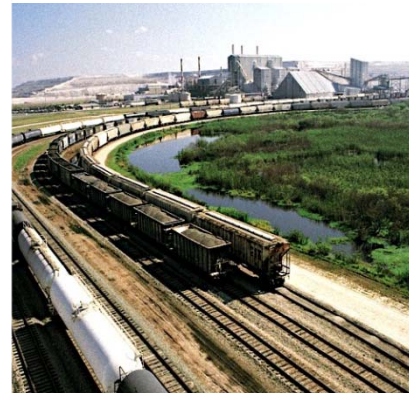


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# Phosphate

We Dig It!

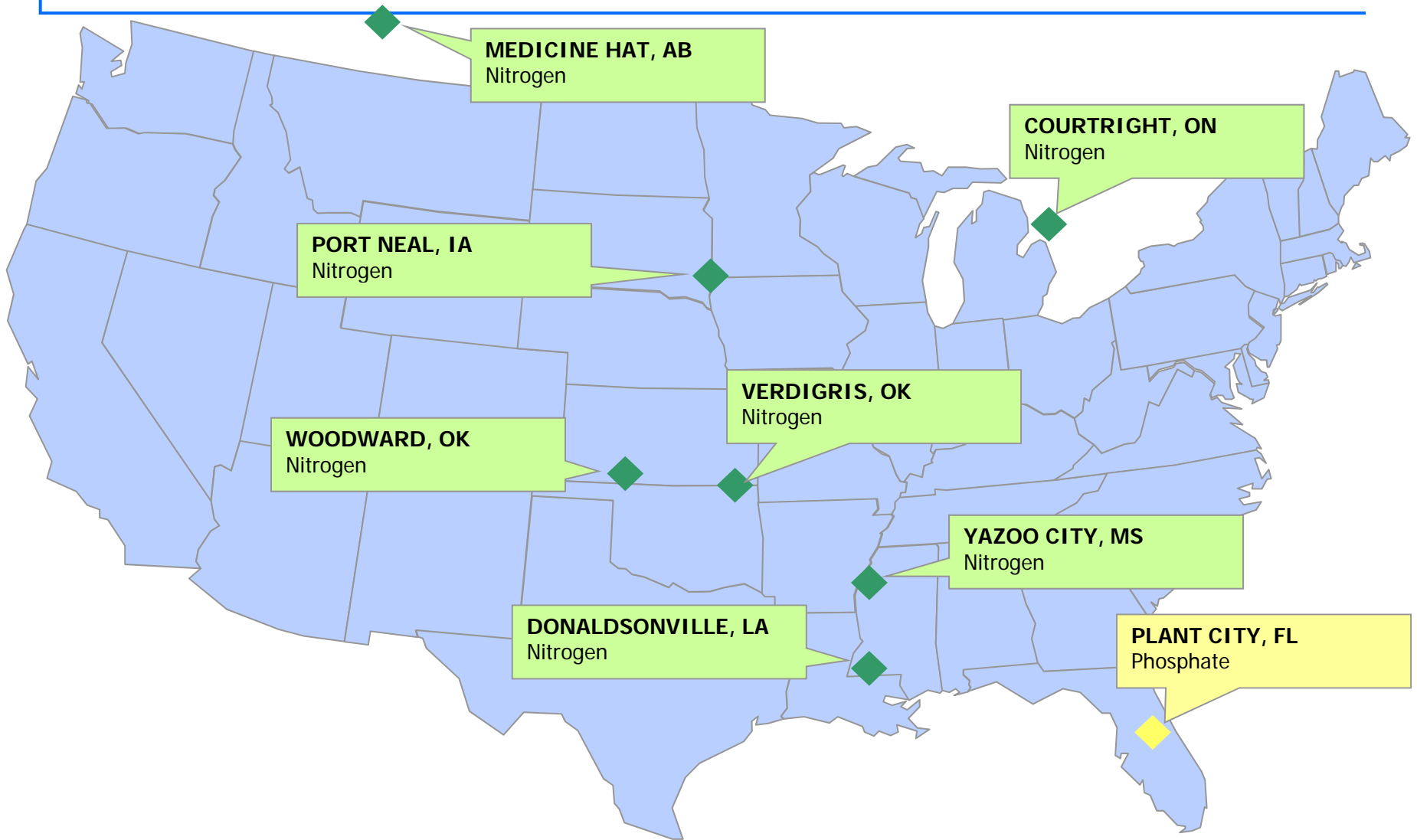


# *Leader in Nitrogen Fertilizer*

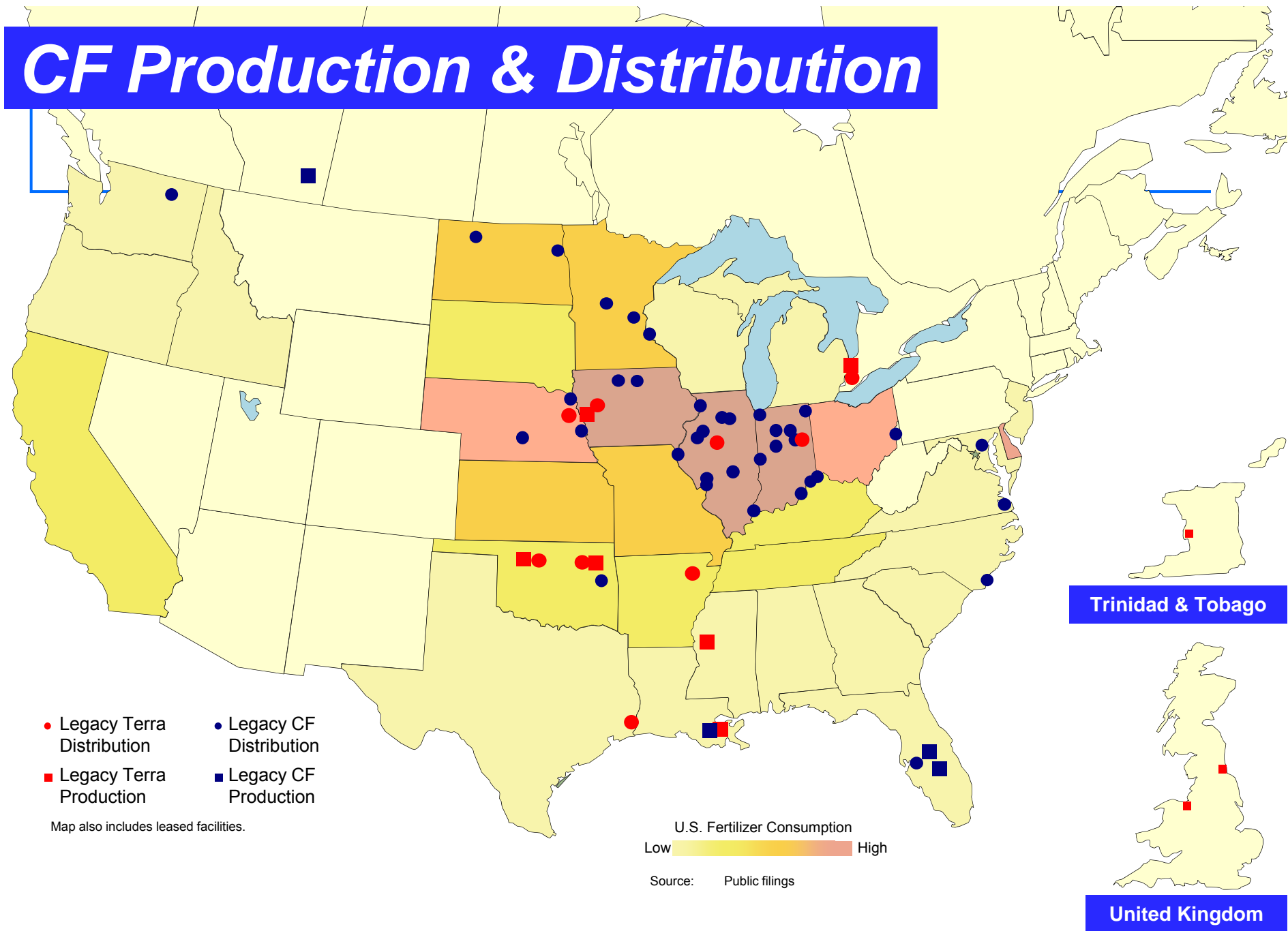
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- ◆ Number 2 Globally in nitrogen and the clear leader in North America
- ◆ Third largest producer of phosphate fertilizer among public companies globally
- ◆ Strong balance sheet
  - Committed to maintaining flexibility through deleveraging
- ◆ Favorable natural gas position and production located in markets to best serve North America

# CF Production Locations



# CF Production & Distribution



Note: (1) Includes CF's Tampa ammonia terminal & dry product warehouse; excludes plant storage and leased storage locations

# *CF Florida Operations*

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Plant City Phosphate Complex

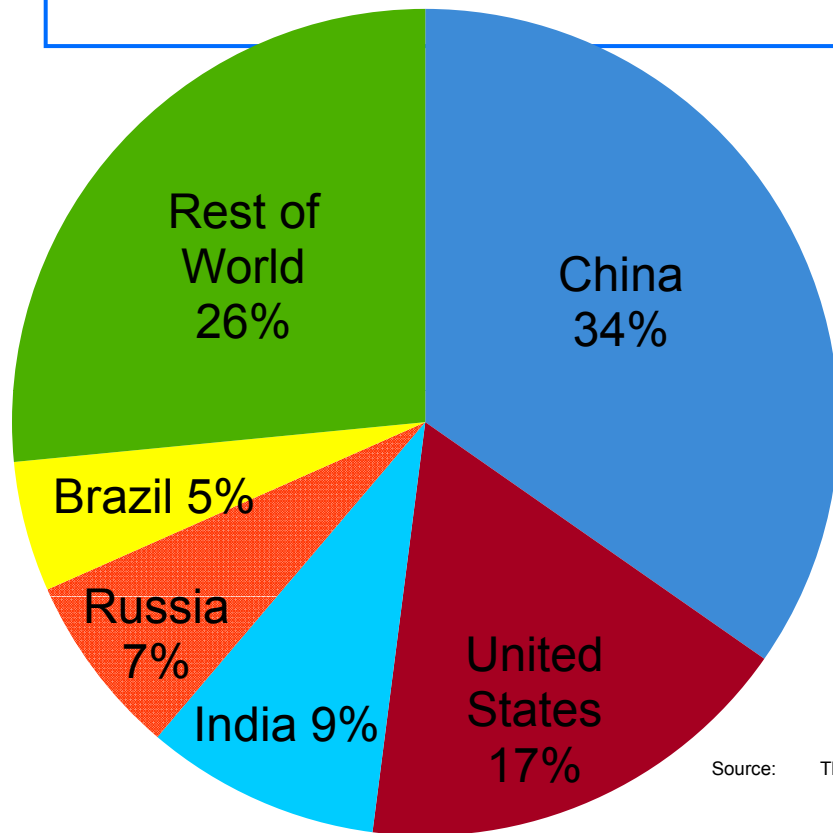
Hardee County Phosphate Complex

Tampa Terminal and Warehouse

Corporate EHS & Engineering Office



## *USA - Major Phosphate Producer*



90% of the phosphate mined in the U.S. is used to make fertilizer.

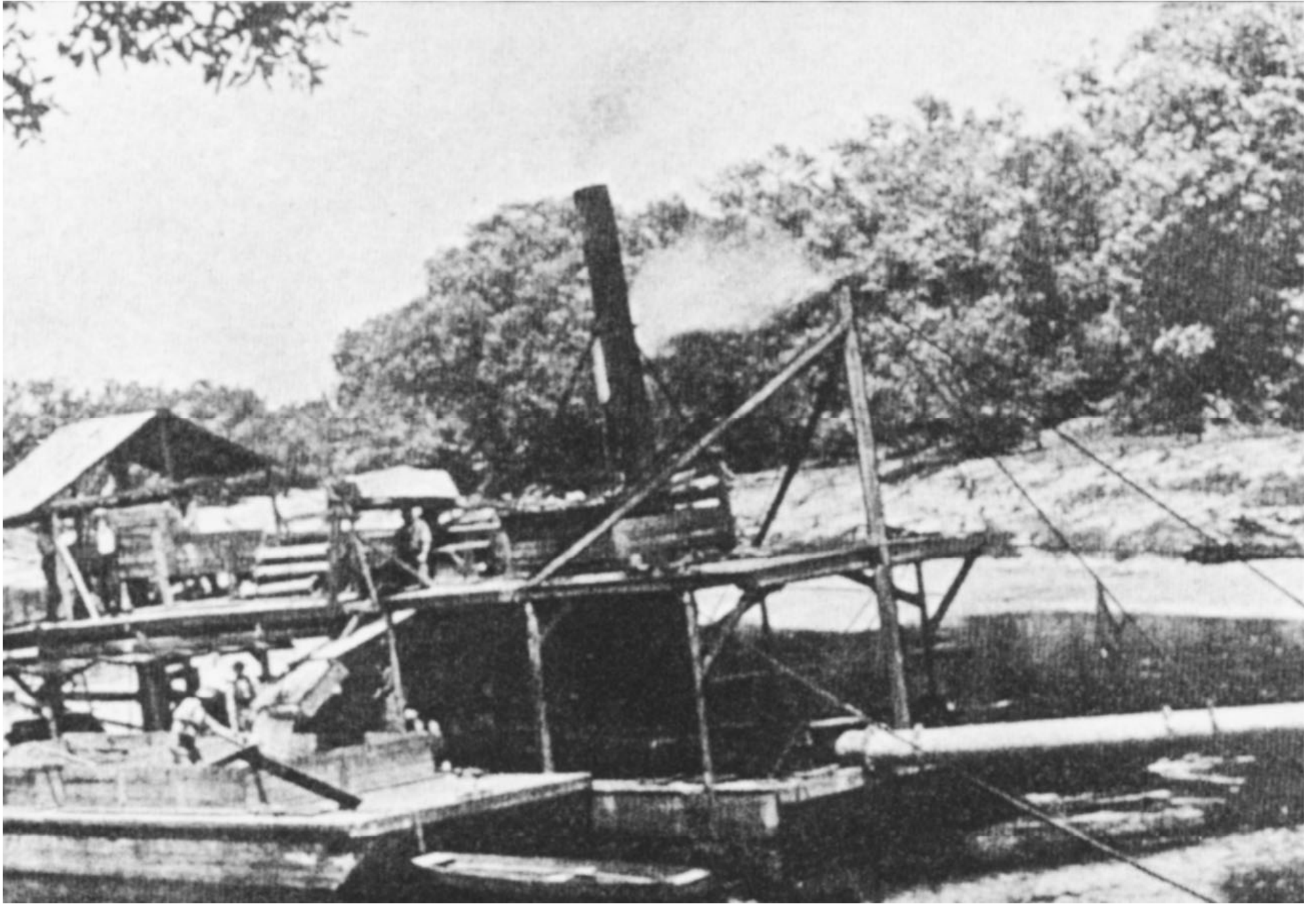
Source: The Fertilizer Institute



Phosphorus is essential for plant life, and its functions cannot be performed by any other nutrient.

It is required for optimum plant growth and reproduction.





# *World-Class Phosphate Facilities*

Hardee County, Florida Phosphate Mine & Beneficiation Plant is newest in U.S.

- Currently permitted through 2024
- Permit process underway to extend mining for 9 additional years

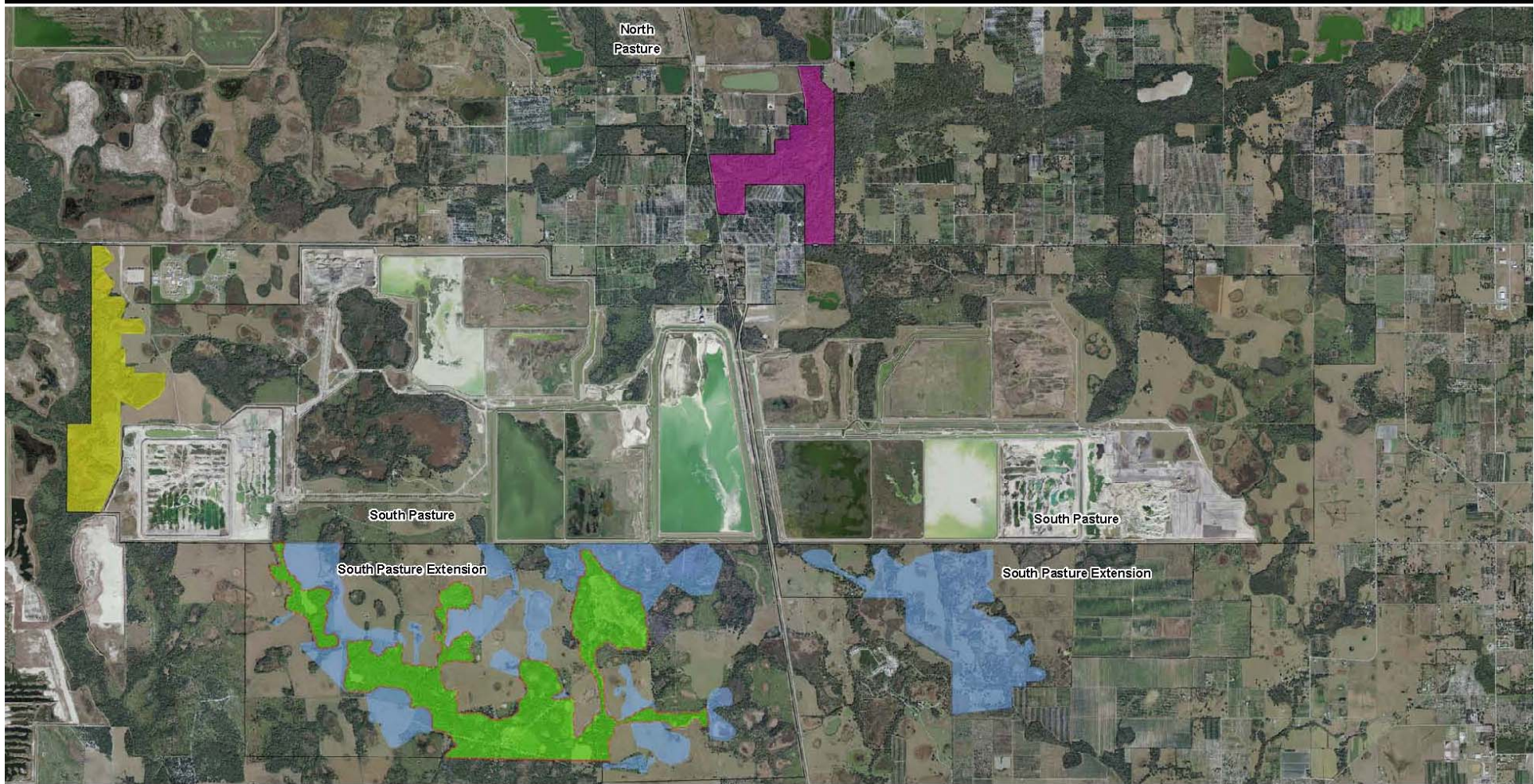


# *The Mining Process*

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Before we begin mining....

- CF's commitment to Environmental Health & Safety shapes the mining process.
- Environmental Stewardship Considerations
  - **The most pristine areas/water systems are not mined**
  - Intensely complex process to map wetlands, topography, sampling of fauna, flora, and soils
  - Wetlands that are mined must be replaced acre-for-acre and type-for-type



South Pasture Extension Proposed Conservation Easements		South Pasture Extension Proposed Additional Conservation Easements	
South Pasture Extension No-Mine Conservation Easement	1,094.6 Acres	Horse Creek Conservation Easement (Currently Deed Restricted)	490 Acres
South Pasture Extension Post Reclamation Conservation Easement	1,789.4 Acres	Payne Creek Conservation Easement (Currently Deed Restricted)	425 Acres
<b>Total South Pasture Extension Conservation Easement</b>	<b>2,884 Acres</b>	<b>Total Additional Acres In Conservation Easement</b>	<b>915 Acres</b>

**Legend**

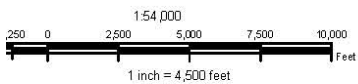
**Proposed Conservation Easements & No-Mine Area**

- No Mine Area Conservation Easement
- Post Reclamation Conservation Easement
- Property Boundary
- Horse Creek Conservation Easement (Currently Deed Restricted)
- Payne Creek Conservation Easement (Currently Deed Restricted)
- South Pasture Extension No-Mine Area

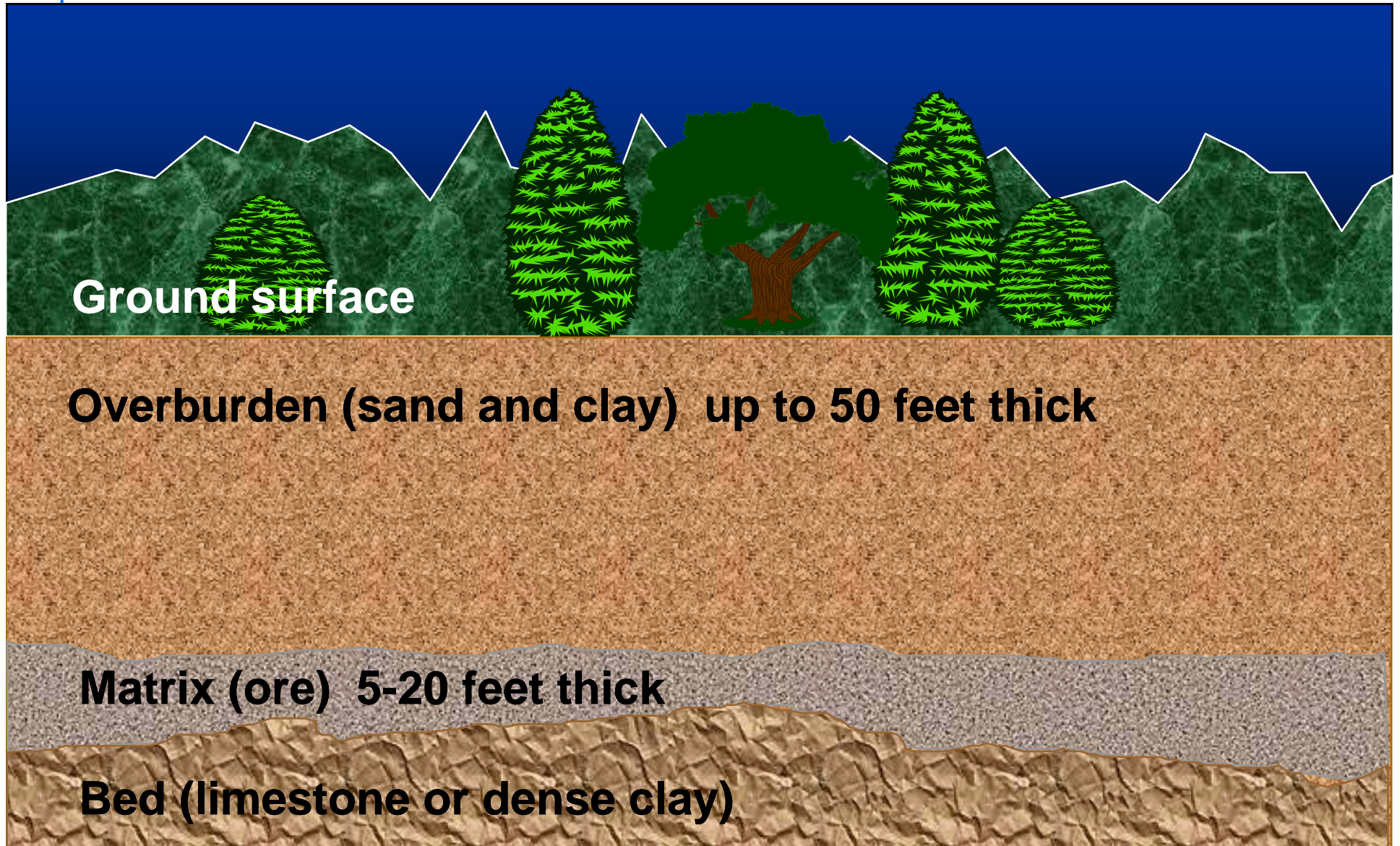


South Pasture Extension  
 CF Proposed No-Mine Areas and  
 Conservation Easements  
 (Brushy, Lettis, Horse Creek and Payne Cr

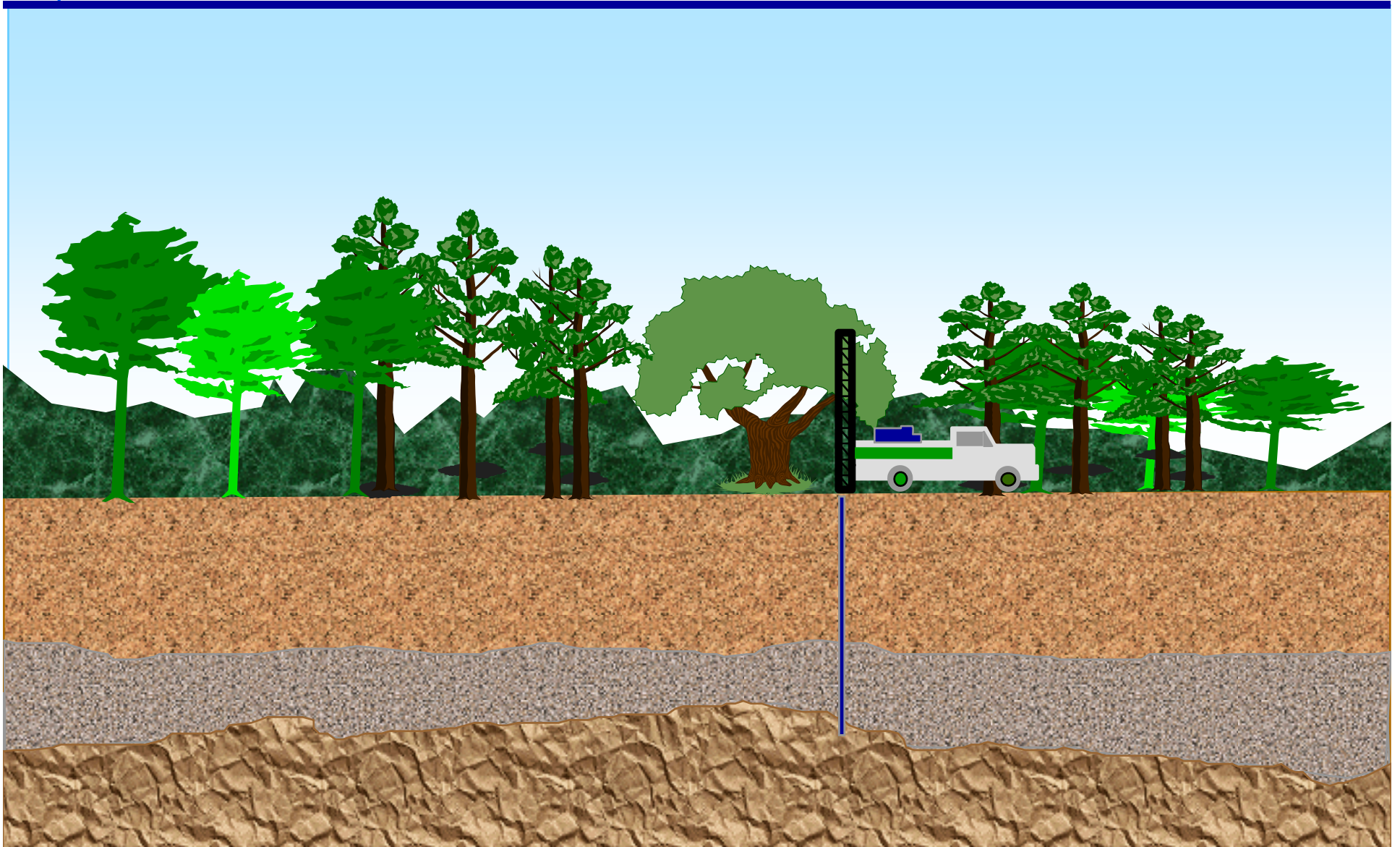
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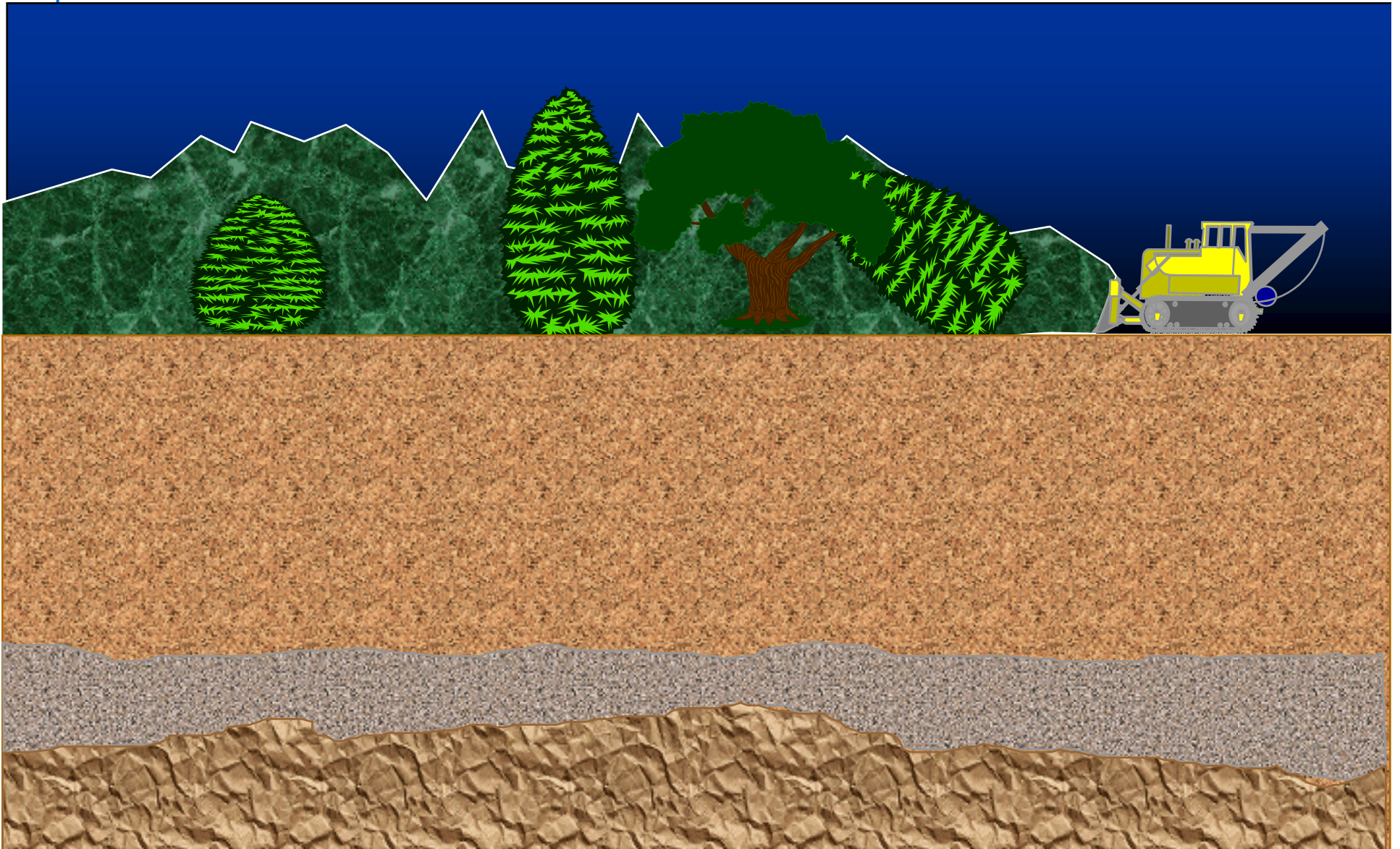
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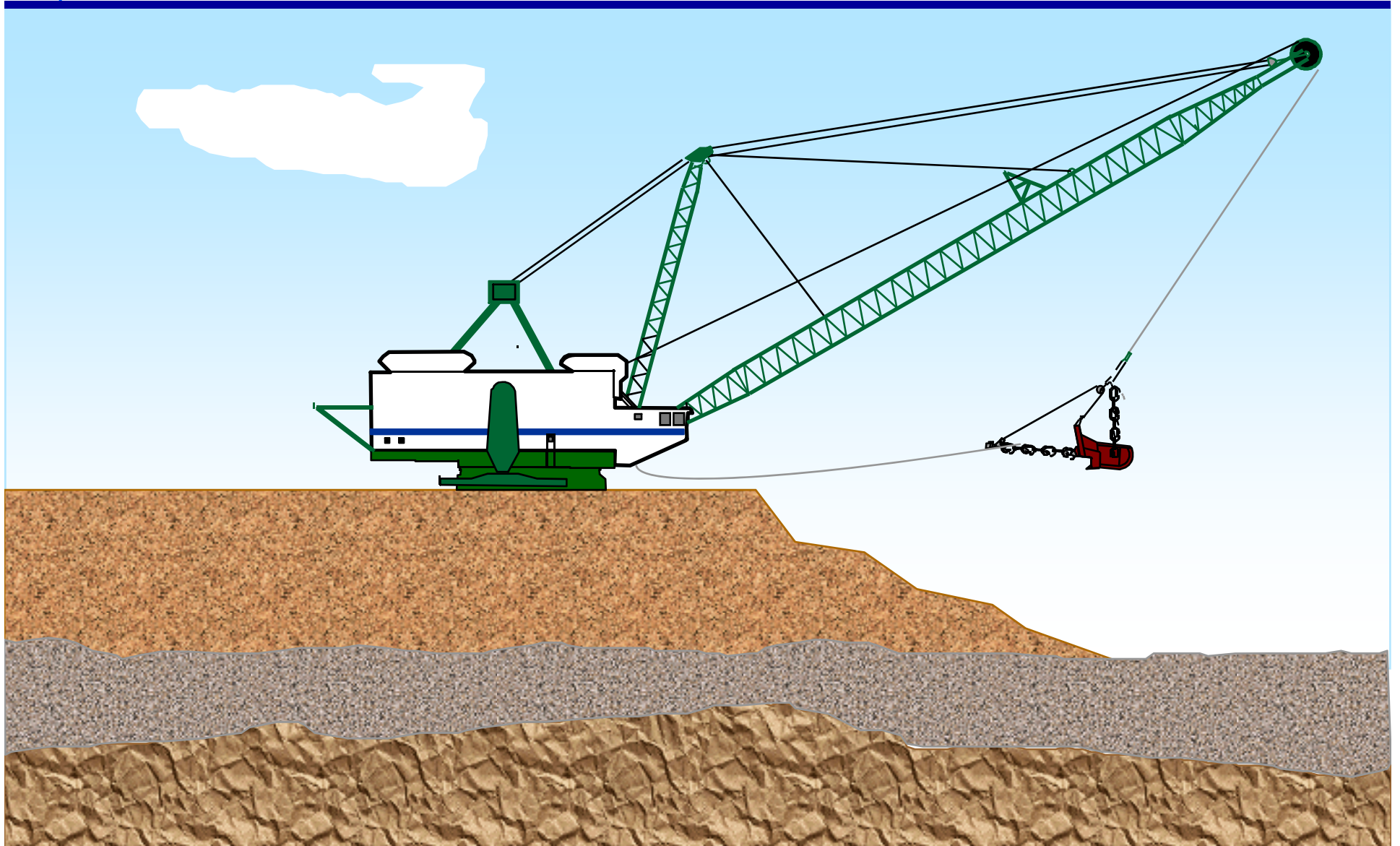
# Where is the Phosphate?



# Preparation for Mining



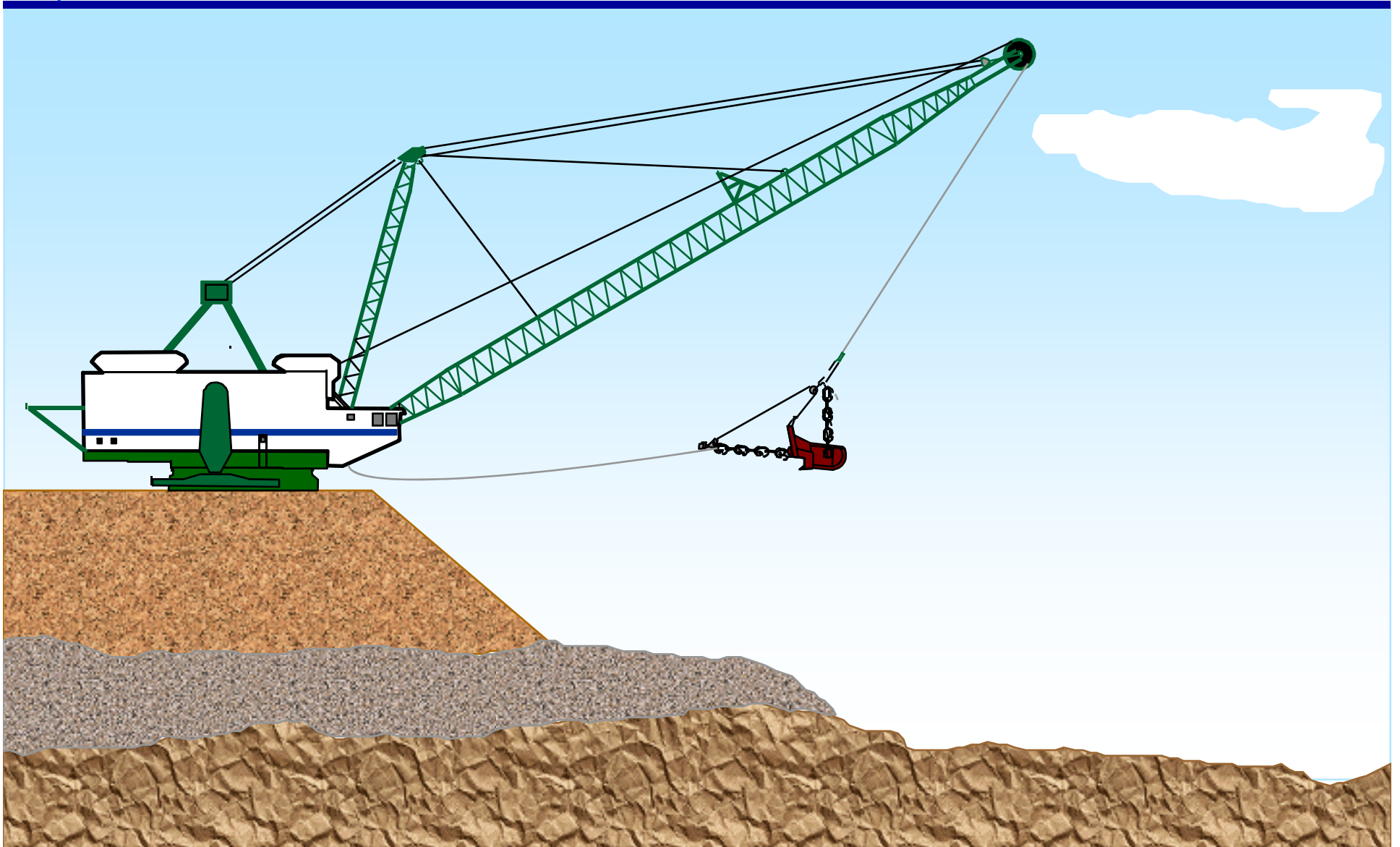
# Stripping Overburden





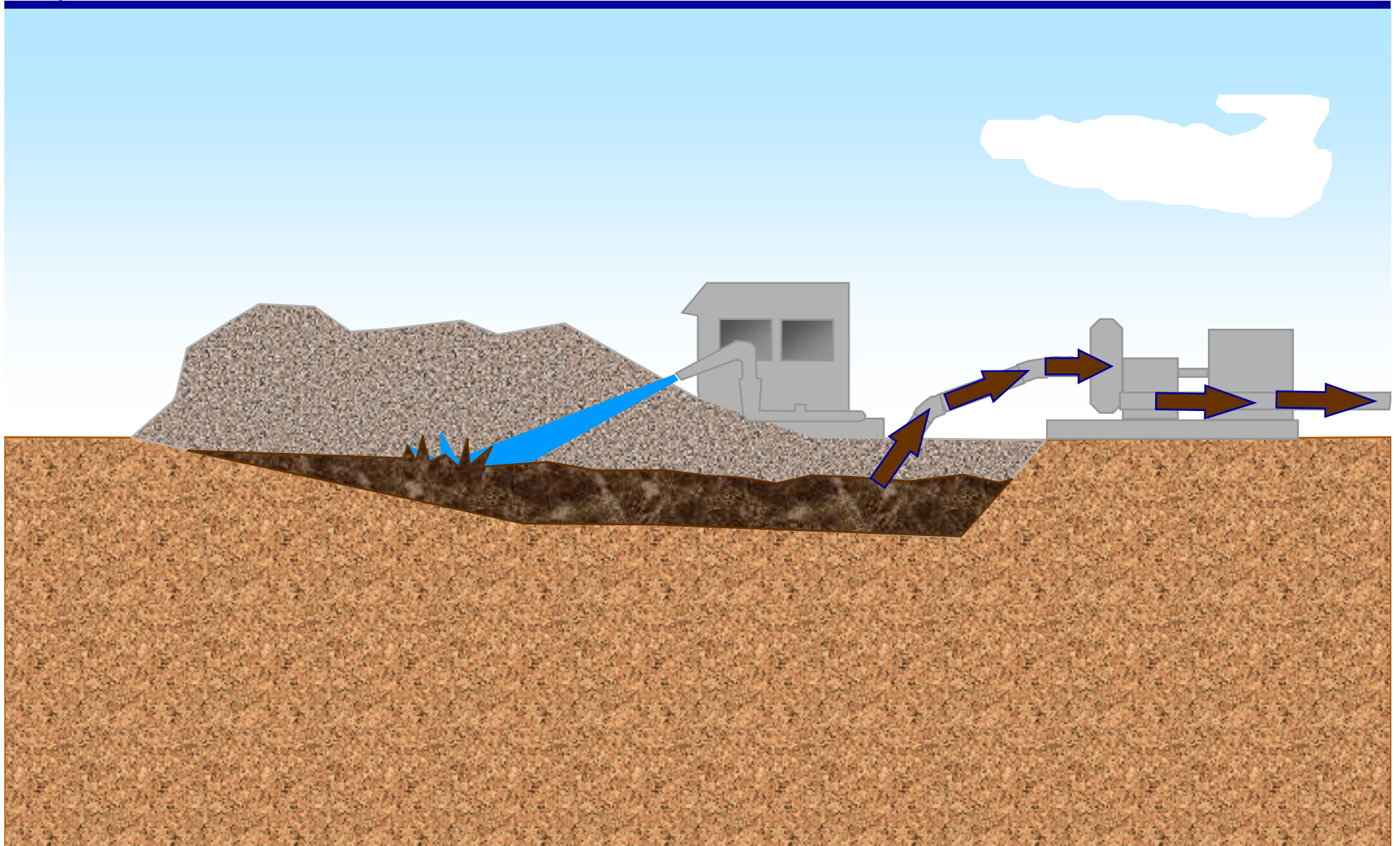


# Mining Matrix

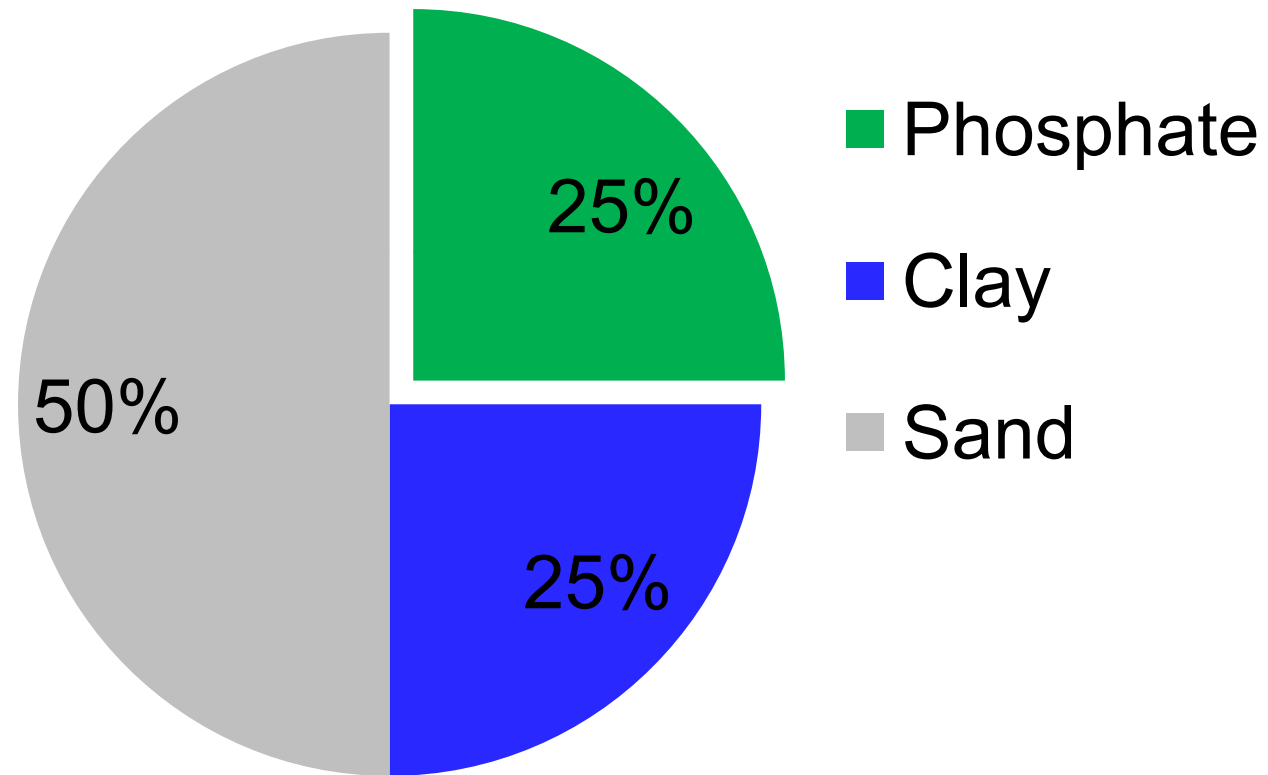




# Transporting Matrix



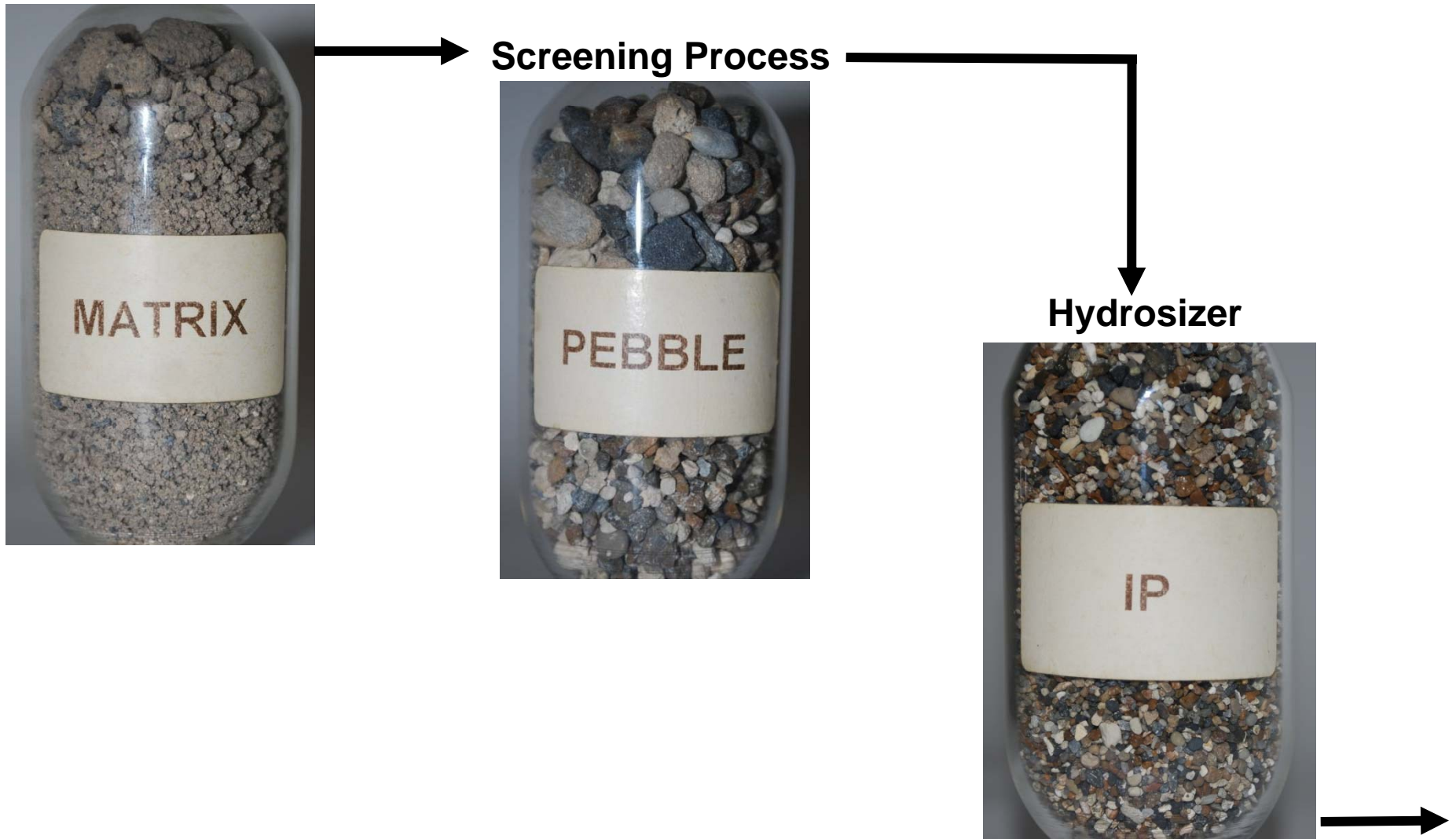
# Matrix Composition



# Beneficiation Plant



# Mechanical Separation

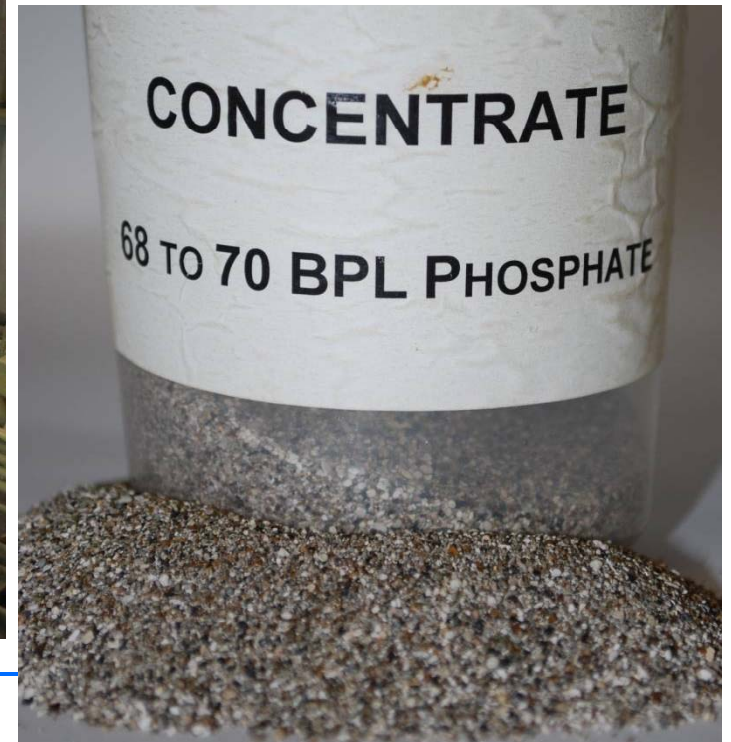


# Flotation

**Sand and Phosphate are the same size**

**Creates a “soap” that attaches only to Phosphate**

**Float the Phosphate rock in bubbles to surface and skim off**



## ***BPL vs. $P_2O_5$***

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Bone Phosphate of Lime =  $2.185 \times P_2O_5$

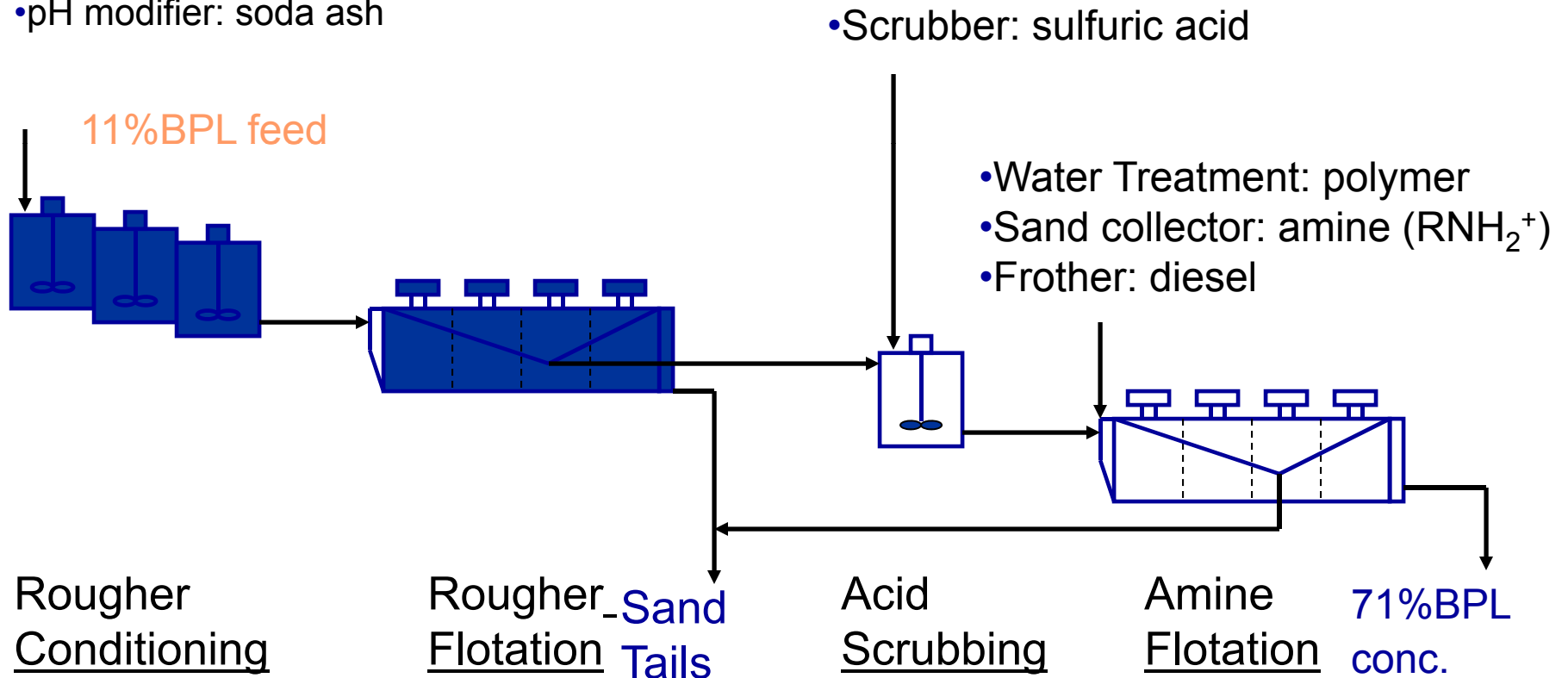
Pebble = 60 BPL

Intermediate Product = 52 BPL

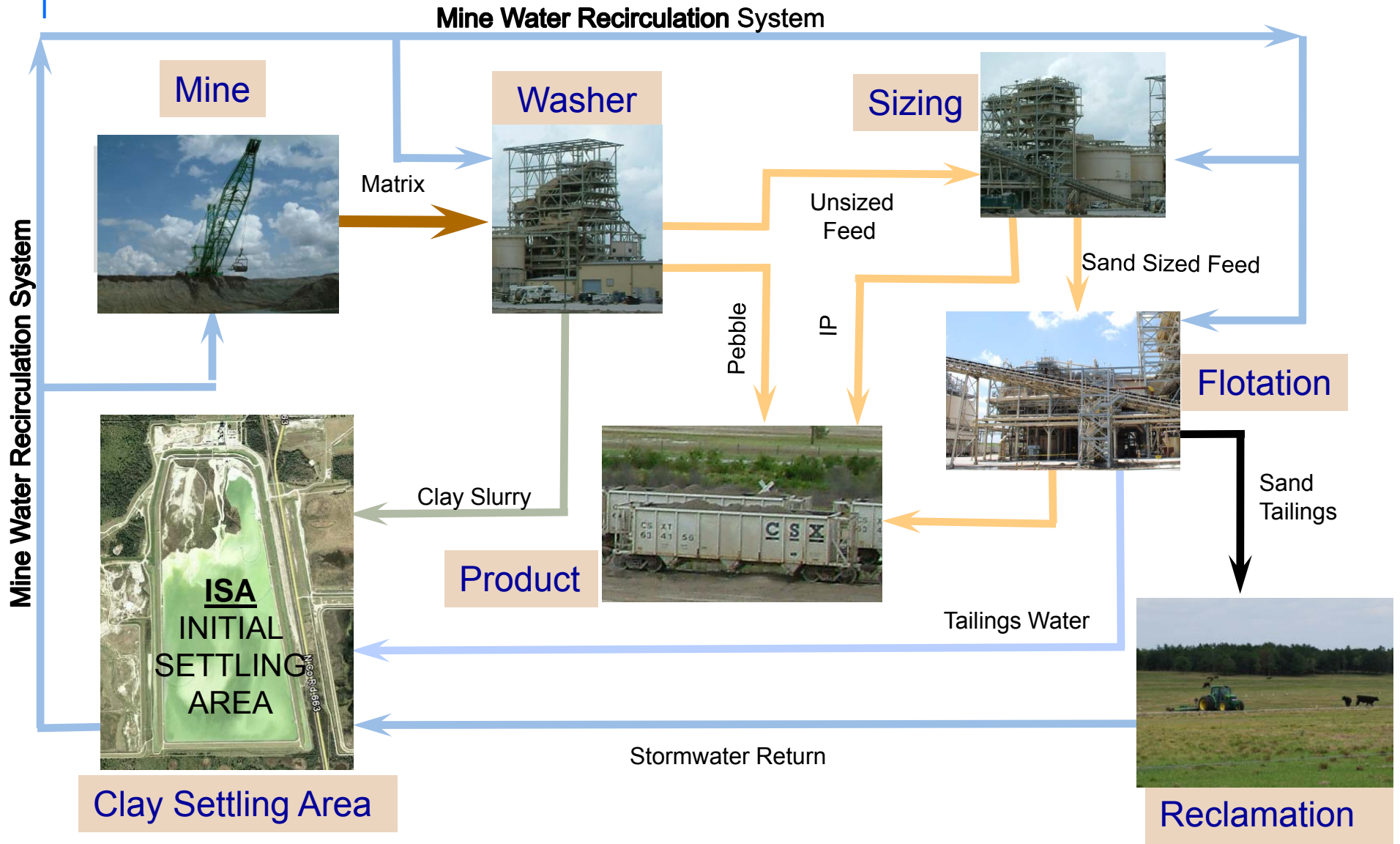
Concentrate = 67 BPL

# Crago Flotation Process

- Phosphate collector: fatty acid ( $\text{RCOO}^-$ )
- Frother: fuel oil
- Sand depressant: sodium silicate
- pH modifier: soda ash



# Mining and Beneficiation







# *World-Class Phosphate Facilities*

**Plant City Phosphate Complex** is one of largest in U.S.

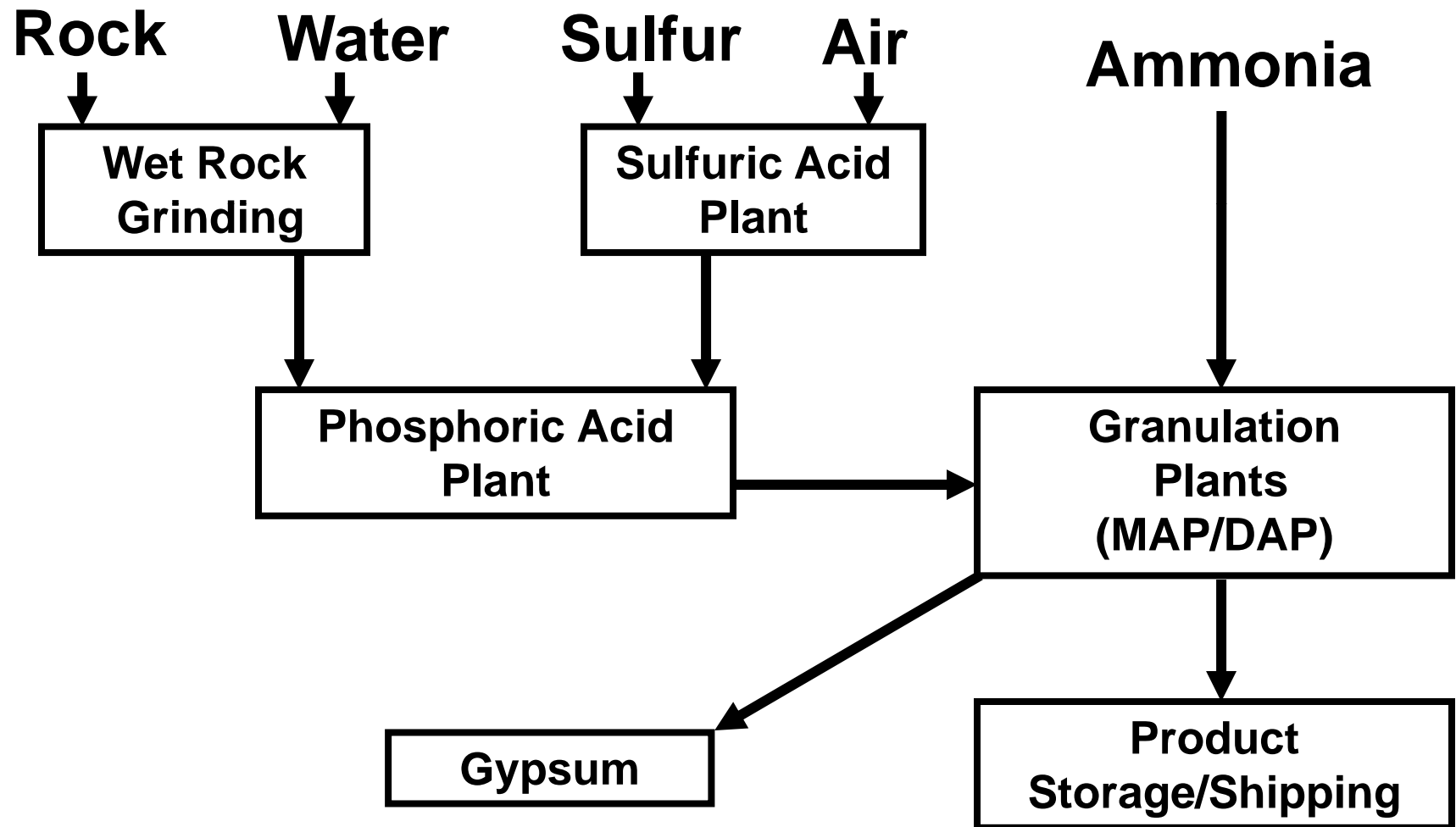
DAP & MAP capacity **exceeds 2.0 million** tons annually

Plant ships fertilizer by rail/truck to Port of Tampa Warehouse

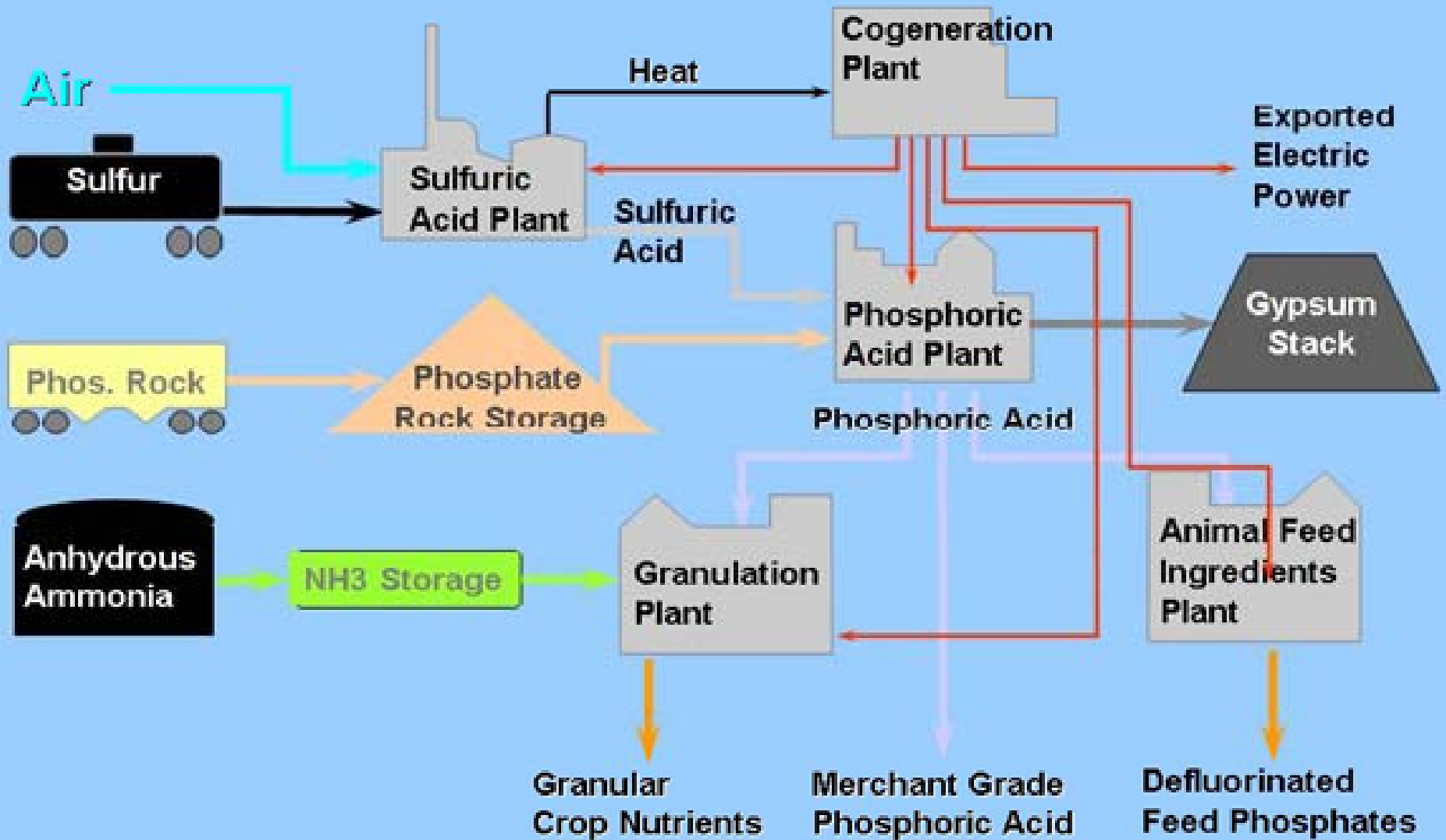


# Phosphate Fertilizer Manufacturing

## Phosphate



# Processing Plant Flowsheet







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DVLX 2063

CAPY 13440 GAL  
CAPY 50670 L

2448

MOLTEN SULPHUR

NOT FOR CARRIAGE BY PASSENGER TRAINS  
UNLESS SO MARKED BY THESE DEVICES

MARTENSITE	PERCENTAGE	SULPHUR	SIL
MAX SULPHUR	0.02	0.01	0.01
MAX SIL	0.01	0.01	0.01
MAX S	0.01	0.01	0.01
MAX P	0.01	0.01	0.01
MAX N	0.01	0.01	0.01
MAX O	0.01	0.01	0.01
MAX S+P	0.02	0.02	0.02
MAX S+N	0.02	0.02	0.02
MAX S+O	0.02	0.02	0.02
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36" STL WWLS  
SPRG 0-5  
MOORE DFT BRG  
SEGO CPLS  
AJAX NO. 7-1 HARD BRG  
WABCO PAC BRK BEAM


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**In the phosphoric acid plant, the slurry will be reacted with sulfuric acid that is stored in tanks like these.**





**Attack tanks (reactors) use giant agitators to produce a mixing action that promotes a chemical reaction which forms a slurry consisting of calcium sulfate and phosphoric acid.**

# Product & Byproduct

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**We use the Phosphoric Acid to make MAP/DAP**

**Phosphogypsum (calcium sulfate) is filtered away from the Phosphoric Acid**

**Phosphogypsum is stockpiled in stacks that can cover up to 400 acres and rise as high as 200 feet into the air because the United State Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has said it cannot be used because it contains a small amount of radioactivity.**



**Research shows that there are many economically viable and safe ways to use phosphogypsum. Phosphogypsum, for example, used as a daily cover in landfills hastens decomposition thereby extending the landfill's capacity. It can also be used as a roadbase material that is as effective, more durable and less expensive than traditional materials.**



# Phosphoric Acid & Ammonia

To add Nitrogen - Concentrated Phosphoric Acid ( $\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$ ) is reacted with Ammonia ( $\text{NH}_3$ )

That reaction forms

**Diammonium Phosphate (DAP)**  
**18-46-0**

**Monoammonium Phosphate (MAP)**  
**11-52-0 & 10-50-0 (MAPito)**





# ***World-Class Phosphate Facilities***

## Port of Tampa

Serves Cross Gulf & International phosphate markets since 1965





# In Closing

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1. Phosphate mining and production require large scale facilities and **consistent inputs** of Phosphate rock, Sulphur and Anhydrous Ammonia.
2. CF is a responsible steward of natural resources. We **recycle over 95% of water** used in processes.
3. CF's Mine, Chemical Plant, and Port Facilities are all **interdependent**.
4. Phosphate mining is one of the **most regulated** industries in the State of Florida – *it takes longer to permit a mine in the U.S. than anywhere else in the world.*
5. Public outreach/education is necessary to show that the **need for phosphate is critical**.

**We don't dig phosphate like this anymore...**



