



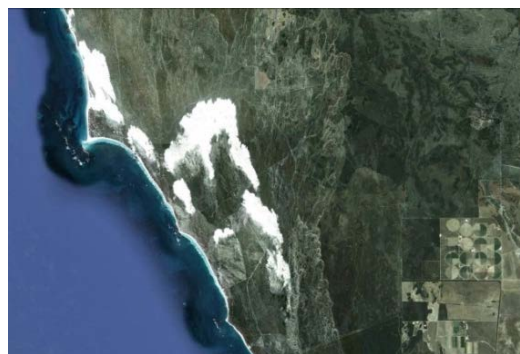
## LANCELIN TRAINING AREA, WESTERN AUSTRALIA

<b>Base Address</b>	Mimegarra, Western Australia
<b>Base Established</b>	1940s
<b>Region</b>	Central and West
<b>Date of Last Data Review</b>	June 2016



### Description

Lancelin Training Area is large parcel of land located approximately 140 kilometres north of Perth. The area has been used for military training exercises since the 1940s, which has included infantry and artillery training, training in the use of tracked and non-tracked vehicles, troop movements, ship to shore bombardment, demolition practice and activities linking amphibious landing and onshore movements of allied service personnel. There is a caretaker's residence and accommodation block located at the north-west boundary of the property. The property is listed on the Commonwealth Heritage List.



### Base Activities

Activities with the potential to cause contamination include the use of numerous weapons ranges, vehicle maintenance works and the storage of fuel in above ground storage tanks.

The area also contains a small landfill area that is used to dispose of small quantities of waste from on-site operations.

### Contamination Information

#### Known Contamination

There are no known contamination issues on the property, although there are some known areas that contain unexploded ordnance.

#### Risk Assessment

Risks from potential contamination have been identified on the property. These risks are actively managed by Defence to ensure that impacts to human health and the environment are minimised.

#### Current Status

A Stage 1 desktop investigation has been completed for the property. Limited Stage 2 investigations and annual environmental monitoring have also been completed to assess soil quality around the property.





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Defence will conduct further investigations as required to assess the quality of soil and groundwater around the property.

**Other Information**

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