SCREENING REPORT FOR AN ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORIZATION AS REQUIRED BY THE 2014 EIA REGULATIONS – PROPOSED SITE ENVIRONMENTAL SENSITIVITY

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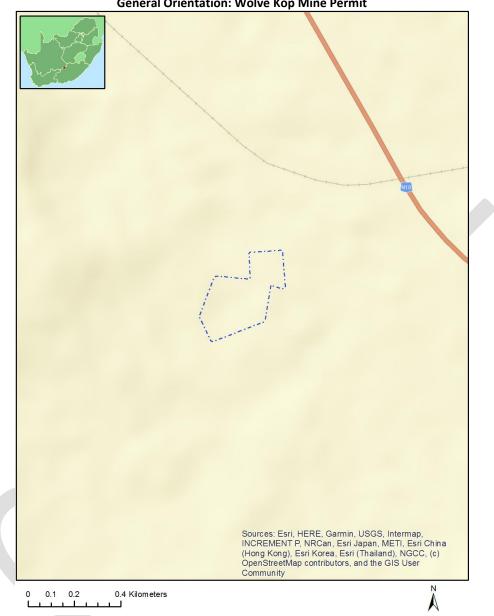
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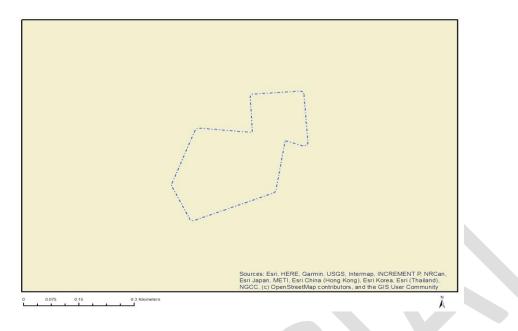
Proposed Project Location

Orientation map 1: General location



General Orientation: Wolve Kop Mine Permit

Map of proposed site and relevant area(s)



Cadastral details of the proposed site

Property details:

No	Farm Name	Farm/ Erf No	Portion	Latitude	Longitude	Property Type
1	WOLVE KOP	12	0	31°21'27.725	25°1'23.76E	Farm
2	WOLVE KOP	12	13	31°22'27.43S	25°1'0.79E	Farm Portion

Development footprint¹ vertices: No development footprint(s) specified.

Wind and Solar developments with an approved Environmental Authorisation or applications under consideration within 30 km of the proposed area

No	EIA Reference No	Classification	Status of application	Distance from proposed area (km)
1	14/12/16/3/3/1/729	Solar PV	Approved	29.8
2	12/12/20/2654/AM4	Solar PV	Approved	27.8
3	12/12/20/2654	Solar PV	Approved	27.8
4	14/12/16/3/3/1/553	Solar PV	Approved	27.8
5	14/12/16/3/3/2/385	Solar PV	Approved	18.8
6	14/12/16/3/3/1/735/AM1	Solar PV	Approved	25.2
7	14/12/16/3/3/2/355	Solar PV	Approved	12.8
8	12/12/20/2653/AM4	Solar PV	Approved	27.1

¹ "development footprint", means the area within the site on which the development will take place and incudes all ancillary developments for example roads, power lines, boundary walls, paving etc. which require vegetation clearance or which will be disturbed and for which the application has been submitted.

9	12/12/20/2465/2	Solar PV	Approved	5.1
10	12/12/20/2653	Solar PV	Approved	27.1

Environmental Management Frameworks relevant to the application

No intersections with EMF areas found.

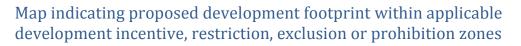
Environmental screening results and assessment outcomes

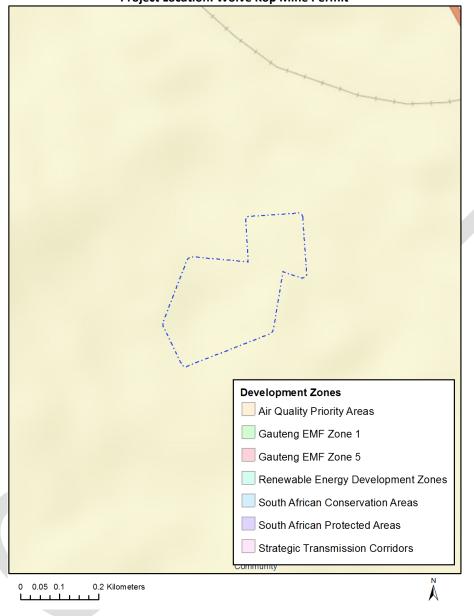
The following sections contain a summary of any development incentives, restrictions, exclusions or prohibitions that apply to the proposed development site as well as the most environmental sensitive features on the site based on the site sensitivity screening results for the application classification that was selected. The application classification selected for this report is: Mining | Mining Permit.

Relevant development incentives, restrictions, exclusions or prohibitions

The following development incentives, restrictions, exclusions or prohibitions and their implications that apply to this site are indicated below.

No intersection with any development zones found.





Project Location: Wolve Kop Mine Permit

Proposed Development Area Environmental Sensitivity

The following summary of the development site environmental sensitivities is identified. Only the highest environmental sensitivity is indicated. The footprint environmental sensitivities for the proposed development footprint as identified, are indicative only and must be verified on site by a suitably qualified person before the specialist assessments identified below can be confirmed.

Theme	Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
Agriculture Theme				Х
Animal Species Theme		Х		
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Aquatic Biodiversity Theme			Х
Archaeological and Cultural	Х		
Heritage Theme			
Civil Aviation Theme			Х
Defence Theme			Х
Paleontology Theme		Х	
Plant Species Theme			Х
Terrestrial Biodiversity Theme	Х		

Specialist assessments identified

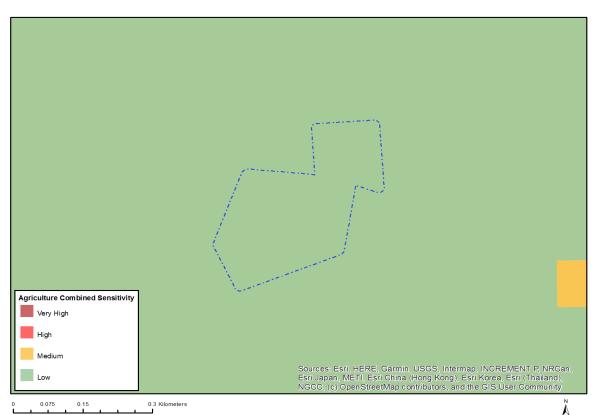
Based on the selected classification, and the environmental sensitivities of the proposed development footprint, the following list of specialist assessments have been identified for inclusion in the assessment report. It is the responsibility of the EAP to confirm this list and to motivate in the assessment report, the reason for not including any of the identified specialist study including the provision of photographic evidence of the site situation.

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1	Agricul	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols/
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	Cultura	
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3	Palaeo	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols/
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4	Terrest	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols/
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5	Aquati	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols/
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6	Hydrol	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols/
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7	Noise Impact Assess ment Radioa ctivity Impact Assess ment	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols/ Gazetted_Noise_Impacts_Assessment_Protocol.pdf https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols/ Gazetted_General_Requirement_Assessment_Protocols.pdf
9	Traffic Impact Assess ment	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols/ Gazetted_General_Requirement_Assessment_Protocols.pdf
1 0	Geotec hnical Assess ment	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols/ Gazetted_General_Requirement_Assessment_Protocols.pdf
1 1	Socio- Econo mic Assess ment	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols/ Gazetted_General_Requirement_Assessment_Protocols.pdf
1 2	Plant Species Assess ment	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols/ Gazetted Plant Species Assessment Protocols.pdf
1 3	Animal Species Assess ment	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols/ Gazetted Animal Species Assessment Protocols.pdf

Results of the environmental sensitivity of the proposed area.

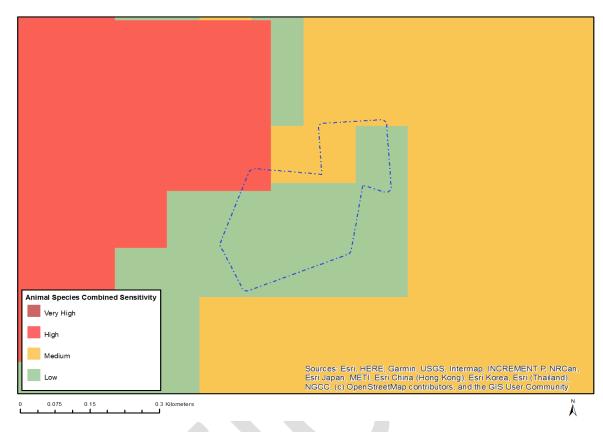
The following section represents the results of the screening for environmental sensitivity of the proposed site for relevant environmental themes associated with the project classification. It is the duty of the EAP to ensure that the environmental themes provided by the screening tool are comprehensive and complete for the project. Refer to the disclaimer.



MAP OF RELATIVE AGRICULTURE THEME SENSITIVITY

Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
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Sensitivity	Feature(s)
Low	Land capability;01. Very low/02. Very low/03. Low-Very low/04. Low-Very low/05. Low



MAP OF RELATIVE ANIMAL SPECIES THEME SENSITIVITY

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Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
	Х		

Sensitivity	Feature(s)
High	Aves-Aquila verreauxii
Low	Low sensitivity
Medium	Aves-Neotis ludwigii



MAP OF RELATIVE AQUATIC BIODIVERSITY THEME SENSITIVITY

Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
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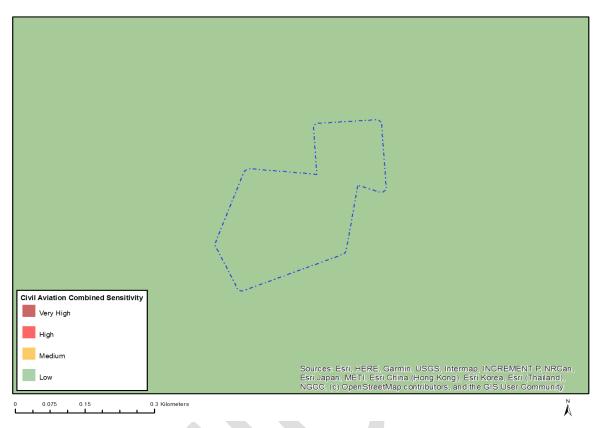
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Sensitivity	Feature(s)	
Low	Low sensitivity	
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MAP OF RELATIVE ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND CULTURAL HERITAGE THEME SENSITIVITY



Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
X			

Sensitivity	Feature(s)
Low	Low sensitivity
Very High	Within 100m of an Ungraded Heritage site



MAP OF RELATIVE CIVIL AVIATION THEME SENSITIVITY

Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
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Sensitivity	Feature(s)	
Low	Low sensitivity	
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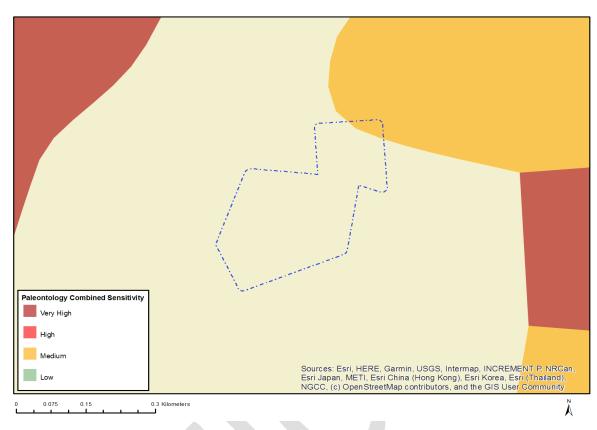
Defence Combined Sensitivity Very High High Medium Sources: Esri, HERE, Garmin, USGS, Intermap, INCREMENT P, NRCan, Esri Japan, METI, Esri China (Hong Kong), Esri Korea, Esri (Thailand), NGCC, (c) OpenStreetMap contributors, and the GIS User Community Low 0.3 Kilometers 0.075 0.15 Ă

MAP OF RELATIVE DEFENCE THEME SENSITIVITY

Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
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Sensitivity Features:

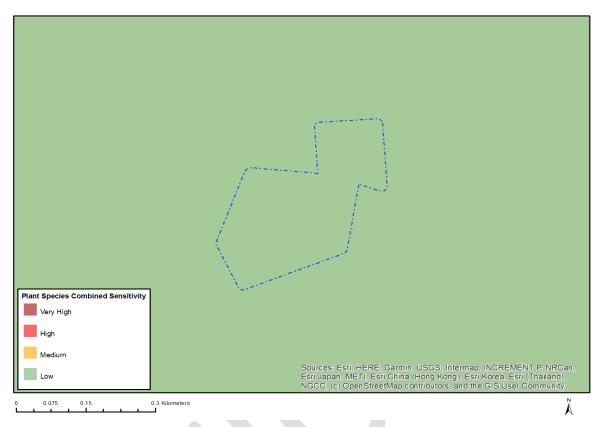
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Sensitivity	Feature(s)	
Low	Low Sensitivity	



MAP OF RELATIVE PALEONTOLOGY THEME SENSITIVITY

Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
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Sensitivity	Feature(s)
Medium	Features with a Medium paleontological sensitivity

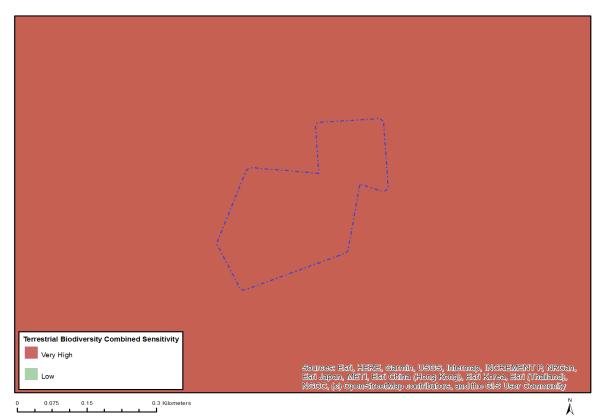


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Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
			Х

Sensitivity	Feature(s)
Low	Low Sensitivity



MAP OF RELATIVE TERRESTRIAL BIODIVERSITY THEME SENSITIVITY

Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
X			

Sensitivity	Feature(s)	
Very High	Ecological Support Area 1	