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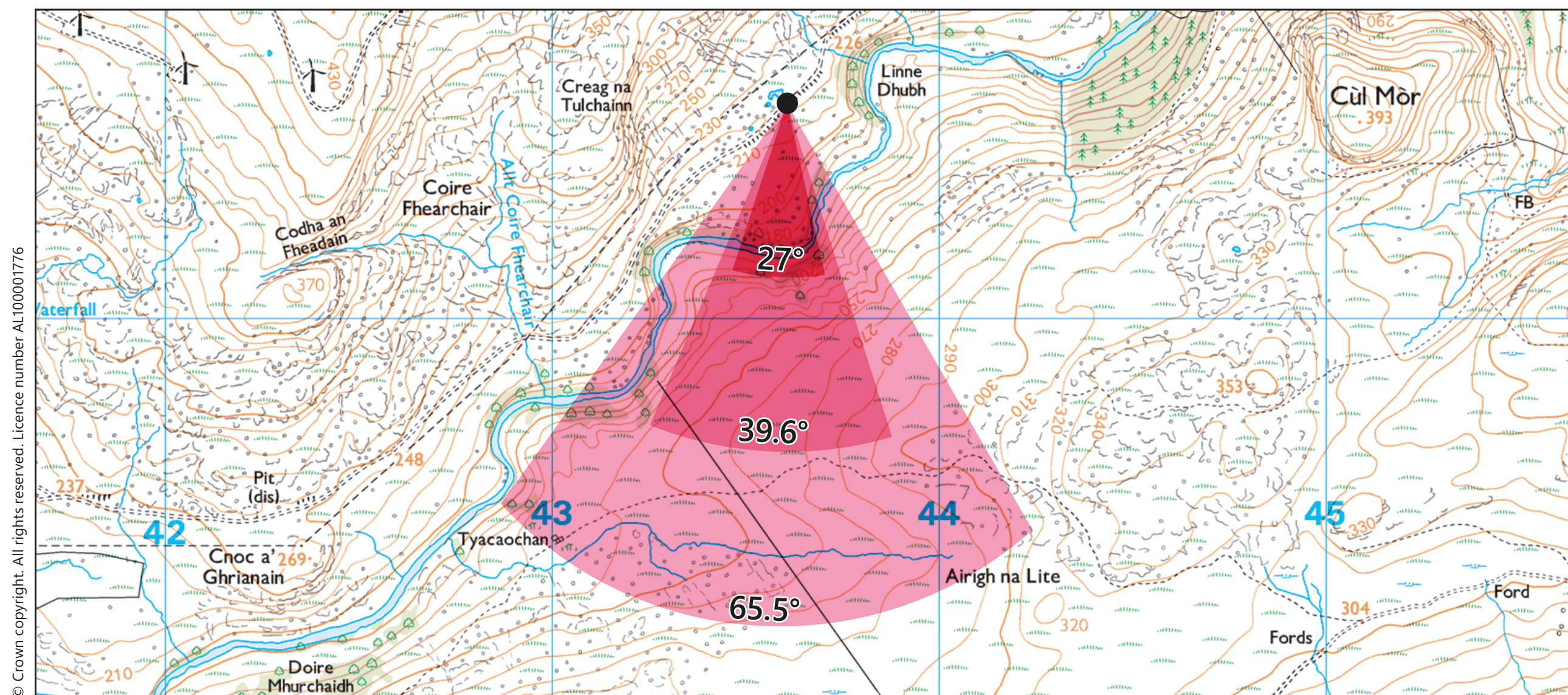
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Figure 6.18i - Viewpoint 1: Core Path RC30.01 to Orrin Dam:



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Grid Reference: 243569, 851502

Distance to nearest turbine: 3,624m

AOD: 230m

This viewpoint is located on Core Path RC30.01 which runs from Fairburn Estate to Orrin Dam at the eastern edge of Orrin Reservoir. The route follows the River Orrin on a slightly elevated path traversing undulating landform to the north of the river.

Extent of 50mm single frame



Photomontage

Figure 6.18j
Core Path RC30.01 to Orrin Dam

Distance to nearest turbine: 3,624m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27°) x 28mm horizontal (65.5°)

Camera height: 1.5m

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Figure 6.18k



Viewpoint 1 Existing View

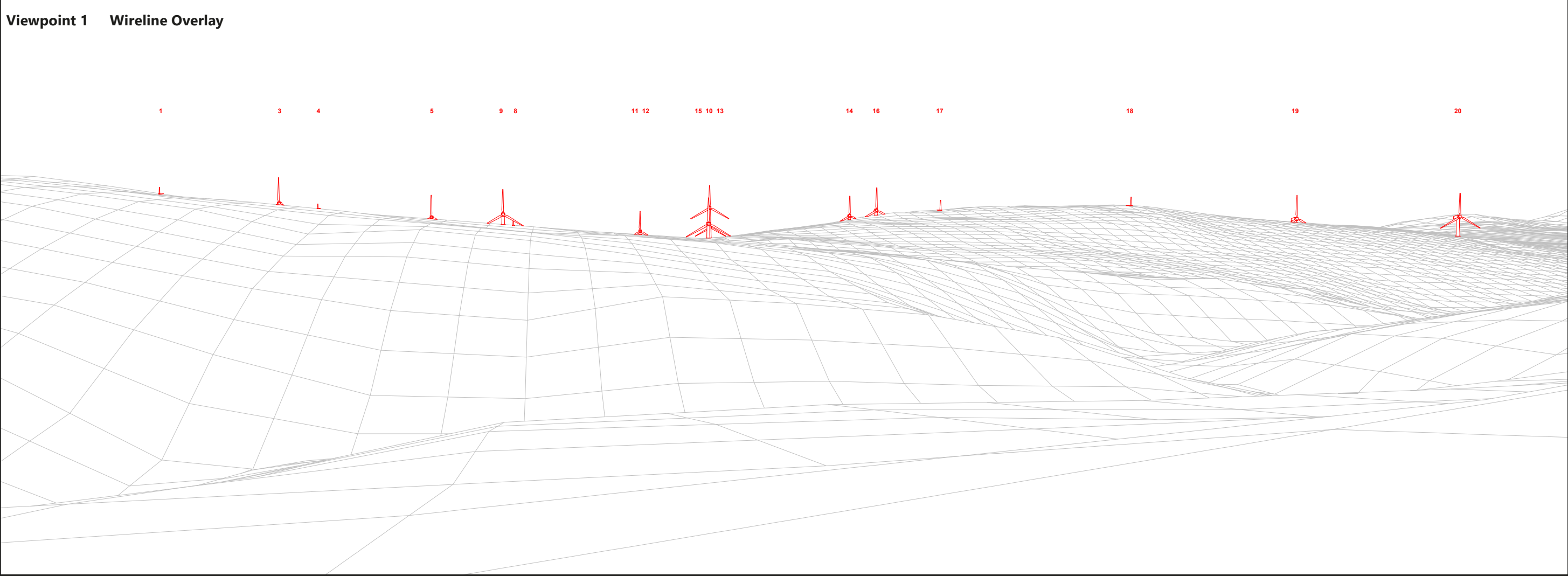


Figure 6.18I



Viewpoint 1 Existing View

Viewpoint 1 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

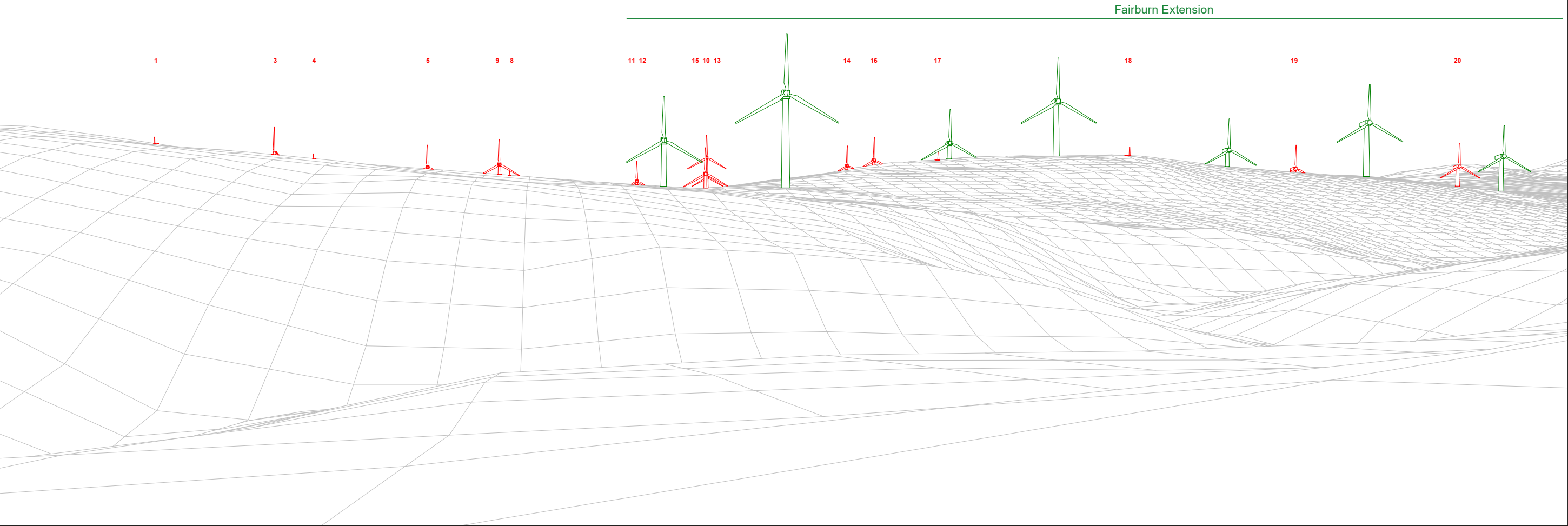




Fig 6.18m
Core Path RC30.01 to Orrin Dam

Distance to nearest turbine: 3,624m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm

Camera height: 1.5m

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Fig 6.18n
Core Path RC30.01 to Orrin Dam

Distance to nearest turbine: 3,624m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

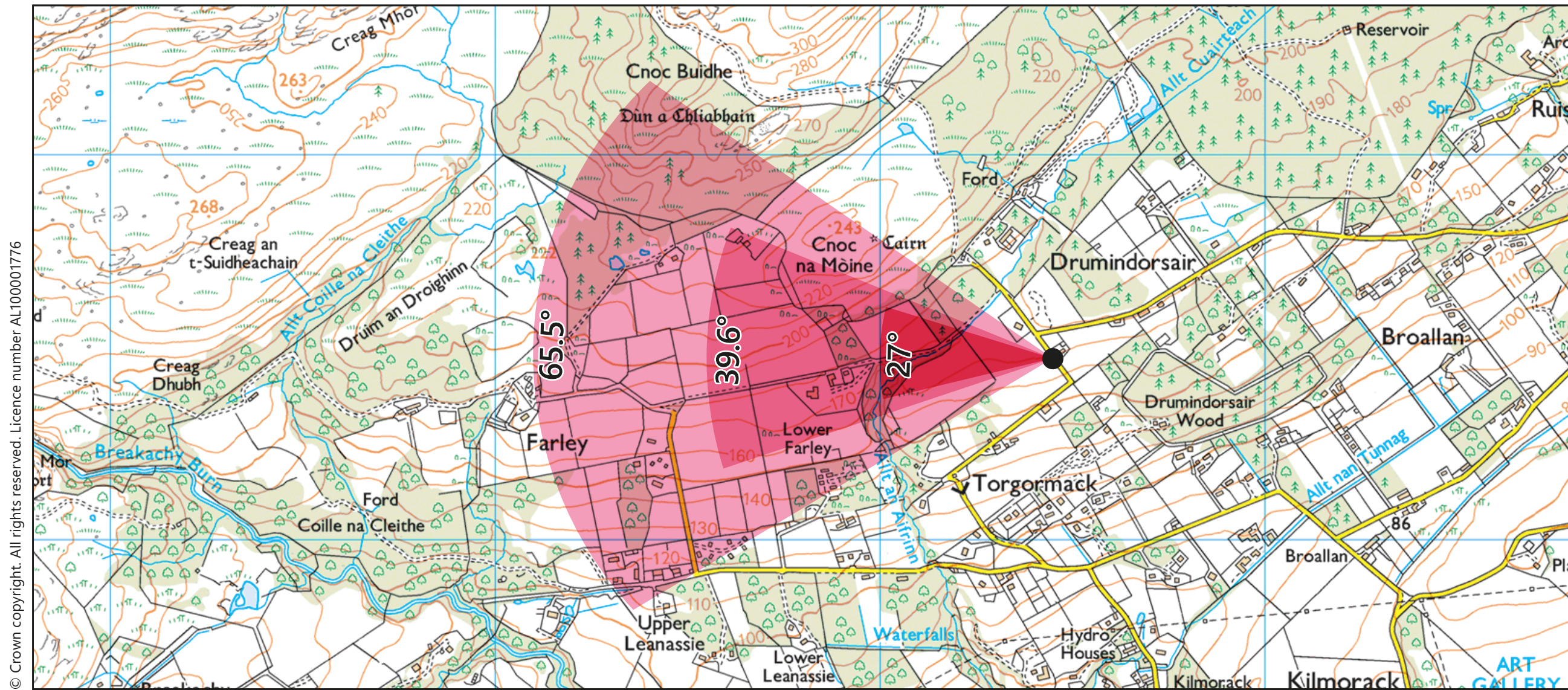
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Figure 6.19f - Viewpoint 2: Torgormack - Drumindorsair



Grid Reference: 248451, 845470

Distance to nearest turbine: 3,729m

AOD: 178m

This viewpoint is located along a minor road between the scattered communities of Drumindorsair and Torgormack and is indicative of views from residents. The view is on a steep road adjacent to a residential property and is orientated west / northwest along the upper contours and summit of Cnoc na Moine. Views towards the proposed development from further up the road are further restricted due to screening from intervening vegetation and landform.

Extent of 50mm single frame



Figure 6.19g
Torgormack - Drumindorsair

Distance to nearest turbine: 3,729m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27°) x 28mm horizontal (65.5°)

Camera height: 1.5m

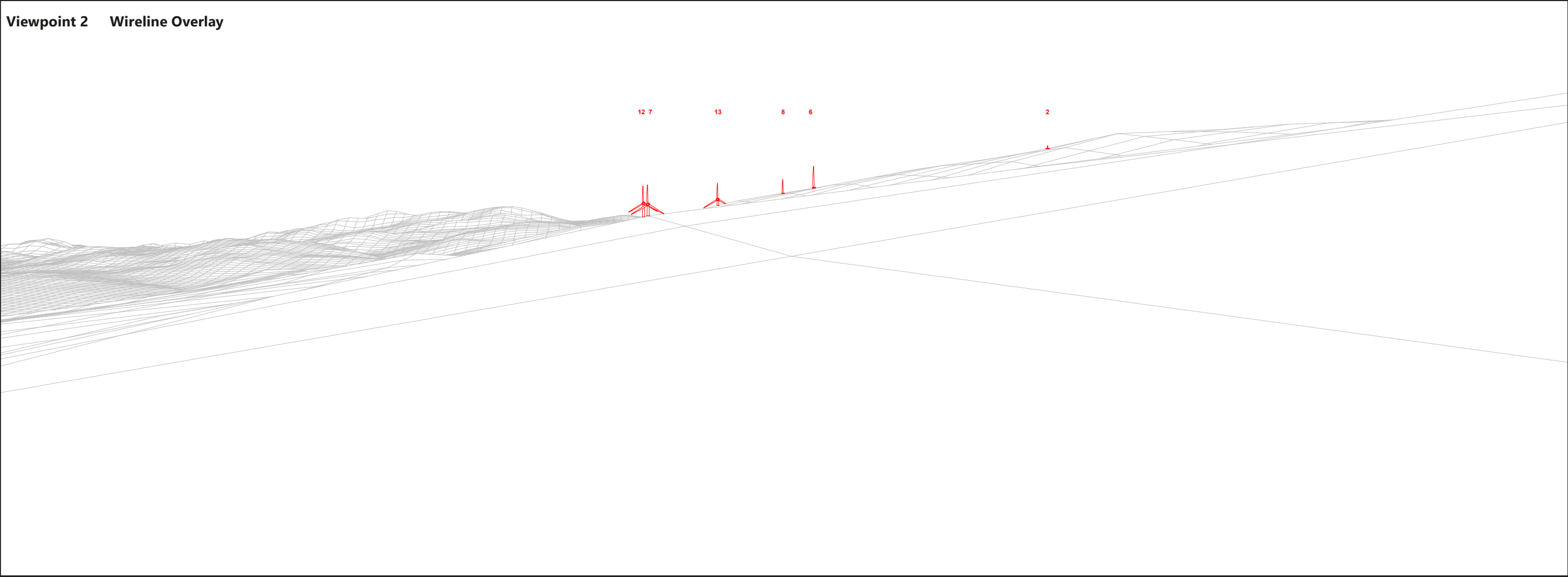
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Figure 6.19h



Viewpoint 2 Existing View



Viewpoint 2 Wireline Overlay



Fig 6.19i
Torgormack - Drumindorsair

Distance to nearest turbine: 3,729m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm

Camera height: 1.5m

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Fig 6.19j
Torgormack - Drumindorsair

Distance to nearest turbine: 3,729m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

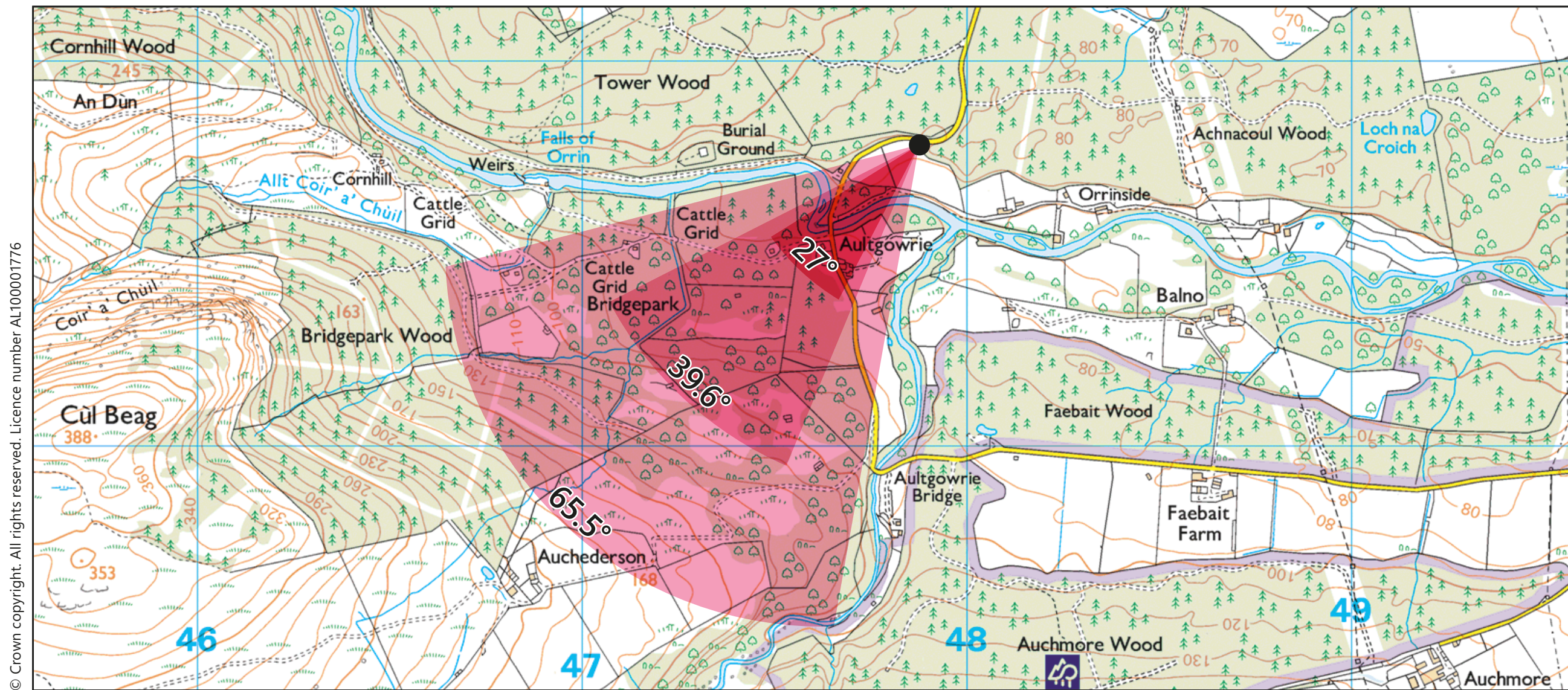
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Camera height: 1.5m

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Figure 6.20f - Viewpoint 3: Fairburn Estate



Grid Reference: 247904, 851779

Distance to nearest turbine: 5,233m

AOD: 225m

This viewpoint is located on a minor road between the A832 at Marybank and the Falls of Orrin as the road curves around the southeast edge of the Fairburn GDL near Orrinside.

Extent of 50mm single frame



Photomontage

Figure 6.20g
Fairburn Estate

Distance to nearest turbine: 5,233m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27°) x 28mm horizontal (65.5°)

Camera height: 1.5m

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Figure 6.20h



Viewpoint 3 Existing View

Viewpoint 3 Wireline Overlay

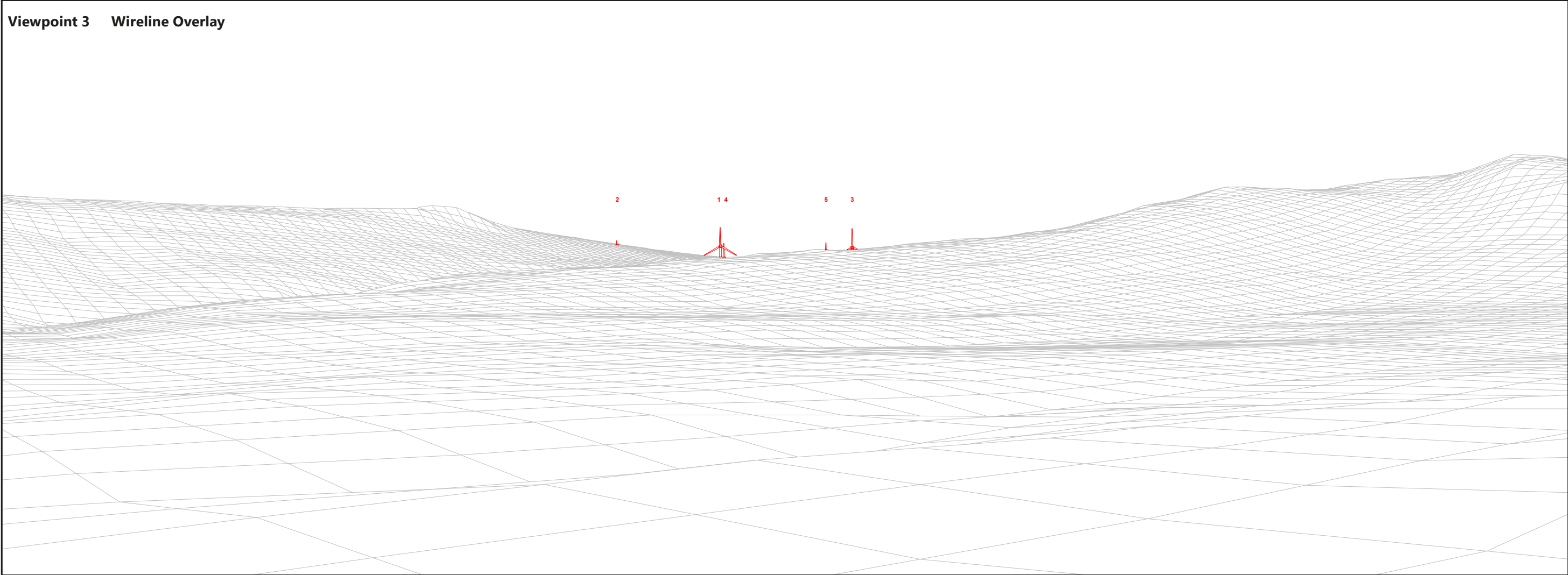


Figure 6.20i



Viewpoint 3 Existing View

Viewpoint 3 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

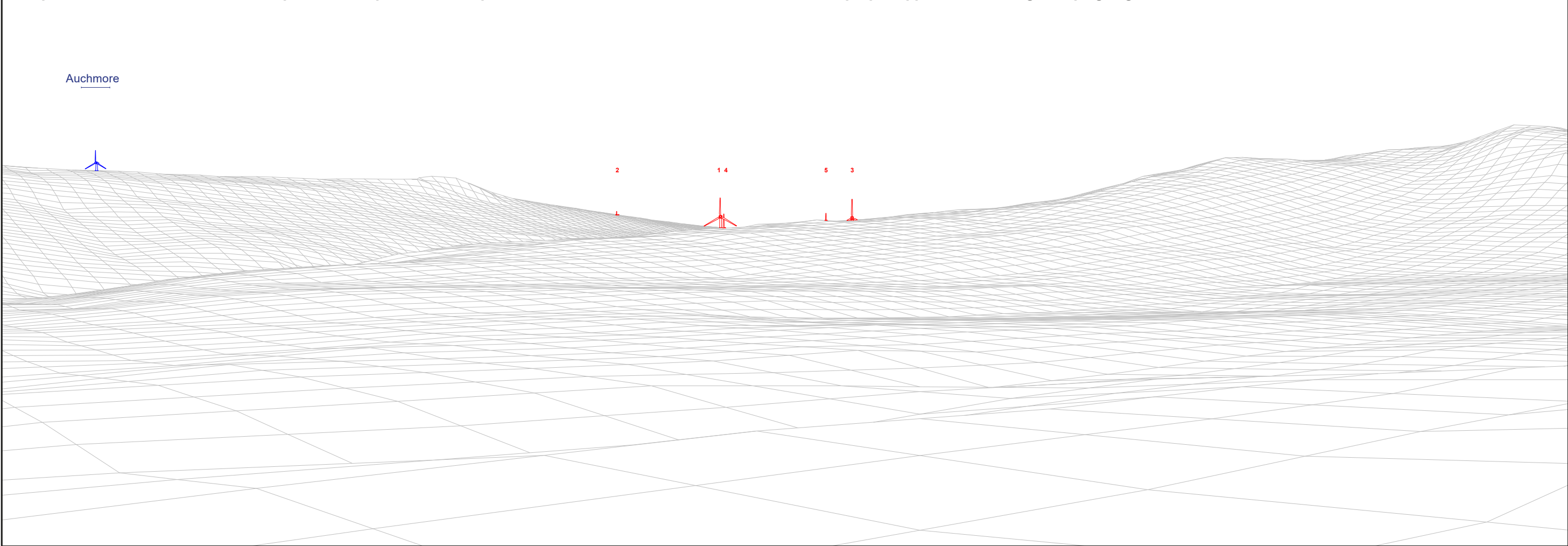




Fig 6.20j
Fairburn Estate

Distance to nearest turbine: 5,233m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm

Camera height: 1.5m

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Fig 6.20k
Fairburn Estate

Distance to nearest turbine: 5,233m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

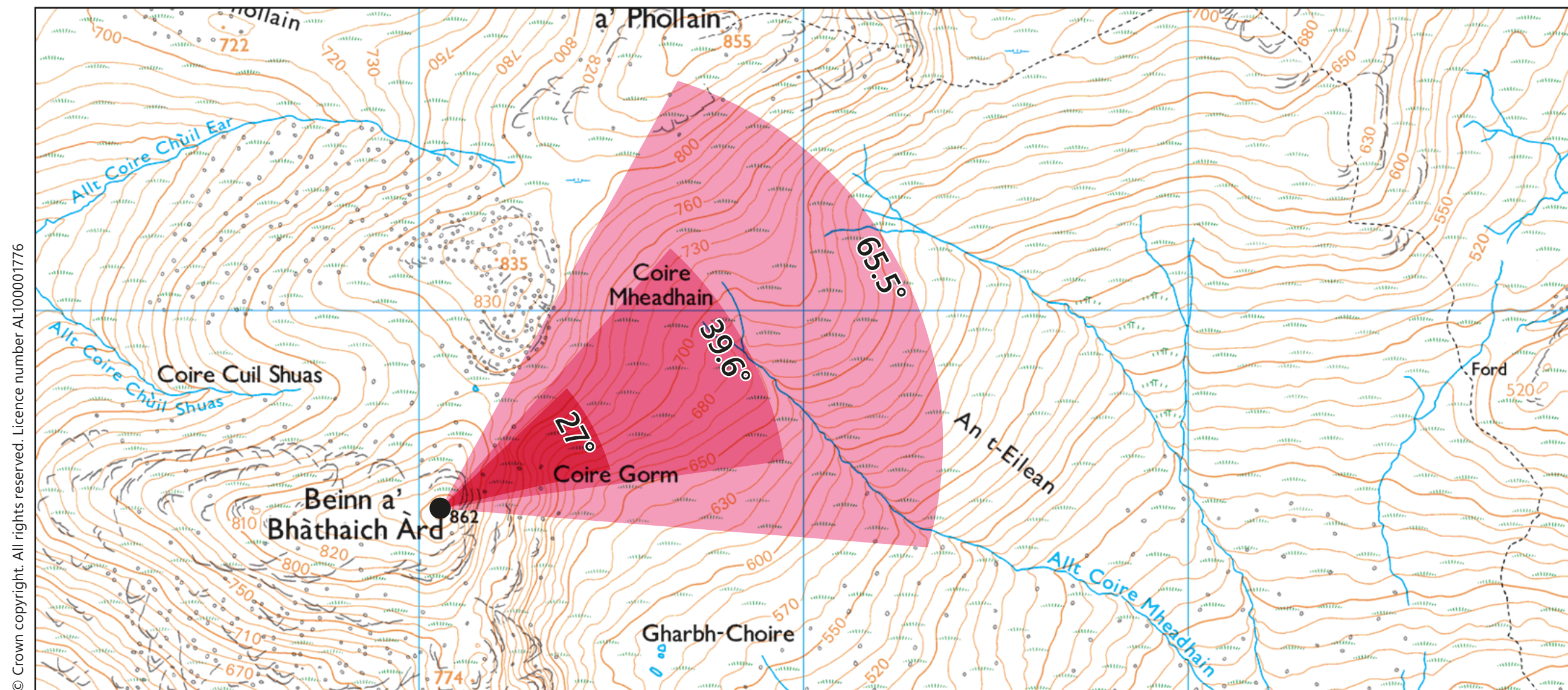
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Figure 6.21i - Viewpoint 4: Beinn a' Bha'ach Àrd



Grid Reference: 236061, 843473

Distance to nearest turbine: 5,967m

AOD: 862m

This viewpoint is located at the summit of Beinn a' Bhàthaich Àrd, a Corbett between Glen Strathfarrar and Orrin Reservoir. Views from the summit are panoramic with views across the expanse of low-lying landscape features between Beaulieu Firth to the east and the mountainous skyline to the southwest.

Extent of 50mm single frame



Figure 6.21j
Beinn a' Bha'ach Àrd

Distance to nearest turbine: 5,967m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27°) x 28mm horizontal (65.5°)

Camera height: 1.5m

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Figure 6.21k



Viewpoint 4 Existing View

Viewpoint 4 Wireline Overlay

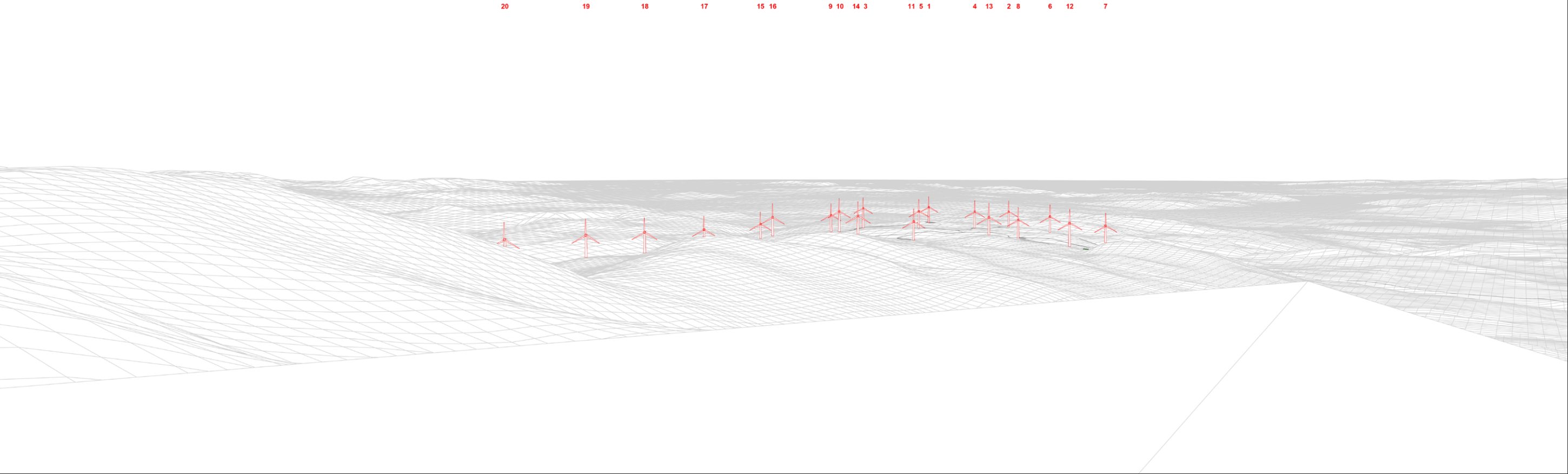


Figure 6.21I



Viewpoint 4 Existing View

Viewpoint 4 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

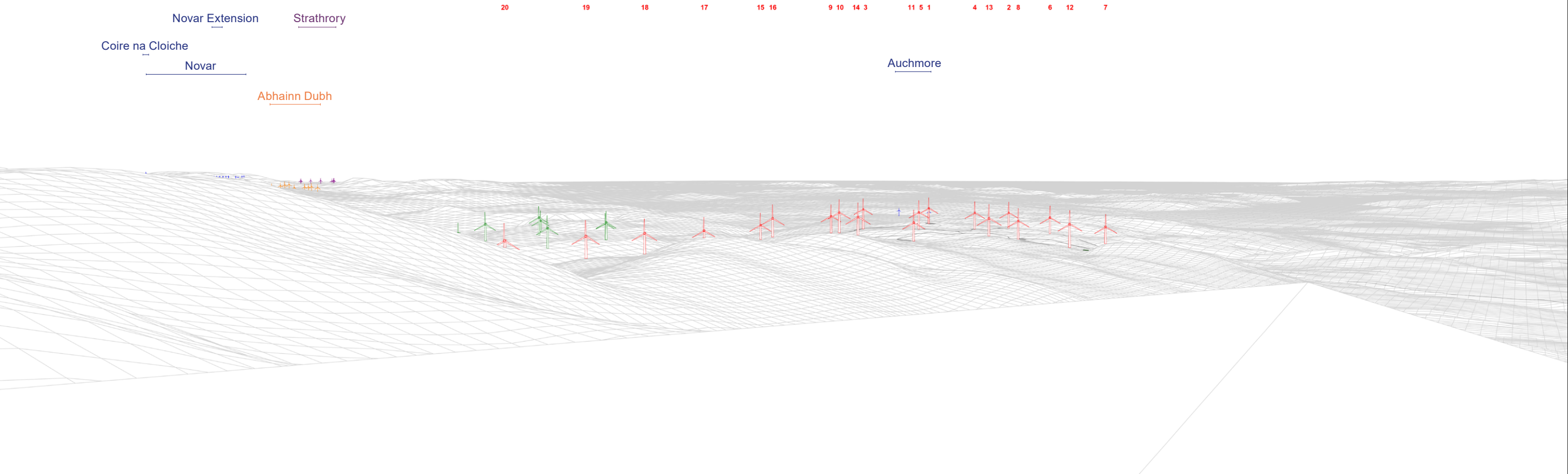




Fig 6.21m
Beinn a' Bha'ach Àrd

Distance to nearest turbine: 5,967m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm

Camera height: 1.5m

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Fig 6.21n
Beinn a' Bha'ach Àrd

Distance to nearest turbine: 5,967m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

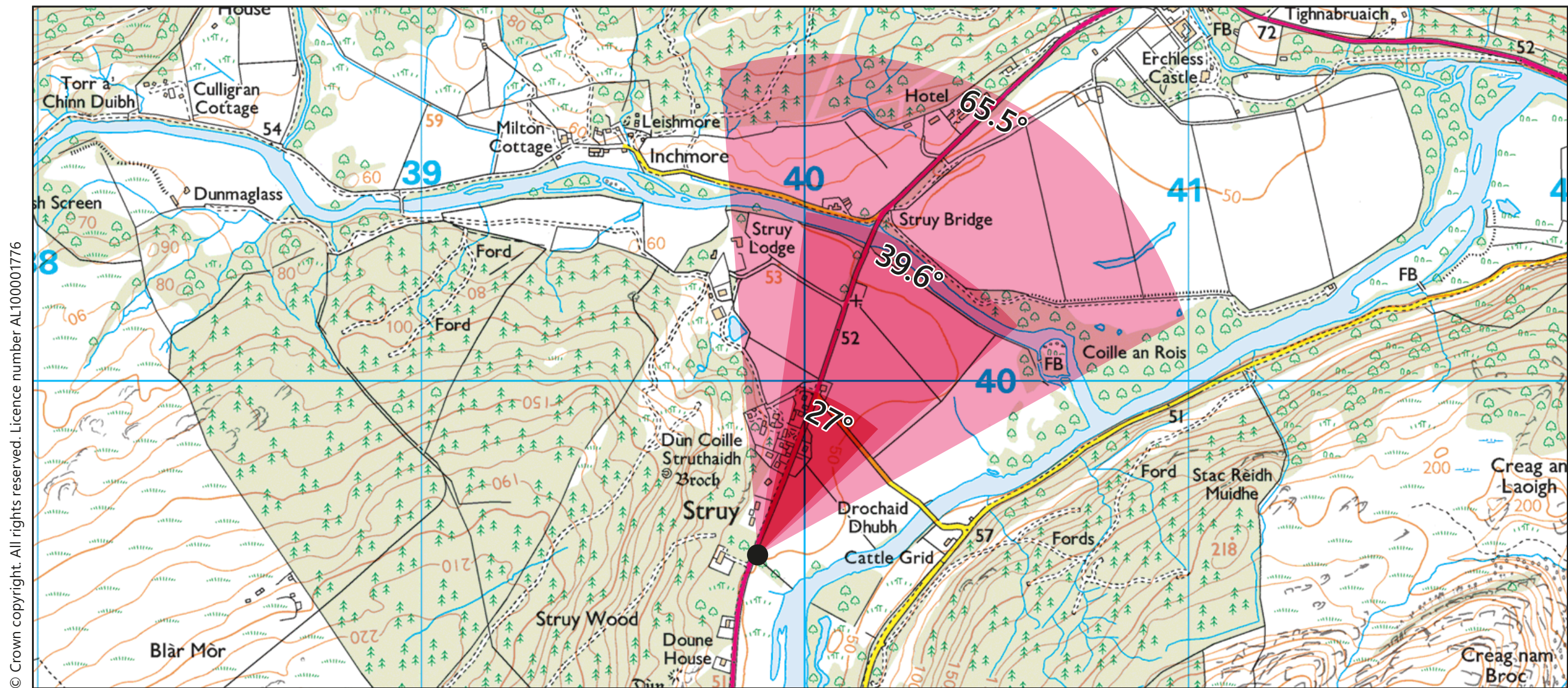
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Figure 6.22f - Viewpoint 5: A831, Struy



Grid Reference: 239878, 839549

Distance to nearest turbine: 7,028m

AOD: 63m

This viewpoint is located in Strathglass on the A831 to the south of the small hamlet of Struy.

Extent of 50mm single frame



Figure 6.22g
A831, Struy

Distance to nearest turbine: 7,028m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27°) x 28mm horizontal (65.5°)

Camera height: 1.5m

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Figure 6.22h



Viewpoint 5 Existing View

Viewpoint 5 Wireline Overlay

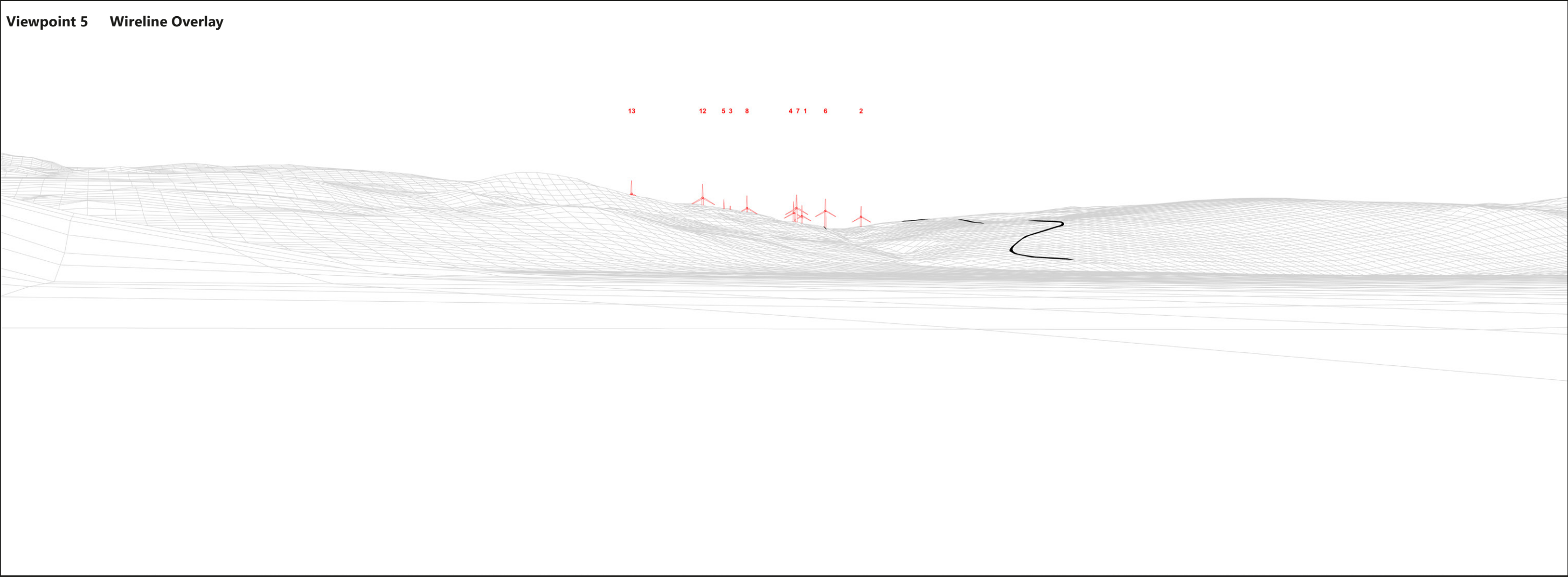




Fig 6.22i
A831, Struy

Distance to nearest turbine: 7,028m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm

Camera height: 1.5m

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Fig 6.22j
A831, Struy

Distance to nearest turbine: 7,028m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

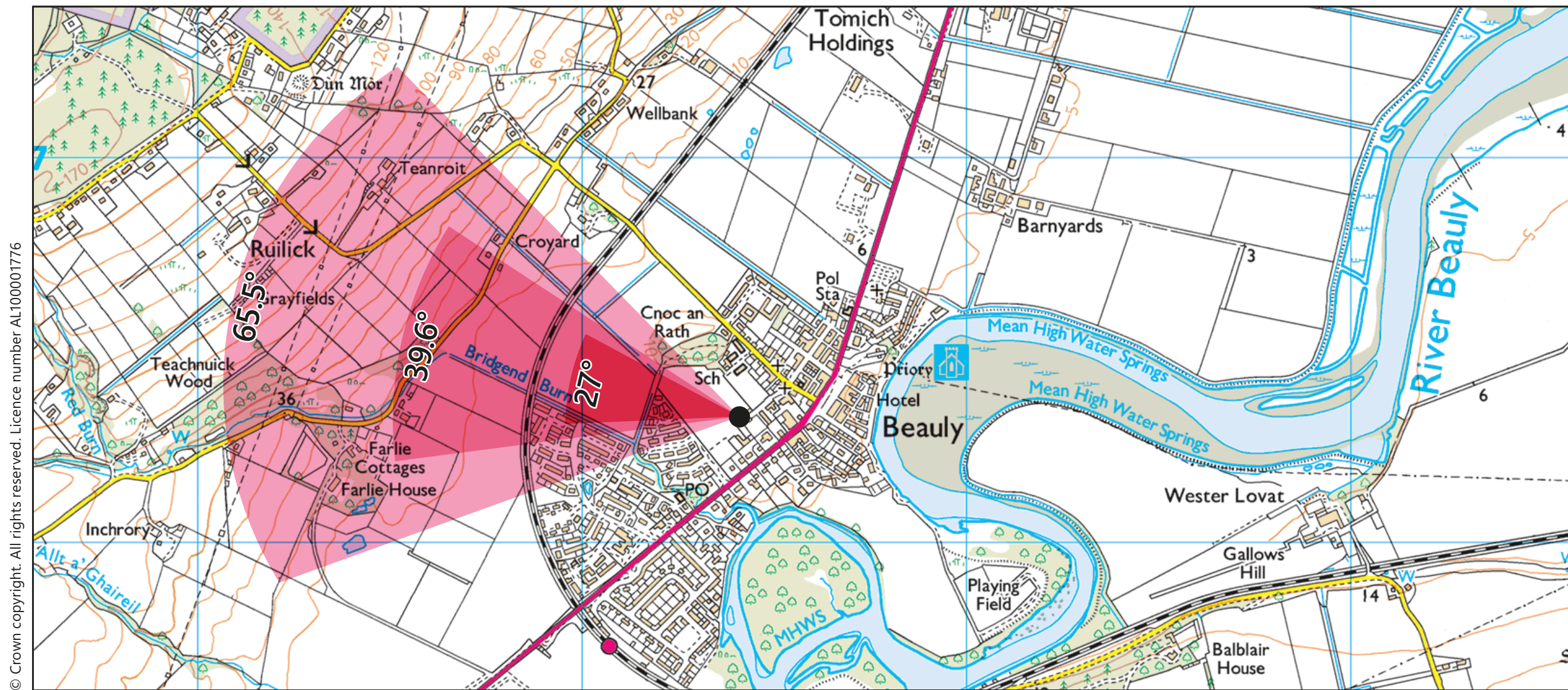
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Camera height: 1.5m

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Figure 6.23e - Viewpoint 6: Beauly



Grid Reference: 252401, 846317

Distance to nearest turbine: 7,411m

AOD: 275m

This viewpoint is located at the southeastern edge of Braeview Park, a popular recreational space and local shinty club location within the settlement of Beauly.

Extent of 50mm single frame



Figure 6.23f
Beaulieu

Distance to nearest turbine: 7,411m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27°) x 28mm horizontal (65.5°)

Camera height: 1.5m

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Figure 6.23g



Viewpoint 6 Existing View

Viewpoint 6 Wireline Overlay

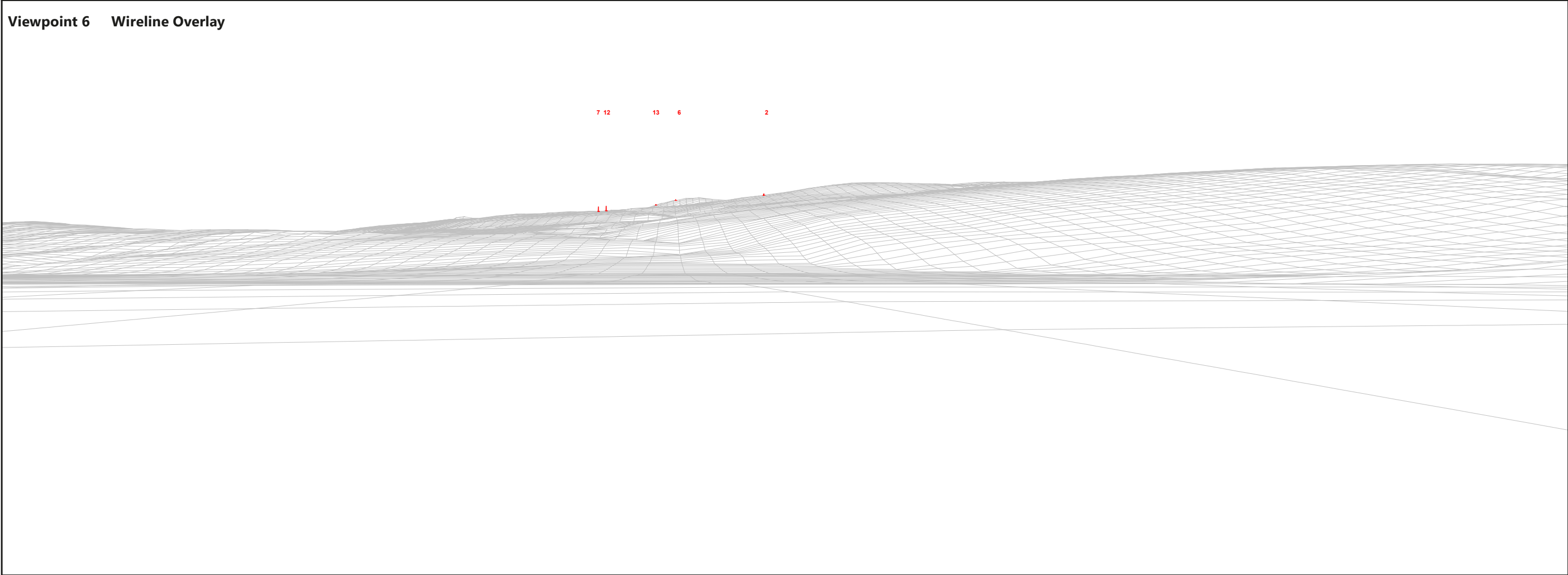




Fig 6.23h
Beauly

Distance to nearest turbine: 7,411m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm

Camera height: 1.5m

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Fig 6.23i
Beauly

Distance to nearest turbine: 7,411m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

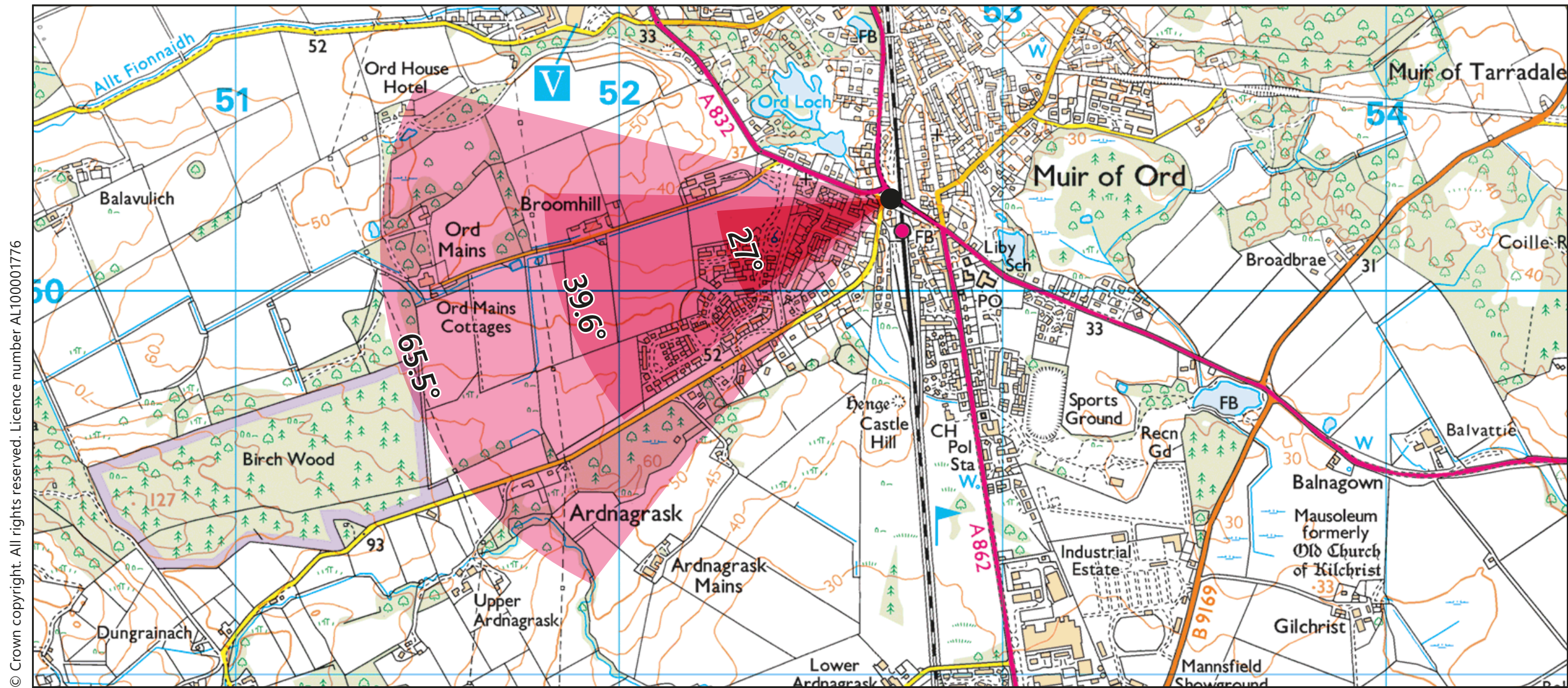
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Figure 6.24e - Viewpoint 7: A832, Muir of Ord



Grid Reference: 252713, 850238

Distance to nearest turbine: 8,307m

AOD: 50m

This viewpoint is located towards the centre of the settlement of Muir of Ord as the A832 rises on embankment to cross the railway line. It is also located on the NC500 Tourist Route.

|----- Extent of 50mm single frame -----|



Figure 6.24f
A832, Muir of Ord

Distance to nearest turbine: 8,307m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27°) x 28mm horizontal (65.5°)

Camera height: 1.5m

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Figure 6.24g



Viewpoint 7 Existing View

Viewpoint 7 Wireline Overlay

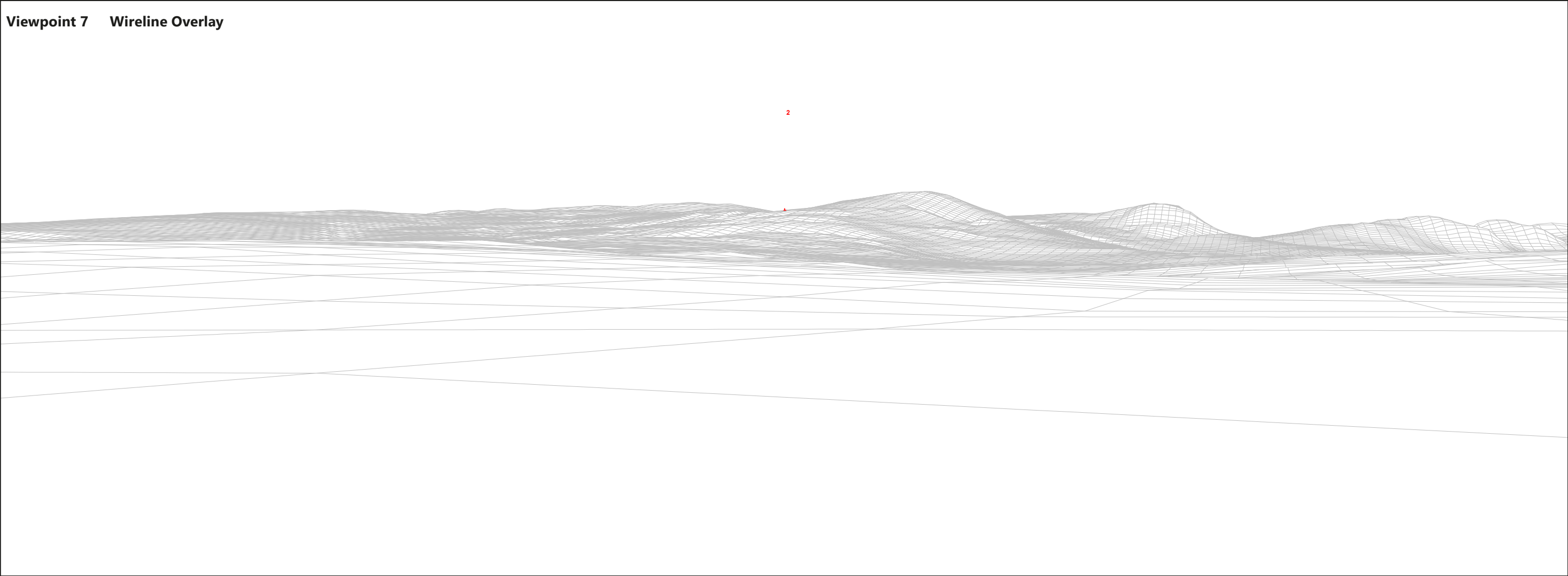


Figure 6.24h



Viewpoint 7 Existing View

Viewpoint 7 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

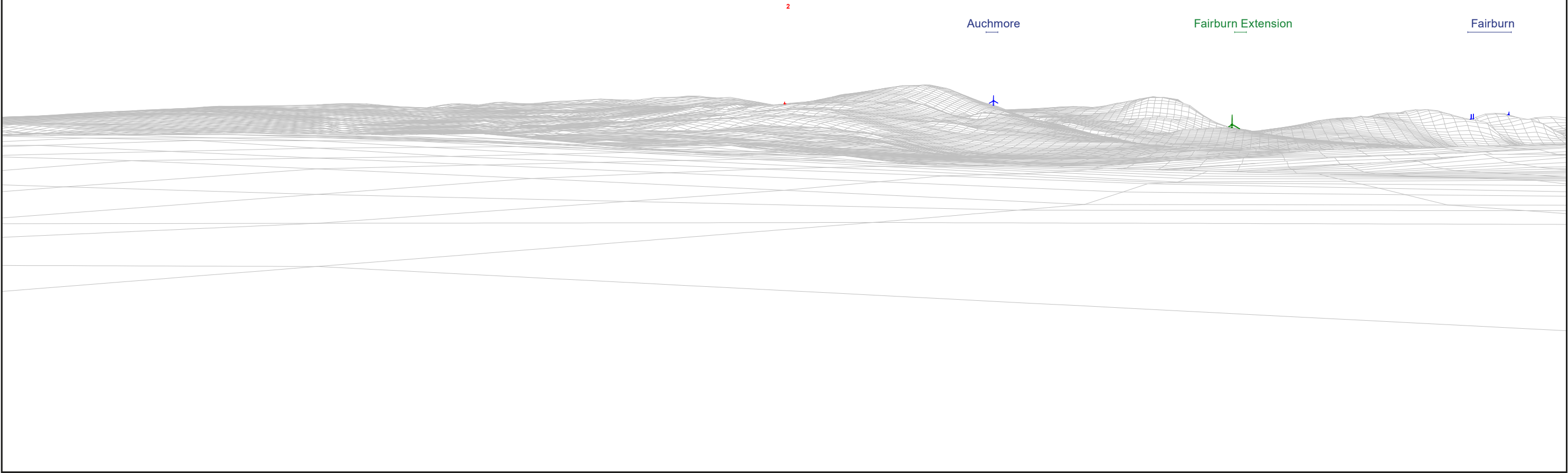




Fig 6.24i
A832, Muir of Ord

Distance to nearest turbine: 8,307m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm

Camera height: 1.5m

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Fig 6.24j
A832, Muir of Ord

Distance to nearest turbine: 8,307m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

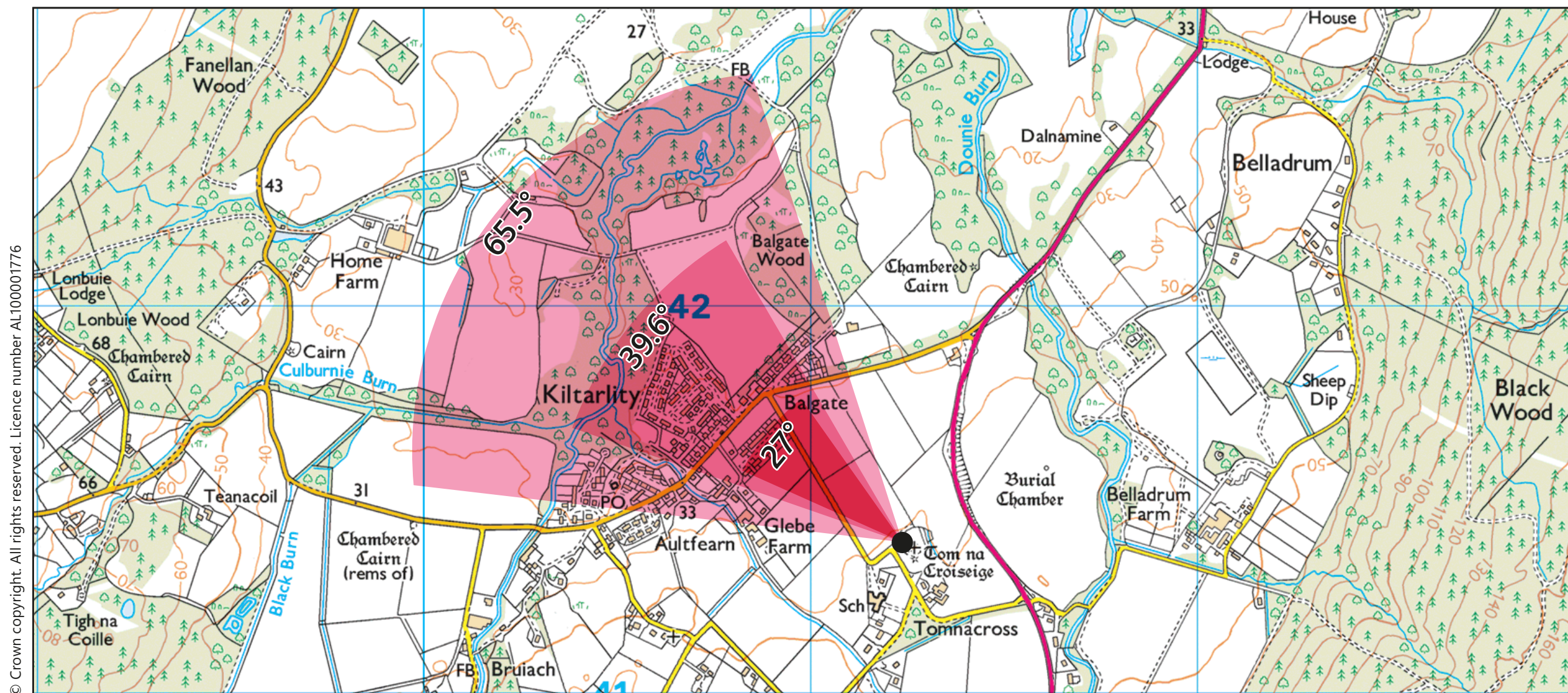
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Camera height: 1.5m

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Figure 6.25f - Viewpoint 8: Kiltarlity



Grid Reference: 251253, 841407

Distance to nearest turbine: 8,325m

AOD: 40m

This viewpoint is located at Kiltarlity Church to the southeast extent of the settlement of Kiltarlity.

Extent of 50mm single frame



Figure 6.25g
Kiltarlity

Distance to nearest turbine: 8,325m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27°) x 28mm horizontal (65.5°) Camera height: 1.5m Date: 20/09/2024 13:55

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Figure 6.25h



Viewpoint 8 Existing View

Viewpoint 8 Wireline Overlay

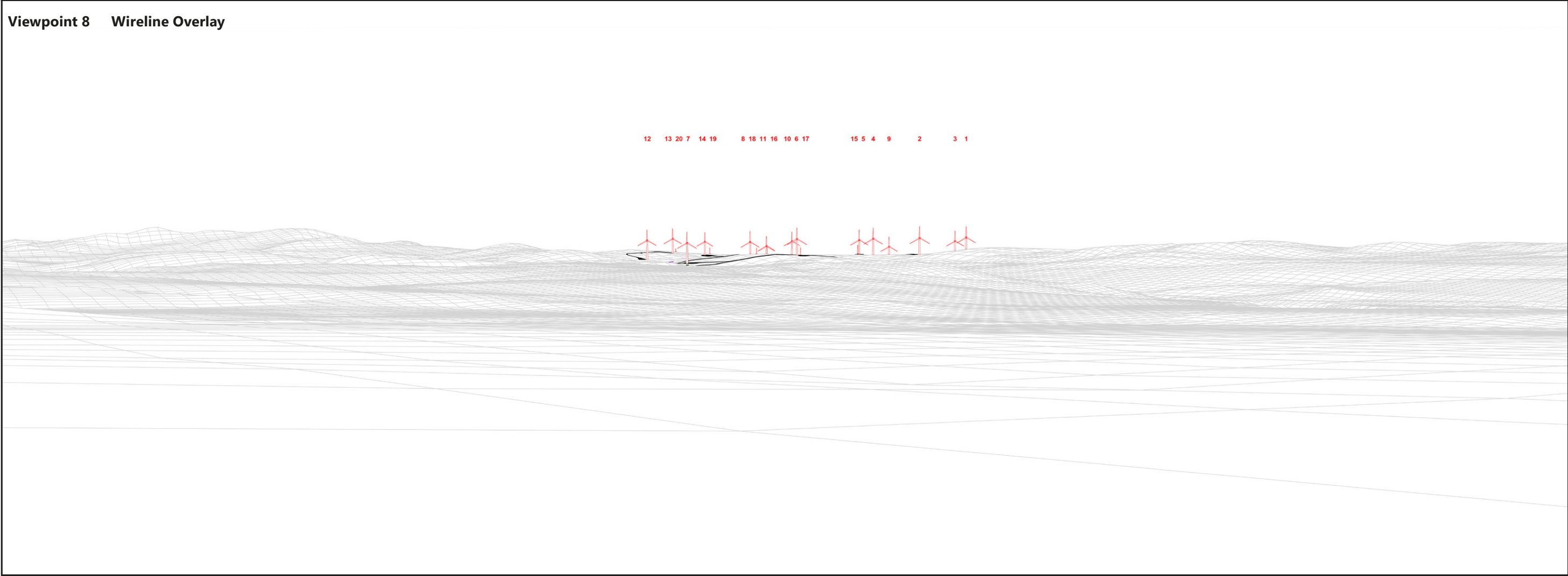


Figure 6.25i



Viewpoint 8 Existing View

Viewpoint 8 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

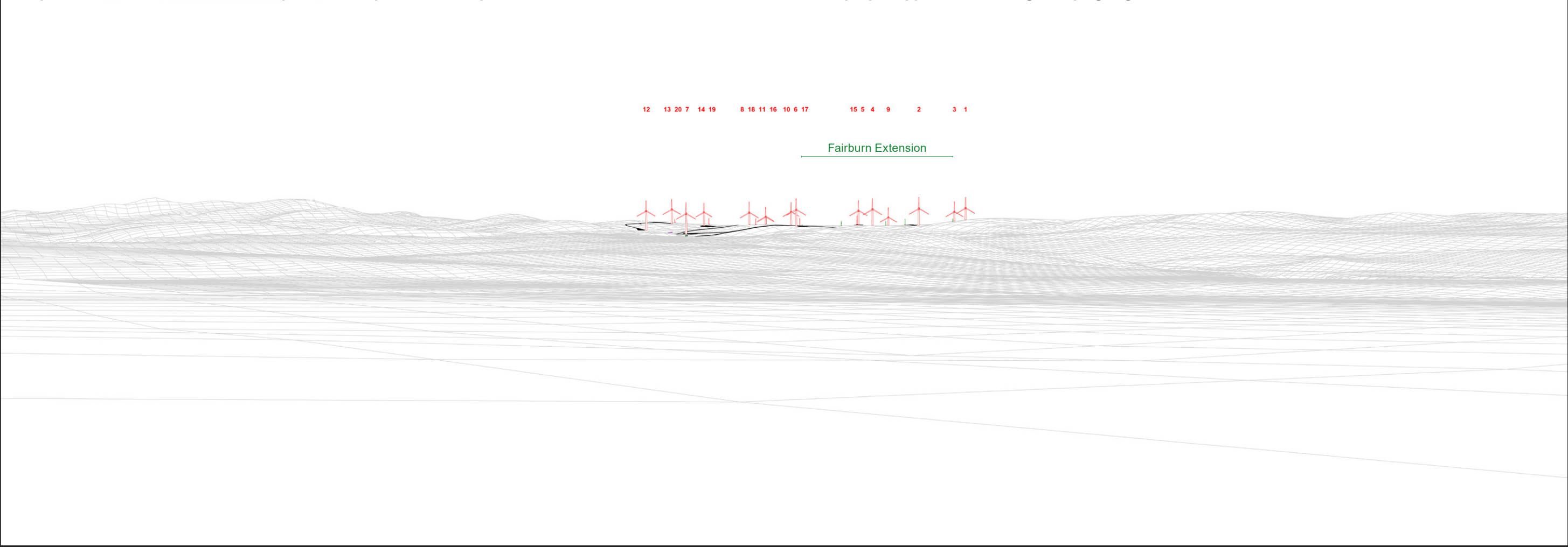




Fig 6.25j
Kiltarlity

Distance to nearest turbine: 8,325m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm

Camera height: 1.5m

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Fig 6.25k
Kiltarlity

Distance to nearest turbine: 8,325m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

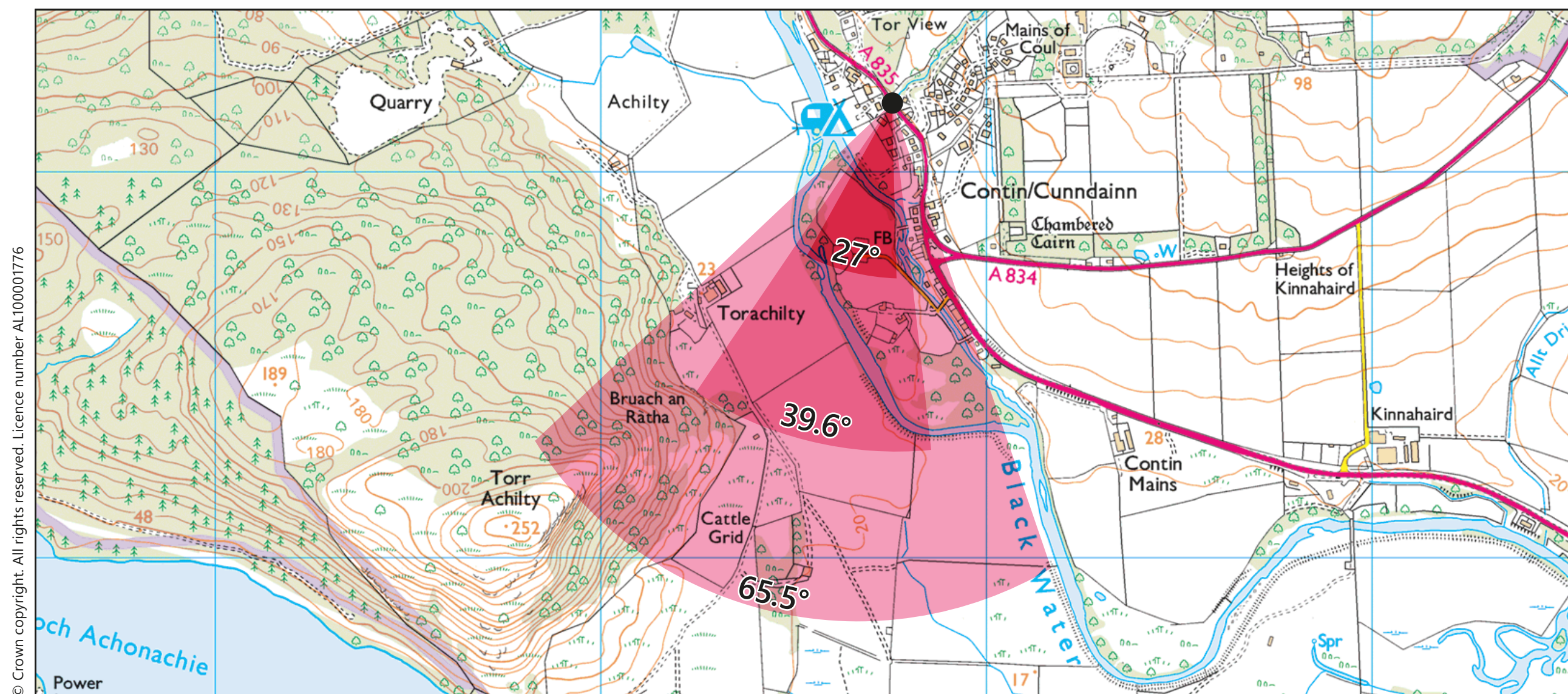
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Figure 6.26f - Viewpoint 9: A835, Contin



Grid Reference: 245754, 856176

Distance to nearest turbine: 8,439m

AOD: 26m

This viewpoint is located on the A835 (part of the NC500 Tourist Route), opposite a bus stop and village shop within the settlement of Contin.

Extent of 50mm single frame



Figure 6.26g
A835, Contin

Distance to nearest turbine: 8,439m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27°) x 28mm horizontal (65.5°)

Camera height: 1.5m

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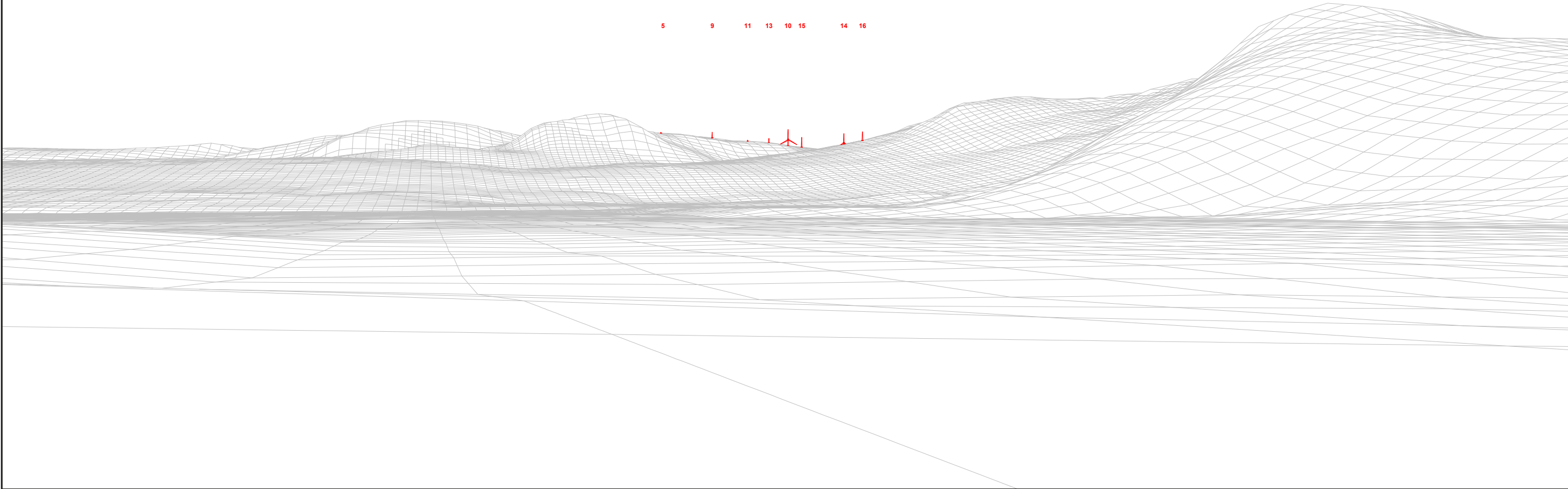
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Figure 6.26h



Viewpoint 9 Existing View

Viewpoint 9 Wireline Overlay





Viewpoint 9 Existing View

Viewpoint 9 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

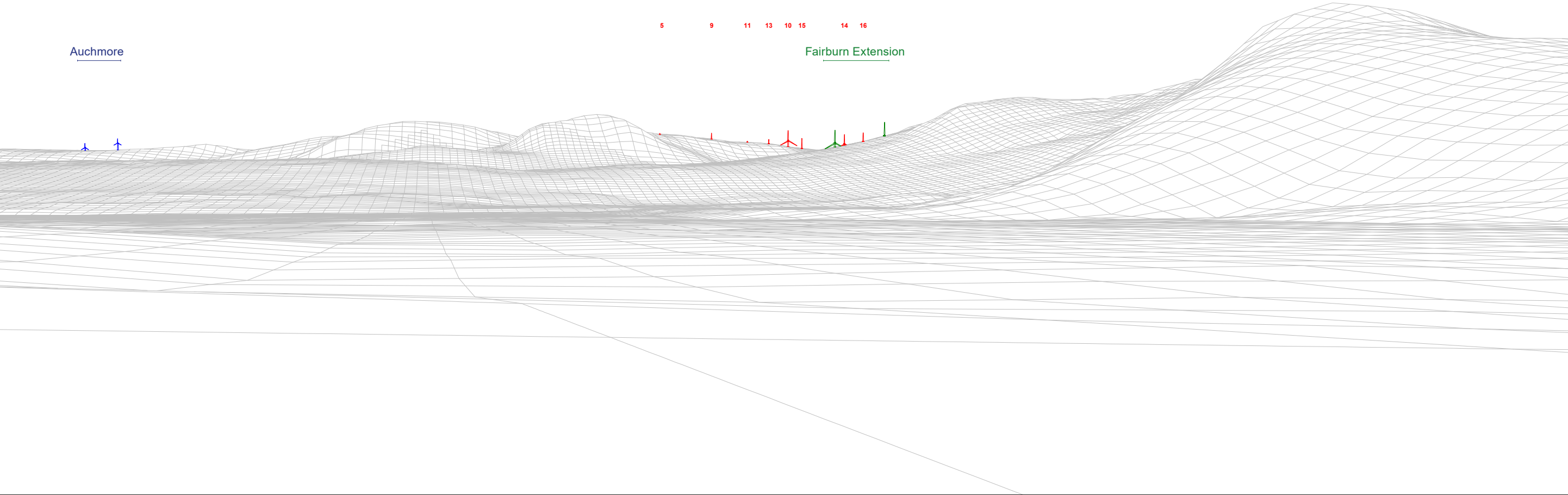




Fig 6.26j
A835, Contin

Distance to nearest turbine: 8,439m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm

Camera height: 1.5m

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Fig 6.26k
A835, Contin

Distance to nearest turbine: 8,439m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

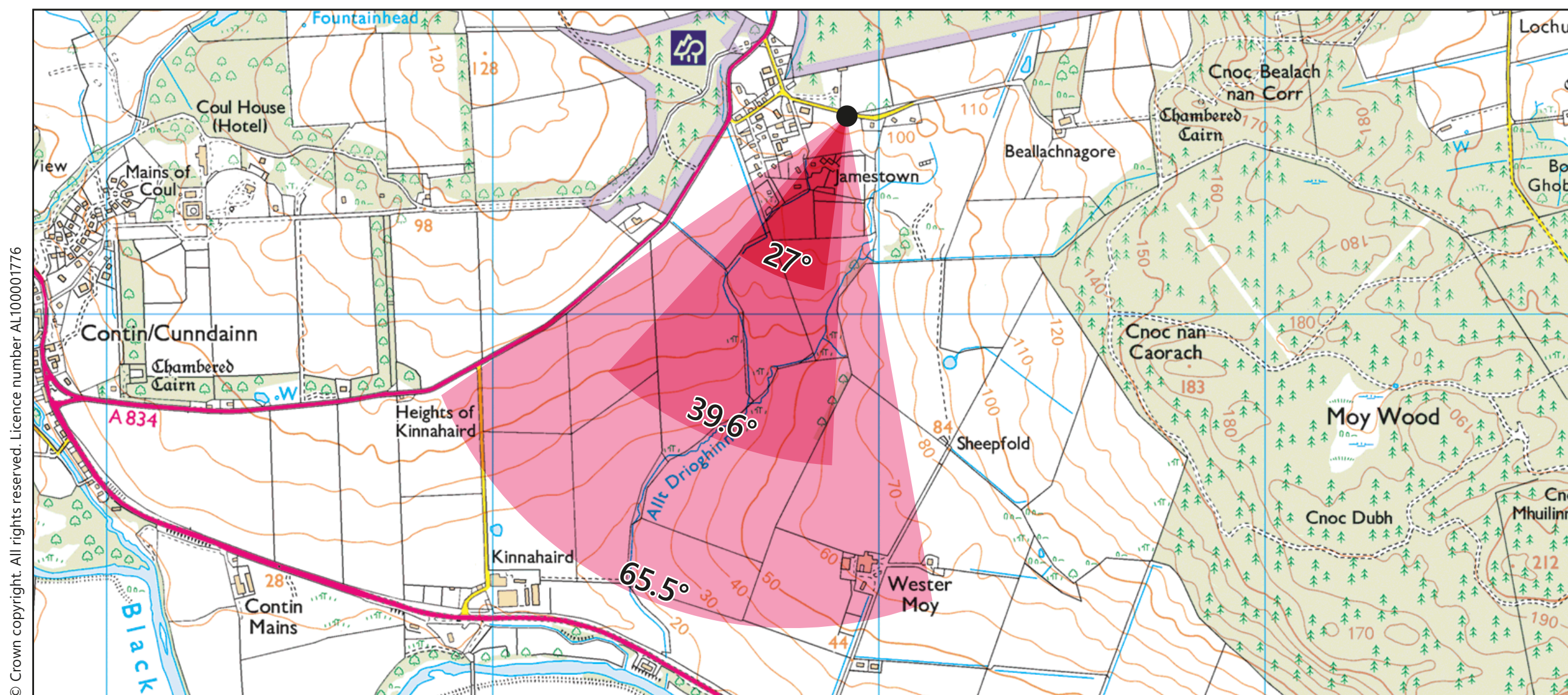
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Camera height: 1.5m

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Figure 6.27f - Viewpoint 10: Jamestown



Grid Reference: 247922, 856508

Distance to nearest turbine: 9,352m

AOD: 101m

This viewpoint is located in the settlement of Jamestown along Ballachnecore Road to the east of the settlement.

Extent of 50mm single frame



Figure 6.27g
Jamestown

Distance to nearest turbine: 9,352m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27°) x 28mm horizontal (65.5°) Camera height: 1.5m Date: 17/09/2024 11:35

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Figure 6.27h



Viewpoint 10 Existing View

Viewpoint 10 Wireline Overlay

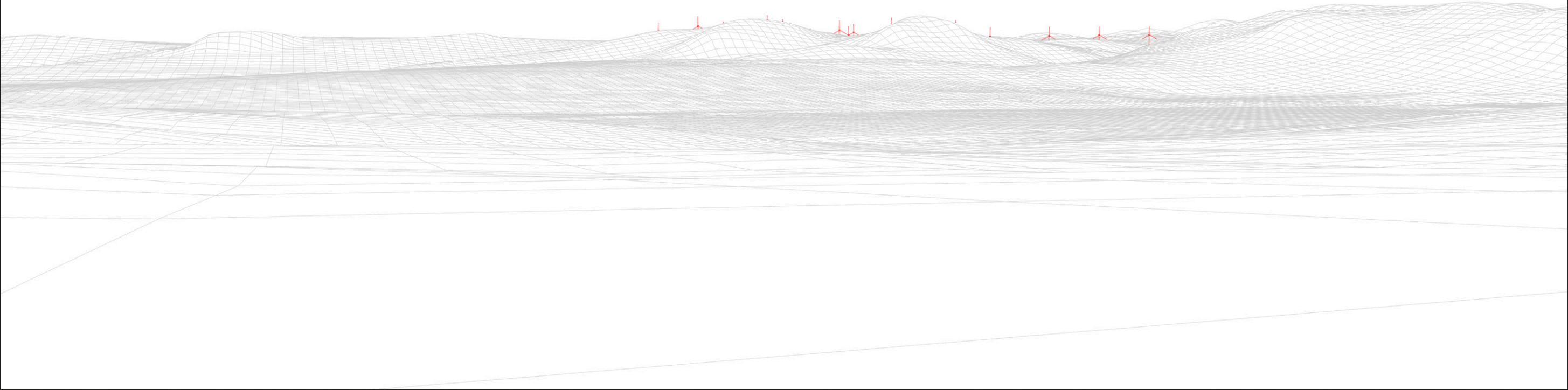


Figure 6.271



Viewpoint 10 Existing View

Viewpoint 10 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

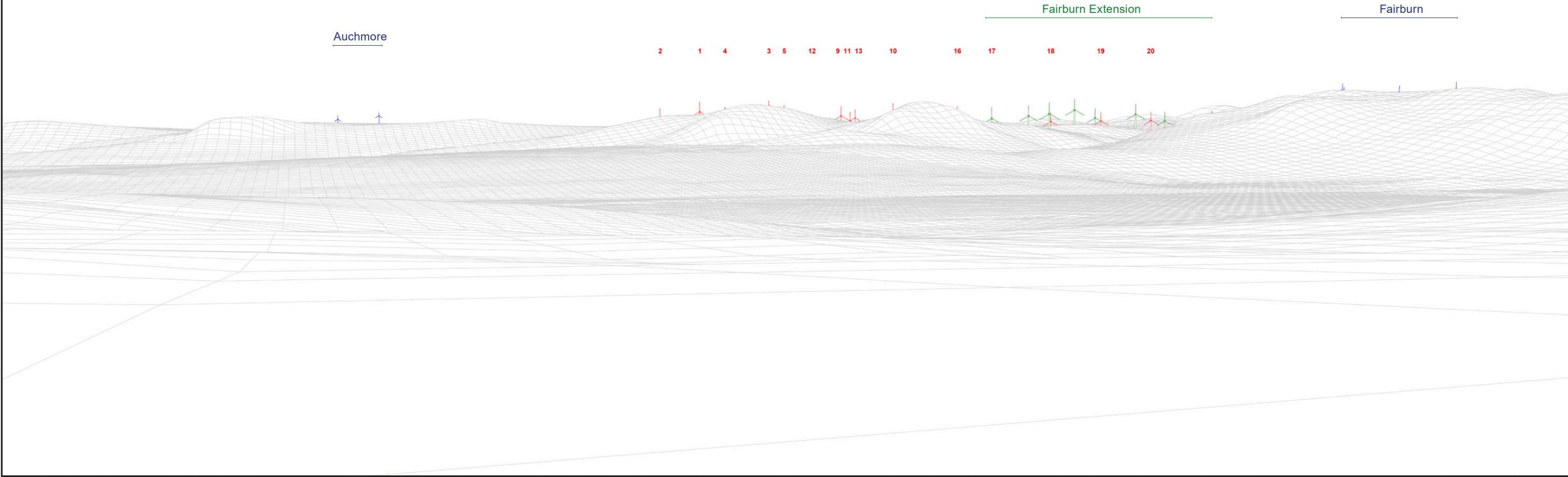




Fig 6.27j
Jamestown

Distance to nearest turbine: 9,352m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm

Camera height: 1.5m

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Fig 6.27k
Jamestown

Distance to nearest turbine: 9,352m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

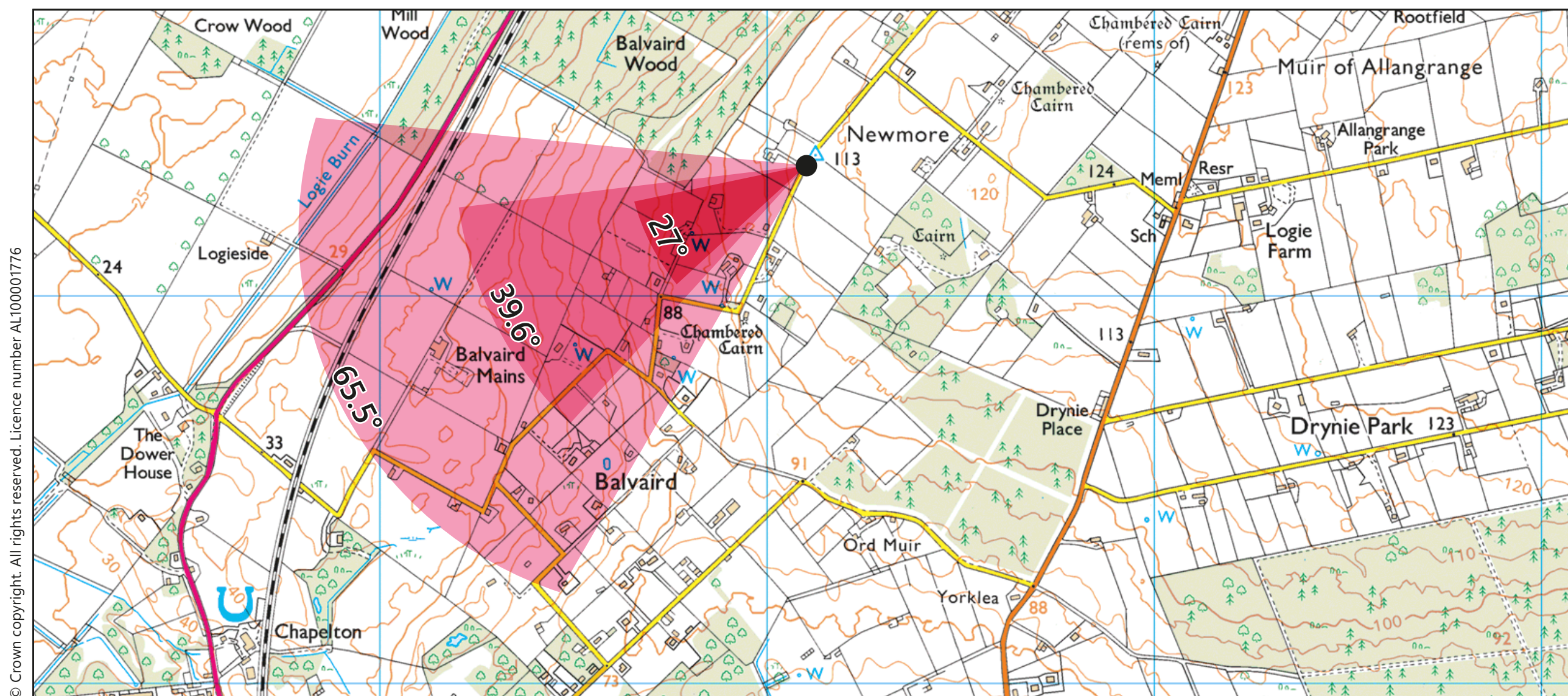
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Camera height: 1.5m

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Figure 6.28f - Viewpoint 11: Balvaird - Newmore



Grid Reference: 254096, 852326

Distance to nearest turbine: 10,408m

AOD: 122m

This viewpoint is located in an elevated area within the scattered settlements of Balvaird and Newmore.

Extent of 50mm single frame



Figure 6.28g
Balvaird - Newmore

Distance to nearest turbine: 10,408m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27°) x 28mm horizontal (65.5°)

Camera height: 1.5m

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Figure 6.28h



Viewpoint 11 Existing View

Viewpoint 11 Wireline Overlay



Figure 6.28i



Viewpoint 11 Existing View

Viewpoint 11 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

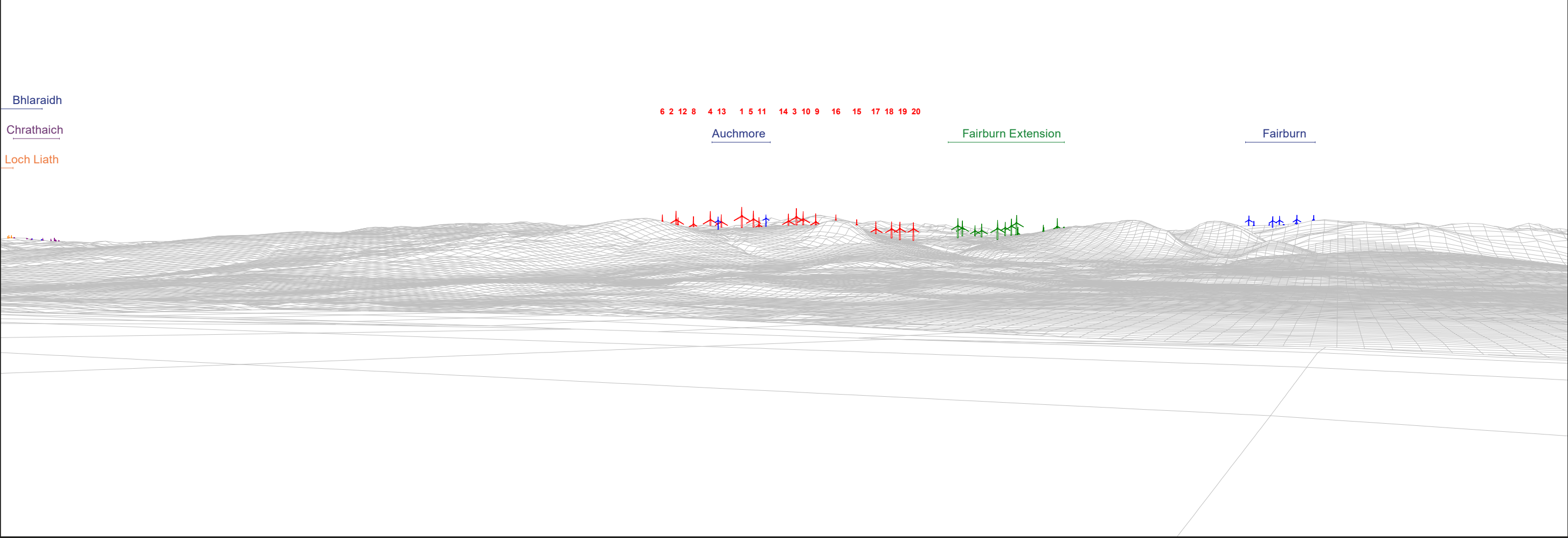




Fig 6.28j
Balvaird - Newmore

Distance to nearest turbine: 10,408m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 50mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 19/09/2024 11:20

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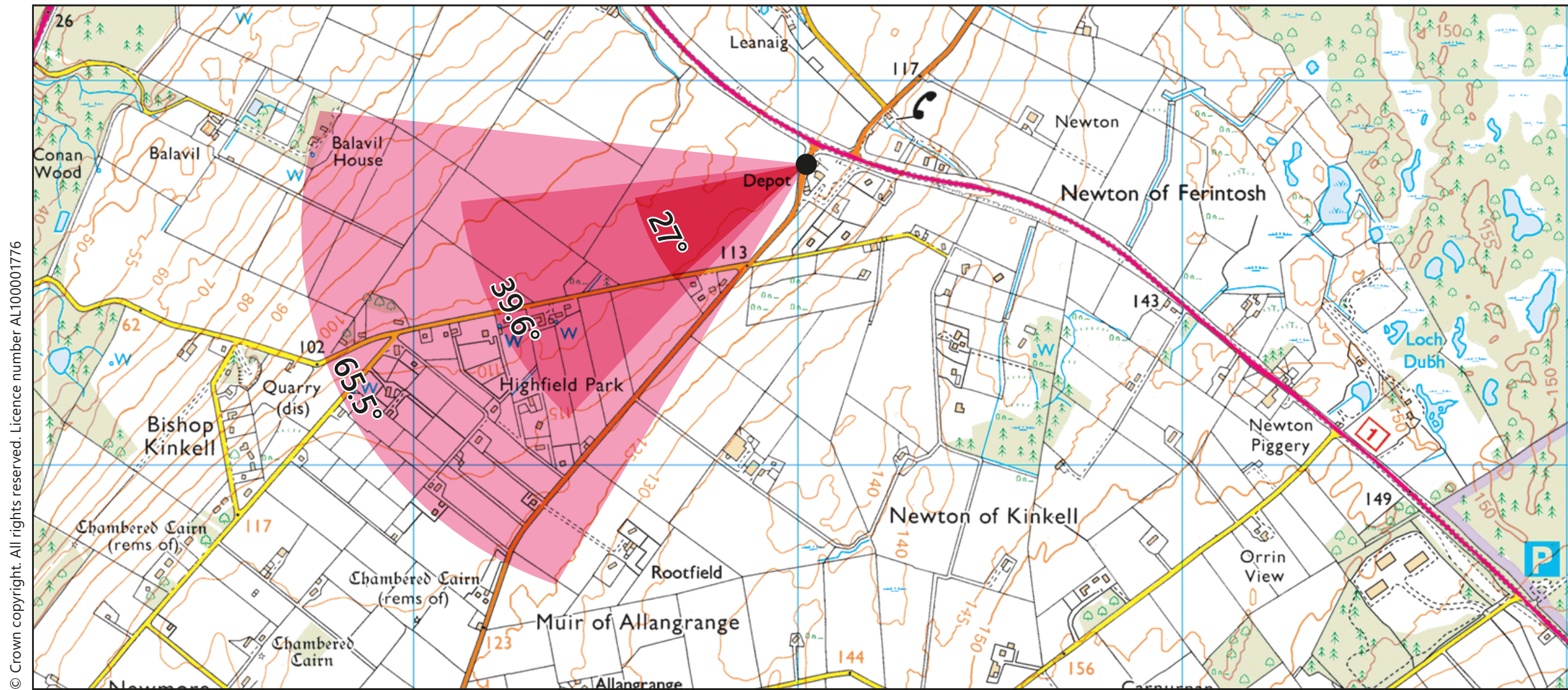


Fig 6.28k
Balvaird - Newmore

Distance to nearest turbine: 10,408m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 75mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 19/09/2024 11:20

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Figure 6.29f - Viewpoint 12: A835 - B9169 Junction



Grid Reference: 256015, 853748

Distance to nearest turbine: 12,773m

AOD: 243m

This viewpoint is located at the junction of the A835 and B9169 between Tore and Conon Bridge and is representative of road users.

Extent of 50mm single frame



Photomontage

Figure 6.29g
A835 - B9169 Junction

Distance to nearest turbine: 12,773m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27°) x 28mm horizontal (65.5°)

Camera height: 1.5m

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Figure 6.29h



Viewpoint 12 Existing View

Viewpoint 12 Wireline Overlay



Figure 6.29i



Viewpoint 12 Existing View

Viewpoint 12 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

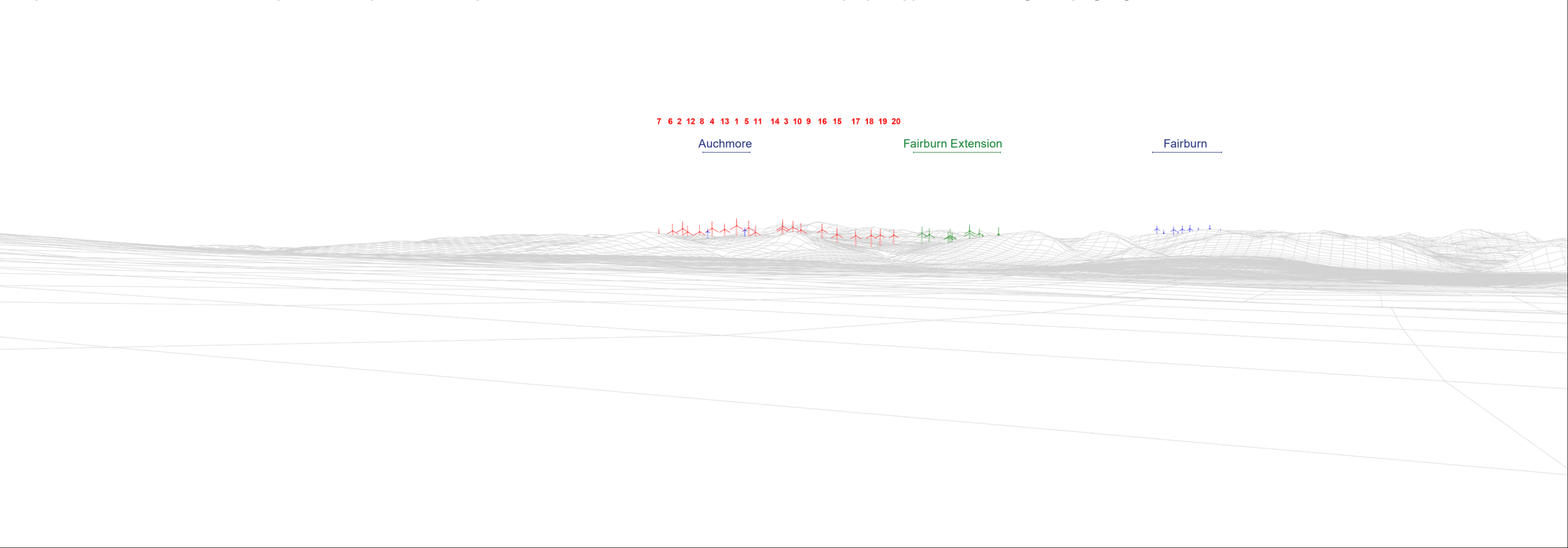




Fig 6.29j
A835 - B9169 Junction

Distance to nearest turbine: 12,773m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 50mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 19/09/2024 10:40

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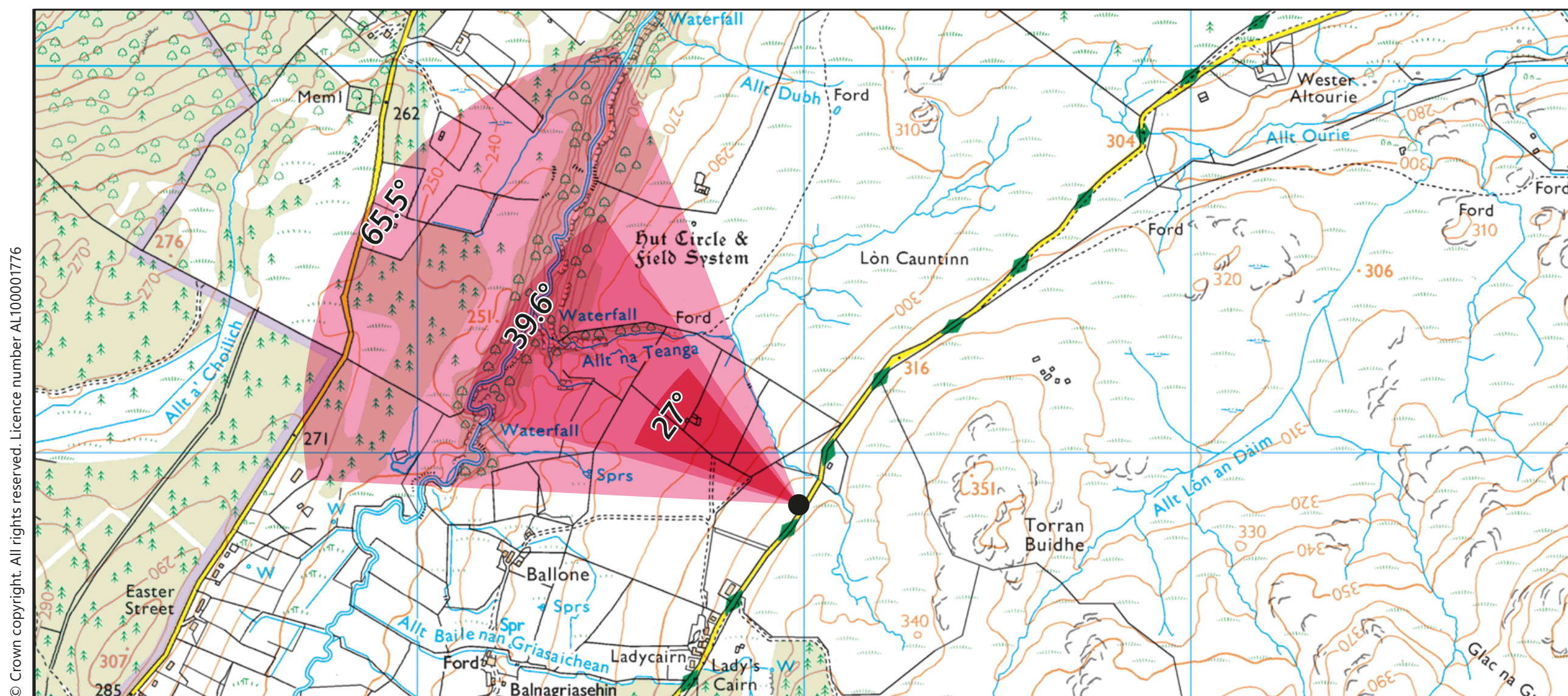


Fig 6.29k
A835 - B9169 Junction

Distance to nearest turbine: 12,773m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 75mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 19/09/2024 10:40

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Figure 6.30g - Viewpoint 13: Great Glen Way near Ladycairn



Grid Reference: 255983, 838822

Distance to nearest turbine: 13,633m

AOD: 319m

This viewpoint is located on an elevated section of the Great Glen Way as the route emerges from coniferous forestry to the north of Ladycairn.

Extent of 50mm single frame



Photomontage

Figure 6.30h
Great Glen Way near Ladycairn

Distance to nearest turbine: 13,633m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27°) x 28mm horizontal (65.5°) Camera height: 1.5m Date: 19/09/2024 14:30

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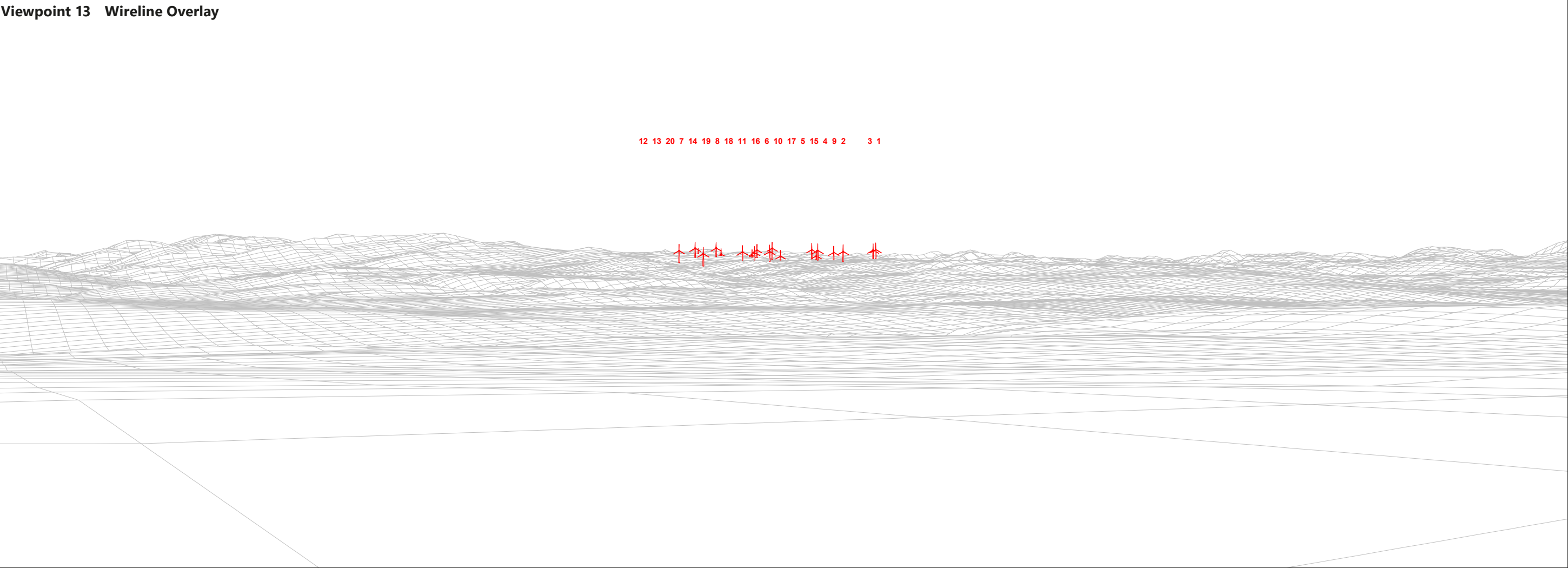


Figure 6.30j



Viewpoint 13 Existing View

Viewpoint 13 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

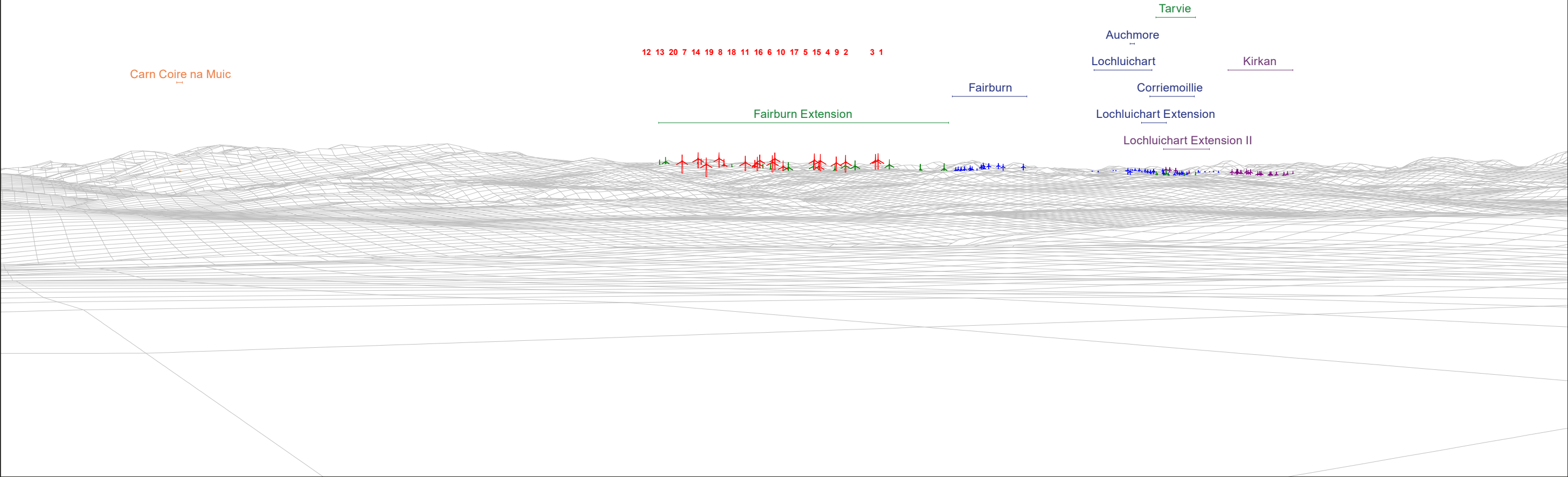




Fig 6.30k
Great Glen Way near Ladycairn

Distance to nearest turbine: 13,633m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 50mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 19/09/2024 14:30

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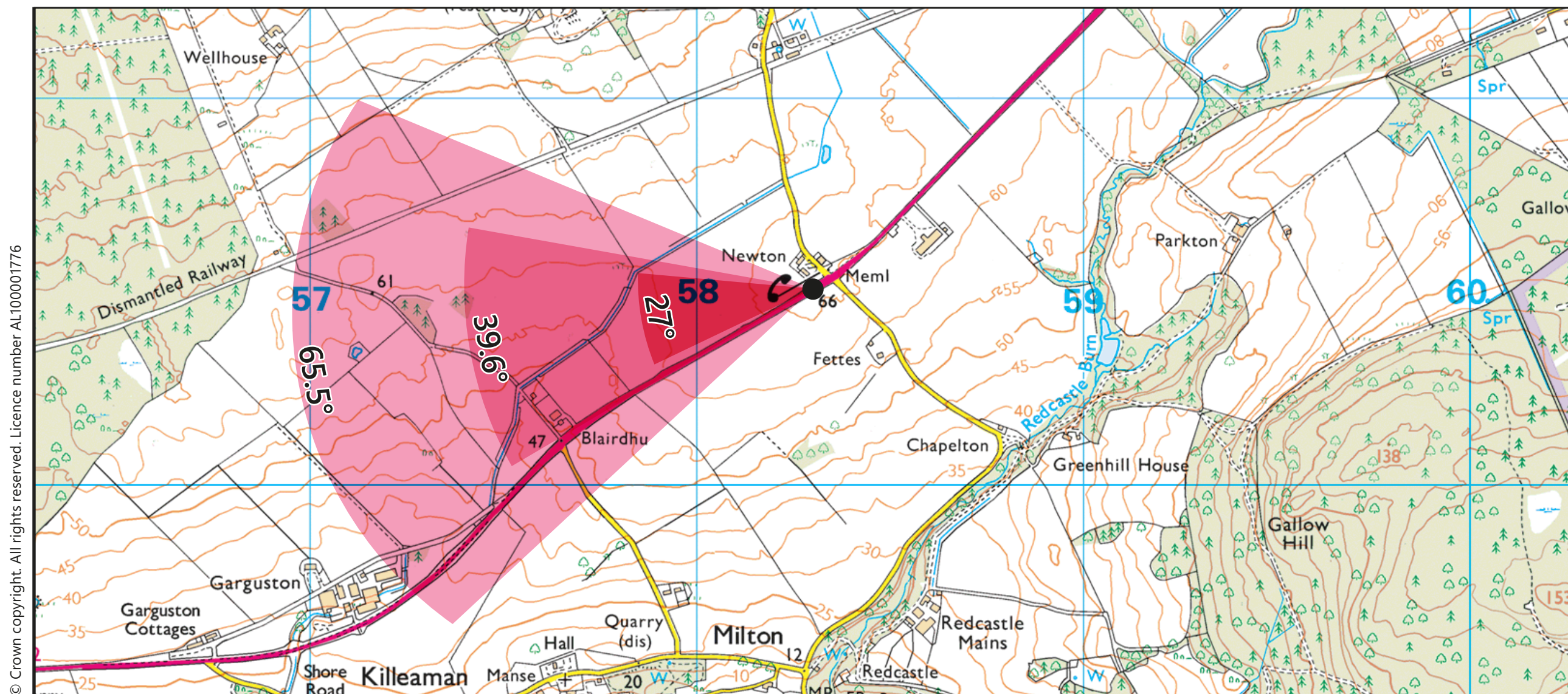


Fig 6.30I
Great Glen Way near Ladycairn

Distance to nearest turbine: 13,633m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 75mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 19/09/2024 14:30

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Figure 6.31f - Viewpoint 14: A832 West of Tore



Grid Reference: 258260, 850456

Distance to nearest turbine: 13,710m

AOD: 70m

This viewpoint is located on the A832 to the southwest of Tore as the route passes Fettes and begins to descend towards Muir of Ord.

Extent of 50mm single frame



Figure 6.31g
A832 West of Tore

Distance to nearest turbine: 13,710m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27°) x 28mm horizontal (65.5°)

Camera height: 1.5m

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Figure 6.31h



Viewpoint 14 Existing View

Viewpoint 14 Wireline Overlay



Figure 6.31i



Viewpoint 14 Existing View

Viewpoint 14 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

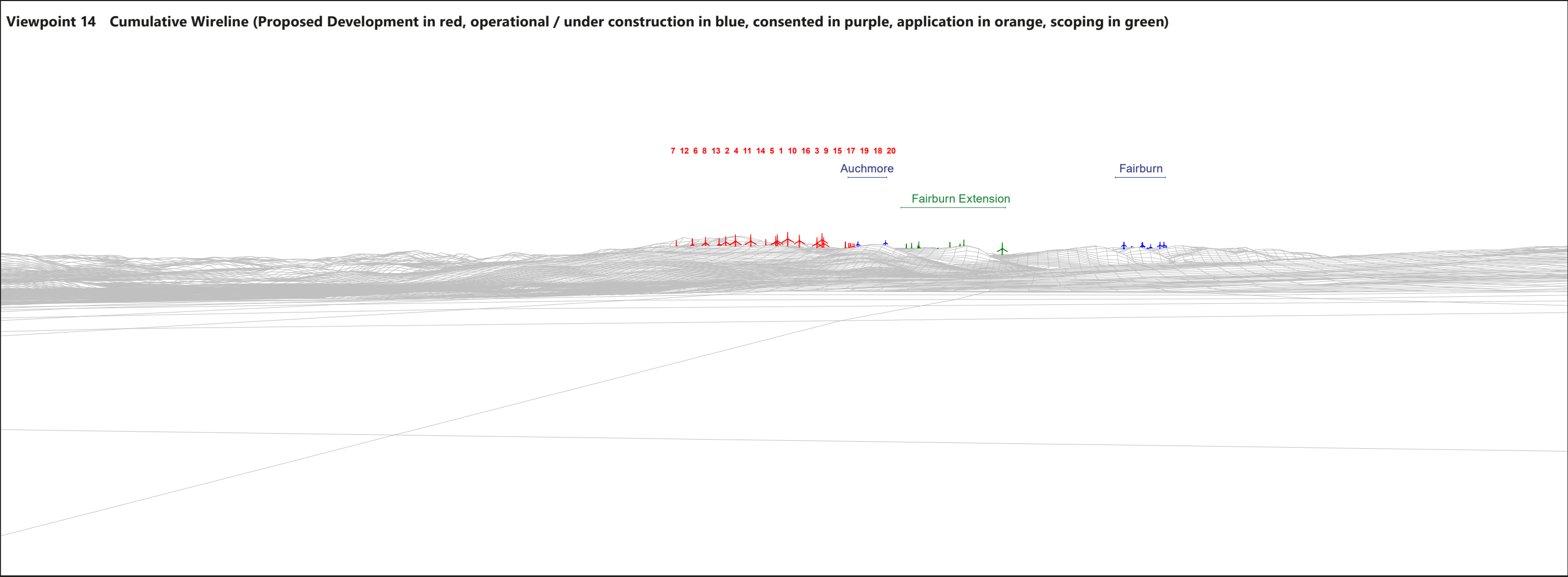




Fig 6.31j
A832 West of Tore

Distance to nearest turbine: 13,710m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 50mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 18/09/2024 13:00

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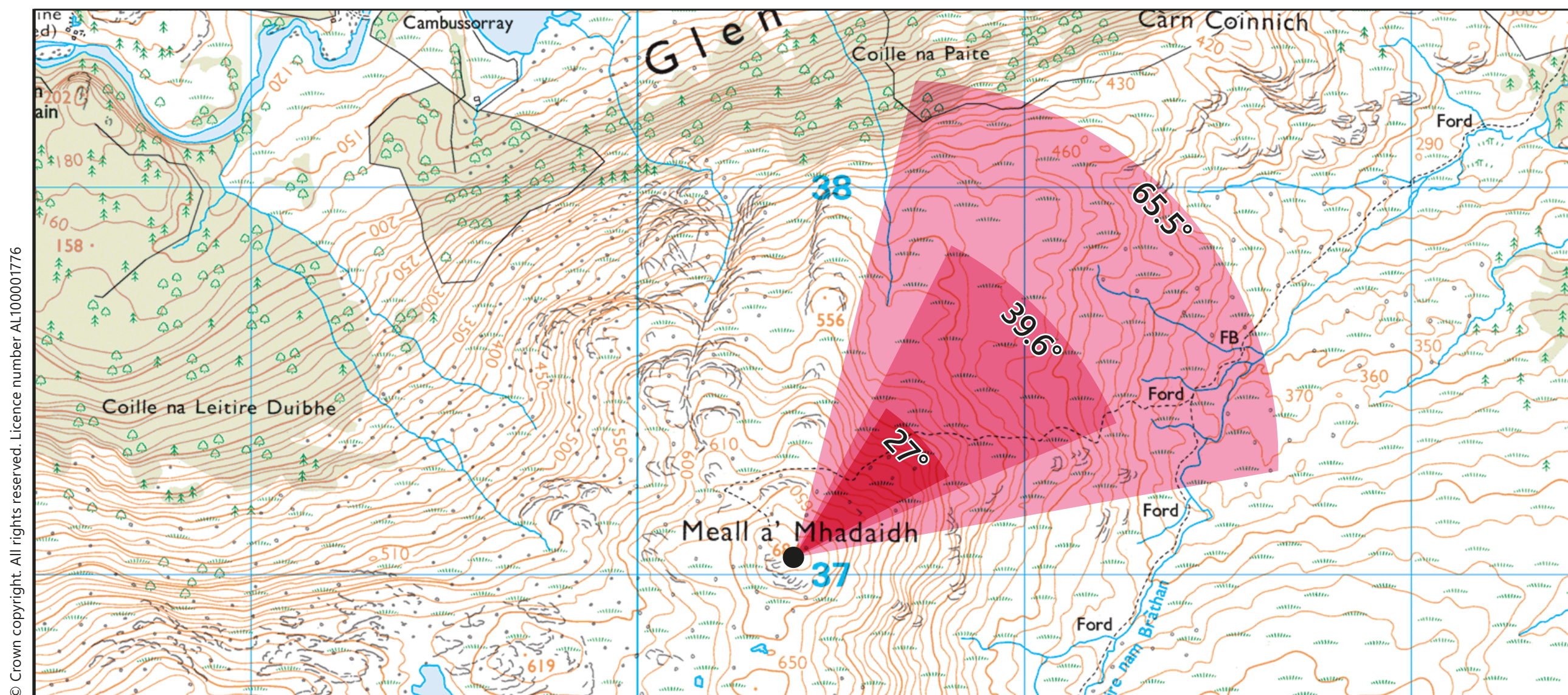


Fig 6.31k
A832 West of Tore

Distance to nearest turbine: 13,710m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 75mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 18/09/2024 13:00

This image should be viewed at a comfortable arms length (approx. 500mm)

Figure 6.32i - Viewpoint 15: Meall a 'Mhadaibh



Grid Reference: 230413, 837020

Distance to nearest turbine: 14,529m

AOD: 684m

This viewpoint is located at the summit of Meall a' Mhadaibh, to the south of Loch Beannacharan and Glen Strathfarrar, located within the Glen Strathfarrar NSA and Central Highlands WLA.

Extent of 50mm single frame



Figure 6.32j
Meall a 'Mhadaibh

Distance to nearest turbine: 14,529m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27°) x 28mm horizontal (65.5°) Camera height: 1.5m Date: 07/02/2025 12:45

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Figure 6.32k



Viewpoint 15 Existing View

Viewpoint 15 Wireline Overlay

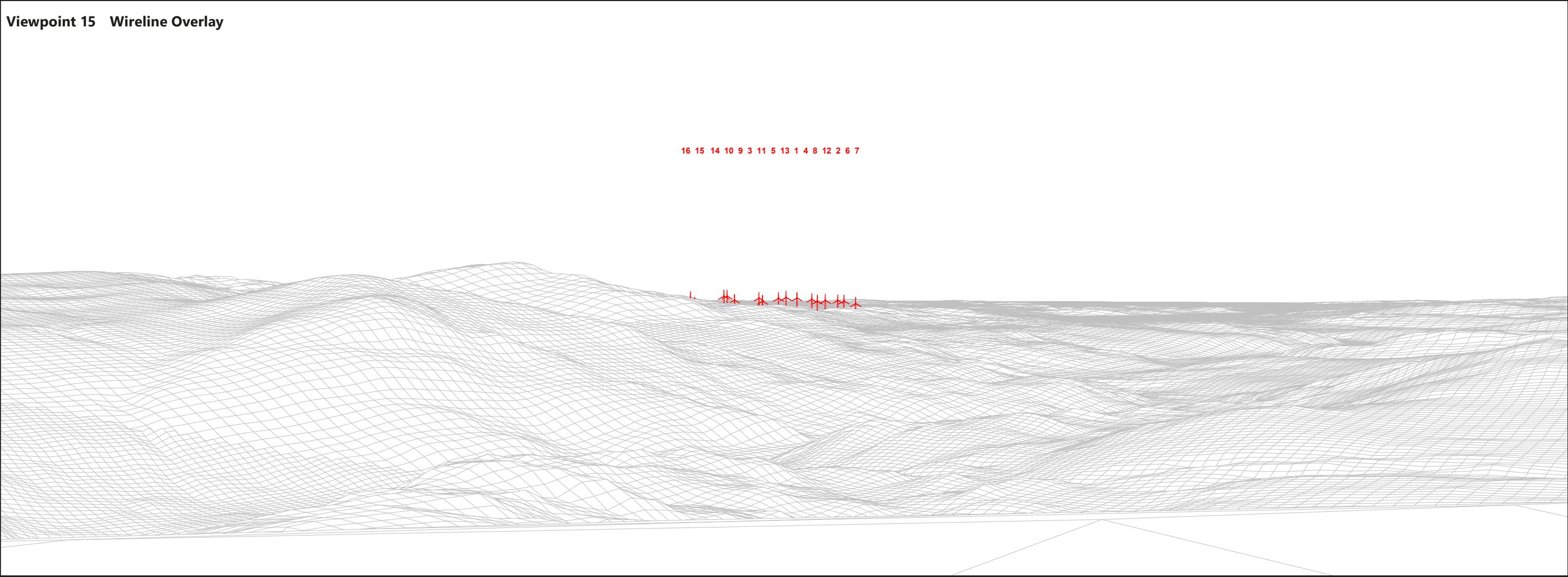


Figure 6.32I



Viewpoint 15 Existing View

Figure 6.32I



Viewpoint 15 Existing View

Viewpoint 15 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

The visualization shows a 3D wireframe landscape with a horizon line. The terrain is represented by a grid of lines. In the center, there are several red wind turbine icons. Above them, the text 'Auchmore' is written in blue, and 'Carn Coire na Muic' is written in orange. Above the turbines, a sequence of numbers is displayed: 16 15 14 10 9 3 11 5 13 1 4 8 12 2 6 7. The numbers are colored: 16, 15, 14, 10, 9, 3, 11, 5, 13, 1, 4, 8, 12, 2, 6, 7 are red, and 1 is blue.

Viewpoint 15 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

16 15 14 10 9 3 11 5 13 1 4 8 12 2 6 7

Auchmore

Carn Coire na Muic

Viewpoint 15 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

Viewpoint 15 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)



Fig 6.32m
Meall a 'Mhadaibh

Distance to nearest turbine: 14,529m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm

Camera height: 1.5m

Date: 07/02/2025 12:45

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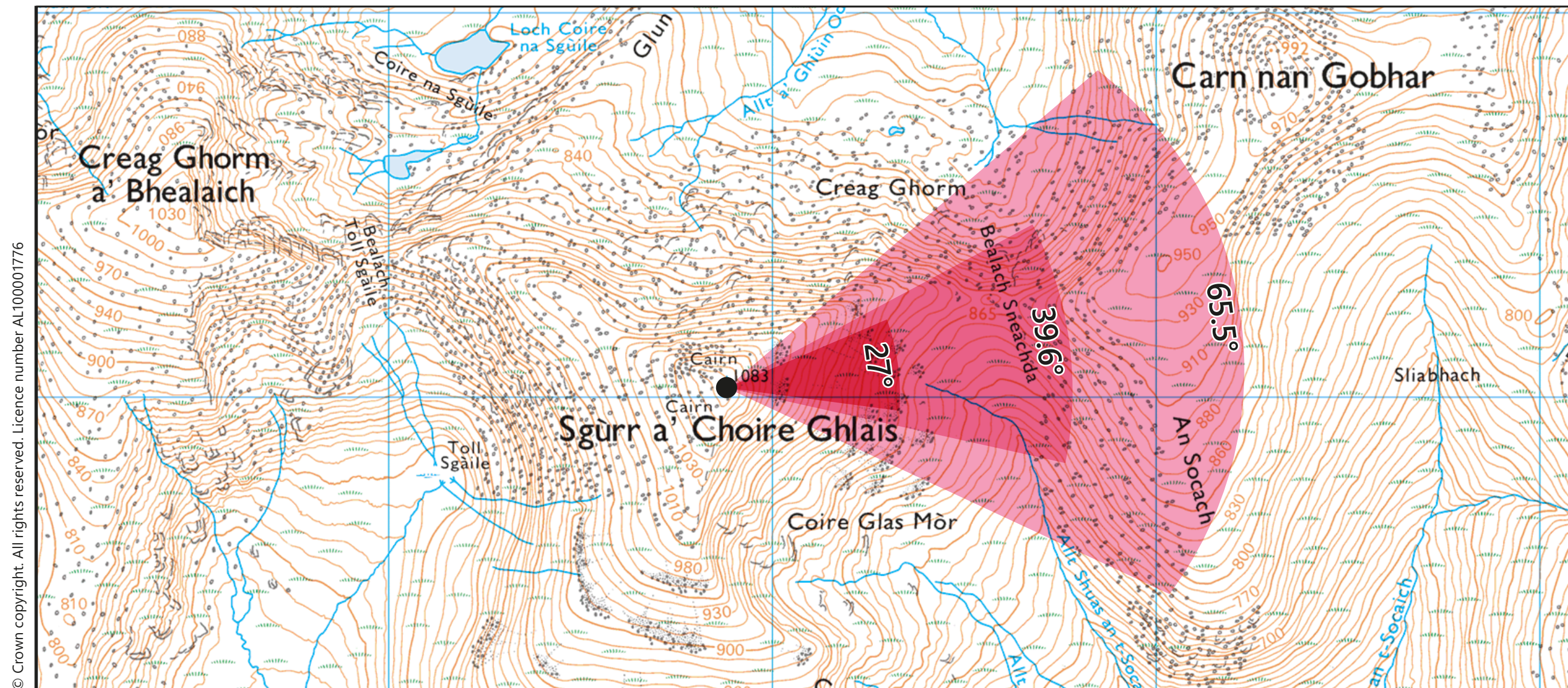


Fig 6.32n
Meall a 'Mhadaibh

Distance to nearest turbine: 14,529m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 75mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 07/02/2025 12:45

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Figure 6.33i - Viewpoint 16: Sgùrr a' Choire Ghlais



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Grid Reference: 225878, 843015

Distance to nearest turbine: 15,200m

AOD: 1,083m

This viewpoint is located at the summit of Sgùrr a'Choire Ghlais, a Munro between Glen Strathfarrar and Glen Orrin situated within the locally designated Strathconon, Monar and Mullardoch SLA and within the Central Highlands WLA.

Extent of 50mm single frame



Photomontage

Figure 6.33j
Sgùrr a' Choire Ghlais

Distance to nearest turbine: 15,200m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27°) x 28mm horizontal (65.5°) Camera height: 1.5m Date: 18/01/2025 15:25

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Figure 6.33k



Viewpoint 16 Existing View

Viewpoint 16 Wireline Overlay

20 19 18 17 15 16 9 3 10 1 5 14 11 4 2

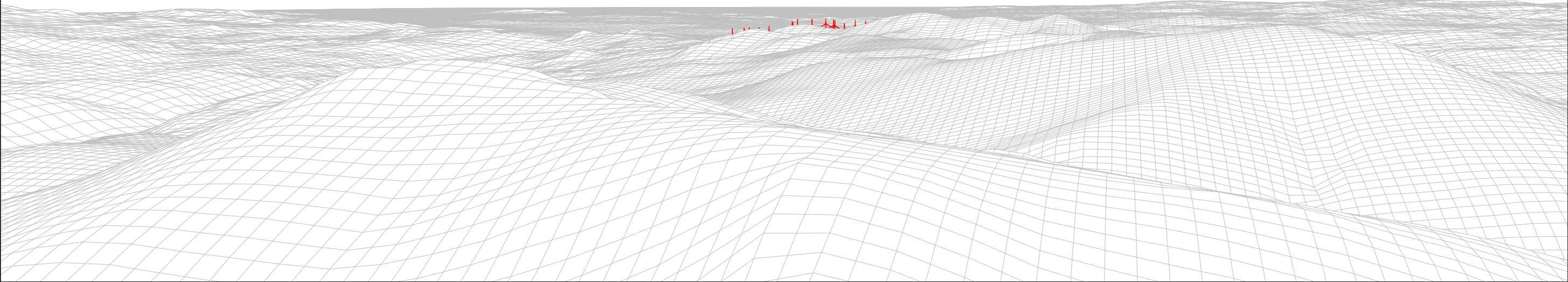


Figure 6.33I



Viewpoint 16 Existing View

Viewpoint 16 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

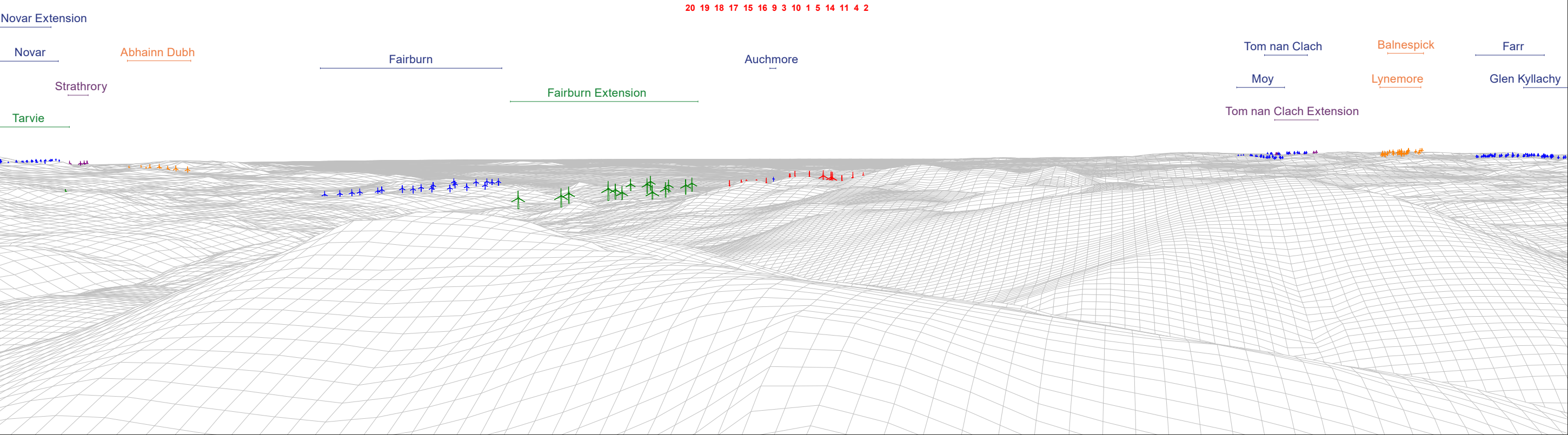




Fig 6.33m
Sgùrr a' Choire Ghlais

Distance to nearest turbine: 15,200m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 50mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 18/01/2025 15:25

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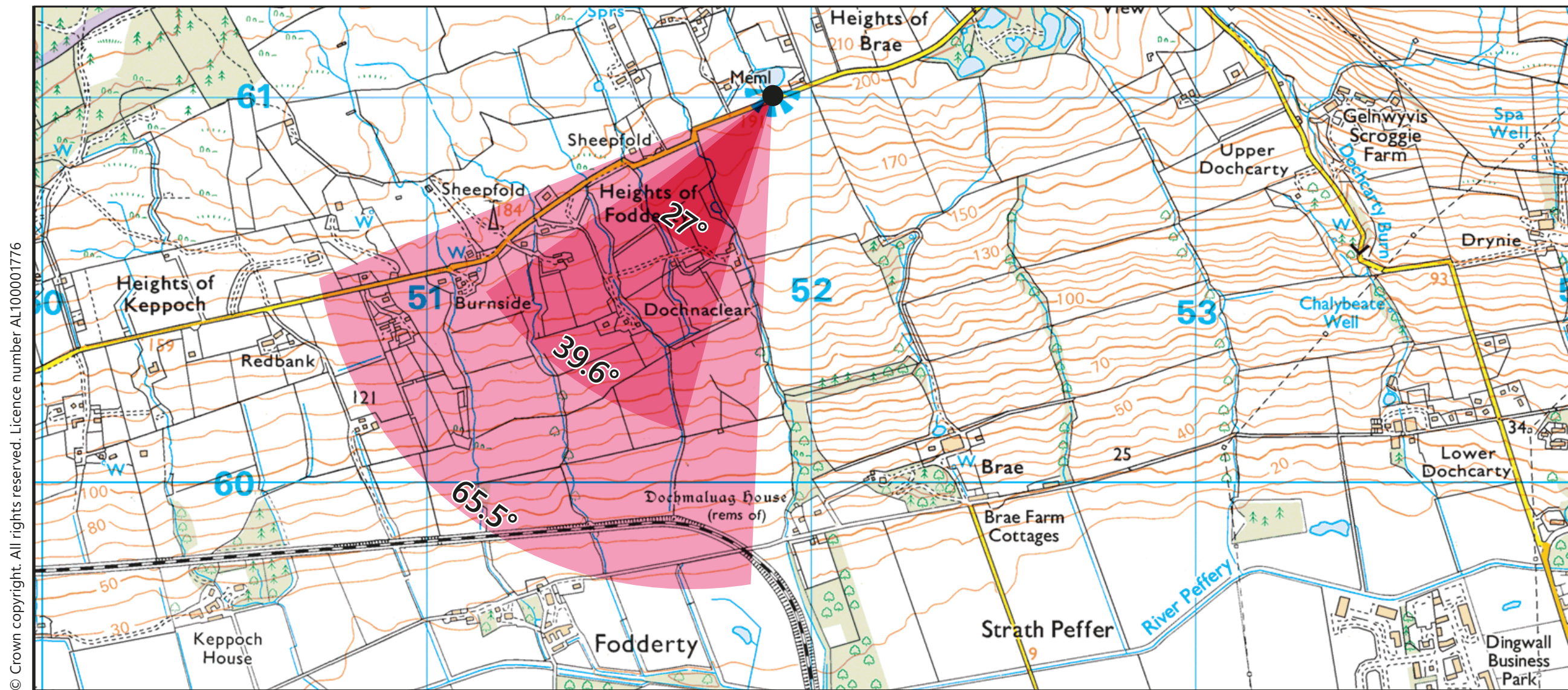


Fig 6.33n
Sgùrr a' Choire Ghlais

Distance to nearest turbine: 15,200m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 75mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 18/01/2025 15:25

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Figure 6.34g - Viewpoint 17: Heights of Brae



Grid Reference: 251971, 861028

Distance to nearest turbine: 15,204m

AOD: 201m

This viewpoint is located at the Neil Gunn Memorial Viewpoint at the Heights of Brae, northwest of Dingwall. The main orientation of the viewpoint is to the south and southeast across Dingwall and the western edge of Cromarty Firth.

Extent of 50mm single frame



Figure 6.34h
Heights of Brae

Distance to nearest turbine: 15,204m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27°) x 28mm horizontal (65.5°) Camera height: 1.5m Date: 18/09/2024 08:00

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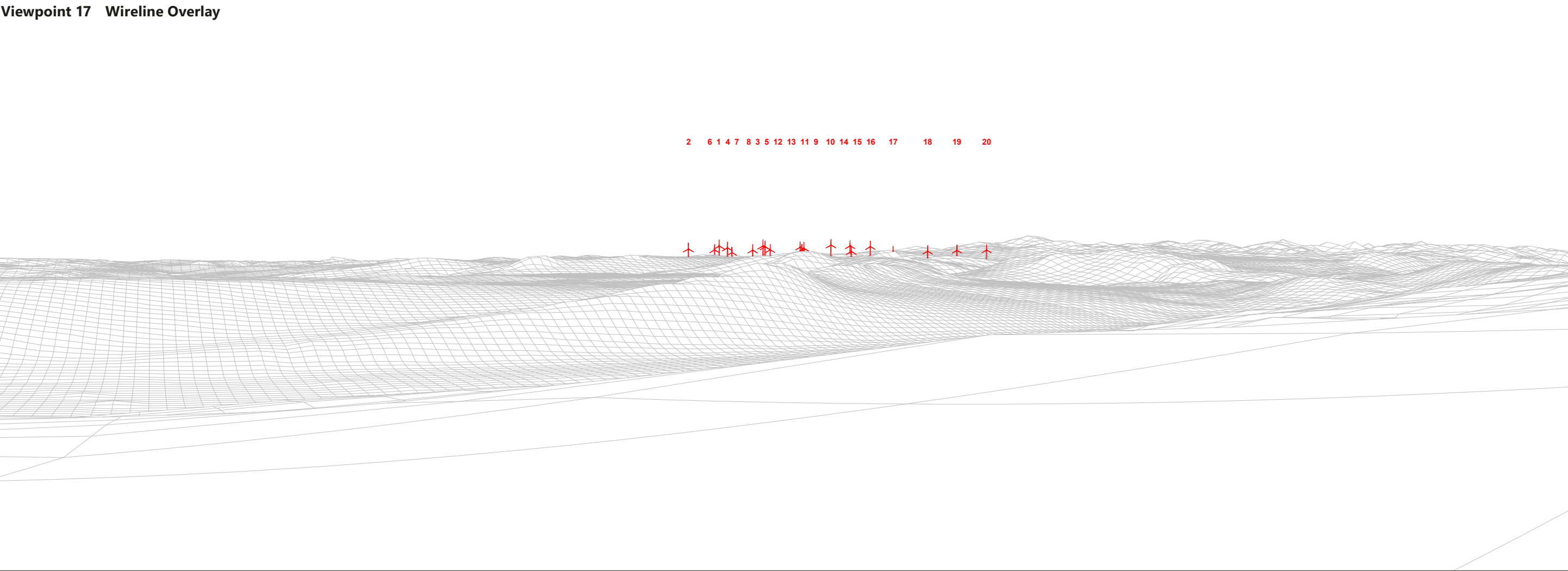


Figure 6.34j



Viewpoint 17 Existing View

Viewpoint 17 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

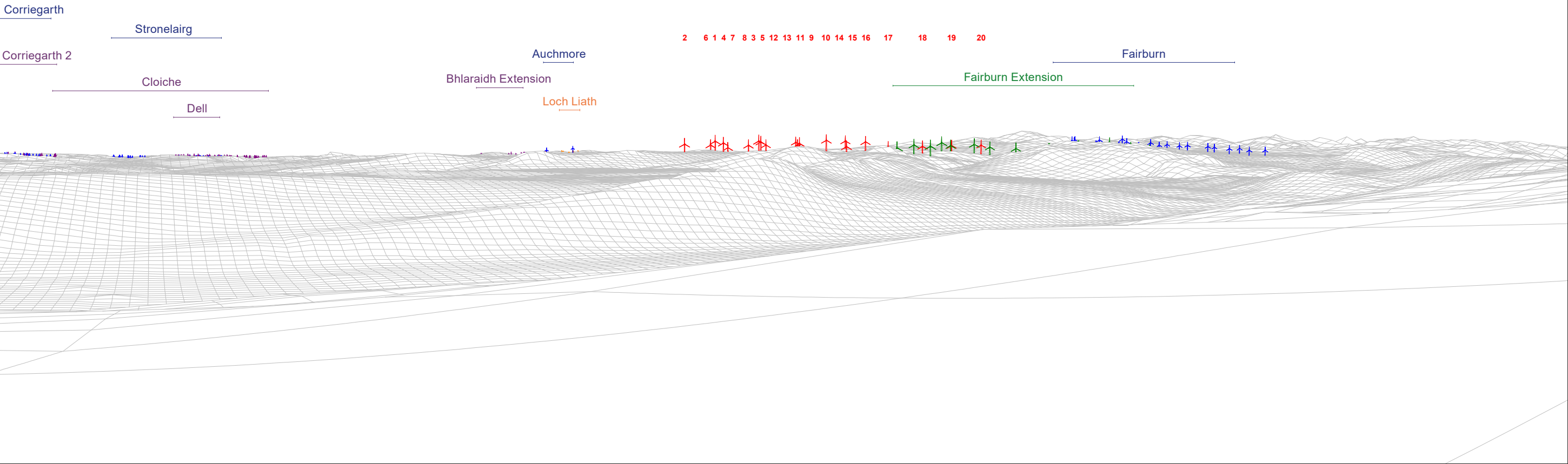




Fig 6.34k
Heights of Brae

Distance to nearest turbine: 15,204m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 50mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 18/09/2024 08:00

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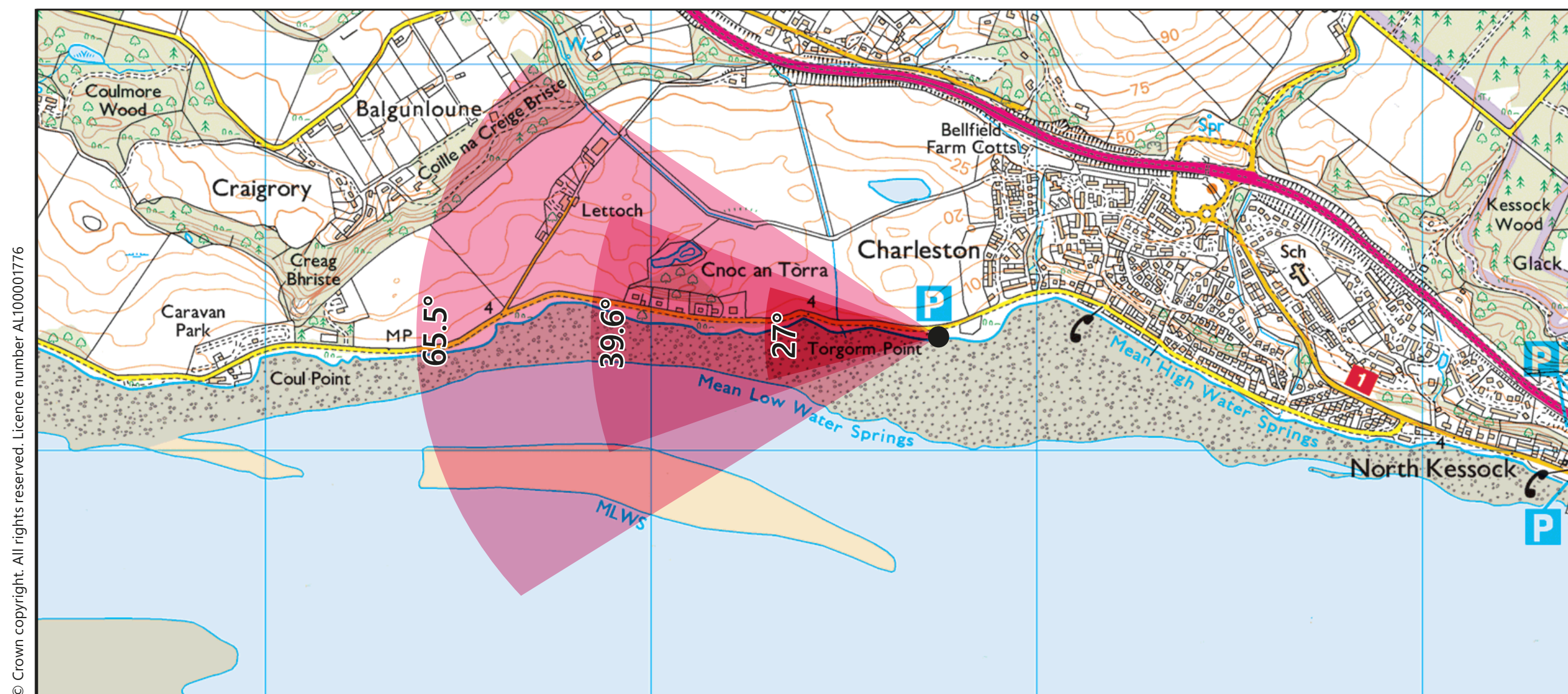


Fig 6.34I
Heights of Brae

Distance to nearest turbine: 15,204m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 75mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 18/09/2024 08:00

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Figure 6.35f - Viewpoint 18: Knockbain - Torgorm



Grid Reference: 263734, 848277

Distance to nearest turbine: 18,769m

AOD: 9m

This viewpoint is located at Knockbain car park and viewing location on the northern shoreline of the Beaully Firth to the west of Charleston and North Kessock.

Extent of 50mm single frame



Figure 6.35g
Knockbain - Torgorm

Distance to nearest turbine: 18,769m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27°) x 28mm horizontal (65.5°)

Camera height: 1.5m

Date: 18/09/2024 12:30

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Figure 6.35h



Viewpoint 18 Existing View

Viewpoint 18 Wireline Overlay

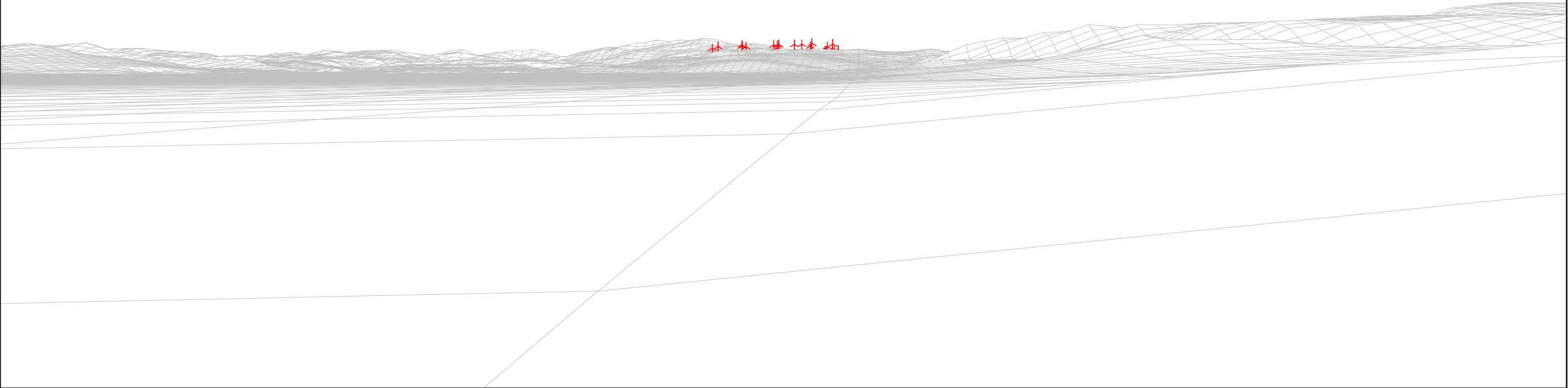


Figure 6.35i



Viewpoint 18 Existing View

Viewpoint 18 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

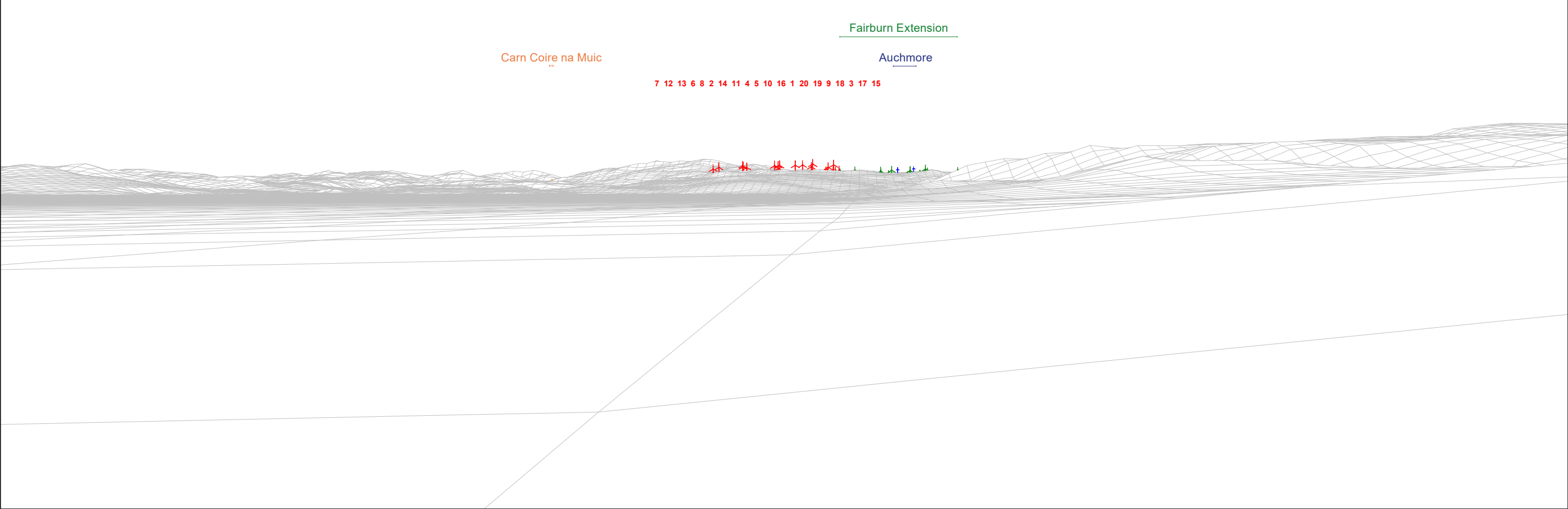




Fig 6.35j
Knockbain - Torgorm

Distance to nearest turbine: 18,769m

Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A

Focal Length: 50mm

Camera height: 1.5m

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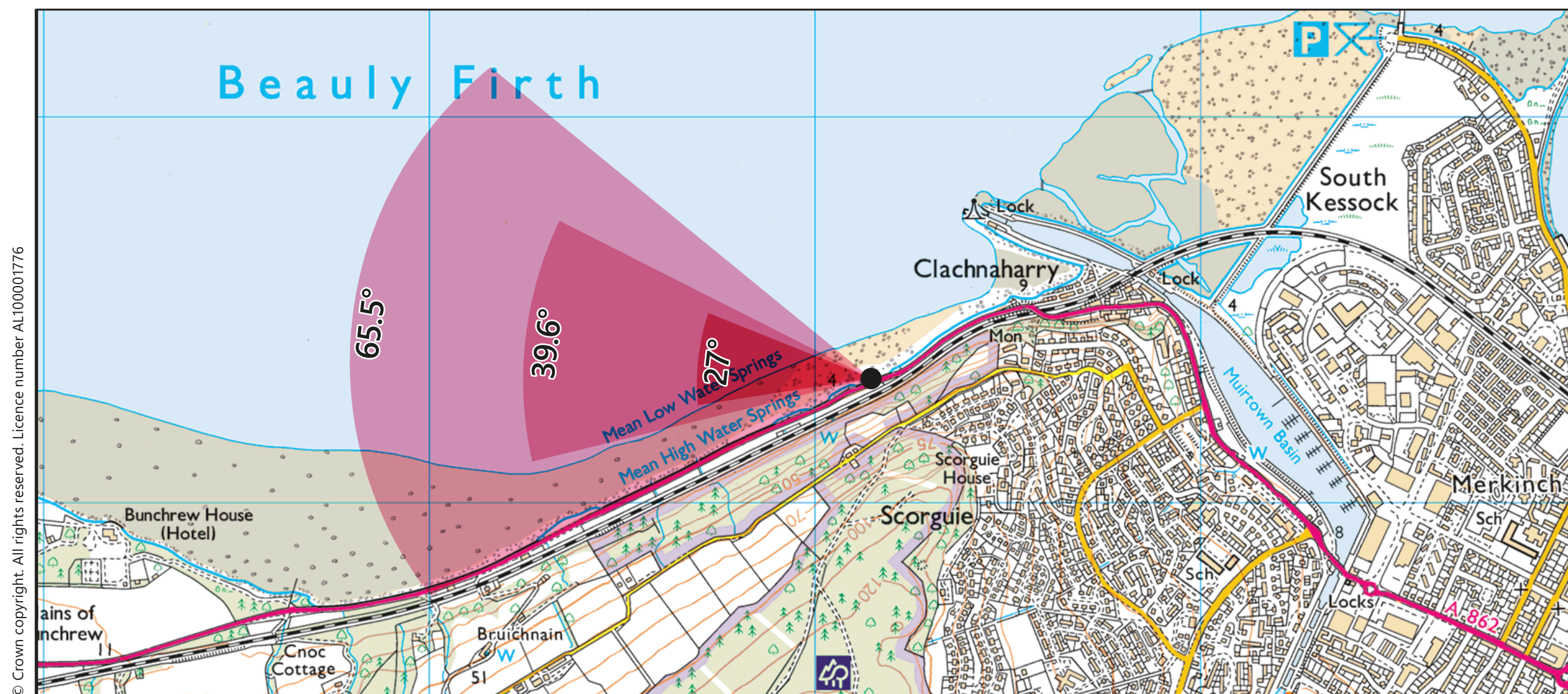


Fig 6.35k
Knockbain - Torgorm

Distance to nearest turbine: 18,769m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 75mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 18/09/2024 12:30

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Figure 6.36f - Viewpoint 19: A862, Clachnaharry



Distance to nearest turbine: 19,089m AOD: 2m

This viewpoint is located at a layby on the busy A862 Clachnaharry Road (part of the NC500 Tourist Route) on the southern shoreline of the Beauly Firth to the west of Inverness.

Extent of 50mm single frame



Figure 6.36g
A862, Clachnaharry

Distance to nearest turbine: 19,089m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27°) x 28mm horizontal (65.5°) Camera height: 1.5m Date: 18/09/2024 13:50

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Figure 6.36h



Viewpoint 19 Existing View

Viewpoint 19 Wireline Overlay

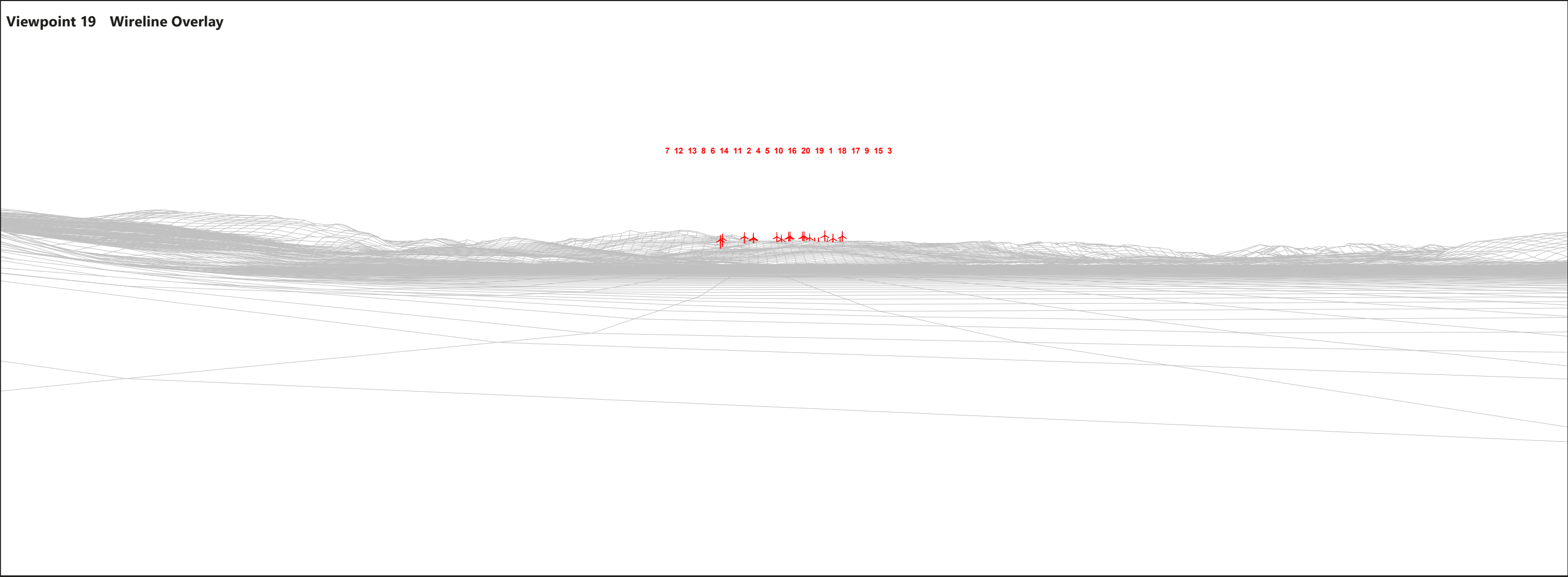


Figure 6.36i



Viewpoint 19 Existing View

Viewpoint 19 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

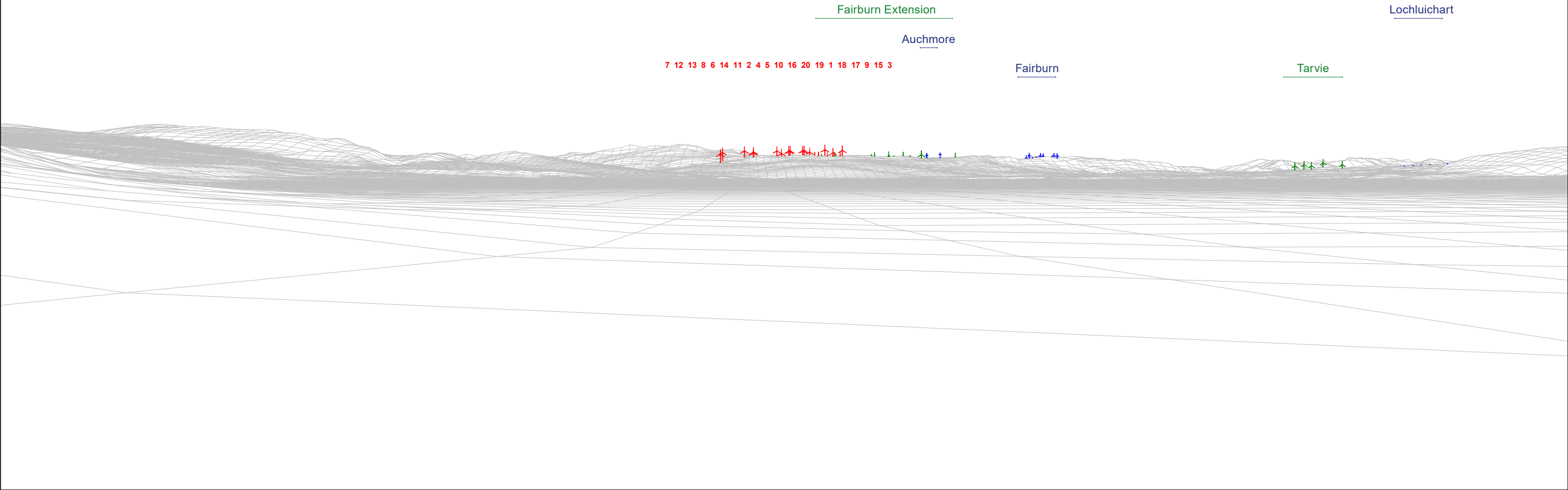




Fig 6.36j
A862, Clachnaharry

Distance to nearest turbine: 19,089m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 50mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 18/09/2024 13:50

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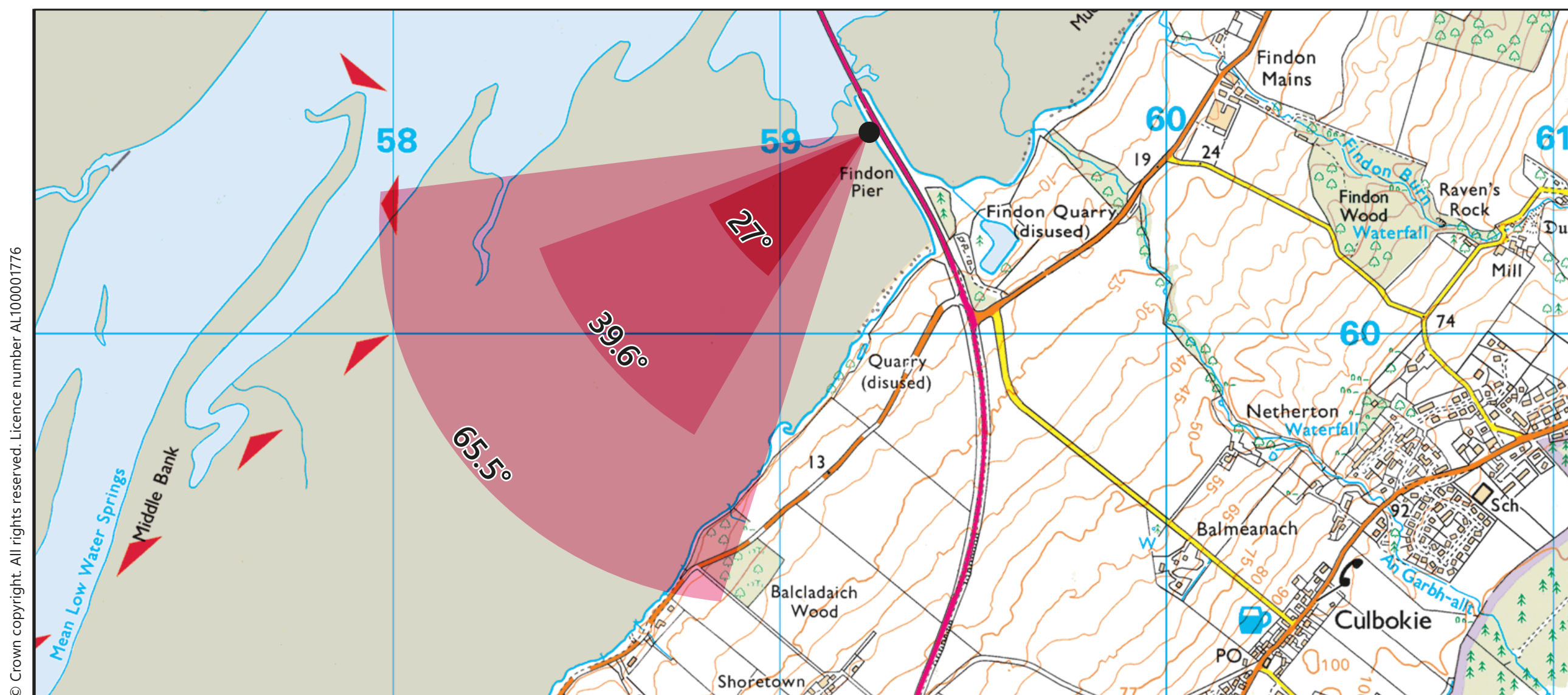


Fig 6.36k
A862, Clachnaharry

Distance to nearest turbine: 19,089m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 75mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 18/09/2024 13:50

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Figure 6.37f - Viewpoint 20: A9, Cromarty Firth



Grid Reference: 259259, 860510

Distance to nearest turbine: 19,089m

AOD: 21m

This viewpoint is located at a northbound layby on the A9 (part of the NC500 Tourist Route) to the south of Cromarty Bridge.

Extent of 50mm single frame



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Figure 6.37g
A9, Cromarty Firth

Distance to nearest turbine: 19,089m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27°) x 28mm horizontal (65.5°) Camera height: 1.5m Date: 18/09/2024 10:50

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Figure 6.37h



Viewpoint 20 Existing View

Viewpoint 20 Wireline Overlay



Figure 6.37i



Viewpoint 20 Existing View

Viewpoint 20 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

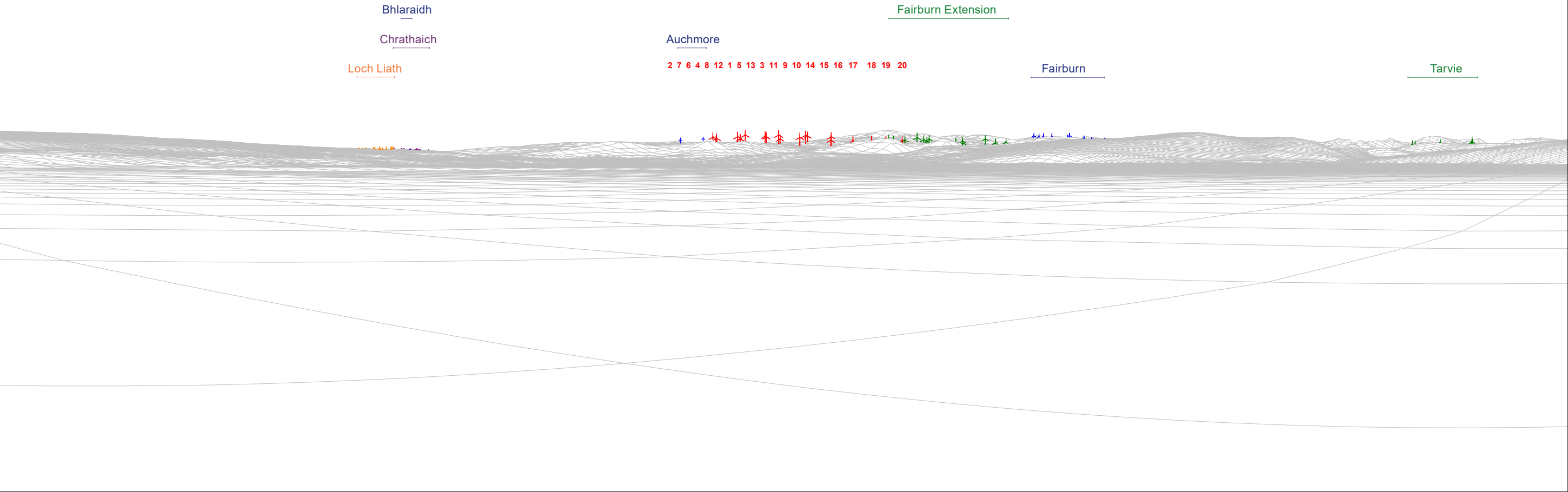




Fig 6.37j
A9, Cromarty Firth

Distance to nearest turbine: 19,089m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 50mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 18/09/2024 10:50

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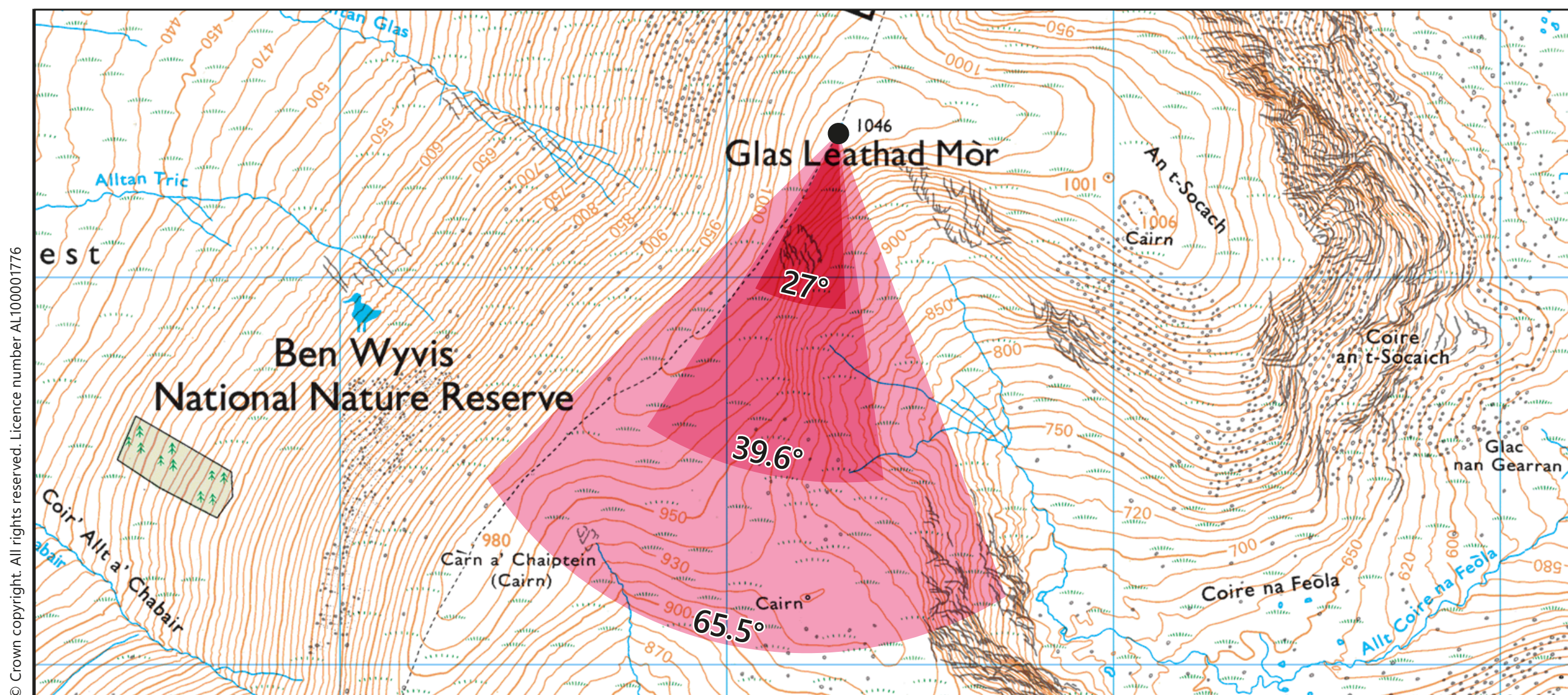


Fig 6.37k
A9, Cromarty Firth

Distance to nearest turbine: 19,089m Camera: Sony ILCE-7RM3A Focal Length: 75mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 18/09/2024 10:50

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Figure 6.38f - Viewpoint 21: Ben Wyvis



Grid Reference: 246301, 868366

Distance to nearest turbine: 20,607m

AOD: 1,046m

This viewpoint is located at the summit of Ben Wyvis (1,046m) which offers 360° panoramic views of the surrounding landscape, and situated within the locally designated Ben Wyvis SLA and within the Rhiddoroch - Beinn Dearg - Ben Wyvis WLA.

Figure 6.38g



Viewpoint 21 Existing View

Viewpoint 21 Wireline Overlay

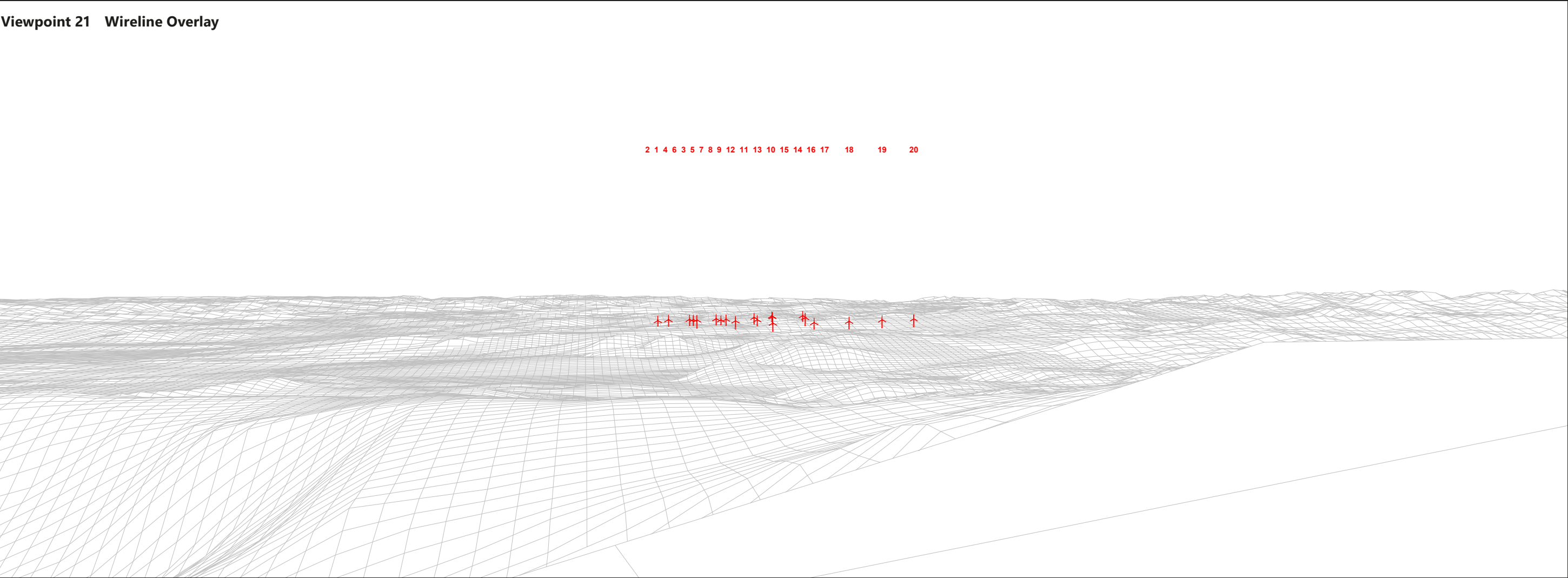


Figure 6.38h



Viewpoint 21 Existing View

Viewpoint 21 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

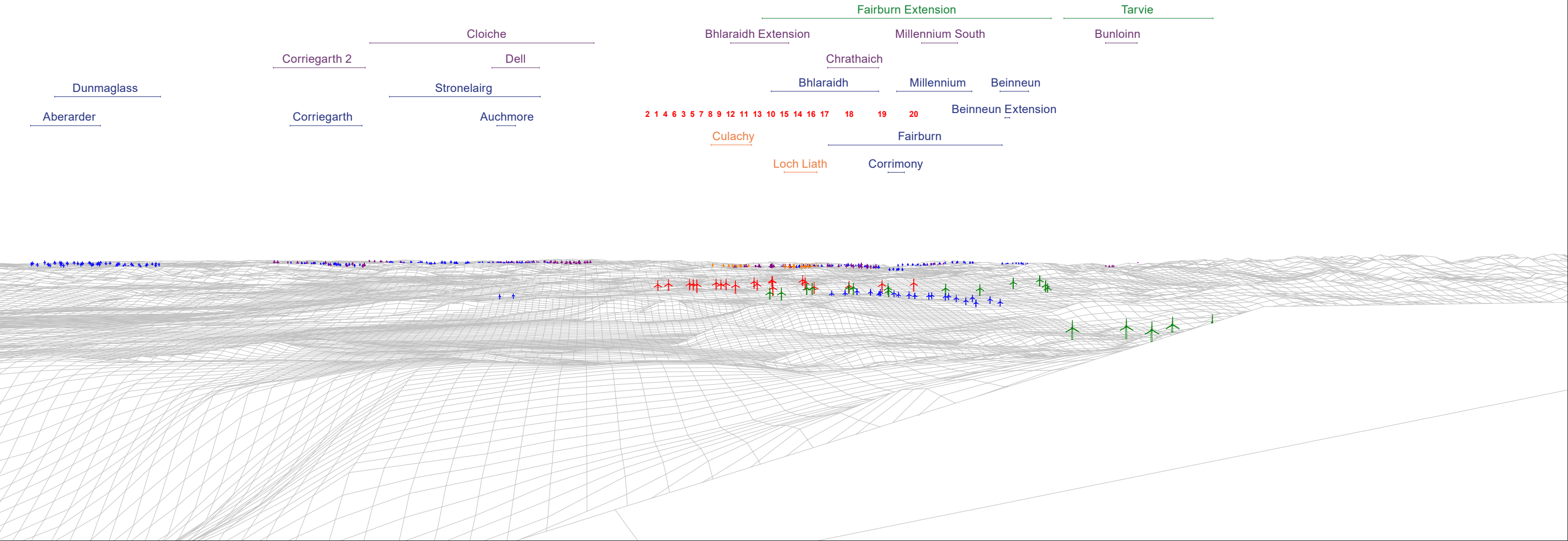
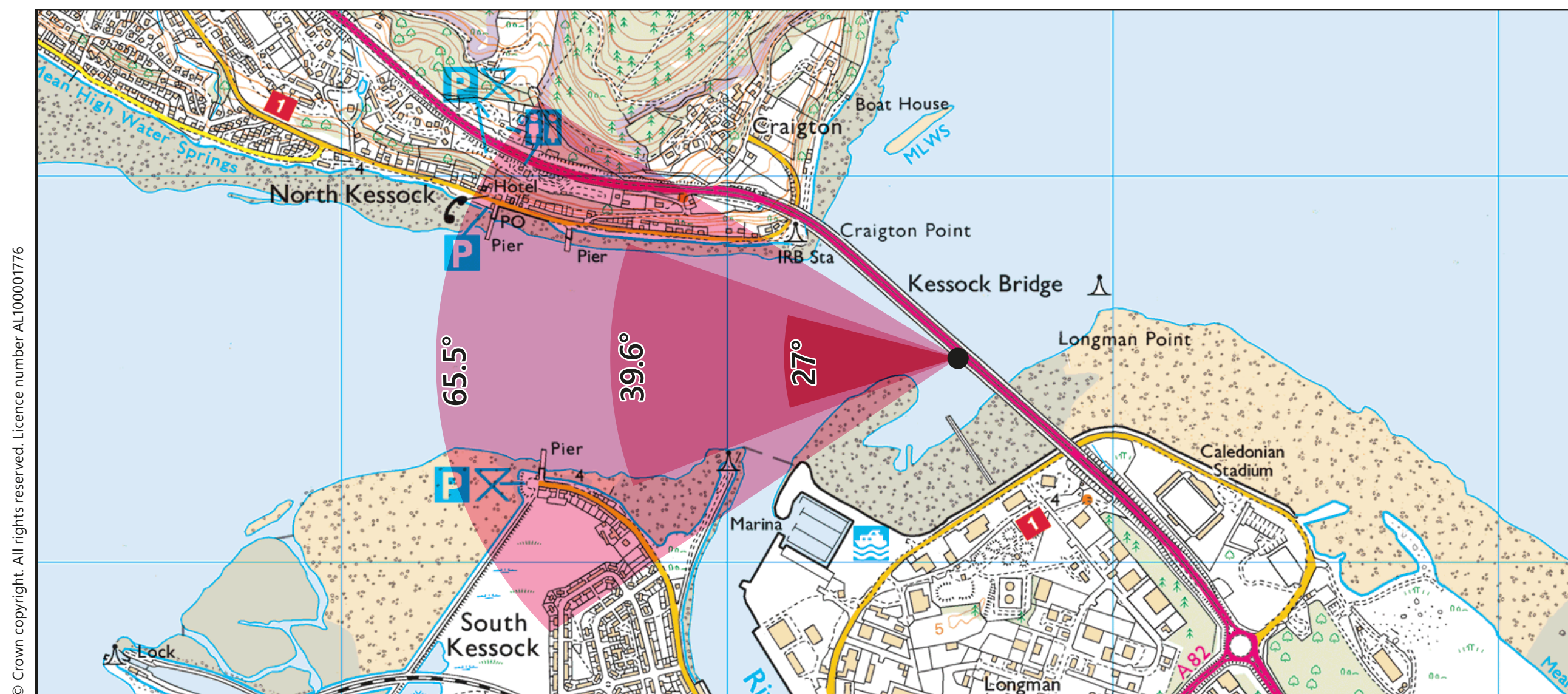


Figure 6.39d - Viewpoint 22: A9, Kessock Bridge



Grid Reference: 266618, 847518

Distance to nearest turbine: 21,612m

AOD: 29m

This viewpoint is located on the A9 (part of the Sustrans National Cycle Route 1 and the John o'Groats Trail) at the Kessock Bridge crossing of the Moray and Beauly Firths, north of Inverness.

Figure 6.39e



Viewpoint 22 Existing View

Viewpoint 22 Wireline Overlay

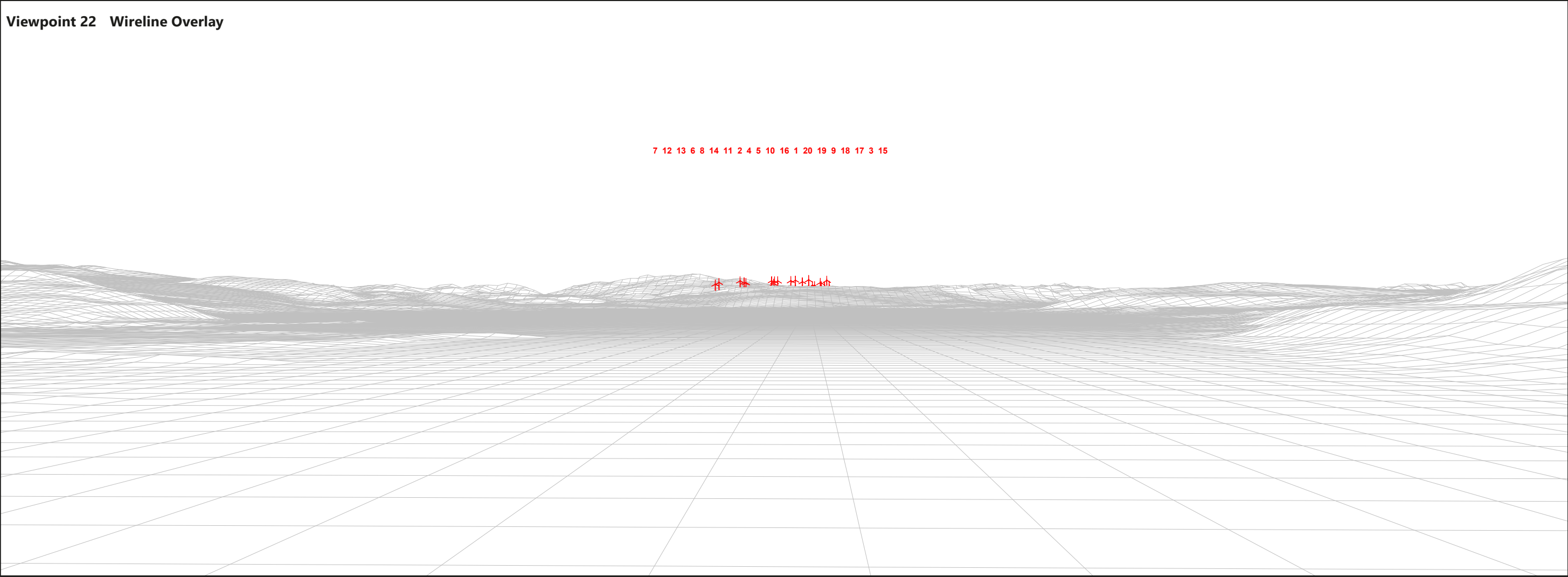


Figure 6.39f



Viewpoint 22 Existing View

Viewpoint 22 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

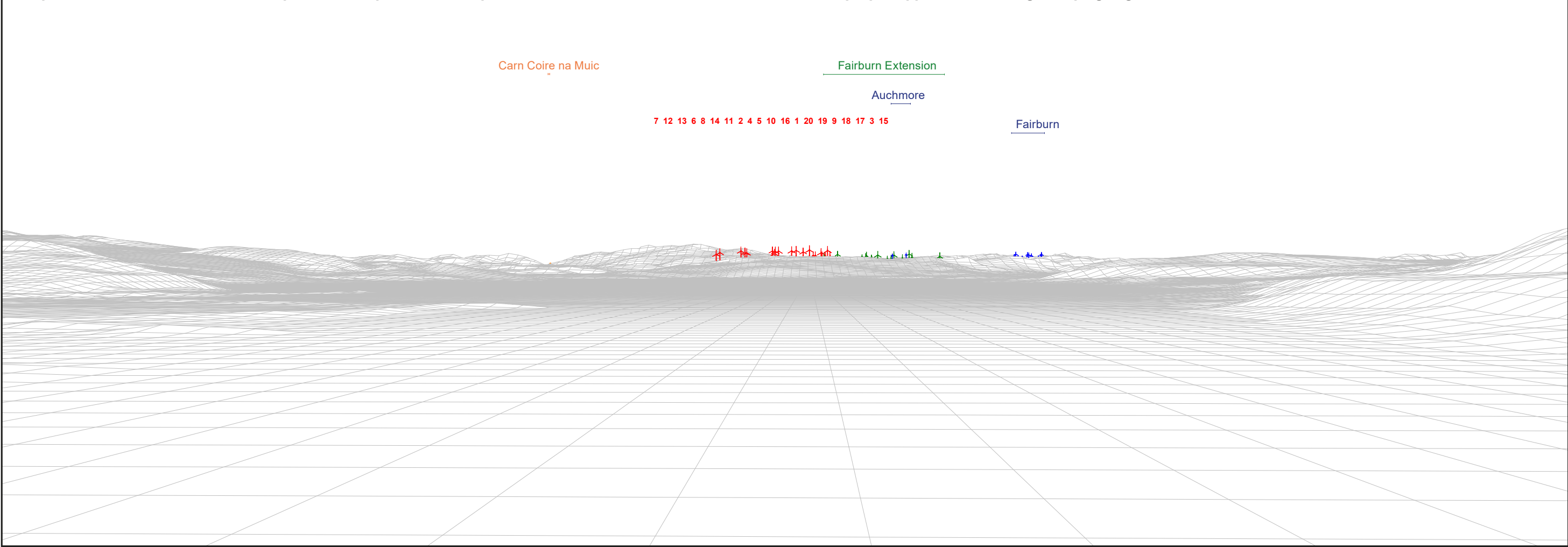
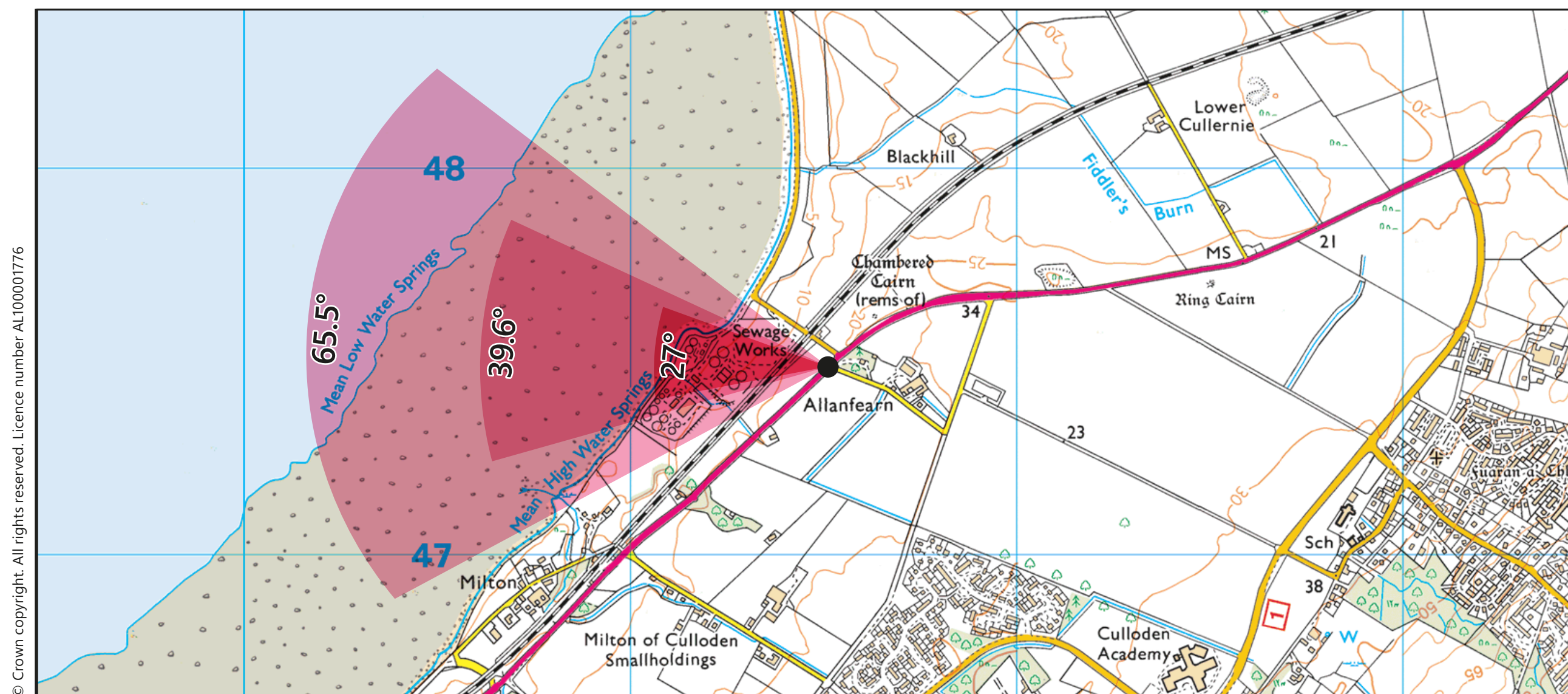


Figure 6.40d - Viewpoint 23: A96, Alturlie Junction



Grid Reference: 271554, 847495

Distance to nearest turbine: 26,546m

AOD: 23m

This viewpoint is located at the Alturlie junction along the A96 westbound.

Figure 6.40e



Viewpoint 23 Existing View

Viewpoint 23 Wireline Overlay

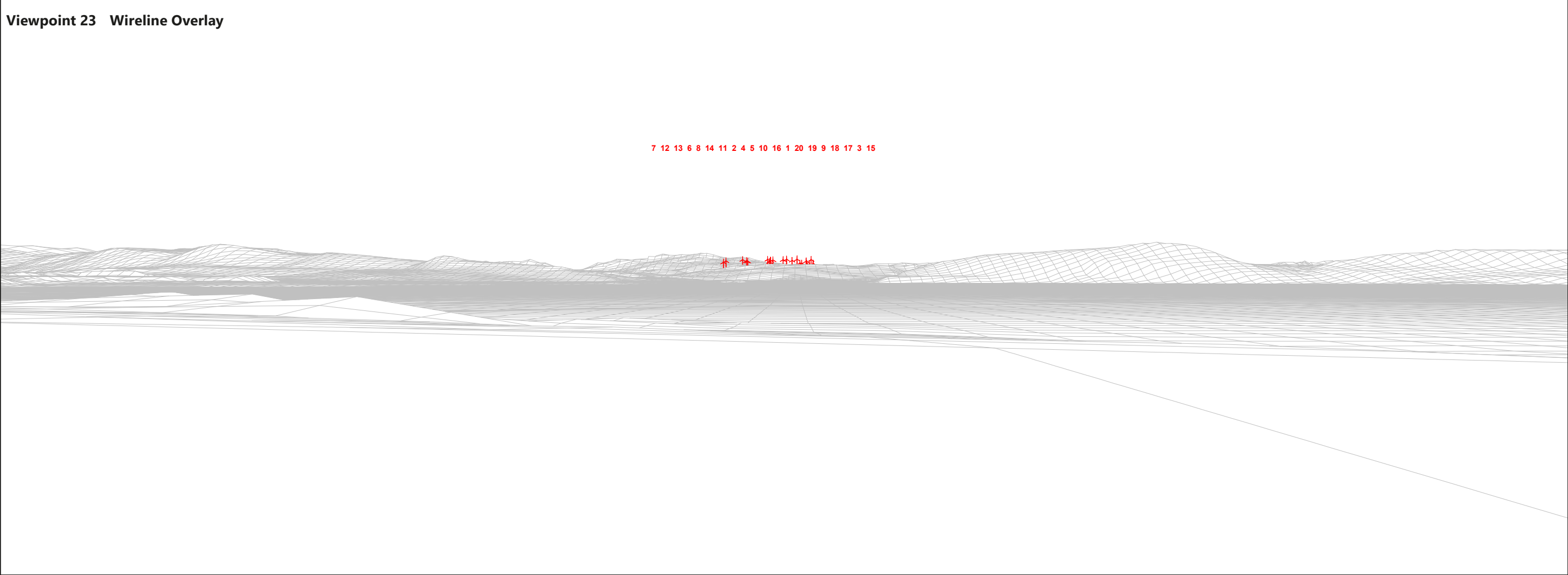


Figure 6.40f



Viewpoint 23 Existing View

Viewpoint 23 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

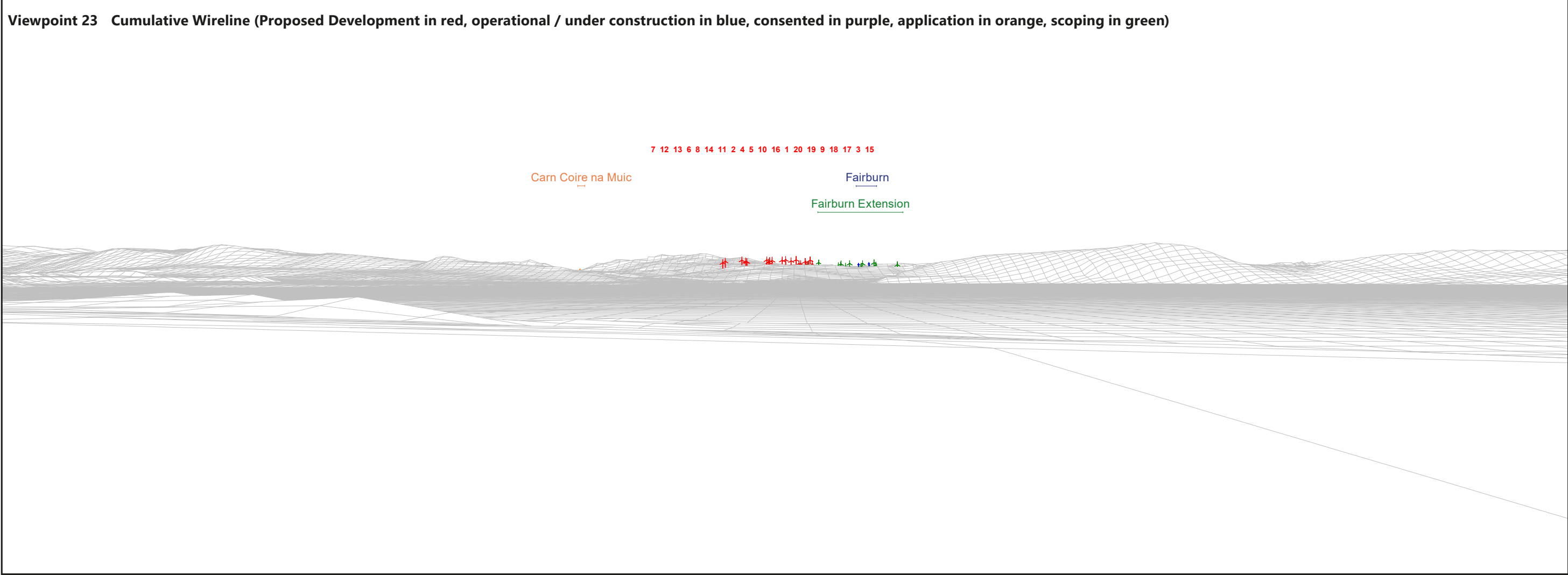
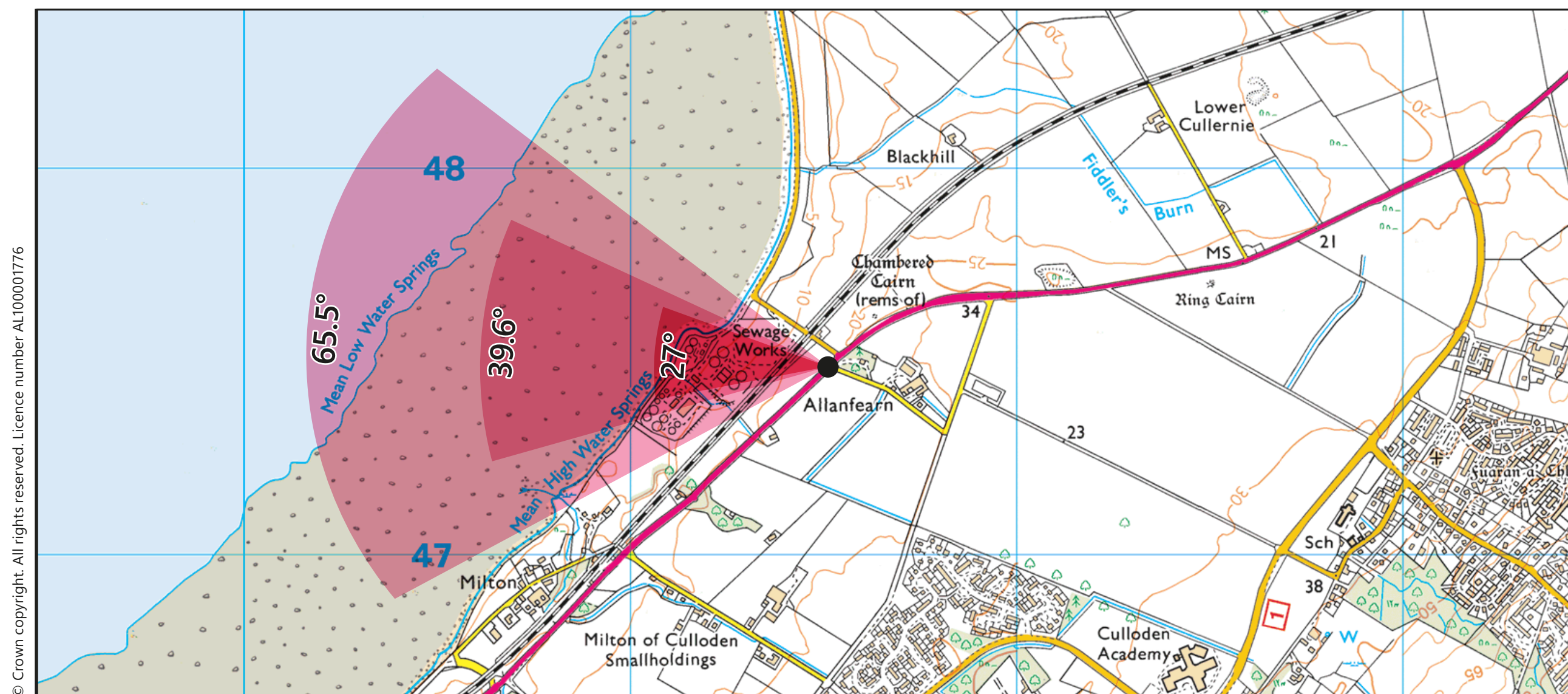


Figure 6.41d - Viewpoint 24: Cnoc Fyrish



Grid Reference: 260754, 869696

Distance to nearest turbine: 27,281m

AOD: 451m

This viewpoint is located at Cnoc Fyrish, next to the Fyrish monument, at an altitude of 451m AOD. The primary views from this location are south / southeast towards the Cromarty Firth, Black Isle and Moray Firth beyond which is a recognised viewpoint.

Figure 6.41e



Viewpoint 24 Existing View

Viewpoint 24 Wireline Overlay



Figure 6.41f



Viewpoint 24 Existing View

Viewpoint 24 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

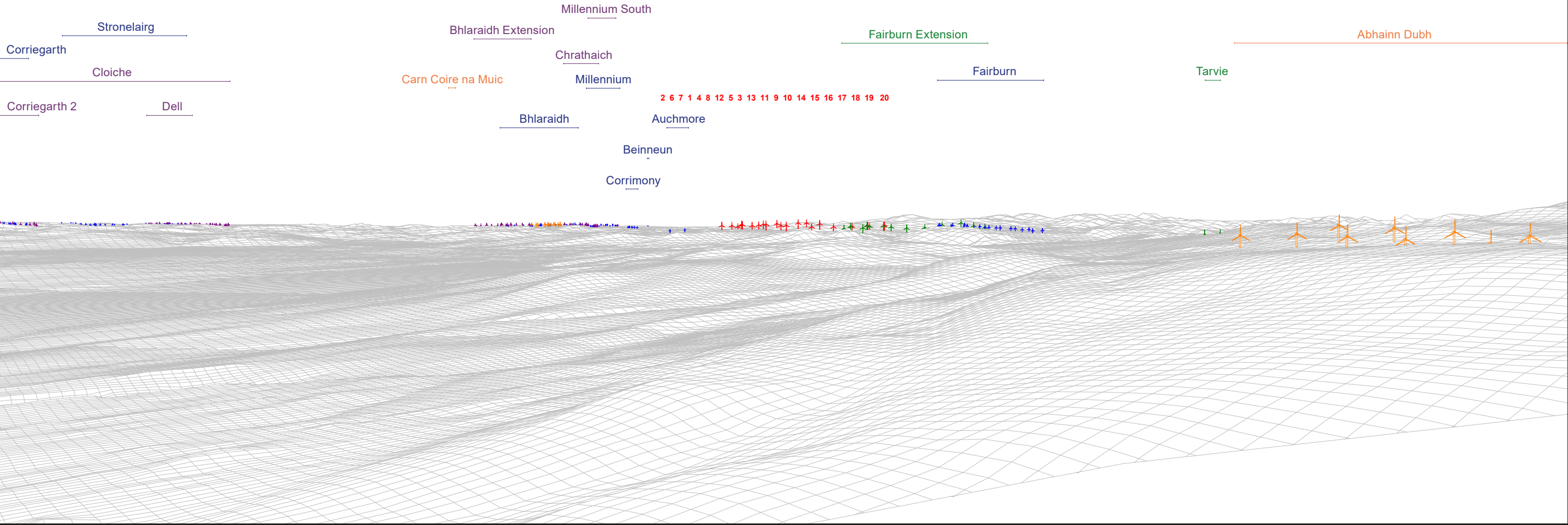
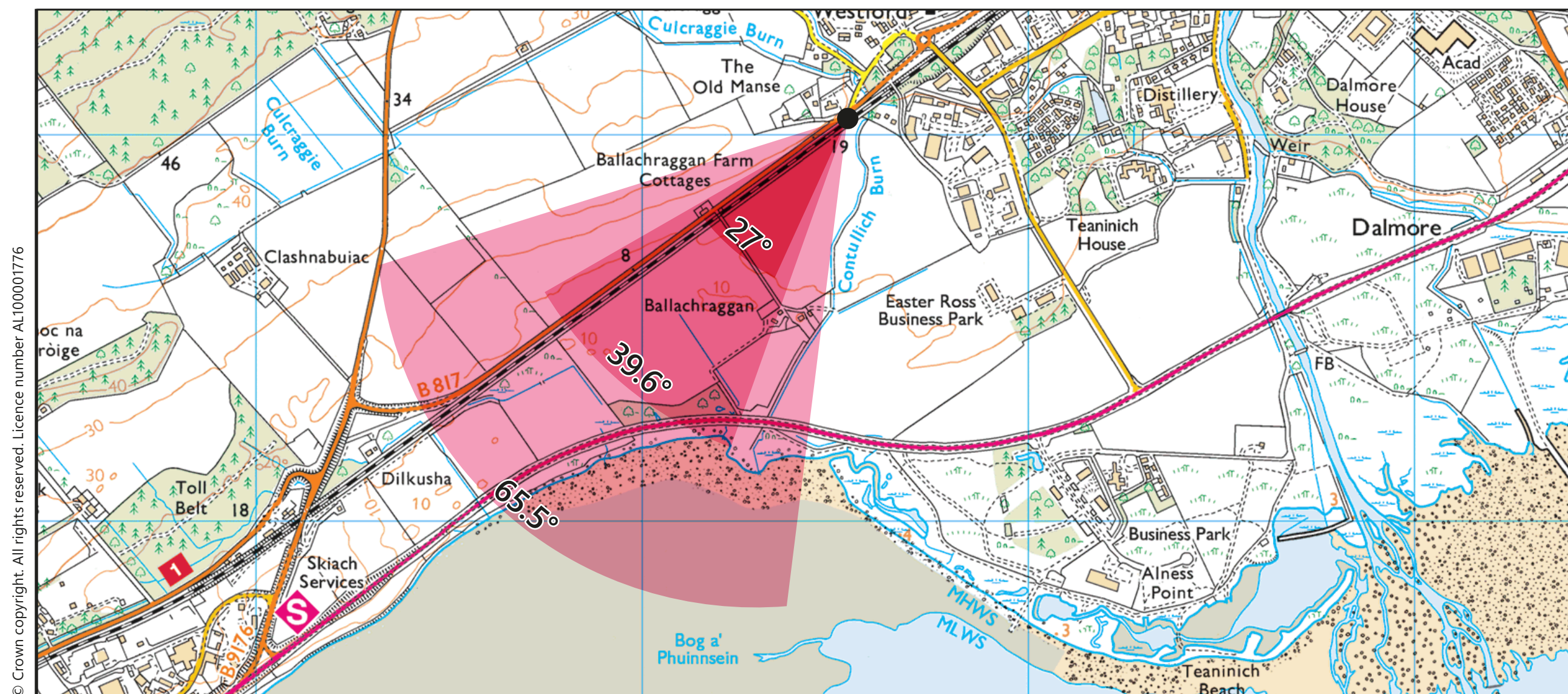


Figure 6.42d - Viewpoint 25: B817, Alness



Grid Reference: 264523, 869039

Distance to nearest turbine: 29,147m

AOD: 20m

This viewpoint is located at on the B817 (part of the Sustrans Cycle Route 1 and John o'Groats Trail) to the southwestern edge of Alness.

Figure 6.42e



Viewpoint 25 Existing View

Viewpoint 25 Wireline Overlay

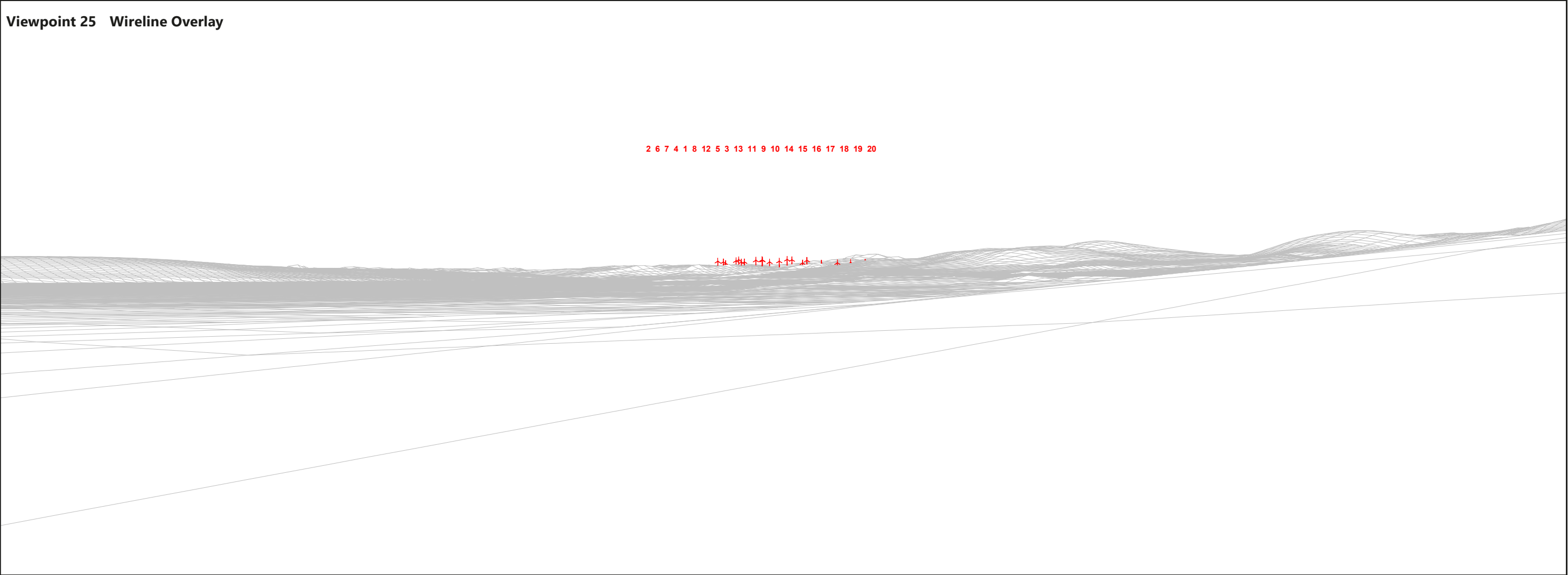


Figure 6.42f



Viewpoint 25 Existing View

Viewpoint 25 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

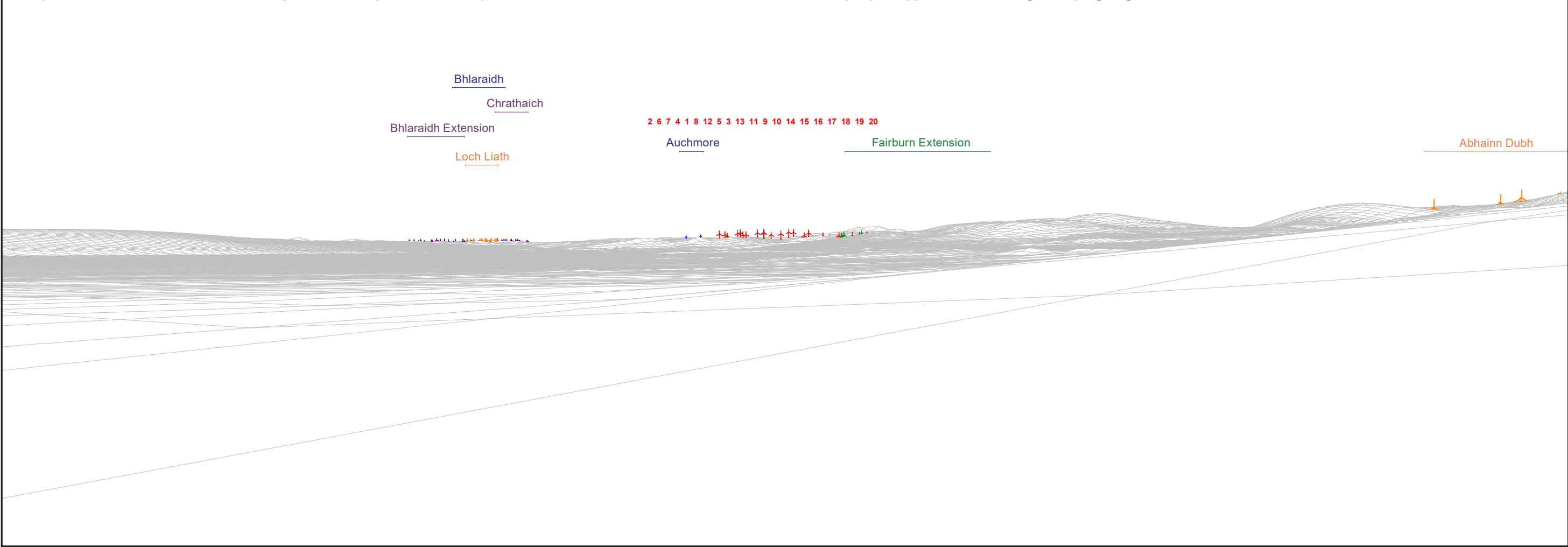
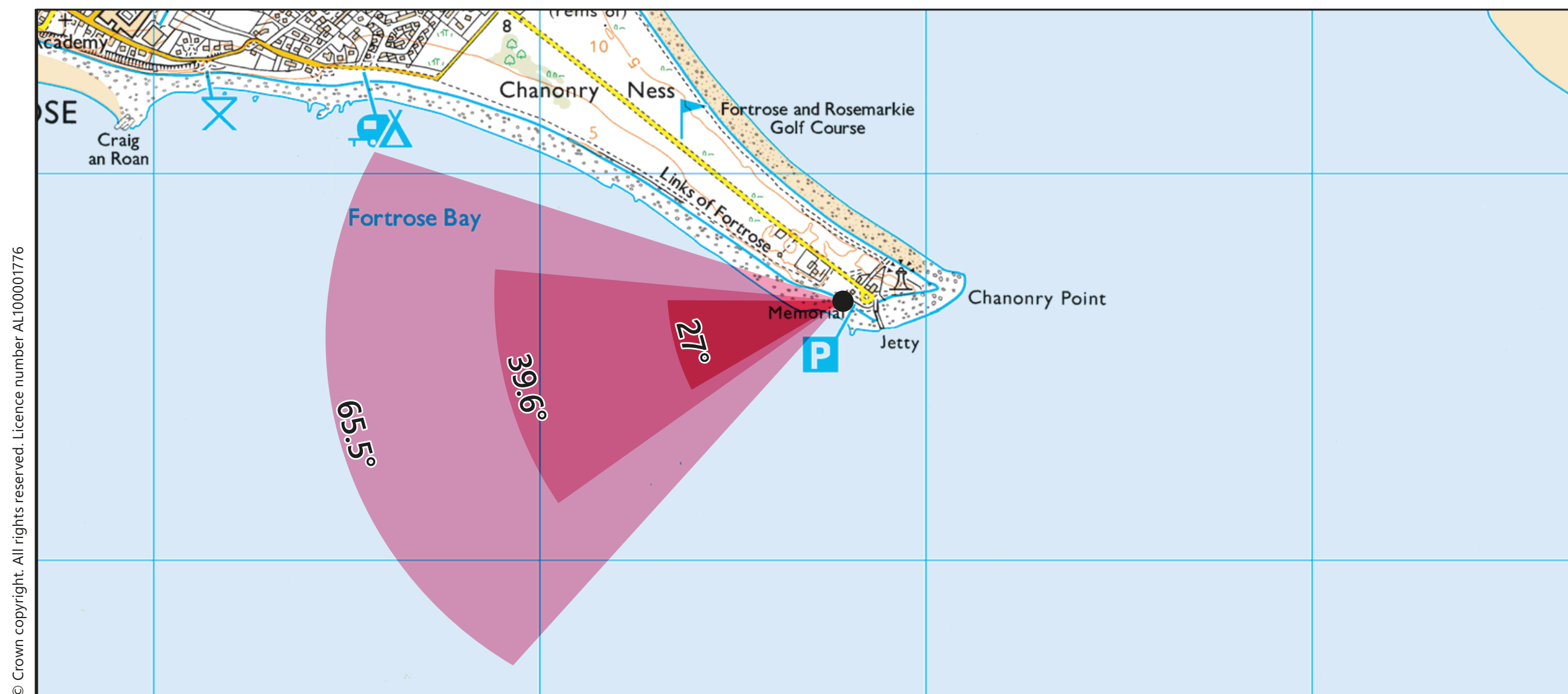


Figure 6.43d - Viewpoint 26: Chanonry Point



Grid Reference: 274788, 855670

Distance to nearest turbine: 31,014m

AOD: 11m

This viewpoint is located on the western side of a signposted parking area with interpretation boards at Chanonry Point, southeast of Fortrose, in the Cromarty Sutors, Rosemarkie and Fort George SLA.

A wide panoramic view of a large body of water, likely a bay or fjord, under a clear blue sky. In the foreground, a pebbly shoreline with seaweed is visible on the right. The water extends to a distant horizon with low hills and a small town on the right side. The sky is a deep blue with some light, wispy clouds near the horizon. The water is a darker blue with some ripples. The shoreline is composed of small, dark pebbles and seaweed. The hills in the background are green and brown, with some buildings visible on the right side. The overall scene is a serene landscape view.

Figure 6.43e

Viewpoint 26 Existing View

Viewpoint 26 Wireline Overlay

7 12 6 8 13 2 4 11 5 14 1 10 3 16 9

Viewpoint 26 Wireline Overlay

7 12 6 8 13 2 4 11 5 14 1 10 3 16 9

Viewpoint 26 Wireline Overlay

7 12 6 8 13 2 4 11 5 14 1 10 3 16 9

Figure 6.43f



Viewpoint 26 Existing View

Viewpoint 26 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

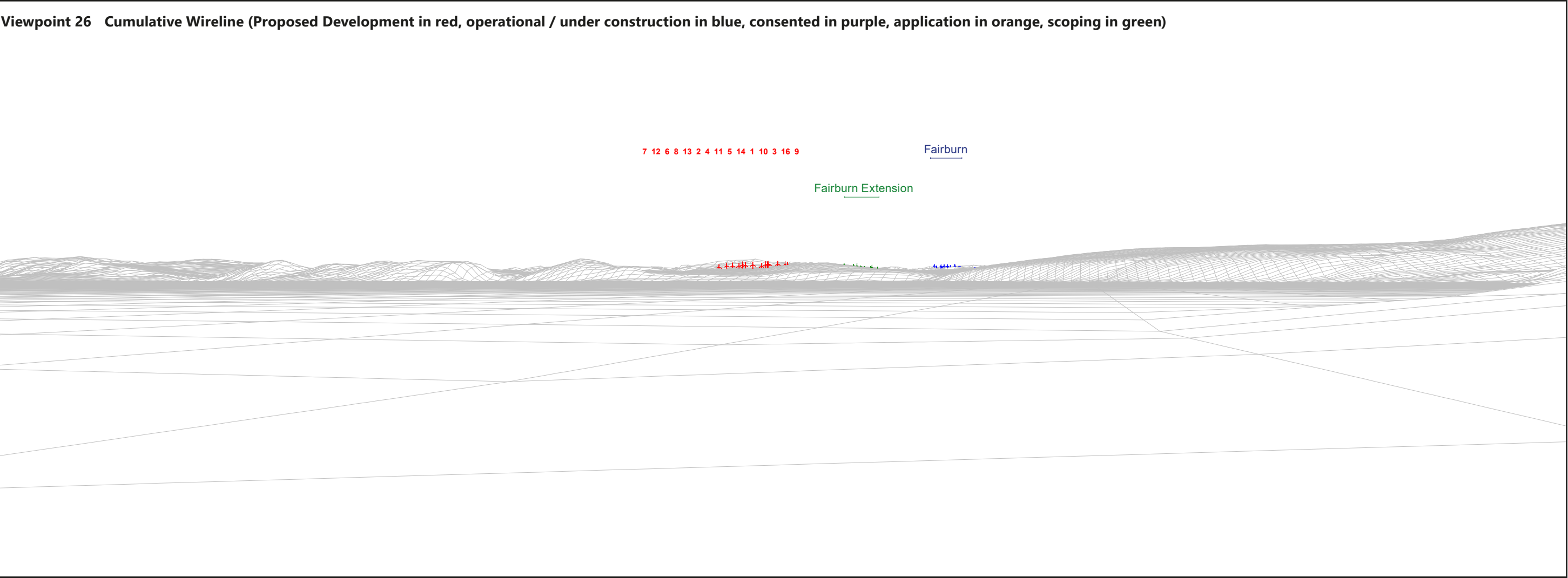
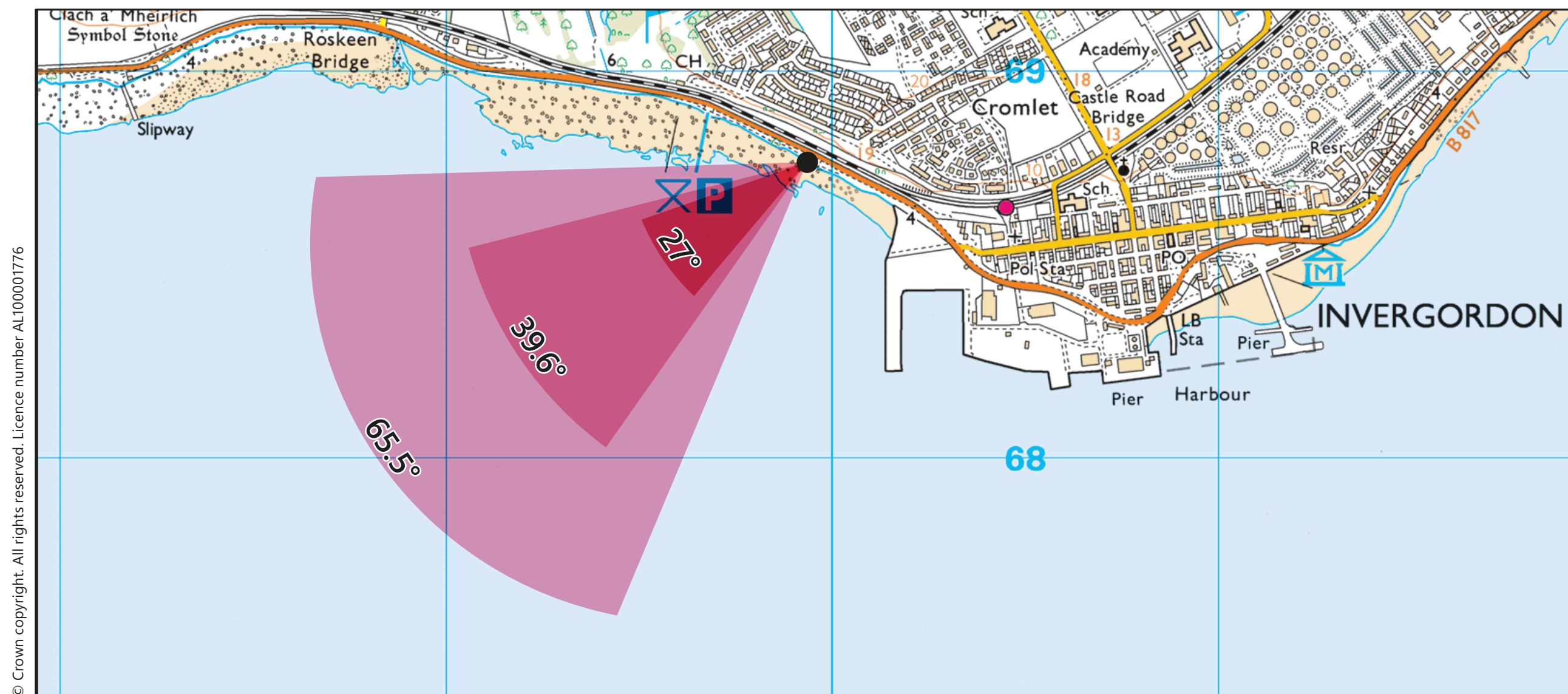


Figure 6.44d - Viewpoint 27: Invergordon



Grid Reference: 269940, 868752

Distance to nearest turbine: 32,858m

AOD: 5m

This viewpoint is located at a car park and viewing location on the northern shoreline of the Cromarty Firth to the southwest of the settlement of Invergordon.

Figure 6.44e



Viewpoint 27 Existing View

Viewpoint 27 Wireline Overlay

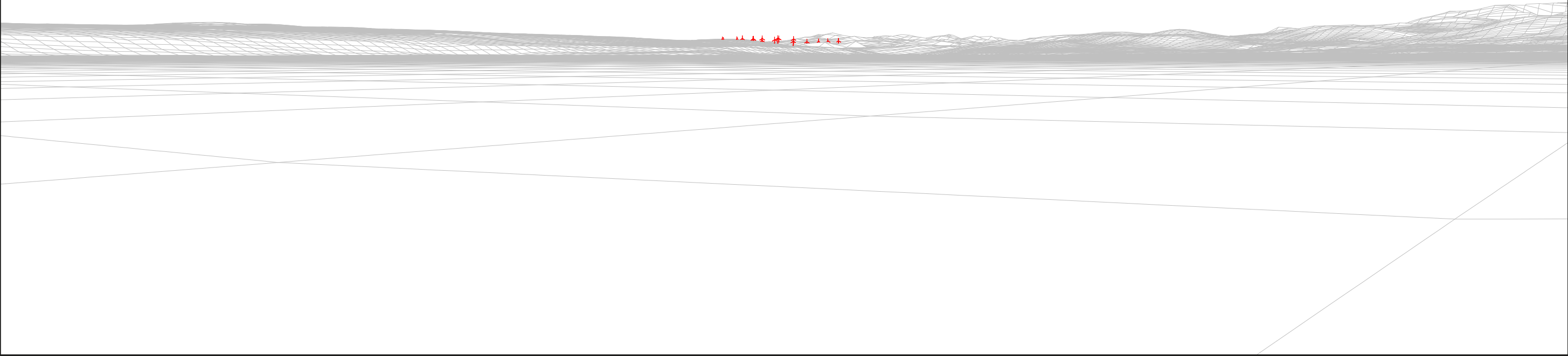


Figure 6.44f



Viewpoint 27 Existing View

Viewpoint 27 Cumulative Wireline (Proposed Development in red, operational / under construction in blue, consented in purple, application in orange, scoping in green)

