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

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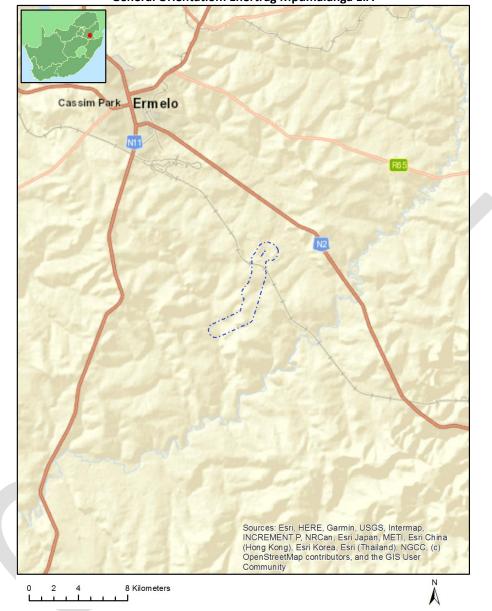
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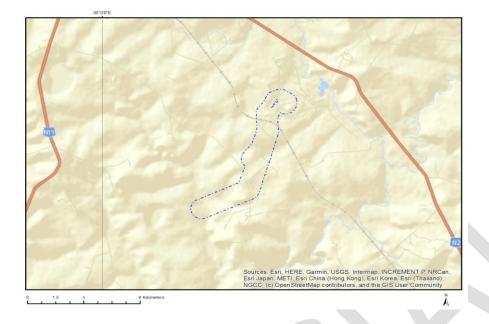
Proposed Project Location

Orientation map 1: General location



General Orientation: Enertrag Mpumalanga EIA

Map of proposed site and relevant area(s)



Cadastral details of the proposed site

Property details:

Farm Name	Farm/ Erf	Portion	Latitude	Longitude	Property
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CAMDEN POWER	329	0	26°36'40.2S	30°5'6.95E	Farm
STATION					
UITKOMST	292	0	26°37'7.93S	30°2'54.36E	Farm
MOOIPLAATS	290	0	26°39'13.15S	30°7'0.5E	Farm
WELGELEGEN IS	322	0	26°40'54.25S	30°2'38.76E	Farm
MOOIPLAATS	290	14	26°38'16.24S	30°4'44.97E	Farm Portion
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UITKOMST	292	12	26°37'32.67S	30°4'26.67E	Farm Portion
MOOIPLAATS	290	20	26°37'54.61S	30°5'6.32E	Farm Portion
CAMDEN POWER	329	0	26°36'56.07S	30°4'53.44E	Farm Portion
STATION					
UITKOMST	292	2	26°37'44.43S	30°2'47.54E	Farm Portion
WELGELEGEN IS	322	2	26°40'25.12S	30°2'56.72E	Farm Portion
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Development footprint¹ vertices: No development footprint(s) specified.

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.

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

No nearby wind or solar developments found.

Environmental Management Frameworks relevant to the application

No intersections with EMF areas found.

Environmental screening results and assessment outcomes

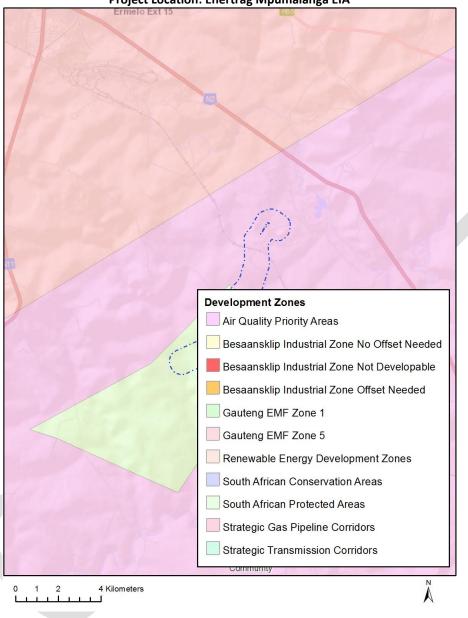
The following sections contain a summary of any development incentives, restrictions, exclusions or prohibitions that apply to the proposed development site as well as the most environmental sensitive features on the site based on the site sensitivity screening results for the application classification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

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.

Incenti ve, restrict ion or prohibi tion	Implication
Air Quality- Highveld Priority Area	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/DevelopmentZones/HIGH VELD PRIORITY AREA AQMP.pdf
South African Protecte d Areas	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/DevelopmentZones/SAPA D OR 2021 Q1 Metadata.pdf

Map indicating proposed development footprint within applicable development incentive, restriction, exclusion or prohibition zones



Project Location: Enertrag Mpumalanga EIA

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

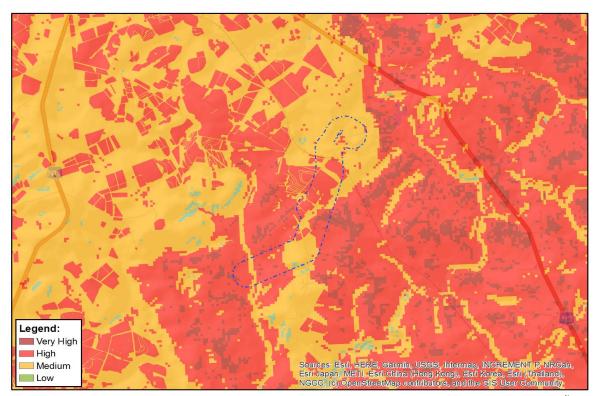
Based on the selected classification, and the environmental sensitivities of the proposed development footprint, the following list of specialist assessments have been identified for inclusion in the assessment report. It is the responsibility of the EAP to confirm this list and to motivate in the assessment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

Ν	Special	Assessment Protocol
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1	Agricult ural Impact Assessm ent	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols /Gazetted_General_Agriculture_Assessment_Protocols.pdf
2	Landsca pe/Visu al Impact Assessm ent	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols /Gazetted General Requirement Assessment Protocols.pdf
3	Archaeo logical and Cultural Heritage Impact Assessm ent	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols /Gazetted General Requirement Assessment Protocols.pdf
4	Palaeon tology Impact Assessm ent	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols /Gazetted_General_Requirement_Assessment_Protocols.pdf
5	Terrestri al Biodiver sity Impact Assessm ent	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols /Gazetted_Terrestrial_Biodiversity_Assessment_Protocols.pdf
6	Aquatic Biodiver sity Impact Assessm ent	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols /Gazetted_Aquatic_Biodiversity_Assessment_Protocols.pdf

7	Avian Impact Assessm ent	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols /Gazetted_Avifauna_Assessment_Protocols.pdf
8	Civil Aviation Assessm ent	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols /Gazetted_Civil_Aviation_Installations_Assessment_Protocols.pdf
9	RFI Assessm ent	https://screening.environment.gov.za/ScreeningDownloads/AssessmentProtocols /Gazetted_General_Requirement_Assessment_Protocols.pdf
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1 2	Animal Species Assessm ent	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

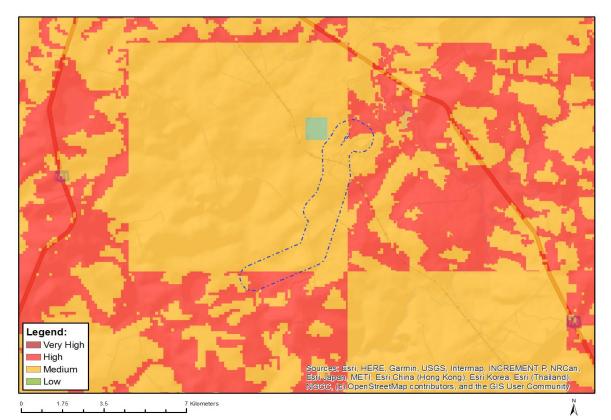
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Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
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Sensitivity	Feature(s)
High	Land capability;09. Moderate-High/10. Moderate-High
High	Annual Crop Cultivation / Planted Pastures Rotation;Land capability;06. Low-Moderate/07. Low- Moderate/08. Moderate
High	Annual Crop Cultivation / Planted Pastures Rotation;Land capability;09. Moderate-High/10. Moderate- High
High	Old Fields;Land capability;09. Moderate-High/10. Moderate-High
High	Old Fields;Land capability;06. Low-Moderate/07. Low-Moderate/08. Moderate
Low	Land capability;01. Very low/02. Very low/03. Low-Very low/04. Low-Very low/05. Low
Medium	Land capability;06. Low-Moderate/07. Low-Moderate/08. Moderate
Very High	Land capability;11. High/12. High-Very high/13. High-Very high/14. Very high/15. Very high
Very High	Annual Crop Cultivation / Planted Pastures Rotation;Land capability;11. High/12. High-Very high/13. High-Very high/14. Very high/15. Very high

MAP OF RELATIVE ANIMAL SPECIES THEME SENSITIVITY

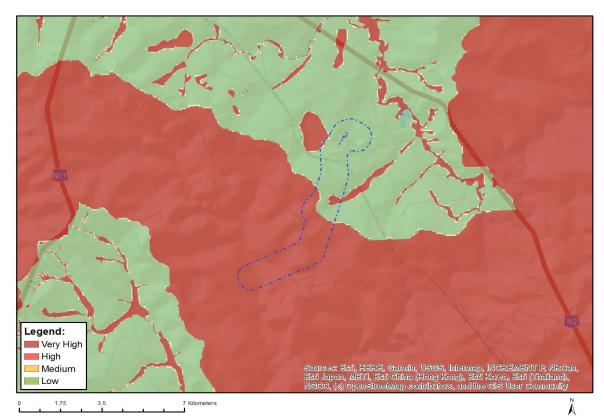


Where only a sensitive plant unique number or sensitive animal unique number is provided in the screening report and an assessment is required, the environmental assessment practitioner (EAP) or specialist is required to email SANBI at <u>eiadatarequests@sanbi.org.za</u> listing all sensitive species with their unique identifiers for which information is required. The name has been withheld as the species may be prone to illegal harvesting and must be protected. SANBI will release the actual species name after the details of the EAP or specialist have been documented.

Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
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Sensitivity	Feature(s)		
High	Sensitive species 2		
High	Aves-Geronticus calvus		
Medium	Aves-Tyto capensis		
Medium	Sensitive species 2		
Medium	Aves-Geronticus calvus		
Medium	Mammalia-Crocidura maquassiensis		
Medium	Mammalia-Ourebia ourebi ourebi		

MAP OF RELATIVE AQUATIC BIODIVERSITY THEME SENSITIVITY



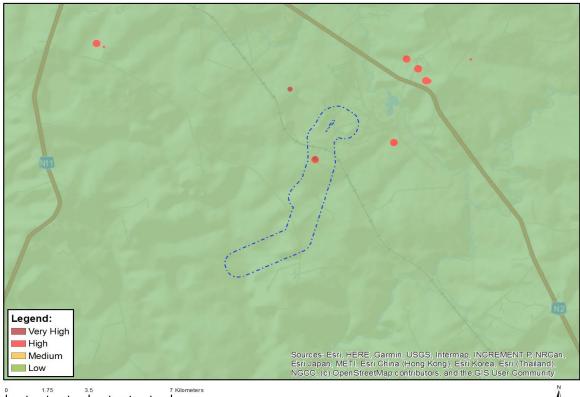
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Sensitivity Features:

Sensitivity	Feature(s)
Low	Low sensitivity
Very High	Aquatic CBAs
Very High	Wetlands and Estuaries
Very High	Freshwater ecosystem priority area quinary catchments

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MAP OF RELATIVE ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND CULTURAL HERITAGE THEME **SENSITIVITY**

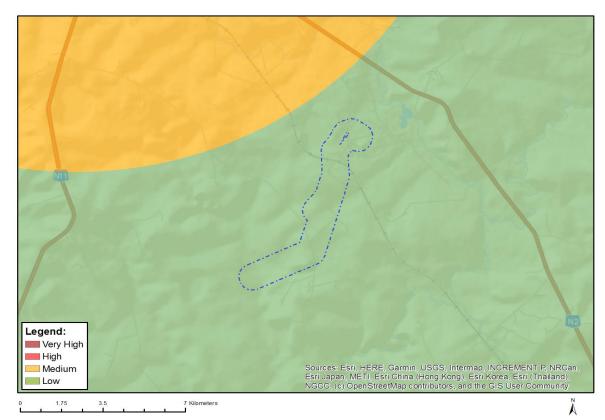


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Sensitivity	Feature(s)		
High	Within 150m of a Grade IIIa Heritage site		
Low	Low sensitivity		
Very High	Within 100m of an Ungraded Heritage site		

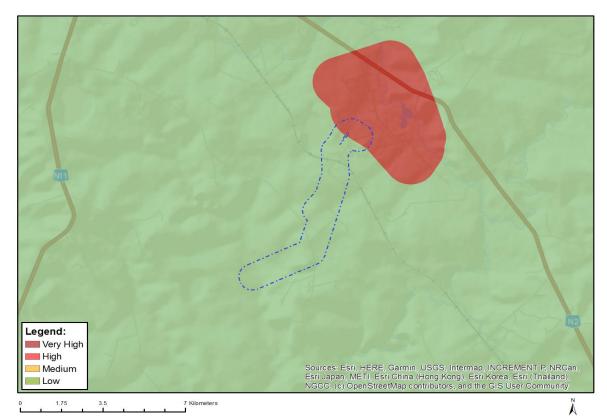
MAP OF RELATIVE CIVIL AVIATION THEME SENSITIVITY



Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
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Sensitivity	Feature(s)	
Low	Low sensitivity	
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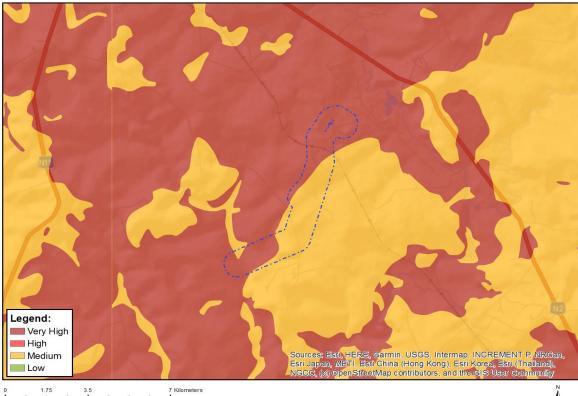
MAP OF RELATIVE DEFENCE THEME SENSITIVITY



Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
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Sensitivity	Feature(s)
Low	Low Sensitivity
Very High	Military and Defence Site

MAP OF RELATIVE PALEONTOLOGY THEME SENSITIVITY

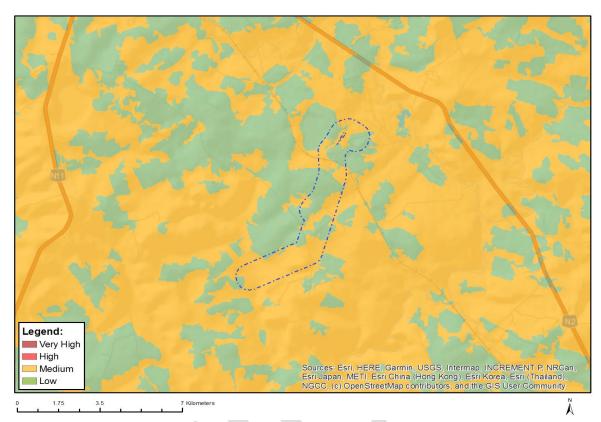


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Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
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Sensitivity	Feature(s)
Medium	Features with a Medium paleontological sensitivity
Very High	Features with a Very High paleontological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

MAP OF RELATIVE PLANT SPECIES THEME SENSITIVITY



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Sensitivity	Feature(s)		
Low	Low Sensitivity		
Medium	Khadia carolinensis		
Medium	Sensitive species 1201		
Medium	Aspidoglossum xanthosphaerum		
Medium	Sensitive species 41		
Medium	Sensitive species 691		
Medium	Pachycarpus suaveolens		
Medium	Sensitive species 851		

MAP OF RELATIVE TERRESTRIAL BIODIVERSITY THEME SENSITIVITY



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Very High sensitivity	High sensitivity	Medium sensitivity	Low sensitivity
X			

Sensitivity	Feature(s)
Very High	Critical biodiveristy area 1
Very High	Critical biodiveristy area 2
Very High	FEPA Subcatchments
Very High	Langcarel Private Nature Reserve
Very High	Endangered ecosystem
Very High	Protected Areas Expansion Strategy
Very High	Strategic Water Source Areas