

GOLD FIELDS LTD
Form 6-K
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FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

**Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16
of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

For the month of October 2003
Commission File Number 1-31318

Gold Fields Limited

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

24 St. Andrews Rd.
Parktown, 2193
South Africa

(Address of principal executive offices)

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Yes No

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MEDIA RELEASE

Gold Fields Reports Increase in Mineral Resources and Reserves

Johannesburg, 2 October 2003: Gold Fields Limited (GFI NYSE and JSE) announces increases in both its Mineral Resources and Reserves for fiscal year ending 30 June, 2003.

Attributable Resources have increased from 186.0 to 195.3 million ounces, including the Arctic Platinum Project in Finland. Attributable Reserves have increased by 3.0 million ounces to 81.5 million ounces.

Ian Cockerill, Chief Executive Officer of Gold Fields said: To end the year with a net gain of 3 million reserve ounces, and to offset the 4.7 million ounces we depleted, means that we actually found 7.7 million ounces of new reserves during the year. This reflects well on the increased focus on organic growth and exploration within Gold Fields.

Gold Fields spends approximately US\$70 million a year on exploration worldwide. Of this, approximately US\$30 million is spent on brownfields exploration on or near existing mining properties, where the new reserves were found.

Gold Fields reports its Mineral Resources and Reserves in accordance with the South African Code for the Reporting of Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves (SAMREC Code). The code has been incorporated into the rules of the JSE Securities Exchange South Africa regarding listing requirements and continuing obligations. In addition Gold Fields has written and implemented an additional internal code of practice that takes cognisance of the diverse nature of its operations and considers the requirements of all internationally recognised codes, including industry Guide 7 as interpreted by the Staff of the US Securities Exchange Commission.

A comprehensive Resources and Reserves Statement can be found on the Company's website at www.goldfields.co.za or in its recently published annual report for 2003 which was mailed to all shareholders and is available upon request.

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Directors: C M T Thompson* (Chairman), A J Wright (Deputy Chairman), I D Cockerill (Chief Executive Officer), N J Holland (Financial Director), G J Gerwel, J M McMahon, G R Parker, R Pennant-Rea, P J Ryan, T M G Sexwale, B R van Rooyen, C I von Christierson *Canadian, British, American

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| | Resource | | | | | Reserve | | | |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| | Mill Tons (Mt) | Grade (g/t) | Gold (000 oz) F2003 | Gold (000 oz) F2002 | Attributable % | Mill Tons (Mt) | Head Grade (g/t) | Gold (000 oz) F2003 | Gold (000 oz) F2002 |
| GOLD | | | | | | | | | |
| Driefontein | 148.5 | 11.0 | 52 616 | 49 623 | 100 | 108.8 | 7.7 | 27 102 | 27 651 |
| Kloof | 207.9 | 13.0 | 86 979 | 84 261 | 100 | 106.0 | 9.1 | 31 092 | 29 974 |
| Beatrix | 132.4 | 5.4 | 23 069 | 21 539 | 100 | 77.2 | 4.9 | 12 186 | 12 496 |
| SA Operations* | 488.8 | 10.4 | 162 664 | 155 423 | | 292.0 | 7.5 | 70 380 | 70 121 |
| Tarkwa | 471.9 | 1.5 | 22 309 | 18 890 | 71.1 | 232.0 | 1.3 | 9 828 | 6 530 |
| Damang | 27.9 | 1.7 | 1 516 | 1 765 | 71.1 | 17.3 | 1.7 | 919 | 1 189 |
| St Ives | 87.0 | 2.6 | 7 295 | 6 742 | 100 | 28.2 | 3.3 | 2 989 | 2 336 |
| Agnew | 12.7 | 5.4 | 2 198 | 1 810 | 100 | 2.6 | 6.4 | 535 | 601 |
| International Operations | 599.4 | 1.7 | 33 318 | 29 207 | | 280.1 | 1.6 | 14 271 | 10 656 |
| Total Gold Fields | 1 088.1 | 5.6 | 195 982 | 184 630 | | 572.1 | 4.6 | 84 650 | 80 777 |
| PLATINUM | Tons (Mt) | 2 PGE +Au (g/t) | 2 PGE +Au (000 oz) | | | | | | |
| Arctic Platinum | 156.7 | 2.4 | 12 213 | 14 400 | 51 | | | | |
| Total Precious Metals | 1 244.8 | | 208 195 | 199 030 | | 572.1 | | 84 650 | 80 777 |
| Total attributable to Gold Fields | 1023.6 | | 195 325 | 186 005 | | 500.1 | | 81 544 | 78 546 |

Statement excludes St Helena which was sold on the 29 October 2002.

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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.

Date: 2 October 2003

GOLD FIELDS LIMITED

By: _____

Name: Mr W J Jacobsz

Title: Senior Vice President: Investor
Relations and Corporate Affairs