



VICKERY COAL MINE – MONTHLY MONITORING SUMMARY

Site Information

EPL No: 21283

EPA Website Link: [Vickery Coal Mine - Environmental Protection Licence](#)

Licensee: Vickery Coal Pty Ltd

Licensee Address: Vickery Coal Mine, Blue Vale Road, BOGGABRI NSW 2382

EPL Monitoring Points: See Figure 1 below

Sampling Period: January 2026

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Name	Role	Signature	Date
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Table 1: Surface Water – No Pollutant Limits Apply

EPL ID	Pollutant	Units of Measure	Monitoring Frequency	No. of Samples for the Period	Date Sampled	Date of Max. Value Obtained	Min Value	Mean Value	Median Value	Max or Only Value	Comment/s
2	TSS	mg/L	Quarterly (Mar, Jun, Sep & Dec)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Conductivity	µS/cm		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Oil & Grease	mg/L		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	pH	pH		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
3	TSS	mg/L	Quarterly (Mar, Jun, Sep & Dec)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Conductivity	µS/cm							-		
	Oil & Grease	mg/L		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	pH	pH		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
9	TSS	mg/L	Quarterly (Mar, Jun, Sep & Dec)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Conductivity	µS/cm							-		
	Oil & Grease	mg/L		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	pH	pH		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
10	TSS	mg/L	Upon discharge	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Conductivity	µS/cm		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Oil & Grease	mg/L		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	pH	pH		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

Table 2: Surface Water - Pollutant Limits Apply

EPL ID	Pollutant	Units of Measure	Monitoring Frequency	No. of Samples for the Month	Date Sampled	Date of Max. Value Obtained	Min Value	Max or Only Value	100%ile Limit	Exceed -ance (Yes/ No)	Comment/s
14	TSS	mg/L	Upon discharge	-	-	-	-	-	50	-	-
	Conductivity	µS/cm							NA		
	Oil & Grease	mg/L		-	-	-	-	-	10	-	
	pH	pH		-	-	-	-	-	8.5	-	
20	TSS	mg/L	Upon discharge	-	-	-	-	-	50	-	-
	Conductivity	µS/cm							NA		
	Oil & Grease	mg/L		-	-	-	-	-	10	-	
	pH	pH		-	-	-	-	-	8.5	-	
21	TSS	mg/L	Upon discharge	-	-	-	-	-	50	-	-
	Conductivity	µS/cm		-	-	-	-	-	NA	-	
	Oil & Grease	mg/L		-	-	-	-	-	10	-	
	pH	pH		-	-	-	-	-	8.5	-	

Table 3: Groundwater – No Limits apply

EPL ID	Pollutant	Units of Measure	Monitoring Frequency	No. of Samples for the Period	Date Sampled	Date of Max. Value Obtained	Min Value	Mean Value	Median Value	Max or Only Value
15	Conductivity	µS/cm	Six Monthly (April & Oct)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Lead	mg/L		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	pH	pH		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Standing Water Level	metres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	Conductivity	µS/cm	Six Monthly (April & Oct)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Lead	mg/L		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	pH	pH		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Standing Water Level	metres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	Conductivity	µS/cm	Six Monthly (April & Oct)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Lead	mg/L		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	pH	pH		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Standing Water Level	metres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
18	Conductivity	µS/cm	Six Monthly (April & Oct)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Lead	mg/L		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	pH	pH		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Standing Water Level	metres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-

EPL ID	Pollutant	Units of Measure	Monitoring Frequency	No. of Samples for the Period	Date Sampled	Date of Max. Value Obtained	Min Value	Mean Value	Median Value	Max or Only Value
19	Conductivity	µS/cm	Six Monthly (April & Oct)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Lead	mg/L		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	pH	pH		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Standing Water Level	metres		-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table 4 – Monthly Attended Noise Monitoring

(Noise Limits Apply - 40dB LAeq(15min) -Day, 37dB LAeq(15min) Evening and Night; 52dB LA1(1min) -Night)

Table 4 VCM Operational Noise Monitoring Results Leq(15min) – 22 January 2026 (Day)								
Location	Time	dB(A), Leq	VCM Contribution dB(A),Leq	Criterion dB(A),Leq	Wind speed (m/s),dir	Stability Class	Identified Noise Sources dB(A),Leq	Exceedance (Yes/No)
N-AT1 / 7	5:07 pm	35	23	40	1.7 / 187	C	Birds (35), VCM (23)	No
N-AT2 / 8	12:35 pm	37	<20	40	1.3 / 187	A	Traffic (37), Insects (26), VCM (IA)	No

Table 5 VCM Operational Noise Monitoring Results Leq(15min) – 22 January 2026 (Evening)								
Location	Time	dB(A), Leq	VCM Contribution dB(A),Leq	Criterion dB(A),Leq	Wind speed (m/s),dir	Stability Class	Identified Noise Sources dB(A),Leq	Exceedance (Yes/No)
N-AT1 / 7	8:36 pm	31	<20	35	1.9 / 65	E	Insects (29), Wind (24), VCM (IA)	No
N-AT2 / 8	9:41 pm	43	<20	37	2.2 / 59	D	Traffic (40), insects (40), VCM (IA)	No

Table 6 VCM Operational Noise Monitoring Results Leq(15min) – 22 January 2026 (Night)								
Location	Time	dB(A), Leq	VCM Contribution dB(A),Leq	Criterion dB(A),Leq	Wind speed (m/s),dir	Stability Class	Identified Noise Sources dB(A),Leq	Exceedance (Yes/No)
N-AT1 / 7	10:33 pm	41	<20	40*	3.5 / 25	E	Insects (40), wind (32), VCM (IA)	No
N-AT2 / 8	11:32 pm	46	<20	42*	3.3 / 9	E	Insects (46), Traffic (35), VCM (IA)	No

* Criterion increased by 5 dB due to meteorological conditions per Section 2.3.

Table 7 VCM Operational Noise Monitoring Results LA_{max} – 22 January 2026								
Location	Time	dB(A), LA _{max}	VCM Contribution dB(A), LA _{max}	Criterion dB(A), LA _{max}	Wind speed (m/s),dir	Stability Class	LA _{max} Noise Source	Exceedance (Yes/No)
N-AT1 / 7	10:33 pm	44	<20	52	3.5 / 25	E	Insects	No
N-AT2 / 8	11:32 pm	48	<20	52	3.3 / 9	E	Insects	No

Table 5 – Monthly Monitoring (Blasts – Limits Apply)

Location	Parameter	Units of Measure	Frequency	No. of Blasts for the Month	Average Value	Max Value	100%ile Limit	(Potential) Non-compliance /breach	Date of Max. Value Obtained
B-01	Blast Noise	dB (Lin Peak)	Every Blast	4	103.5	105.6	133	Nil	29/1/26
	Blast Vibration	mm/s	Every Blast	4	1.23	2.00	10	Nil	21/1/26

Location	Parameter	Units of Measure	Frequency	No. of Blasts for the Month	Average Value	Max Value	100%ile Limit	(Potential) Non-compliance /breach	Date of Max. Value Obtained
B-02	Blast Noise	dB (Lin Peak)	Every Blast	4	106.55	108.10	N/A	Nil	16/1/26
	Blast Vibration	mm/s	Every Blast	4	2.57	4.20	80	Nil	21/1/26

Location	Parameter	Units of Measure	Frequency	No. of Blasts for the Month	Average Value	Max Value	100%ile Limit	(Potential) Non-compliance /breach	Date of Max. Value Obtained
B-03	Blast Noise	dB (Lin Peak)	Every Blast	4	98.33	101.7	120	Nil	29/1/26
	Blast Vibration	mm/s	Every Blast	4	0.60	1.03	10	Nil	21/1/26

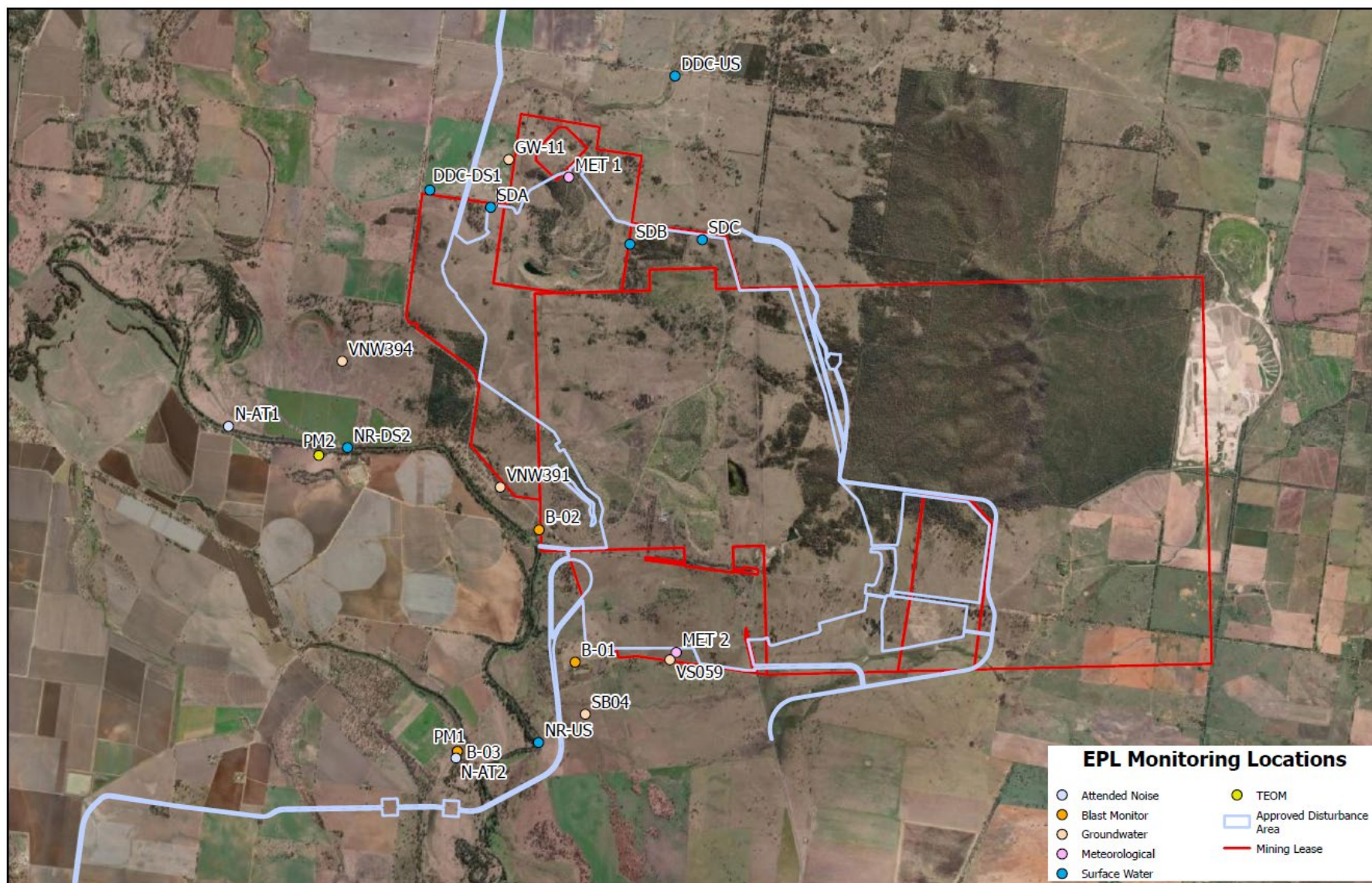
Table 6- PM1 Monthly Monitoring (Limits apply)

Location	No. of samples required by licence	Lowest sample value	Mean of sample	Highest sample value
PM10 TEOM ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)	Continuous	6.5	14.5	25.7
PM2.5 TEOM ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)	Continuous	2.7	5.4	7.9

Table 7- PM2 Monthly Monitoring (Limits apply)

Location	No. of samples required by licence	Lowest sample value	Mean of sample	Highest sample value
PM10 TEOM ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)	Continuous	7.0	14.6	26.8
PM2.5 TEOM ($\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$)	Continuous	2.8	7.1	10.9

Figure 1 – EPL 21283 Monitoring Locations



Vickery Coal Mine EPL Monitoring Locations

Date: Sept 2023
MGA Zone 56
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