

MANAGEMENT AND REHABILITATION OF THE SILVERMINES AREA

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SUMMARY

MANAGEMENT & REHABILITATION OF THE SILVERMINES AREA PHASE II REPORT: MANAGEMENT OPTIONS

This report covers the second phase of the study for the management and rehabilitation of the Silvermines area, and is concerned with the available management and rehabilitation options.

INTRODUCTION

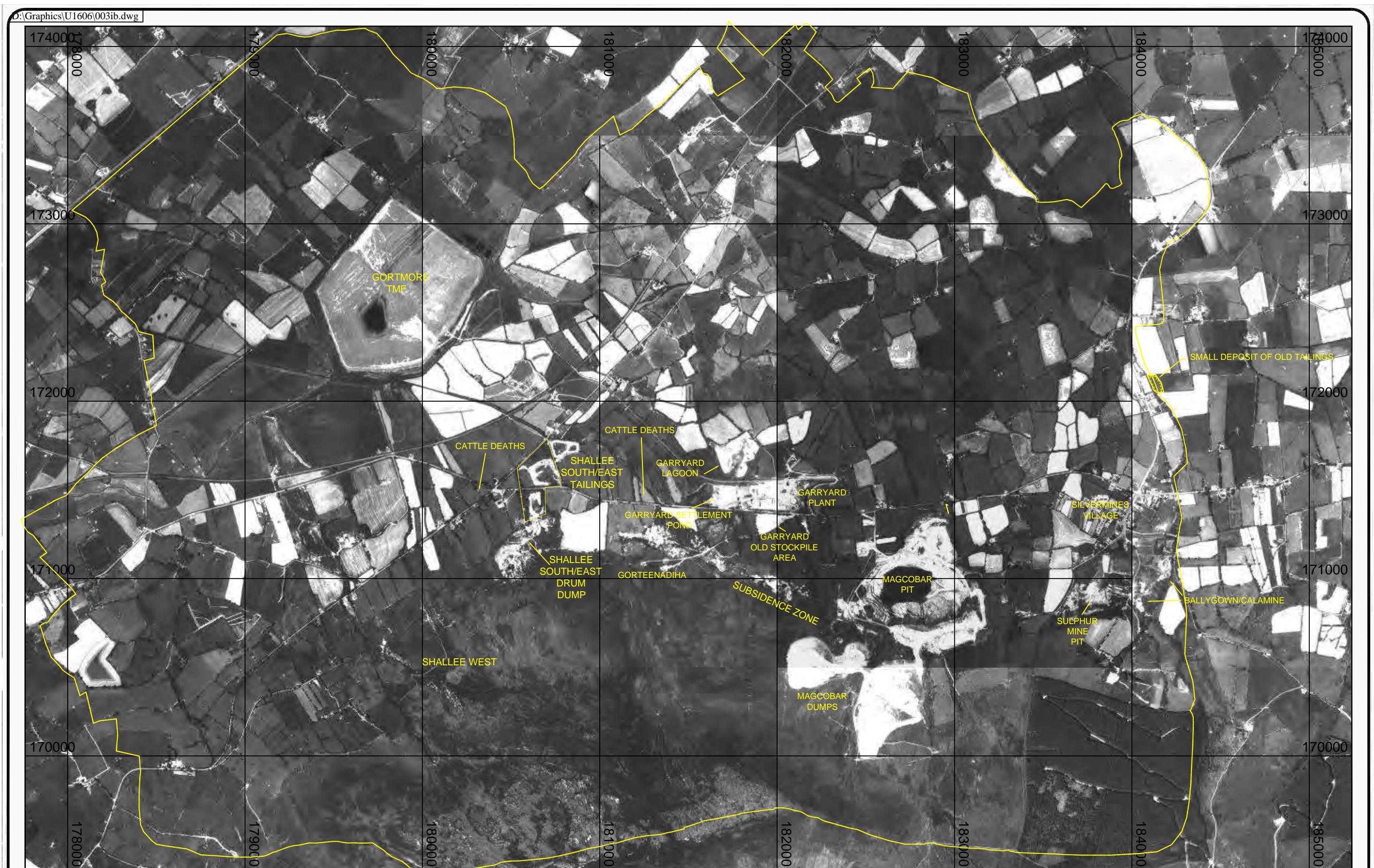
The Silvermines area of County Tipperary has been mined for over a thousand years for lead, zinc, copper, silver, baryte and sulphur. The last mine, Magcobar, closed in September 1992. The mining has resulted in undermining and surface subsidence, the excavation of open-pits, the construction of large waste dumps and tailings dams, and the presence of derelict surface structures. Figure 1 is an annotated orthophoto showing the main features of the study area. The yellow outline represents the extent of the study area.

The waste products contain heavy metals, which are mobilised after heavy rain, entering the streams. In the past, the tailings impoundments have also produced dust blows, with the wind-blown particles containing heavy metals. The metal of most concern has been lead, and there have been cattle deaths caused by lead poisoning. It is primarily these deaths and the dust blows which have alerted the authorities to the need to undertake closure and rehabilitation measures to reduce the risk to human and livestock health and safety, and to the environment. There are, however, other pollutants and other problems, such as mining subsidence associated with the Silvermines area, which require consideration. These have been included in the present investigation.

A number of studies have been carried out to investigate the problems and, in 2001, the Department of Marine and Natural Resources (DMNR) appointed SRK Consulting to prepare conceptual designs for the management and rehabilitation of the Silvermines region, over an area of about 2,300 ha. This design was to include five specific sites identified as requiring treatment:

- Gortmore tailings management facility (TMF);
- Tailings at Shallee;
- Lagoon and settlement pond at Garryard;
- Ballygown area and ground to the south of Silvermines village; and
- Magcobar pit and waste dumps.

The work was to include any other sites within the study area requiring remediation. Although particular problem areas were identified, the problems are linked and it was recognised by all concerned with the study that the Silvermines area must be dealt with as a whole. It was required to present separately the subset of those work plans which correspond to works which Mogul of Ireland might be asked to carry out under Clause K of their State Mining Lease.



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	THE STUDY AREA		Fig 1

THE STUDY

The study was to be carried out in three stages:

- *Phase I, review of available information,;*
- *Phase II, management options; and*
- *Phase III, conceptual design of selected options.*

The report on the Phase I study was concerned with the review of the large amount of documentary information, the identification of gaps in the data, the identification of potential remedial measures, and the definition of the work required for Phase II.

THE SITE WORK

The study was undertaken on the basis that the available information would be sufficient for the preparation of the conceptual design for management of the site. It was appreciated that the Phase I review of available information might identify minor gaps in the data, and the intention was that, during Phase II, these gaps would be filled.

During Phase I, the need for a limited amount of additional sampling and testing of water and soils was identified, and this was carried out during Phase II. It was also found that there was very little groundwater information and, as a result, DMNR authorised additional drilling and testing. In addition, Phase II included the completion of observational work on the site, comprising the photographic record, the surface inventory and the assessment of the mining heritage. This work was limited and delayed during Phase I by the foot and mouth restrictions.

The ecology of the area, both habitats and vegetation, was reviewed, with site inspections and the examination of the available data and publications. This information was used in the assessment of re-vegetation options and sustainability in Phase II.

As a result of the foot and mouth restrictions and the additional groundwater study, the programme was extended, with the reports to be submitted at the end of December 2001.

INDUSTRIAL HERITAGE

The Shallee Mine is considered to be a unique survival, worthy of preservation, conservation and utilisation. Major archaeological sites have also been identified at Ballygown, Gorteenadiha, and the old copper mining at Magcobar. These sites should be protected.

Detailed recording of structures on all these sites should be carried out, and public consultation should take place before finalising the programme for conservation and usage. This usage may include the establishment of a centre for Mining Heritage and a walking trail linking the sites.

RIVER AND STREAM CONTAMINATION

During the Phase II study, sampling of surface water and soils was carried out to supplement the data already available. The main purposes were to identify the significant sources of elevated metals in the water courses, and to quantify the elevated metals from each sub-catchment. This information has been used in the design of

the remedial measures to reduce the heavy metal content of the water courses, and as baseline data for the monitoring of the results of the remedial works.

The results confirmed that surface water in all parts of the study area contains elevated metals. Most of this loading is particulate material. The metals include lead, barium, cadmium, zinc, iron and manganese.

GROUNDWATER

A drilling investigation was carried out to supplement the available information on geology, groundwater levels, groundwater aquifer properties and groundwater quality. Thirteen holes were drilled and sampled at Ballygown, Garryard, Shallee and Gortmore, to determine the effect of the mining works and waste deposits on the groundwater. Pump tests were carried out in two boreholes, and double piezometers were installed in four.

The results showed a low permeability in the limestone aquifer matrix, with higher permeabilities associated with fracture features. The overlying alluvial aquifers are more susceptible to potential contamination, but there is no evidence of significant effects of mining on groundwater levels or quality. No active remedial measures for groundwater are considered necessary.

Mercury was detected in two boreholes near the Gortmore TMF and one at Garryard in November 2001. Further sampling and analyses in January 2002 revealed levels of mercury below the detection limit, confirming that mercury levels in the groundwater are insignificant.

DUST

No dust investigation has been carried out in the Phase II study, but the available monitoring information has been reviewed. There have been no significant dust blows from Gortmore TMF since the dust blows of the 1980s, because of the vegetation cover on the impoundment. The remedial design for Gortmore TMF will include measures for the improvement and maintenance of the vegetation.

MINE STABILITY

The available plans and reports have been reviewed, and it has been concluded that future subsidence of the Mogul underground workings will be confined to the present subsidence zone with some possible expansion to the north.

WASTE DUMP STABILITY

The Magcobar dumps are granular and relatively free-draining. With continued maintenance of the surface water drainage system, these dumps will remain stable. No problems are anticipated with the Shallee South/East tailings dumps, or with the old tailings deposits at Ballygown.

The Gortmore TMF contains silt-sized waste, which is not free-draining and, as a result, the TMF has a high water table. There has been no deposition on the TMF for many years, however, so the tailings have consolidated, and are therefore more stable than they were during the operating life of the mine. No stability problems will occur under present conditions, and the proposed works including the waste disposal facility on the upper surface will not cause instability. The stability should be confirmed during the detailed design and if there is any future change in geometry or water management.

HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

The list of key hazards is as follows:

HAZARD	KEY SOURCE
<i>Stream water contamination and sediment loads</i>	<i>Garryard Old Stockpile</i>
	<i>Garryard Tailings Lagoon</i>
	<i>Shallee South/East Drum Dump</i>
	<i>Ballygown old tailings</i>
	<i>Ballygown waste dumps</i>
<i>Dust potential</i>	<i>Gortmore TMF poorly-vegetated sections</i>
<i>Risk to human life</i>	<i>Open shafts and surface workings</i>

There are numerous other minor problems requiring remediation, but the six items listed above are the most significant. All problems, both major and minor, are considered in the Phase II report.

DISPOSAL OF WASTE MATERIAL

The remediation of the study area will result in the disposal of quantities of contaminated soil and waste materials:

- *Ballygown – disposal of asbestos roofing and possible concrete;*
- *Ballygown – about 100m³ of mine waste from vicinity of Silvermines Stream;*
- *Magcobar – about 200m³ of sulphide waste from dump area;*
- *Magcobar – disposal of scrapped crushing plant and associated structures;*
- *Garryard – about 14,000m³ of ore and process waste from Old Stockpile;*
- *Garryard – about 22,000m³ of process waste from Tailings Lagoon;*
- *Garryard – disposal of general scrap and waste from the site and old hostel building;*
- *Dredging of stream sediments, annual or biennial, quantities unknown; and*
- *Shallee – segregation and disposal of ore, process waste and scrap metal, about 4,000m³.*

These estimated quantities are not based on measurements and actual quantities must be confirmed during the detailed design.

This material will be disposed of at a remote site or at a suitable location within the study area, which could be the surface of the Gortmore TMF. The options are under review. The waste materials at Shallee include large quantities of metal drums, cables and other mine debris, and would require separate disposal off-site, probably at a designated site in Shannon.

REMEDIATION OPTIONS

A detailed risk assessment has been carried out for the study area and the remediation options have been considered. The main features of the preferred options are:

- *general upgrading and maintenance of surface water system;*
- *conservation of mining heritage features of Ballygown and Gorteenadiha;*

- conservation of Shallee South/East as mining heritage site with visitor facilities;
- possible establishment of a heritage trail linking the mining features of the Silvermines area;
- removal of contaminated materials from areas as listed above, and deposition on a designated disposal site, which may be the Gortmore TMF;
- construction of temporary silt retention structures for discharges from Gorteenadiha area and Ballygown;
- segregation of drums and other waste from Shallee South/East and disposal on a designated licensed site outside the study area or on site;
- clearing of the Garryard tailings lagoon and redevelopment as a wetland treatment pond;
- establishment of a wetland treatment pond for water discharged from Shallee South/East;
- minor earthworks at the Gortmore TMF, upgrading of pool decant and retention ponds; and
- application of a growth medium to parts of the Gortmore TMF and re-establishment of vegetation.

PHASE III

The Phase II report, giving the options and proposing preferred options, provides the information on which the Phase III Conceptual Design will be prepared and costed. A programme will be prepared for implementation.

APPENDIX A

RESULTS OF CHEMICAL TESTING

Table A2

GROUNDWATER DATA: TMF1a, TMF1b, TMF2a, TMF2b, TMF3a, TMF3b, TMF4, GORT38, GORT35

Sampled January 2002

Units	EC GROUNDWATER DIRECTIVE		DUTCH		Borehole ID	TMF1A	TMF1B	TMF2a	TMF2b	TMF3a	TMF3b	TMF4	GORT38	GORT35
	80/68/EEC	OPTIMUM	ACTION											
su				Lab pH		8.18	7.9	8	8.38	8.11	8.12	8.17	8.45	8.42
su				Field pH										
mg/l				Lab Alk. as CaCO ₃	220	240	260	320	300	420	150	200	170	
mg/l				Field Alk. as CaCO ₃										
celsius				Temperature										
microS/cm				Electrical Conductivity										
%				Dissolved Oxygen										
mg/l				K		1.4	1.3	0.9	0.8	1.5	1	3.4	1.6	2.2
mg/l				Na	17	22	20	30	25	15	158	15	18	
mg/l				NH ₄ -N	0.2	0.3	0.3	2.2	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.4	
mg/l				Cl	14	19	14	35	17	22	34	15	17	
mg/l	List 2			F	0.06	0.13	0.16	0.2	0.12	0.09	0.2	0.08	0.02	
mg/l				NO ₃	0.4	0.7	0.7	<0.3	0.8	0.6	<0.3	11.5	17	
mg/l	List 2			PO ₄	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	
mg/l				Sulphide	0.03	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.03
mg/l				SO ₄	13	311	9	5	17	10	1263	64	25	
mg/l				Total	Al	<0.05	0.87	0.74	0.06	0.12	0.3	0.33	0.12	<0.05
mg/l				Filtered	Al	<0.05	0.14	0.06	<0.05	0.07	<0.05	0.12	<0.05	0.05
mg/l	List 2	0.01	0.06	Total	As	<0.05	0.1	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	List 2			Filtered	As	<0.05	<0.05	0.07	<0.05	<0.05	0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	List 2	0.05	0.625	Total	Ba	0.14	0.1	0.58	2.18	0.33	0.58	0.12	0.17	0.23
mg/l	List 2			Filtered	Ba	0.17	0.08	0.68	2.72	0.68	0.42	0.16	0.2	0.29
mg/l				Total	Ca	67.83	156.9	84.34	102.5	105.7	117.3	330	80.32	80.97
mg/l				Filtered	Ca	76.12	185.3	105.4	134.1	143.2	139	441.7	102.5	87.65
mg/l	List 1	0.0004	0.006	Total	Cd	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	List 1			Filtered	Cd	<0.0004	<0.0004	<0.0004	<0.0004	<0.0004	<0.0004	<0.0004	<0.0004	<0.0004
mg/l	List 2	0.001	0.03	Total	Cr	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.06	<0.05
mg/l	List 2			Filtered	Cr	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	List 2	0.015	0.075	Total	Cu	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.06	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	List 2			Filtered	Cu	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l				Total	Fe	0.1	1.3	1.33	7.85	0.17	0.5	0.57	0.42	0.51
mg/l				Filtered	Fe	0.09	<0.05	0.18	10.3	0.14	<0.05	0.12	0.18	0.16
mg/l				Total	Mg	12.24	24.73	6.88	6.04	11.38	13.77	71.5	10.53	5.16
mg/l				Filtered	Mg	16.18	29.39	8.38	7.7	16.38	14.54	80.6	13.13	6.52
mg/l				Total	Mn	0.08	0.39	0.81	0.37	0.49	0.23	1.13	0.06	0.06
mg/l				Filtered	Mn	0.13	0.35	1.08	0.48	0.3	0.73	1.33	0.11	0.12
mg/l	List 2	0.015	0.075	Total	Ni	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.09	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	List 2			Filtered	Ni	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.08	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	List 2	0.015	0.075	Total	Pb	<0.05	<0.05	0.06	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.07	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	List 2			Filtered	Pb	<0.005	0.005	0.006	0.006	<0.005	<0.005	0.008	<0.005	0.005
mg/l	List 2			Total	Sn	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5
mg/l	List 2			Filtered	Sn	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5
mg/l	List 2			Total	V	0.15	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.11	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	List 2			Filtered	V	0.09	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.12
mg/l	List 1			Total	CN	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	List 1	0.00005	0.0003	Total	Hg	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	List 1			Filtered	Hg	<0.00005	<0.00005	<0.00005	<0.00005	<0.00005	<0.00005	<0.00005	<0.00005	<0.00005
mg/l	List 2	0.065	0.8	Total	Zn	0.09	0.05	0.06	<0.05	<0.05	0.05	0.06	0.23	0.05
mg/l	List 2			Filtered	Zn	0.098	0.089	0.064	0.056	0.1	0.066	0.094	0.477	0.188

PHASE 2 SEDIMENT / TAILINGS / WASTE ROCK DATA: ALL SITES

		mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg
		As	Cd	Cr	Cu	Fe	Hg	Mn	Ni	Pb	Zn
Dutch Optimum Value		29	0.8	100	36	-	0.3	-	35	85	140
Dutch Action Value		55	12	380	190	-	10	-	210	530	720
GARRYARD											
	GAR 1	231	46	19	61	28160	<1	775	14	5514	15615
	GAR 2	731	155	93	218	>32000	2	1465	83	16761	>32000
	GAR 4	545	144	22	572	29400	3	1178	75	15444	>32000
	GAR 5	509	122	24	1578	31840	1	1630	62	21784	>32000
	GAR 6	623	87	62	218	23190	2	936	46	17655	23862
	GAR 7	465	61	7	258	13900	<1	727	28	5922	12604
	GAR 10	990	73	<1	118	>32000	2	321	<1	27377	18399
	GAR 12	43	2	26	80	6000	<1	939	17	1854	318
	GAR 9	880	48	<1	54	17960	3	184	<1	<1	<1
GORTMORE TMF											
	GORT 12	10	<1	31	19	8823	<1	630	32	147	117
	GORT 19	395	24	<1	45	>32000	<1	5762	11	6162	6372
	GORT 20	650	36	3	138	>32000	<1	5355	51	8396	11273
	GORT 22a	865	14	<1	260	>32000	<1	427	8	14615	4882
	GORT 22b	790	13	<1	183	>32000	<1	364	4	12276	4135
	GORT 30	835	12	<1	114	>32000	<1	419	<1	11769	2694
	GORT 31	501	19	11	121	25940	1	120	<1	15395	4537
	GORT 32	974	22	<1	144	29880	<1	57	<1	14417	5264
	GORT 33	626	9	3	95	28660	<1	265	<1	8183	1785
	GORT 34	625	10	<1	91	>32000	<1	209	<1	8086	1933
SHALLEE SOUTH											
	SHAL 2	84	3	16	78	6400	<1	1460	27	5681	759
	SHAL 10	46	3	20	107	3306	<1	634	16	7980	902
	SHAL 11	70	1	29	239	5669	<1	339	29	26076	423
	SHAL 12	49	2	32	186	5035	<1	611	37	19507	483
	SHAL 19	545	8	30	51	1773	<1	99	14	7063	95
	SHAL 24	220	10	9	113	6325	<1	1038	28	13658	2041
	SHAL 25	86	1	42	21	3227	<1	892	17	1507	104
	SHAL 26	58	1	31	38	3745	<1	1350	35	3979	171
	SHAL 16	808	10	20	42	1664	<1	45	5	<1	69
	SHAL 17	796	10	14	57	1281	<1	111	16	<1	103
	SHAL 18	475	6	8	45	1734	<1	149	14	1	80
	SHAL 27	111	1	31	30	3520	<1	496	16	<1	95
	SHAL 28	93	1	15	24	3910	<1	361	12	<1	122
	SHAL 32	52	1	19	26	2620	<1	615	23	1	115
	SHAL 33	64	1	25	20	3536	<1	1307	36	1630	114
BALLYGOWN											
	CAL2	235	12	14	42	19790	<1	1975	12	16010	8208
	CAL6	478	13	8	66	28730	<1	1470	<1	>32000	8717
	CAL11	556	76	8	86	31790	<1	2852	10	27940	86
	CAL12	561	82	11	85	>32000	<1	3057	11	>32000	>32000
	CAL14	295	318	6	44	28020	<1	4537	52	>32000	16940
	CAL16	340	180	8	55	29170	<1	2372	57	27080	>32000
	CAL17	168	85	2	75	26370	<1	3389	42	9369	>32000
	CAL18	213	64	4	63	>32000	<1	8290	57	168	12450
	CAL19	26	3	18	32	9720	<1	1064	31	592	1421
SHALLEE WEST											
	SHALW 5	73	1	6	132	8126	<1	1198	15	23535	1401

PHASE 2 WATER CHEMISTRY DATA: BALLYGOWN

Units	Irish Standard S.I. 294	Parameter	CAL1	CAL13	CAL15	CAL 20	CAL 22	CAL 27
su	5.5-8.5	Lab pH	7.10	7.79	7.94	7.86	7.92	7.8
su		Field pH	6.57	7.2	7.74	7.11	7.2	7.2
mg/l		Lab Alk. as CaCO ₃	10	130	100	100	230	64
mg/l		Field Alk. as CaCO ₃	-	160	122	90	244	94
celsius		Temperature	18.5	20.1	13	11.2	11.1	14
microS/cm		Electrical Conductivity	54.5	352	190	195.2	521	235
%			-	91.4	82	90	67.1	80.5
mg/l		Dissolved Oxygen	-	8.9	7.73	9.86	8.08	8.01
mg/l		K	0.3	3.5	1.4	2.1	1.4	1.9
mg/l		Na	9.0	12.3	15.3	20.0	18.0	7.6
mg/l	0.2	NH ₄ -N	1.0	0.8	0.5	<0.2	<0.2	0.005
mg/l	250	Cl	<5	5	7	9	7	15
mg/l	1	F	0.01	0.38	0.03	0.01	0.18	
mg/l	50	NO ₃	<0.3	<0.3	6.2	6.5	7.2	1.4
mg/l	0.66	PO ₄	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	0.027
mg/l	200	SO ₄	<3	65	7	8	30	7.4
mg/l	0.2	Total Al	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.13	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered Al	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	0.05	Total As	0.11	0.07	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.001
mg/l		Filtered As	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.001
mg/l	0.1	Total Ba	0.53	0.13	<0.05	0.05	0.13	0.229
mg/l		Filtered Ba	0.45	0.09	<0.05	<0.05	0.05	0.056
mg/l		Total Be	-	-	-	-	-	<0.001
mg/l		Filtered Be	-	-	-	-	-	<0.001
mg/l		Total B	-	-	-	-	-	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered B	-	-	-	-	-	<0.05
mg/l		Total Ca	5.91	50.40	22.47	28.22	90.88	22.000
mg/l		Filtered Ca	5.62	48.63	22.22	15.66	51.48	21.000
mg/l	0.005	Total Cd	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.000
mg/l		Filtered Cd	<0.00005	0.007	<0.0004	<0.0004	<0.0004	<0.00001
mg/l	0.05	Total Cr	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.002
mg/l		Filtered Cr	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.002
mg/l	0.05	Total Cu	0.11	<0.05	0.14	0.05	0.31	0.011
mg/l		Filtered Cu	<0.05	<0.05	0.06	<0.05	<0.05	<0.001
mg/l		Total Co	-	-	-	-	-	<0.001
mg/l		Filtered Co	-	-	-	-	-	<0.001
mg/l	0.2	Total Fe	5.63	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.095
mg/l		Filtered Fe	0.22	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l		Total Mg	1.60	6.92	7.34	5.54	11.48	5.900
mg/l		Filtered Mg	1.58	5.87	5.01	3.13	6.60	5.500
mg/l	0.05	Total Mn	0.36	0.67	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.054
mg/l		Filtered Mn	0.33	0.53	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.011
mg/l	0.05	Total Ni	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.008
mg/l		Filtered Ni	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.001
mg/l	0.05	Total Pb	0.41	0.11	0.17	<0.05	<0.05	0.254
mg/l		Filtered Pb	0.022	0.007	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.001
mg/l		Total Sn	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered Sn	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.05
mg/l		Total V	0.56	0.25	0.19	0.16	0.16	<0.001
mg/l		Filtered V	0.25	<0.05	0.10	<0.05	0.06	<0.001
mg/l	0.05	Total CN	<0.05	-	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.01
mg/l	0.001	Total Hg	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.0001
mg/l		Filtered Hg	-	<0.00005	<0.00005	<0.00005	<0.00005	<0.0001
mg/l	3	Total Zn	0.90	3.50	0.07	0.07	1.65	0.284
mg/l		Filtered Zn	0.5	2.88	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	0.051
mg/l		Total Sb	-	-	-	-	-	0.008
mg/l		Filtered Sb	-	-	-	-	-	0.006
mg/l		Total U	-	-	-	-	-	<0.001
mg/l		Filtered U	-	-	-	-	-	<0.001

PHASE 2 WATER CHEMISTRY DATA: MAGCOBAR

Units	kish Standard S.I. 29	Parameter	MAG 13	MAG 13	MAG 14	MAG 1
su	5.5-8.5	Lab pH	8.21	7.7	7.4	8.05
su		Field pH	6.9	6.2	6.6	8.04
mg/l		Lab Alk. as CaCO ₃	40	56	193	80
mg/l		Field Alk. as CaCO ₃	25	45	195	60
celsius		Temperature	15.2	14	12	10.1
microS/cm		Electrical Conductivity	913	360	1147	141
%			91.3	83.5	4.3	-
mg/l		Dissolved Oxygen	9.4	8.25	0.46	-
ppm		K	1	1	2.7	0.4
ppm		Na	14.5	5.5	9.1	9.7
ppm	0.2	NH ₄ -N	0.8	<0.003	0.051	<0.2
ppm	250	Cl	14	13	15	<5
ppm	1	F	0.60			<0.01
ppm	50	NO ₃	<0.3	0.2	0.4	<0.3
ppm	0.66	PO ₄	<0.03	0.007	<0.006	<0.03
ppm	200	SO ₄	449	425	380	5
mg/l	0.2	Total Al	0.86	0.310	0.099	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered Al	0.68	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	0.05	Total As	<0.05	0.003	0.005	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered As	<0.05	<0.001	0.003	<0.05
mg/l	0.1	Total Ba	0.11	0.052	0.069	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered Ba	<0.05	<0.05	0.057	<0.05
		Total Be		<0.001	<0.001	
		Filtered Be		<0.001	<0.001	
		Total B		<0.05	0.074	
		Filtered B		<0.05	0.077	
mg/l		Total Ca	145.90	125.000	148.000	21.04
mg/l		Filtered Ca	129.10	112.300	134.800	11.70
mg/l	0.005	Total Cd	<0.05	0.000	0.000	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered Cd	0.007	0.008	<0.0001	<0.0004
mg/l	0.05	Total Cr	<0.05	0.002	0.008	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered Cr	<0.05	<0.001	0.006	<0.05
mg/l	0.05	Total Cu	0.21	0.002	<0.001	0.06
mg/l		Filtered Cu	<0.05	<0.001	<0.001	<0.05
mg/l		Total Co		0.002	0.003	
mg/l		Filtered Co		<0.001	0.002	
mg/l	0.2	Total Fe	1.53	0.721	2.813	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered Fe	<0.05	0.018	0.7509	<0.05
mg/l		Total Mg	109.20	46.800	53.000	4.75
mg/l		Filtered Mg	80.50	42.200	47.100	2.67

PHASE 2 WATER CHEMISTRY DATA: GARRYARD

Units	Irish Standard S.I. 294	Parameter	GAR 13	GAR 13	GAR 15	GAR 15
su	5.5-8.5	Lab pH	7.4	8.50	8.08	7.1
su		Field pH	6.85		6.3	
mg/l		Lab Alk. as CaCO ₃	206	250	240	134
mg/l		Field Alk. as CaCO ₃		270		
celsius		Temperature	10.6		14.8	
microS/cm		Electrical Conductivity	981		787	
%			49.5		81.4	
mg/l		Dissolved Oxygen	4.97		7.76	
mg/l		K	1.3	1	1	0.7
mg/l		Na	8.3	17.5	17.5	8.3
mg/l	0.2	NH ₄ -N	0.009	0.8	0.9	0.15
mg/l	250	Cl	17	21	20	17
mg/l	1	F		0.34	0.01	
mg/l	50	NO ₃	0.9	3.7	1.6	0.4
mg/l	0.66	PO ₄	<0.006	<0.03	<0.03	<0.006
mg/l	200	SO ₄	313	286	357	422
mg/l	0.2	Total Al	<0.05	1.54	0.68	0.175
mg/l		Filtered Al	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.190
mg/l	0.05	Total As	<0.001	0.05	<0.05	0.017
mg/l		Filtered As	<0.001	<0.05	<0.05	0.002
mg/l	0.1	Total Ba	<0.05	<0.05	0.19	0.069
mg/l		Filtered Ba	<0.05	<0.05	0.06	0.068
mg/l		Total Be	<0.001	-	-	<0.001
mg/l		Filtered Be	<0.001	-	-	<0.001
mg/l		Total B	<0.05	-	-	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered B	<0.05	-	-	<0.05
mg/l		Total Ca	162.000	185.90	210.30	185.000
mg/l		Filtered Ca	144.700	180.80	186.10	161.600
mg/l	0.005	Total Cd	0.000	<0.05	<0.05	0.000
mg/l		Filtered Cd	0.007	0.006	0.012	0.014
mg/l	0.05	Total Cr	0.009	<0.05	<0.05	0.008
mg/l		Filtered Cr	0.006	<0.05	<0.05	0.005
mg/l	0.05	Total Cu	0.002	0.12	0.37	0.015
mg/l		Filtered Cu	<0.001	<0.05	0.22	0.003
mg/l		Total Co	<0.001	-	-	0.004
mg/l		Filtered Co	<0.001	-	-	0.004
mg/l	0.2	Total Fe	0.4809	6.03	28.19	28.459
mg/l		Filtered Fe	0.195	<0.05	11.71	9.2675
mg/l		Total Mg	32.800	65.29	59.49	28.700
mg/l		Filtered Mg	30.200	63.26	56.21	25.400
mg/l	0.05	Total Mn	0.138	0.11	0.71	0.690
mg/l		Filtered Mn	0.1473	<0.05	0.58	0.605
mg/l	0.05	Total Ni	0.008	0.06	0.08	0.0629
mg/l		Filtered Ni	0.007	<0.05	<0.05	0.038
mg/l	0.05	Total Pb	0.011	<0.05	0.32	0.192
mg/l		Filtered Pb	<0.001	<0.005	<0.005	0.003
mg/l		Total Sn	<0.05	<0.5	<0.5	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered Sn	<0.05	<0.5	<0.5	<0.05

PHASE 2 WATER CHEMISTRY DATA:SHALLEE EAST / SOUTH

Units	Irish Standard S.I. 294	Parameter	SHAL 4	SHAL 6	SHAL 7	SHAL 20	SHAL 34
su	5.5-8.5	Lab pH	6.87	6.32	7.86	7.90	7.7
su		Field pH	5.83	6.82	6.73	6.82	6.5
mg/l		Lab Alk. as CaCO ₃	20	10	60	70	40
mg/l		Field Alk. as CaCO ₃	60		32	56	51
celsius		Temperature	11.6	9.4	8.7	10.1	13
microS/cm		Electrical Conductivity	62.8	36.3	129.6	140.4	149
%			9.9	100	97.1	98.9	93.3
mg/l		Dissolved Oxygen	9.7	11.06	10.84	10.35	9.02
mg/l		K	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.6
mg/l		Na	14.8	13.3	13.5	15.3	5.9
mg/l	0.2	NH ₄ -N	0.6	1.1	0.6	0.6	<0.003
mg/l	250	Cl	8	7	7	11	12
mg/l	1	F	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	
mg/l	50	NO ₃	<0.3	<0.3	0.8	0.6	0.3
mg/l	0.66	PO ₄	<0.03	<0.03	<0.03	0.03	<0.006
mg/l	200	SO ₄	8	4	11	12	13.5
mg/l	0.2	Total Al	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.787
mg/l		Filtered Al	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	0.05	Total As	0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.001
mg/l		Filtered As	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.001
mg/l	0.1	Total Ba	0.22	0.22	0.26	0.26	0.059
mg/l		Filtered Ba	0.11	0.10	0.16	0.19	0.211
mg/l		Total Be	-	-	-	-	<0.001
mg/l		Filtered Be	-	-	-	-	<0.001
mg/l		Total B	-	-	-	-	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered B	-	-	-	-	<0.05
mg/l		Total Ca	3.41	1.01	15.89	19.34	16.000
mg/l		Filtered Ca	1.95	0.09	10.76	16.31	15.600
mg/l	0.005	Total Cd	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	2.00E-07
mg/l		Filtered Cd	<0.0004	<0.0004	<0.0004	<0.0004	0.001
mg/l	0.05	Total Cr	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.003
mg/l		Filtered Cr	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.002
mg/l	0.05	Total Cu	<0.05	0.06	0.08	0.20	0.002
mg/l		Filtered Cu	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.009
mg/l		Total Co	-	-	-	-	<0.001
mg/l		Filtered Co	-	-	-	-	<0.001
mg/l	0.2	Total Fe	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.0857
mg/l		Filtered Fe	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.058
mg/l		Total Mg	1.07	0.64	3.16	4.09	4.500
mg/l		Filtered Mg	0.76	0.42	2.71	3.77	4.000
mg/l	0.05	Total Mn	0.10	0.13	0.23	0.16	0.0294
mg/l		Filtered Mn	<0.05	<0.05	0.13	0.08	0.051
mg/l	0.05	Total Ni	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.001
mg/l		Filtered Ni	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.008
mg/l	0.05	Total Pb	0.91	0.23	0.11	0.10	0.007
mg/l		Filtered Pb	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	0.17
mg/l		Total Sn	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered Sn	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.05
mg/l		Total V	<0.05	0.15	<0.05	<0.05	<0.001
mg/l		Filtered V	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.001
mg/l	0.05	Total CN	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.01
mg/l	0.001	Total Hg	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.0001
mg/l		Filtered Hg	<0.00005	<0.00005	<0.00005	<0.00005	<0.0001
mg/l	3	Total Zn	0.14	<0.05	0.37	0.25	0.194
mg/l		Filtered Zn	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	0.322
mg/l		Total Sb	-	-	-	-	0.005
mg/l		Filtered Sb	-	-	-	-	0.007
mg/l		Total U	-	-	-	-	<0.001
mg/l		Filtered U	-	-	-	-	<0.001
mg/l		Total Ti	-	-	-	-	<0.001
mg/l		Filtered Ti	-	-	-	-	<0.001

PHASE 2 WATER CHEMISTRY DATA: SHALLEE WEST

Units	Irish Standard S.I. 294	Parameter	SHALW 1	SHALW 8
su	5.5-8.5	Lab pH	7.64	7.49
su		Field pH	7.26	6.94
mg/l		Lab Alk. as CaCO ₃	70	40
mg/l		Field Alk. as CaCO ₃	-	80
celsius		Temperature	-	11
microS/cm		Electrical Conductivity	80.9	80
%			-	89.8
mg/l		Dissolved Oxygen	-	9.76
mg/l		K	0.6	0.3
mg/l		Na	15	13.3
mg/l	0.2	NH ₄ -N	<0.2	<0.2
mg/l	250	Cl	16	14
mg/l	1	F	0.08	0.01
mg/l	50	NO ₃	1.4	0.5
mg/l	0.66	PO ₄	0.04	0.03
mg/l	200	SO ₄	9	7
mg/l	0.2	Total Al	0.63	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered Al	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	0.05	Total As	0.08	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered As	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	0.1	Total Ba	0.29	0.28
mg/l		Filtered Ba	0.19	<0.05
mg/l		Total Ca	1.81	6.49
mg/l		Filtered Ca	1.76	<0.05
mg/l	0.005	Total Cd	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered Cd	<0.0004	<0.0004
mg/l	0.05	Total Cr	0.05	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered Cr	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	0.05	Total Cu	0.25	0.15
mg/l		Filtered Cu	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	0.2	Total Fe	0.12	0.33
mg/l		Filtered Fe	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l		Total Mg	1.29	1.91
mg/l		Filtered Mg	1.14	<0.05
mg/l	0.05	Total Mn	0.93	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered Mn	0.82	<0.05
mg/l	0.05	Total Ni	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered Ni	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	0.05	Total Pb	1.00	0.14
mg/l		Filtered Pb	0.072	0.005
mg/l		Total Sn	<0.5	<0.5
mg/l		Filtered Sn	<0.5	<0.5
mg/l		Total V	0.73	0.55
mg/l		Filtered V	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	0.05	Total CN	<0.05	
mg/l	0.001	Total Hg	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered Hg	<0.00005	<0.00005
mg/l	3	Total Zn	0.12	0.06
mg/l		Filtered Zn	0.04	0.011

PHASE 2 WATER CHEMISTRY DATA: GORTMORE

Units	Standard	Parameter	GORT 10	GORT 11	GORT 35	GORT 37	GORT 38
su	5.5-8.5	Lab pH	7.38	7.80	7.49	7.34	6.84
su		Field pH	6.9	7.8	7.4	7.84	6.4
mg/l		Lab Alk. as CaCO ₃	290	110	170	110	90
mg/l		Field Alk. as CaCO ₃	310	91	190	85	52
celsius		Temperature	11.9	11.1	13.2	10.9	
microS/cm		Electrical Conductivity	1659	238	383	259	813
%			56.1	77.2	92	89	89.2
mg/l		Dissolved Oxygen	5.1	8.54	9.26	9.68	10.13
mg/l		K	7.5	2.0	3.2	7.5	5.6
mg/l		Na	24.5	16.5	18.3	16.8	20
mg/l	0.2	NH ₄ -N	<0.2	<0.2	0.2	<0.2	0.4
mg/l	250	Cl	63	28	65	54	25
mg/l	1	F	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	<0.01	1.40
mg/l	50	NO ₃	<0.3	22.4	25.3	22.5	<0.3
mg/l	0.66	PO ₄	0.07	0.06	0.25	1.08	<0.03
mg/l	200	SO ₄	870	8	8	11	1272
		Sulphide	-	-	-	-	0.02
mg/l	0.2	Total Al	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.46
mg/l		Filtered Al	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.19
mg/l	0.05	Total As	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered As	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	0.1	Total Ba	0.13	0.19	0.26	0.12	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered Ba	0.12	0.14	0.22	0.11	<0.05
mg/l		Total Ca	243.50	35.54	60.73	30.37	255.50
mg/l		Filtered Ca	243.20	31.48	58.18	30.03	236.50
mg/l	0.005	Total Cd	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered Cd	<0.0004	<0.0004	<0.0004	<0.0004	0.012
mg/l	0.05	Total Cr	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered Cr	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	0.05	Total Cu	<0.05	<0.05	0.16	0.07	0.05
mg/l		Filtered Cu	<0.05	<0.05	0.09	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	0.2	Total Fe	0.16	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	5.26
mg/l		Filtered Fe	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	2.34
mg/l		Total Mg	270.50	5.11	5.55	4.19	174.30
mg/l		Filtered Mg	<0.05	4.06	5.13	4.00	163.60
mg/l	0.05	Total Mn	1.00	<0.05	0.07	0.05	2.60
mg/l		Filtered Mn	0.97	<0.05	<0.05	0.05	2.41
mg/l	0.05	Total Ni	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.13
mg/l		Filtered Ni	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	0.11
mg/l	0.05	Total Pb	0.14	<0.05	0.10	0.05	
mg/l		Filtered Pb	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	<0.005	0.033
mg/l		Total Sn	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5
mg/l		Filtered Sn	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5	<0.5
mg/l		Total V	0.26	0.29	0.58	0.46	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered V	<0.05	0.15	0.13	0.06	<0.05
mg/l	0.05	Total CN	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l	0.001	Total Hg	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05	<0.05
mg/l		Filtered Hg	<0.00005	<0.00005	<0.00005	<0.00005	0.00018
mg/l	3	Total Zn	0.37	0.09	0.06	<0.05	6.07
mg/l		Filtered Zn	0.3	<0.005	<0.005	0.038	3.378

PHASE 2 EXTRACTION DATA: BALLYGOWN

Sample	Extractant	Metal Fraction	As	Cd	Cr	Cu	Fe	Mn	Ni	Pb	Zn	Hg
			mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg
CAL 14	MgCl ₂	Exchangeable		18.48				8.32		144.24	179.2	0.01
CAL 14	NaOAc	Bound to carbonates	3.28	54.48		12.56		345.12	7.12	11312	4518.4	
CAL 14	NH ₂ OH	Bound to Fe-Mn oxides		261.8			8000	3440	42.6	12334	11460	
CAL 14	H ₂ O ₂	Residual metals		11.8			1507.8	11		1101	2566	
CAL 2	MgCl ₂	Exchangeable		2.64				25.44		225.76	137.76	0.001
CAL 2	NaOAc	Bound to carbonates		1.04	4.8	0.64	8.24	138.88		1700.8	389.2	
CAL 2	NH ₂ OH	Bound to Fe-Mn oxides				1.4	7408	611.6	3.6	1870.8	978.8	0.001
CAL 2	H ₂ O ₂	Residual metals		4.8				96	2		260.8	203
CAL 18	MgCl ₂	Exchangeable	1.84	18.32				4		217.04	347.6	0.0038
CAL 18	NaOAc	Bound to carbonates		34.88		0.56		236.32	9.6	6092	5856	
CAL 18	NH ₂ OH	Bound to Fe-Mn oxides		180			7406	6654	46.8	13468	13772	
CAL 18	H ₂ O ₂	Residual metals	17	10.2		1.4	295.8	103.4		651.6	4378	

PHASE 2 EXTRACTION DATA: GARRYARD

PHASE 2 EXTRACTION DATA: SHALLEE EAST / SOUTH

			As	Cd	Cr	Cu	Fe	Mn	Ni	Pb	Zn	Hg
Sample	Extractant	Metal Fraction	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg
SHAL 27	MgCl ₂	Exchangeable	1.12					66.48		2102.4	20.88	0.001
SHAL 27	NaOAc	Bound to carbonates	4.24		11.92	8.08	242.88	198.64	0.4	1680	32.56	
SHAL 27	NH ₂ OH	Bound to Fe-Mn oxides	31.8		13.8	20.2	4328	259.6	7.2	1850	136.2	
SHAL 27	H ₂ O ₂	Residual metals	5.8			37	584.6	46.8		128.4	28.4	
SHAL 28	MgCl ₂	Exchangeable	5.6			1.76		126.32		3003.2	8.56	
SHAL 28	NaOAc	Bound to carbonates	4.88		13.76	8.08	138.64	104.96	1.52	353.6	6.24	
SHAL 28	NH ₂ OH	Bound to Fe-Mn oxides			44.2	1.4	4880	178	16.2	601.6	100.6	
SHAL 28	H ₂ O ₂	Calculated Residual				3		13		97.8	25	

PHASE 2 EXTRACTION DATA: SHALLEE WEST

			As mg/kg	Cd mg/kg	Cr mg/kg	Cu mg/kg	Fe mg/kg	Mn mg/kg	Ni mg/kg	Pb mg/kg	Zn mg/kg	Hg mg/kg
Sample	Extractant	Metal Fraction										
SHALW 5	MgCl ₂	Exchangeable				4.16		73.68		8288	28.4	
SHALW 5	NaOAc	Bound to carbonates	1.12				24.88	69.2		7259.2	14.56	
SHALW 5	NH ₂ OH	Bound to Fe-Mn oxides			7	50.4	7722	2076		4302	86.4	
SHALW 5	H ₂ O ₂	Residual metals				94	63.6	66.6		548.4	40.6	

PHASE 2 EXTRACTION DATA: GORTMORE TMF

			As	Cd	Cr	Cu	Fe	Mn	Ni	Pb	Zn	Hg
Sample	Extractant	Metal Fraction	mg/kg	mg/kg	mg/kg							
GORT20	MgCl ₂	Exchangeable	2.08	7.6		1.76		19.12		43.36	37.76	
GORT20	NaOAc	Bound to carbonates		7.52		18.32	98.24	486		2616	846.4	
GORT20	NH ₂ OH	Bound to Fe-Mn oxides					7168	3754		4424	1636	
GORT20	H ₂ O ₂	Residual metals					8386	90.4		26	101.2	
GORT22a	MgCl ₂	Exchangeable				7.2	31.76	27.44		257.52	109.04	
GORT22a	NaOAc	Bound to carbonates				2.4				10.96	4.32	
GORT22a	NH ₂ OH	Bound to Fe-Mn oxides				56.8	6516	68.6		305.8	593	0.0016
GORT22a	H ₂ O ₂	Residual metals				10.4				129	460.8	

FIELD CHEMISTRY AND PASTE VALUES: BALLYGOWN

Water Chemistry	pH	T	EC	DO		Eh	Alk.	Acidity
Site ID	su	celsius	microS/cm	%	mg/l		CaCO3	CaCO3
CAL 1	6.57	-	54.5	-	-		-	-
CAL 4	6.4		130					
CAL 13	7.2	20.1	352	91.4	8.9	75	160	
CAL 15	7.74	13	190	82	7.73		122	
CAL 22	7.2	11.1	521	67.1	8.08	-	244	190
CAL 23	7.58	11.6	322	98.1	10.95	-	146	84
CAL 27	7.2	14	235	80.5	8.01	194	94	76
CAL 20	7.11	11.2	195.2	90	9.86		90	
CAL 21	7.59	11.4	257	9.16	80.5		74	

Paste pH and EC	pH	EC
Site ID	su	microS/cm
CAL 2	7.08	17
CAL 5	6.83	23.3
CAL 6	6.8	26.2
CAL 7	6.8	12
CAL 8	6.9	70
CAL 9	7.3	61
CAL 10	3.17	965
CAL 11	6.4	55
CAL 12	6.5	36.6
CAL 14	7.7	61.2
CAL 16	7.3	44
CAL 17	7.2	14.8
CAL 18	7.4	19

FIELD CHEMISTRY AND PASTE VALUES: MAGCOBAR

Water Chemistry	pH	T	EC	DO		Alk.	Acidity
Site ID	su	celsius	microS/cm	%	mg/l	CaCO3	CaCO3
MAG 1	8.04	10.1	141	-	-	60	36
MAG 2	8	12.4	150	98.1	10.1	99	30
MAG 3	7.9	12.1	160				
MAG 13	6.2	15.2	913	91.3	9.4	45	35
Mag 13 (R)	6.9	14	360	83.5	8.25	25	22
MAG 14	6.6	12	1147	4.3	0.46	195	110
MAG 17	4.2	16.3	1167	96.3	9.55	0	37
MAG 20	8.16	-	389	120	10.1	155	58

Paste pH and EC	pH	EC
Site ID	su	microS/cm
MAG 5	7.84	201
MAG 6	7.8	180
MAG 8	8.25	29
MAG 9	5.3	750
MAG 10	8.1	37
MAG 11	3.18	1281
MAG 12	1.6	14800
MAG 15	7.85	81.3
MAG 16	3.9	230
MAG 18	6.7	308

FIELD CHEMISTRY AND PASTE VALUES: GARRYARD

Water Chemistry

	pH	T	EC	DO		Alk.	Acidity
Site ID	su	celsius	microS/cm	%	mg/l	CaCO3	CaCO3
GAR 13	6.2	19.9	410	49.5	4.97	251	150
GAR 16	7.24	13.3	908	76.6	8.31	148	92
GAR 18	8.3	19.3	1033	104.7	9.58	230	82
SHAL 23	7.56	11.8	780	106.9	11.4	23	75
GAR 15	6.3	14.8	787	81.4	7.76	215	152

Paste pH and EC	pH	EC
Site ID	su	microS/cm
GAR 1		
GAR 2	6.6	183
GAR 3	6	1800
GAR 4	6.38	793
GAR 7	6.9	79
GAR 9	2.5	1430
GAR 10	4.59	2340
GAR 14	6.14	1736
GAR 15	3.62	942
GAR 17	7.9	108

FIELD CHEMISTRY AND PASTE VALUES: SHALLEE SOUTH / EAST

Water Chemistry	pH	T	EC	DO		Alk.	Acidity
Site ID	su	celsius	microS/cm	%	mg/l	CaCO3	CaCO3
SHAL 4	5.83	11.6	62.8	90.9	9.7	60	38
SHAL 6	6.82	9.4	36.3	100	11.06	-	-
SHAL 7	6.73	8.7	129.6	97.1	10.84	32	20
SHAL 13	6.92	12.2	96.3	103.7	10.71	68	24
SHAL 14	6.98	11.1	105	109.3	11.58	35	15
SHAL 15	6.82	10.3	121.4	97.3	10.43	46	63
SHAL 20	6.82	10.1	140.4	98.9	10.35	56	65
SHAL 21	7.54	11.2	725	87.6	9.15	306	152
SHAL 22	7.93	11.3	114.9	105	11.22	75	19
SHAL 23	7.56	11.8	780	106.9	11.4	23	75
SHAL 34	6.5	13	149	93.3	9.02	51	48

Paste pH and EC	pH	EC
Site ID	su	microS/cm
SHAL 1	7.47	17
SHAL 3	2.69	293
SHAL 5	5.86	20
SHAL 8	2.5	2065
SHAL 9	3.96	26.5
SHAL 11	5.73	15.3
SHAL 12	5.59	12.9
SHAL 16	7.34	11.6
SHAL 17	6.27	15.6
SHAL 18	6.33	4.5
SHAL 19	6.11	6.9
SHAL 25	7.79	7.4
SHAL 26	7	25
SHAL 27	5.03	14.4
SHAL 28	7.57	22.5

FIELD CHEMISTRY AND PASTE VALUES: SHALLEE WEST

Water Chemistry							
	pH	T	EC	DO		Alk.	Acidity
Site ID	su	celsius	microS/cm	%	mg/l	CaCO3	CaCO3
SHALW 1	7.26	-	80.9	-	-	-	-
SHALW 8	6.94	11	80	89.8	9.76	80	12

Paste pH and EC		
	pH	EC
Site ID	su	microS/cm
SHALW 2	5.19	18.4
SHALW 3	4.82	26.6
SHALW 4	5.35	16.7
SHALW 6	5.6	9.4

FIELD CHEMISTRY AND PASTE VALUES: GORTMORE

Water Chemistry	pH	T	EC	DO		Alk.	Acidity
Site ID	su	celsius	microS/cm	%	mg/l	CaCO3	CaCO3
GORT 10	6.9	11.9	1659	56.1	5.1	310	230
GORT 11	7.8	11.1	238	77.2	8.54	91	52
GORT 23	3.2	14	1520	98	9.94	0	190
GORT 35	7.4	13.2	383	92	9.26	190	150
GORT 36	7.47	-	1165	60.7	6.59	274	240
GORT 37	7.84	10.9	259	89	9.68	85	110

Paste pH and EC	pH	EC
Site ID	su	microS/cm
GORT 1	2.7	2500
GORT 2	2.9	1900
GORT 3	6.3	330
GORT 4	3.3	786
GORT 5	3.5	424
GORT 6	6.4	134
GORT 7	7.1	350
GORT 8	2.9	1546
GORT 9	3.4	475
GORT 13	6	2000
GORT 14	6.3	1565
GORT 15	2.9	1110
GORT 16	2.67	1401
GORT 17	6.06	230
GORT 18	6.7	123
GORT 19	6.8	1390
GORT 20	7.1	537
GORT 21	3.16	1118
GORT 22A	3.46	428
GORT 22B	3.09	1850
GORT 25	3.4	437
GORT 26	3.28	805
GORT 27	3	1370
GORT 28	6.3	460
GORT 29	2.7	1418
GORT 31	2.9	1040
GORT 32	2.49	3200

APPENDIX B

INVENTORY OF SURFACE STRUCTURES

INVENTORY OF MINE SURFACE STRUCTURES**BALLYGOWN (Fig.3.1)**

	DESCRIPTION	DETAILS
BUILDINGS, etc.	Old Engine House	mid-19th century Historic stone structure
	Old Furnace Building	Historic stone walls circa 1860
	Waeltz Plant	Empty concrete and asbestos buildings, circa 1950s
	Silvermines Cottage	De Stafort Family home
	Village trail	Footpath beside Silvermines Stream
MINES	Two old opencast areas	Small flooded pit in area of public access
	Old sulphur mine opencast	Long depression beside Silvermines Fault
WASTE DUMPS	Small deposits over entire Ballygown	Known locally as 'Red Hill Dumps'
SHAFTS	Drainage adit and adit shafts	
	Chapel Field Shaft	
	Engine Shaft	
	Twin Shaft	
	Russell Shaft	1951
	Wrights Shaft	
	Stream Shaft	
	'A' Shaft	
	'B' Shaft	
	Rockgate Shaft	
	Sulphur Shaft	
	Stone Shaft	
	14 unnamed shafts	
WATER	Silvermines Stream	
	Drain from old sulphur mine	

MAGCOBAR (Fig.3.2)

	DESCRIPTION	DETAILS
BUILDINGS	Crusher plant	Steel structure beside pit
	Bins	At crusher
	Workshop building	Good condition steel frame, steel clad
	Diesel tank	
	Office	Poor condition pre-fab
	Foundations of old mine buildings	Circa 18 th Century
MINES	Mine pit and pit lake	Fenced
	Indications of previous historic lead mines	
	Small sinkhole near entrance	Considered natural, but triggered by mine dewatering
WASTE DUMPS	Waste dumps A, B, C, D and E	Material being taken from toe of dump A
	Limestone stockpiles	Near crusher and also south of pit
SHAFTS	Four from previous mining	No surface indication seen.
WATER	Pit lagoon	
	Concrete diversion channel	Around pit, in good order
	Diversion trenches	Upstream of dumps
	Streams though waste dumps	

GARRYARD (Fig.3.3)

	DESCRIPTION	DETAILS
BUILDINGS/PLANT	General	Taken over by transport depot
	Hoist and office building	In use (see above)
	Concentrator building	In use
	Thickener tanks	
	Concentrate loader	On rail siding
	Two old cottage buildings	Pre-dating the mine
	Garryard bunkhouse	Owned by farmer, derelict, roofless
	Other small buildings	
	Paved areas	Hard standing being extended
	Rail siding	In good order, used for railtruck parking
	Garryard Tailings Lagoon	Sold to farmer, receives udgd water
	Garryard Settlement Pond	Receives run-off from plant area
MINES		Garryard workings entirely udgd
WASTE DUMPS	Old Stockpile	Residue of plant waste materials
	Tailings Lagoon	Deposits of plant residues
SHAFTS	Main Shaft	At Hoist in plant
	Eight unnamed	
WATER	Settlement Ponds	
	Tailings lagoon	
	Drains from plant area to Lagoon	Shaft overflow & plant discharge
	Diversion channel along main road	To prevent run-off entering plant
SUBSIDENCE	Subsidence area on Silvermines Fault	Caused by shallow open stopes
	Sinkhole East	Group of three sinkholes
	Sinkhole West	The deepest sinkhole

GORTEENADIHA (Fig.3.3)

	DESCRIPTION	DETAILS
BUILDINGS	Small concrete magazine	Intact
	Concrete columns of small building	Soldier accommodation
	Old hand-dressing area	Historically important
MINES	Shallow open workings	
	Minor underground workings	No plans, position inferred
WASTE DUMPS	Small waste piles	
SHAFTS	Six in area	
WATER	Natural drainage only	

SHALLEE S/E (Fig.3.4)(a)

	DESCRIPTION	DETAILS
BUILDINGS	Beam engine house	Historic, mid-19 th century
	Captain King's house	Historic, mid-19 th century
	Core sheds	
	Processing plant site	1950s, various plant bases
	Main engine shaft	
	Mine office	
	Chemical store	
	Laboratory	
	Explosives store	
MINES	Rich quarry	
	No.1 Quarry	
	No. 2 Quarry	
	Old open stopes	
WASTE DUMPS	"Drum Dump"	Miscellaneous process waste, many drums
	Small spoil piles from workings	
	Tailings impoundments	North and south of main road
SHAFTS/ADITS	Three unnamed shafts	
	Whim Shaft	
	King Shaft	
	Field Shaft	Flooded source of streamflow
	Engine Shaft	
	Main adit	Near plant
WATER	Reservoir	
	Flooded workings	
	Stream beside tailings impoundment	Believed from udgd workings
	Upslope cut-off drain	

SHALLE WEST (Fig 3.4)(b)

	DESCRIPTION	DETAILS
MINES	Linear open pits to depth of 10-15m	Lower pits surrounded by electric fence
WASTE DUMPS	Waste material adjacent to pits	Unvegetated waste
WATER	Some accumulation at base of some pits	Some ferruginous staining
BUILDINGS	Store ruins nearby	Uncertain origin, possibly mine related

GORTMORE TMF (Fig.3.5)

	DESCRIPTION	DETAILS
WASTE DUMPS	Tailings impoundment	
WATER	Lake on surface of impoundment	
	Decant channel on surface	
	Small decant pond and decant tower	
	Three Retention Ponds	
	Discharge channel to river	

APPENDIX C

PHOTOGRAPHIC RECORD

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The photographs are intended to provide a visual record of the important features of the study area at the present time. The Plate numbers have been selected to give an indication of the contents as follows:

AREA	FIRST NUMBER
GENERAL	0
BALLYGOWN	1
MAGCOBAR	2
GARRYARD	3
GORTEENADIHA	4
SHALLEE EAST/WEST	5
GORTMORE	6

TYPE OF FEATURE	SECOND NUMBER
GENERAL VIEWS	0
MINE WORKINGS	1
SHAFTS AND SUBSIDENCE	2
DUMPS	3
STREAMS AND LAGOONS	4
BUILDINGS AND ROADS	5

Thus Plate 2.1.2 will be the second photograph of the mine workings at Magcobar.



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Adit or Short Mine Burrow at Sulphur Mine



Area Downslope of Sulphur Mine Looking North

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Open Shaft at Sulphur Mine



Open Shaft on Drainage Adit Near Silvermines Village

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Shallow Mine Spoil at Ballygown

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Footpath Developed in the Ballygown Mining Area

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General View of Magcobar Mine Area

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Old copper mine adit and waste below dump A



Old copper mine building remains below dump C

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Small Sinkhole near Entrance from Main Road

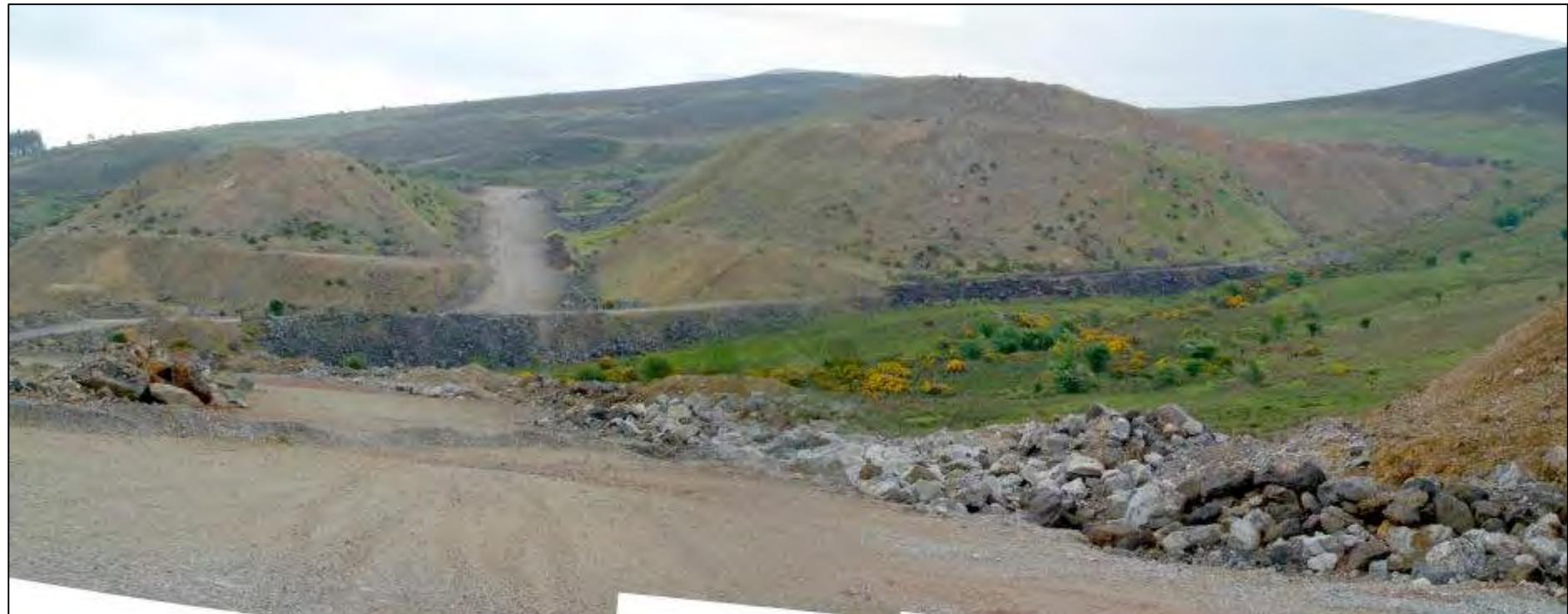
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Magcobar Dumps B & C

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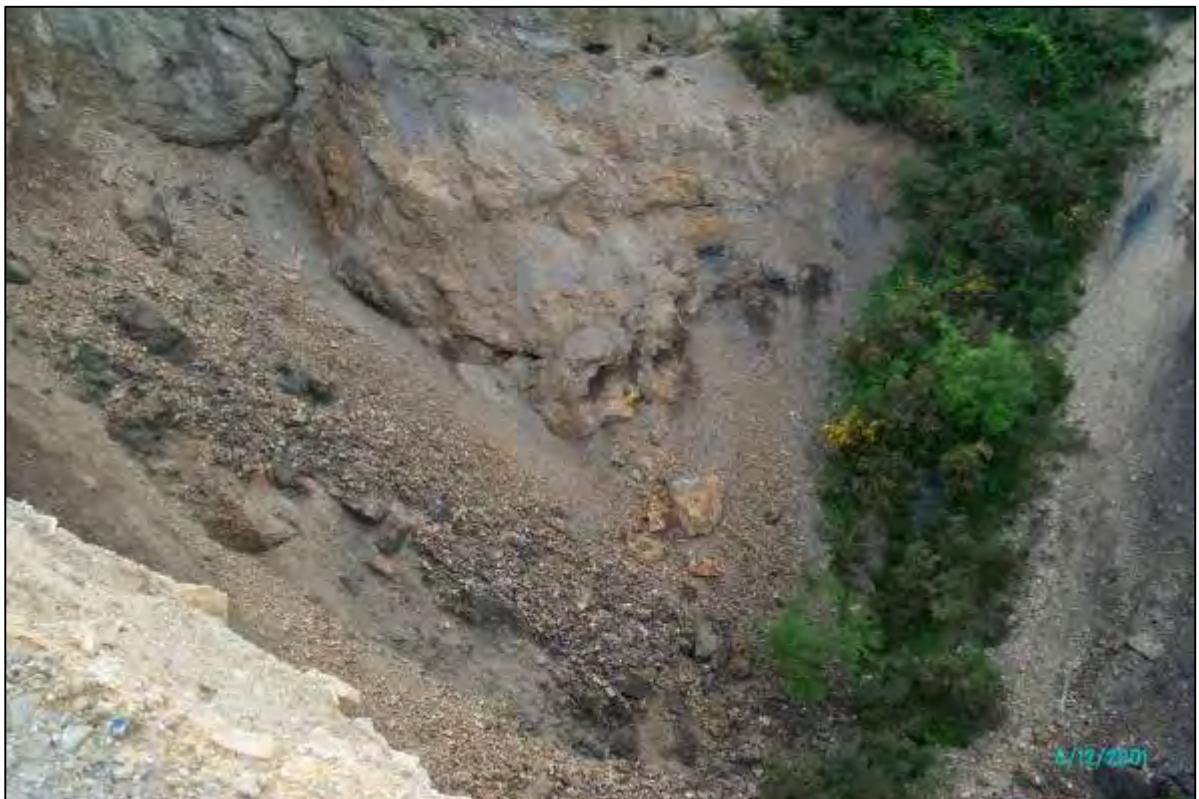


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The entire area has experienced movement

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Shaft cap on Mogul vent shaft north east of western subsidence zone



The cap of Knight Shaft, the main Mogul Shaft, next to Garryard Hoist Building.
The pipe is to drain overflowing water.

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North-west Corner Adjacent to Road and Water Course



Upper surface

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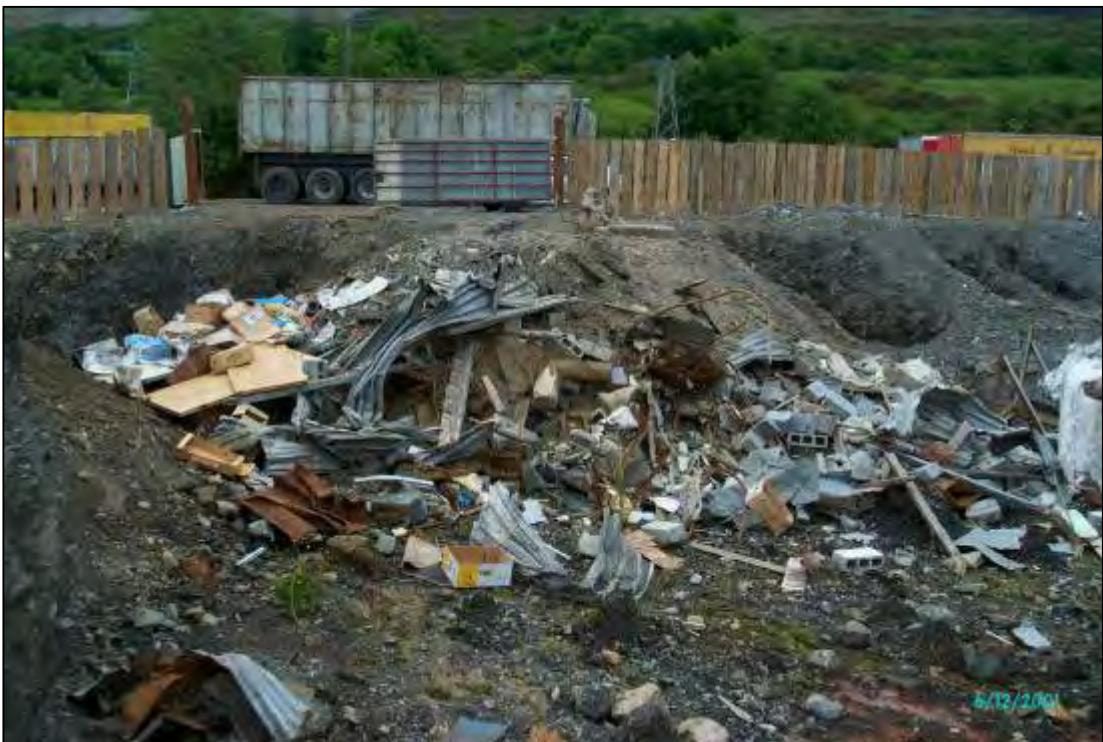
View of Tailings Lagoon from the South

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Extension of Hard Standing Towards Settlement Pond by Placement of Waste Materials.



Sampling at the Tailings Lagoon Outlet Pipe.

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Pond and Lagoon Areas

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Pair of Old Cottages Near Entrance to Plant



Thickener Tanks

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Concentrator building in foreground; grey central building is offices, core shed and hoist building

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View Looking North-west Over Area of
Surface Workings and Dumps

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View to South Showing Surface Workings

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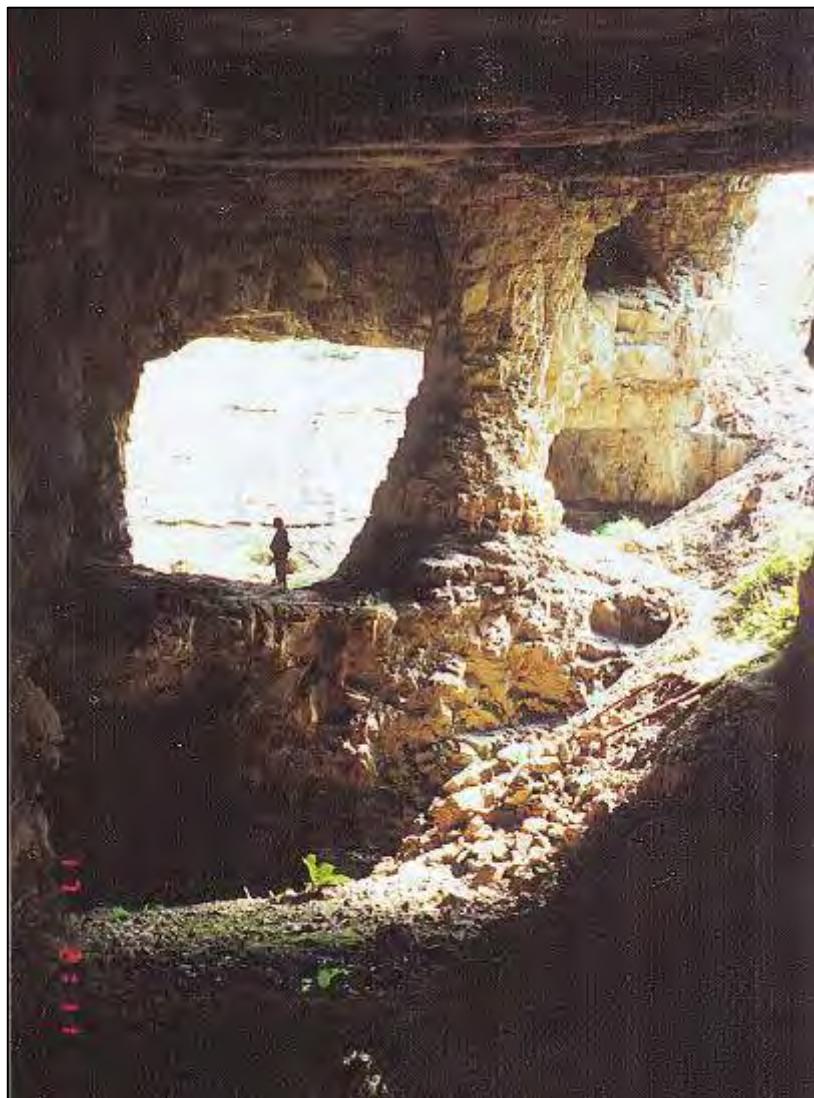
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View of "Cathedral Cavern"

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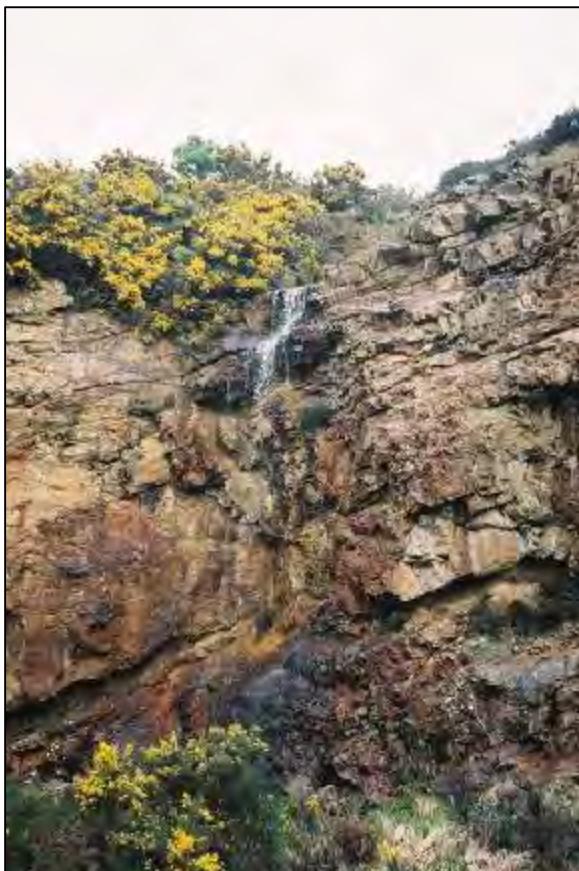
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Lagoon in small opencast area near plant



Waterfall entering main opencast area

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Believed to be Water from the Underground Workings Running from an Old Shaft

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View of South-central Section of Tailings Dam,
with Vegetation Typical of Most of Upper Surface

Plate 6.3.2



Partially Vegetated Outer Slope on South Side, with Indications of Wind Erosion



Typical Sparse Vegetation Near Crest of Slope

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The Retention Ponds at the East End of the Tailings Dam



Kilmastulla River in Diversion alongside tailings dam

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