



Building a Safety System from the Ground Up:

How Magna Mining and Sofvie Inc. Partnered to
Create a Unified Risk Management Program

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The Context

Magna Mining is a Canadian mining company headquartered in Sudbury, Ontario, with a portfolio of operating, exploration, and development-stage projects focused on copper, nickel, and platinum group metals (PGMs). The Company's primary assets are the producing McCreedy West copper mine and the past producing Levack, Podolsky, Shakespeare and Crean Hill mines. Together, these assets position Magna Mining as an emerging Canadian producer of critical and precious metals.

Rooted in Sudbury's proud mining legacy, Magna Mining combines technical excellence with a forward-looking vision for safety and sustainability. The leadership team, comprised of seasoned mining professionals, are committed to operational strength, transparency, and modernization, while preserving the deep safety culture that is embedded in Northern Ontario's mining culture.

In early 2025, Magna Mining's acquisition of a portfolio of assets in Sudbury from KGHM International, including the producing McCreedy West Mine, presented a rare opportunity to build a comprehensive health and safety management system from the ground up. With newly integrated teams and expanding assets, the company saw an opportunity to adopt best practices and technology that would connect supervisors, operators, and leadership with real-time safety and operational insight.

Leadership sought a solution that could unify communication, streamline risk management, and simplify reporting, while also embedding consistent safety practices across all levels of the organization.



The Opportunity

After inheriting a mix of existing processes and tools, Magna Mining saw the need for one centralized platform to manage its entire safety system. Sofvie delivered exactly that: an integrated system designed to manage everything in one operating system.

When Magna Mining's team began evaluating digital platforms, their selection criteria was clear: the solution needed to make safety practices visible, standardized, and empowering for field teams. It had to fit the realities of mining, such as the underground connectivity limitations, complex regulatory environments, and diverse crews, all while offering the flexibility required to grow.

Sofvie quickly emerged as the right choice. The platform's mining-specific design, offline capability, and intuitive mobile layout resonated immediately. Equally important was Sofvie's local presence and reputation for hands-on collaboration: an advantage that meant real-world understanding, quick support, and people who could meet face-to-face in Sudbury.

Over the next nine months, Magna Mining and Sofvie built a partnership grounded in transparency, technical communication, and shared purpose. Magna Mining took the lead in defining its safety vision, while Sofvie acted as a partner in execution, providing ongoing training, technical configuration, and responsiveness that earned trust across all departments.

The Partnership In Action

Magna Mining's rollout strategy focused on giving each worker the tools they need to succeed. Magna's Manager, Health & Safety, recalls how seamless the implementation felt thanks to effective preparation and prompt support:



The technical support was prompt, knowledgeable, and solution-focused. It really helped us build confidence when we brought 120 people onto the platform.

During the setup, Sofvie supported Magna Mining by scheduling weekly working sessions, imported training records, historic incidents, and tailored form questions to their unique site conditions. By day one, supervisors could log in and immediately view their teams, outstanding actions, submit incident reports, begin the investigation progress, and see hazard priorities all in one place.



Sofvie's support and mining expertise made the transition seamless, and it felt like the platform was built for us. The customization saved us significant time.

- Manager, Health & Safety

In the field, crews quickly adopted sofvie as part of their daily routine. Supervisors used sofvie to coordinate follow-ups, manage action items, and share safety information efficiently between teams and shifts. The platform replaced manual processes, including spreadsheets, reducing duplication and ensuring updates were visible to all relevant personnel in real time. For leadership, sofvie replaced legacy spreadsheets by providing a single dashboard showing task completion, incident investigations, emerging trends, and outstanding corrective actions.



The integration of Magna Mining's critical control verification process into sofvie was a pivotal step in implementing their critical risk and critical control management program. Drawing from a systematic risk assessment process, Magna's teams used sofvie to proactively identify and map out critical risks tied to their mining operations, ensuring every worker started their shift informed about the hazards and controls relevant to their tasks. Sofvie's role-based checklists, created from site-specific risk data, enabled leadership to conduct thorough critical control verifications in the field, documenting findings and actions with photos and targeted questions. As Magna Mining's Health and Safety Manager explained,



We are creating a culture where we work together with confidence - empowered by well-designed, operational, and consistently verified critical controls that protect our people and drive excellence.

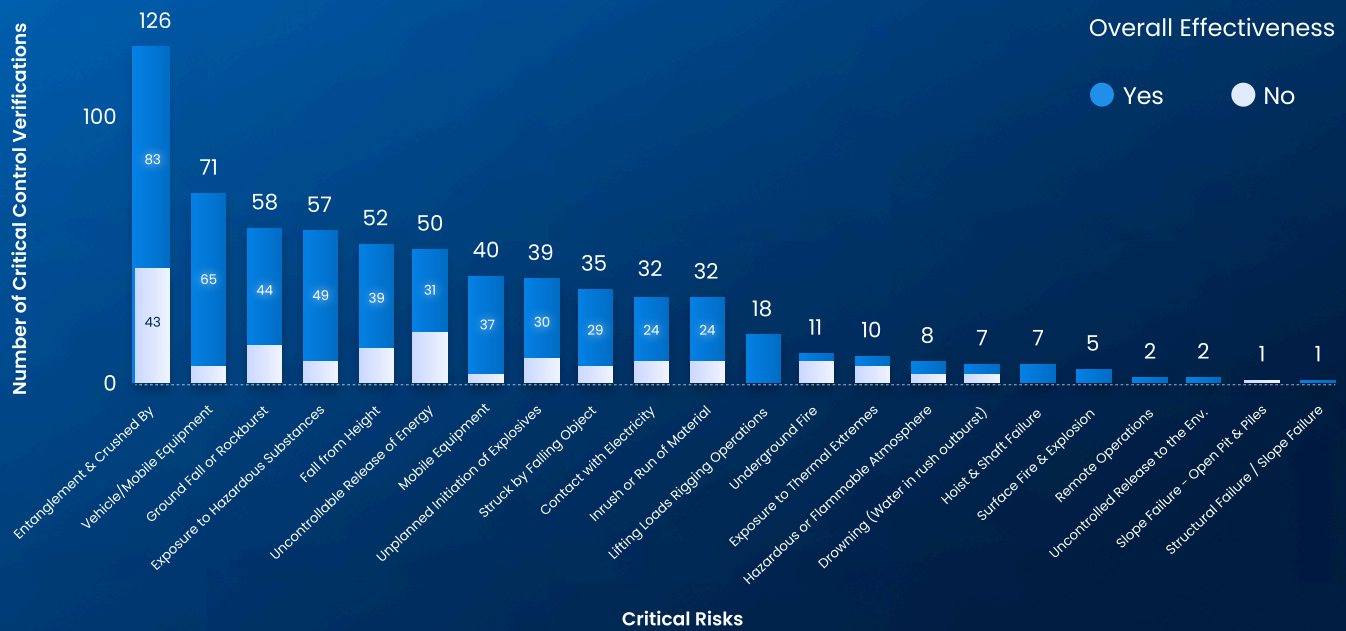


Chart I: Critical Control Verification and Effectiveness.

Data captured in real time flowed via API integrations (chart I and II), empowering leadership to track key performance indicators, make proactive adjustments, and reinforce a culture where no work commenced unless all critical controls were fully operational and verified. This tailored, collaborative process not only replaced legacy systems, but also gave teams the confidence that safety wasn't just compliance. It was hands-on, visible, and built for continuous learning and operational excellence.

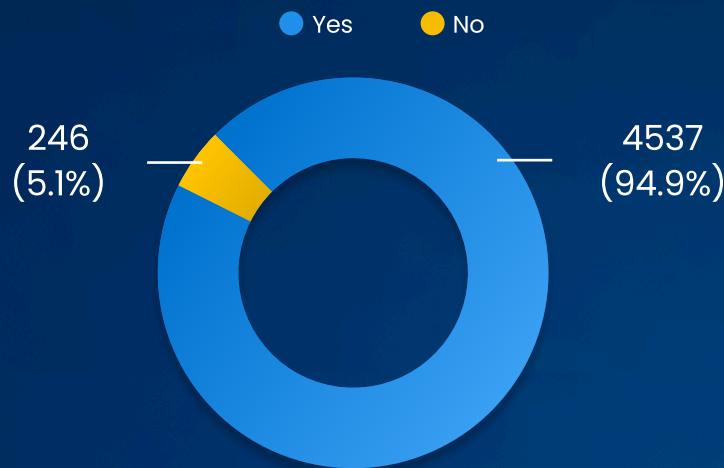


Chart II: Critical Control Verification and Effectiveness.

Early Outcomes

Nine months after implementation, Magna Mining’s teams describe sofvie as a hub for their daily work. It has simplified how information travels from the front line to management, improved accountability, and strengthened communication between teams. Magna’s Mine Manager at McCreedy West, shares how much more efficient the workflow has become:



Having all our operational data centralized in sofvie allows me to track action items and completion dates, and access everything I need on my phone, even offline.

As teams adopt sofvie, they are logging actions as part of their everyday work. Chart III shows a consistent flow of general, hazard, and incident actions being captured throughout the 9 months, highlighting steady engagement with the system.

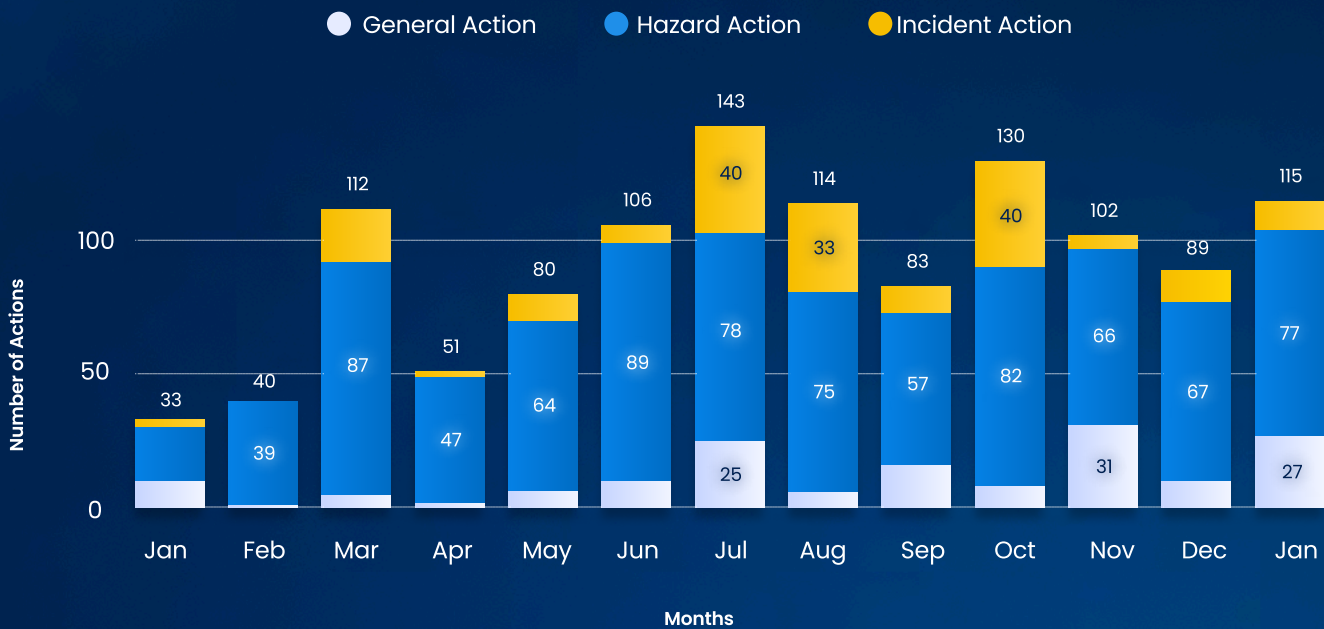


Chart III : Actions by Submission Month and Action Type.

Dashboards now replace manual processes, including lists and spreadsheet-style action registers. Supervisors have noticed how much faster it is to close tasks and validate follow-ups:



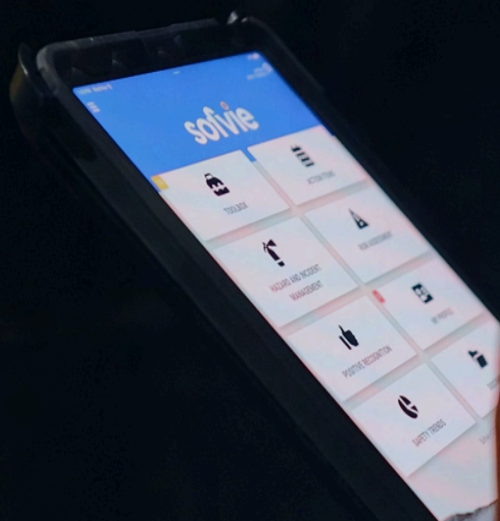
The greatest impact for our crew is how easy it is to assign actions, track investigations, and communicate safety issues. The dashboard keeps us on top of what matters most. — Supervisor, Magna Mining

Beyond efficiency, Sofvie has accelerated cultural change. The Positive Recognition module, which allows supervisors to acknowledge safe behaviours, has helped reinforce the company's values and engagement. The Supervisor explained,



The Positive Recognition module is making a difference. People appreciate being acknowledged, and it's supporting a positive safety culture across our teams.

These wins may be early, but their impact is meaningful. Crews are now accustomed to sharing success and highlighting good practices, not just incidents. Managers have clearer visibility of risk trends, and cross-functional collaboration has become more immediate. Sofvie has become more than a digital record: it's a space where communication and leadership meet.





Looking Ahead

Today, Magna Mining continues to strengthen its digital risk management approach. The platform is fully embedded in day-to-day operations, and managers across departments rely on Sofvie for visibility and decision-making support.

Magna Mining's leadership sees this early adoption as a foundation for long-term growth. As new sites come online, the same system and processes will scale to connect even more workers and teams.



Magna Mining continues to drive adoption by example, focusing on people, process, and proactive safety.

— Sofvie Team

What began as a blank slate now stands as proof of what is possible when innovation, mining experience, and a strong local partnership align. Together, Magna Mining and Sofvie are creating safer, stronger, and more connected workplaces across Northern Ontario.




Acknowledgment

This partnership reflects the shared belief that people, communication, and technology can **redefine safe performance** in mining, building systems that protect workers today while shaping a stronger future tomorrow.



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