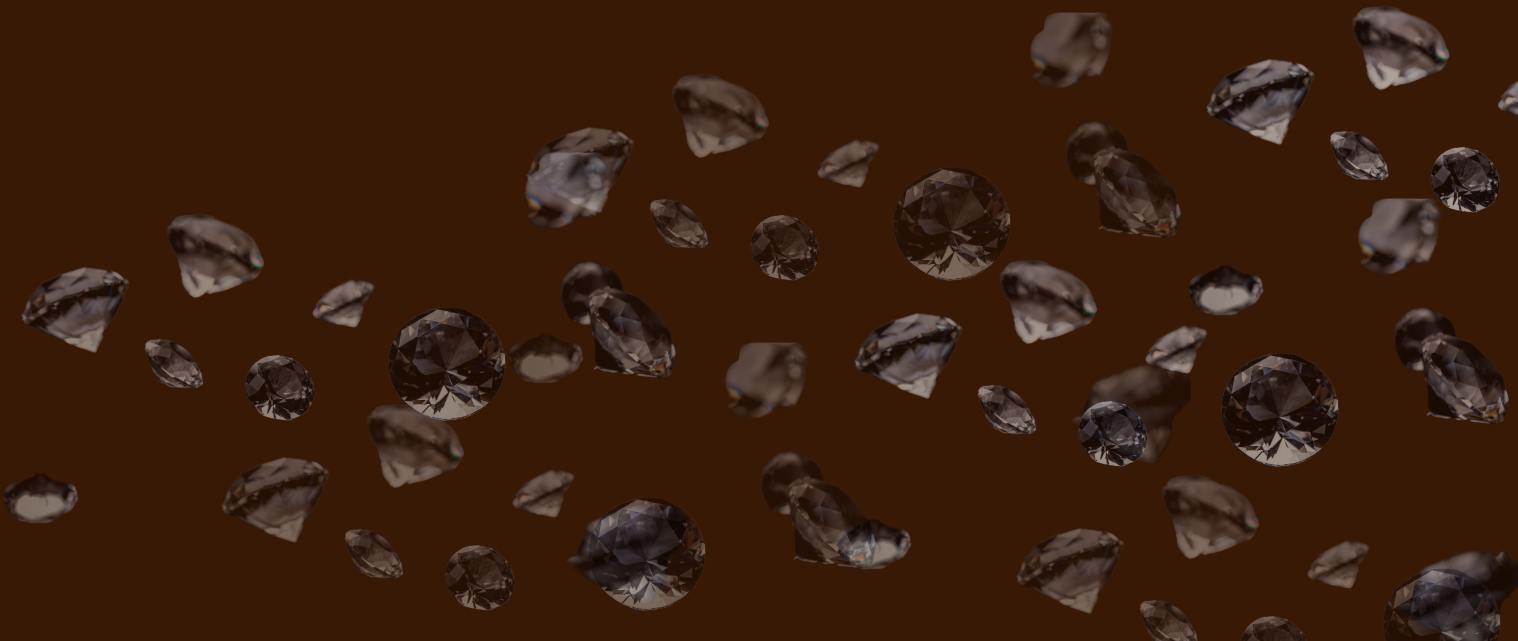
OUR PRODUCTS & SERVICE

Gold Target Loans & Pawnshop

Gold Target Loans & Pawnshop is an entity that allows customers to get instant cash in exchange for collateral. Gold Target makes accessing credit more flexible in terms of collateral and credit history making it easier for individuals to obtain a loan. Such an entity contributes to local economic activity by providing loans and purchasing valuable items from the public, injecting money back into the economy.

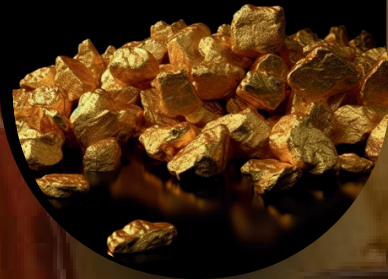
J & D Mining

J & D Mining is involved in the exploration and extraction of the minerals mentioned. We aim to operate efficiently and sustainably while adhering to environmental regulations, ensuring the safety of workers, and maximizing the value of the extracted resources.





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HEALTH AND SAFETY PRACTICES

At GOLD Target Export, we prioritize the well-being of our workforce by implementing stringent health and safety measures in our gold mining operations.

Our commitment to ensuring a safe working environment is reflected in the following practices:

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE):

Workers involved in gold and diamond mining activities are provided with essential PPE, including fireproof aprons, lab coats, fireproof gloves, and protective goggles. The use of this equipment is mandatory at all times, especially during the melting of gold.

Respiratory Protection:

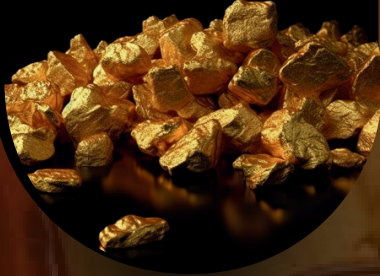
In order to counteract the effects of mercury, respirators are provided to our employees. It is our policy not to burn amalgam whole due to its high mercury content, minimizing exposure to this hazardous substance.

Mercury Handling Minimization:

Our company takes a proactive approach to minimize the handling of mercury through burning or smelting. The amount of mercury involved in our processes is kept at a minimum, if not eliminated.



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HEALTH AND SAFETY PRACTICES

At GOLD Target Export, our dedication to health and safety reflects our responsibility towards our employees and the environment. We continuously strive to uphold the highest standards in the gold mining industry.

Equipment Maintenance:

To prevent potential hazards, we conduct regular maintenance checks on essential equipment. This includes verifying the integrity of gas and oxygen lines, and draining and refreshing the extractor every two weeks to eliminate stagnant water.

Training and Development:

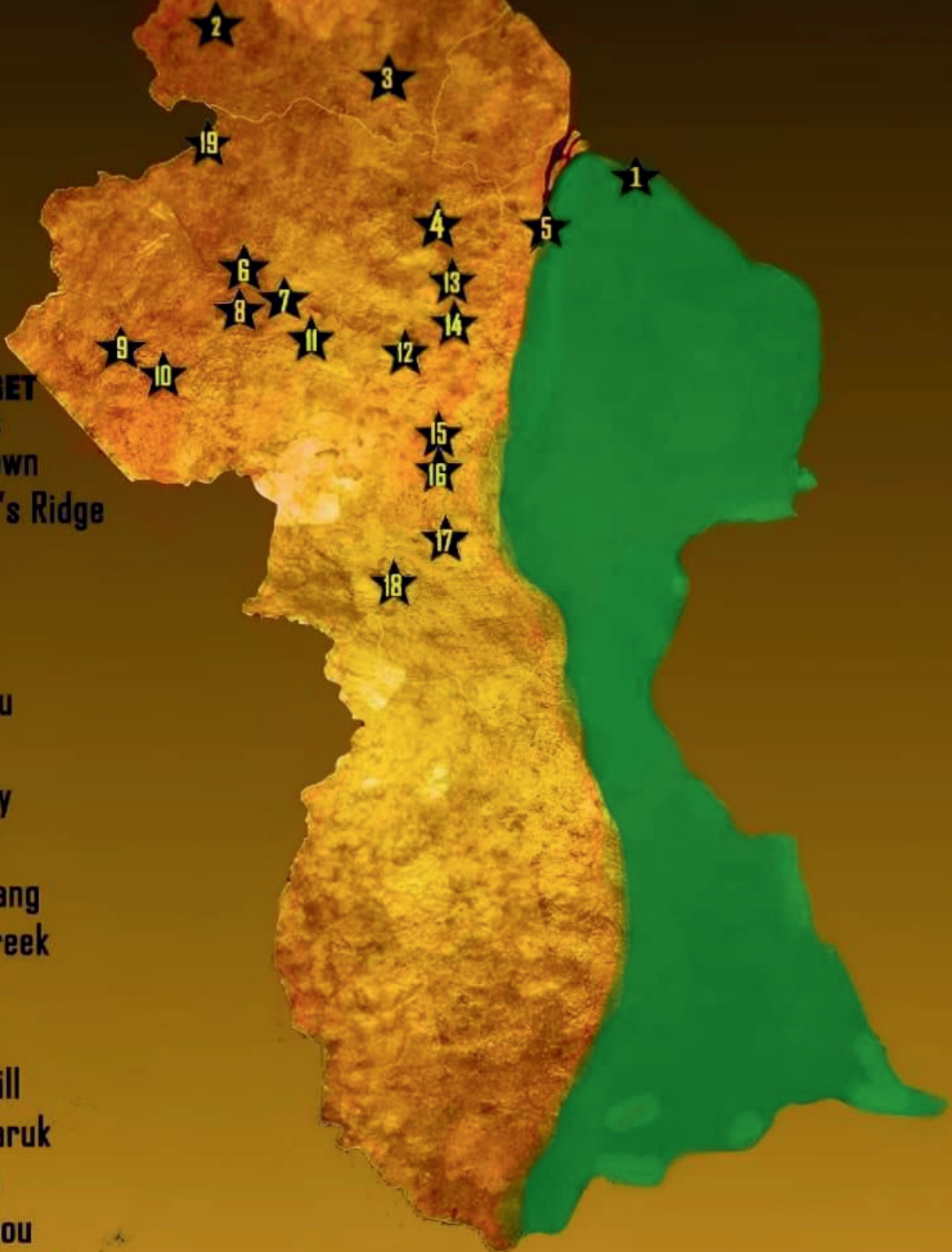
Our commitment to health and safety extends to comprehensive on-the-job training and crash courses for our staff. Training covers various areas, including firearm safety and administrative procedures, ensuring that our team is well-equipped to handle diverse situations.

Emergency Preparedness:

GOLD Target Export ensures the safety of its workforce by supplying well-stocked first-aid kits and maintaining emergency response equipment. Fire extinguishers and sand buckets are strategically placed for quick access in case of emergencies.

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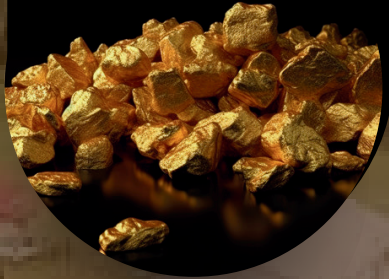
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GOLD TARGET BRANCHES

1. Georgetown
2. Matthew's Ridge
3. Arakaka
4. Arimu
5. Bartica
6. Isseneru
7. Apaika
8. Tamakay
9. Jawalla
10. Kamarang
11. Olive Creek
12. Issano
13. Puruni
14. Sand Hill
15. Konawaruk
16. Mahdia
17. Chenapou
18. Paramakatoi
19. Black water Cuyuni

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GOLD TARGET EXPORT IN AMERINDIAN COMMUNITIES

Gold Target Export is a leading entity in Amerindian communities, boasting a formidable presence across multiple locations. With the majority of its operations centered in these vibrant communities, the company has garnered consistent acclaim and support. This warm reception underscores the depth of the company's engagement and its alignment with the needs and aspirations of the local population.

Gold Target Export prides itself on its active collaboration with Amerindian communities. Whenever the village council seeks support, the company will offer any assistance needed, further solidifying its role as a reliable partner in progress. This relationship exemplifies Gold Target Export's unwavering dedication to fostering positive interactions and enhancing the overall well-being of the communities it serves.



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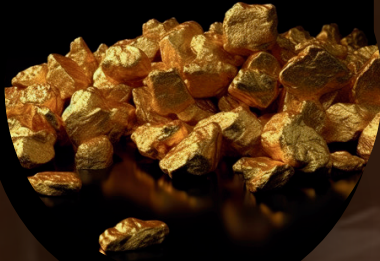
THE MINING SITES



Gold Mining Operations in Region 7



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**Diamond Mining Operations in the
Mazaruni River**



THE LEADERSHIP TEAM

Number of Employees: Approximately 60

Azeem Baksh Jr.
CEO / Managing
Director



- Established Gold Target Export
- 20 years in the industry, well-experienced and trained in mining and the trade of gold and diamonds
- Involved in team management
- Provides leadership and guidance on financial investment decisions.

Deborah Singh
Administrative/
Finance
Director



- 20 years in the industry
- Involved in developing and overseeing the company's financial strategies, budgets, planning, and decision-making.
- Managing the company's cash flow and working capital to optimize financial resources and minimize costs

Randy Williams
Manager/
Compliance
Officer



- 12 years with GTE
- Started with the responsibility of smelting gold and has continuously grown and made improvements within the business entity.
- Engages in business development to attract and retain clients, negotiate deals, and expand customer base.
- Ensures compliance with laws and regulations related to gold trading, including licensing requirements, Anti-money laundering regulations, and other legal obligations.
- Staff management.

THE LEADERSHIP TEAM

Number of Employees: Approximately 60

Audrey Williams
Manager
[Bartica]



- 16 years with GTE
- Builds and maintains relationships with clients and agents within Region 7 as Bartica is the hub for the hinterland region.
- Ensures all the business operations within Region 7 flow smoothly.

Leticia Joseph
Manager
[Georgetown]



- 13 years at GTE's head office in Georgetown.
- Responsible for managing day-to-day operations and planning.
- Generates regular reports on performance, and financial metrics and oversees administrative tasks such as record-keeping and documentation.
- Engages in business development to attract and retain clients, negotiate deals, and expand customer base

Eion Smith
Security
Operation
Manager



- 13 years at GTE
- Former police sergeant
- Implements strategies to protect gold inventories, secure storage areas, and minimize the risk of theft or unauthorized access.
- Oversees the security of gold transportation operations, vehicle security, and escort services to ensure the safe transport of precious minerals and cash.
- Manages security personnel
- Involved in emergency response planning
- Provides necessary security training to staff involved.
- Collaborates with law enforcement, setting up relationships and coordinating security efforts as needed.

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Azeem Baksh Sr
Advisor

- Azeem Baksh Sr. was the first to get involved in the gold and diamond trade.
- Plays an important role in the growth of Gold Target Export as an advisor when it comes to decision-making and strategic investment.
- He was an agent of the Guyana Gold Board in Mahdia
- Treasurer of the Guyana Gold & Diamond Miners Association for 8 years.
- Secretary of the Guyana Gold & Diamond Miners Association 2020-Present

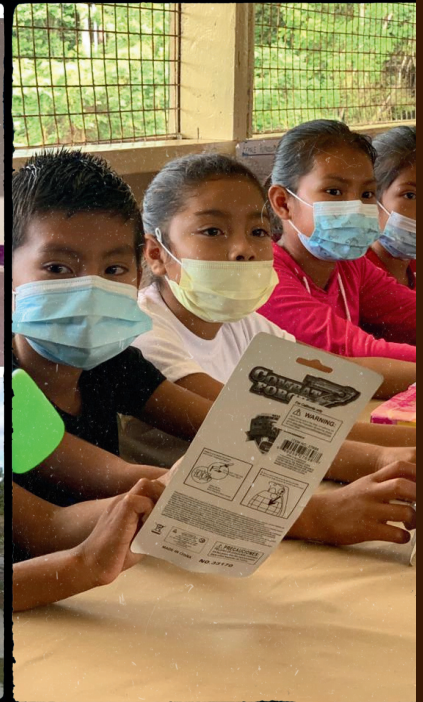


Azeem C Baksh

- 3rd Generation
- Management of diamond inventories and sales.
- Quality control
- Gold Target's lead gemologist.
- Engages in business development [Baksh Diamond Enterprise] to attract clients, negotiate deals, and expand and foster business relationships.



COMPANY EVENTS & ACTIVITIES



Yearly Christmas toy distribution in the hinterland areas we serve done in collaboration with the M.O.A



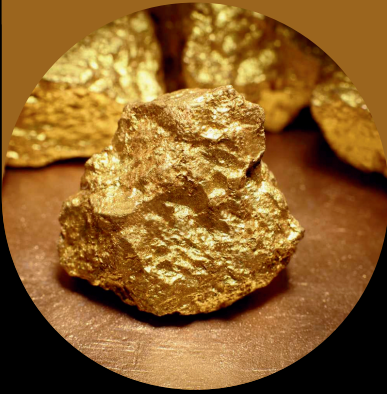
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Gold Target Team within in the Hinterland Areas



Our security team regularly participates in paintball tournaments, team building.



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