

YAMANA GOLD INC  
Form 6-K  
May 01, 2012

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER  
PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16  
OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

For the month of May 2012

Commission File Number 001-31880

**Yamana Gold Inc.**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

**Royal Bank Plaza, North Tower, 200 Bay Street, Suite 2200, Toronto, ON M5J 2J3**

(Address of principal executive offices)

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**INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE**

The Registrant's Management's Discussion and Analysis of Operations and Financial Condition for the Three Months Ended March 31, 2012, included as Exhibit 99.1 of this Form 6-K and the Unaudited Financial Statements as of and for the Three Months Ended March 31, 2012, included as Exhibit 99.2 of this Form 6-K (Commission File No. 001-31880), furnished to the Commission on May 1, 2012, are incorporated by reference into the Registration Statement on Form F-10 (Commission File No. 333-173707) and each of the Registration Statements on Form S-8 (Commission File No. 333-159047, File No. 333-148048 and File No. 333-145300, respectively) of the Registrant, Yamana Gold Inc.

**Signatures**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

**YAMANA GOLD INC.**

Date: May 1, 2012

By:

*/s/ Charles Main*

Charles Main

Executive Vice President, Finance and Chief Financial Officer

**EXHIBIT INDEX**

Exhibits

<b>Number</b>	<b>Description of Exhibit</b>
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