

Cruach Clenamachie Wind Farm

Viewpoint 16
Ben Cruachan

Existing View

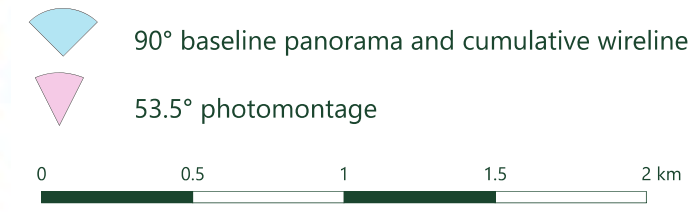
This is an elevated, panoramic view from the summit of Ben Cruachan. The view looks across lochs, hills, mountains and the sea. Scattered settlement is visible on the lower-lying land, typically in glens or at the edge of waterbodies. The view looks down on existing and consented wind farms which are seen across the view to the south and west, at varying distances and scales.

Predicted Change

The proposed turbines and tracks would be openly visible on the lower ground, where they would be seen as a new group of turbines between Beinn Ghlas and Barran Caltum Wind Farms. The substation may also be visible if the trees which screen it are felled. The proposed turbines would appear larger in scale than the more nearby existing turbines. At night all five of the proposed turbine lights would be visible.

Cumulative

Ladyfield wind Farm would be visible as a discrete group of turbines to the south. An Carr Dubh Wind Farm would be visible behind Blarghour and in front of An Suidhe, creating a larger group of turbines within the view. Ladyfield and An Carr Dubh are at similar distances from this viewpoint and would appear at a similar scale.



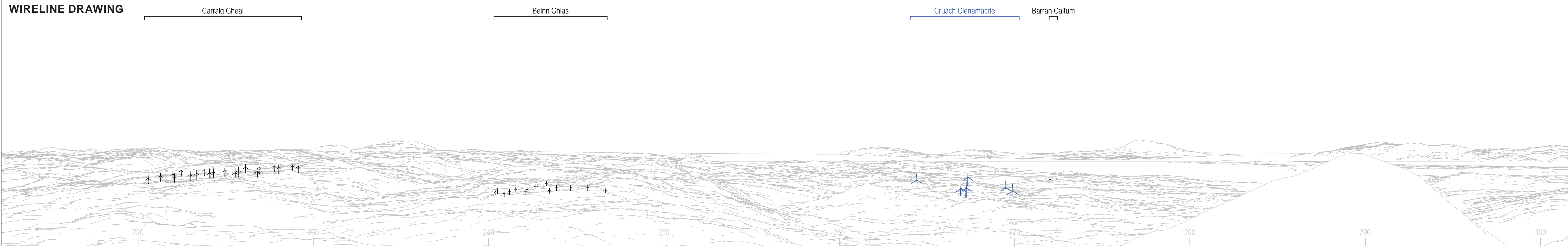
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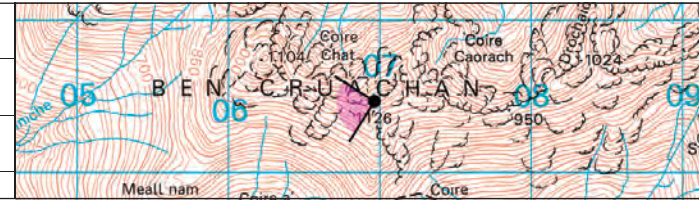


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 Photography Time: 09:03

Layout Information:
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 Height to Blade Tip: 199.5m
 Nearest Visible Turbine: T6 @ 11896m
 Number of Sets of Tips Visible: 2
 Number of Hubs Visible: 2
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Wireline Key:

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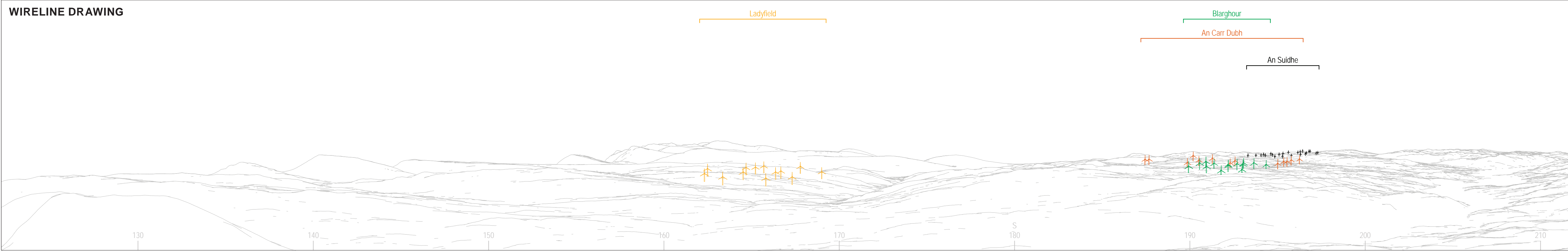


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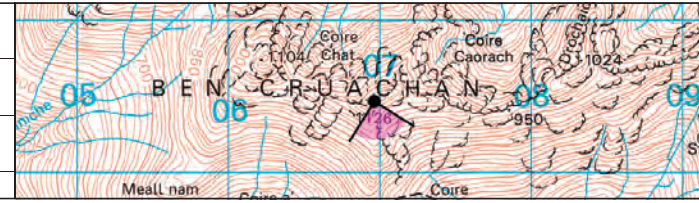


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Viewpoint Information:
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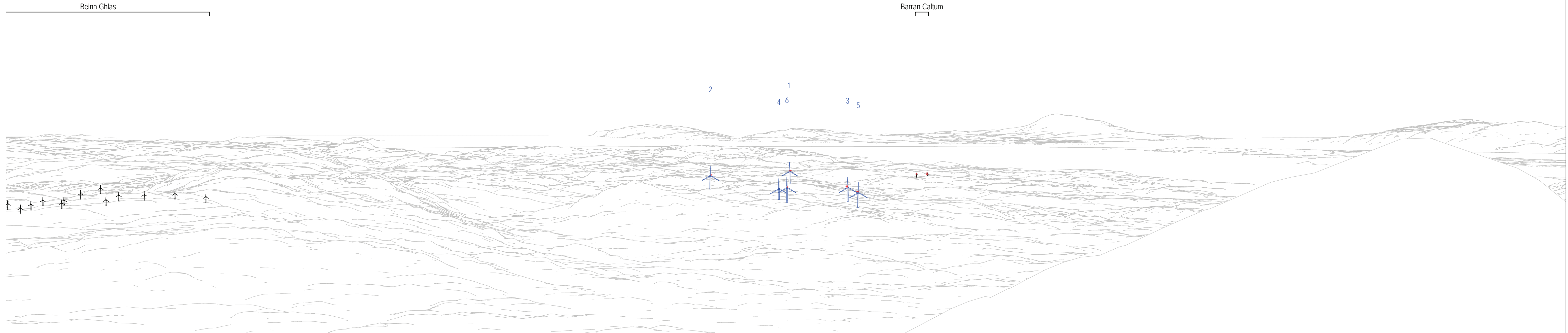
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Cruach Clenamacrie Wind Farm
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Ground Height:	1120.9m AOD
Direction of Centre of View: 3	267.2°
Horizontal Field of View:	53.5°
Vertical Field of View:	18.2°
Principal Distance:	813.4mm

Layout Information:	
Layout:	Cruach-clenamacrie.wfl
Hub Height:	117m
Height to Blade Tip:	199.5m
Nearest Visible Turbine:	T6 @ 11896m
Number of Sets of Tips Visible: 2	6
Number of Hubs Visible: 2	6

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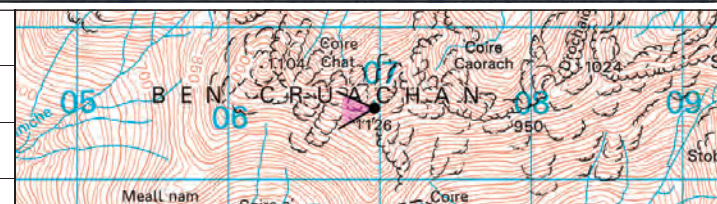
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 Direction of Centre of View: 3 267.2°
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 Vertical Field of View: 18.2°
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Cruach Clenamacrie Wind Farm

Viewpoint 16: Ben Cruachan
PHOTOMONTAGE VISUALISATION 16d



Cruach Clenamachie Wind Farm

Viewpoint 17
Duart Castle - Mull

Existing View



This viewpoint is located adjacent to Duart Castle on Mull. Looking towards the mainland, it looks across the sea past lighthouses and tip of Lismore to layers of distant hills beyond. Buildings along the coast of the mainland are just perceptible. Carrraig Gheal Wind Farm can be seen on the skyline in clear conditions. Views in other directions are of the castle and across the island, with a longer view to the north along Loch Linnhe.

Predicted Change

All six of the proposed turbines would be visible on the mainland skyline to the right of Ben Cruachan, with the lower parts of some towers screened by the landform. At night all five of the proposed turbine lights would be visible.

Cumulative

An Carr Dubh and Ladyfield Wind Farms would not be visible from this location.

-  90° baseline panorama and cumulative wireline
-  53.5° photomontage

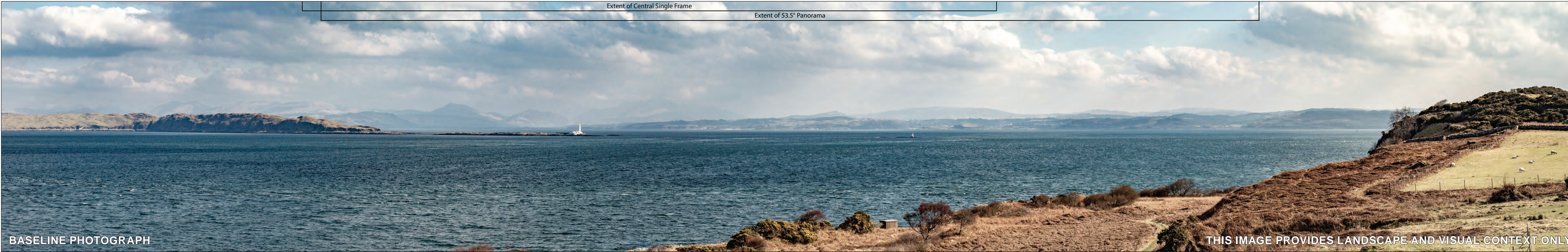


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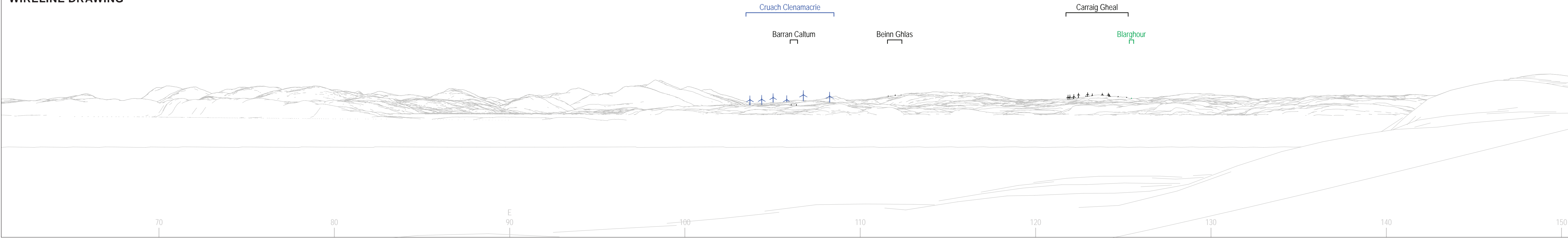
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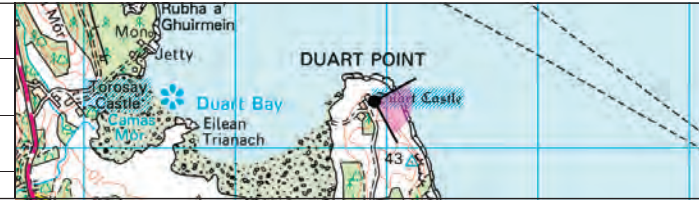
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 Ground Height: 25.3m AOD
 Direction of Centre of View: 106°
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 Vertical Field of View: 14.2°
 Principal Distance: 522mm

Photography Information:

Camera: Canon EOS 5D Mark III
 Lens: 50mm Fixed Focal Length
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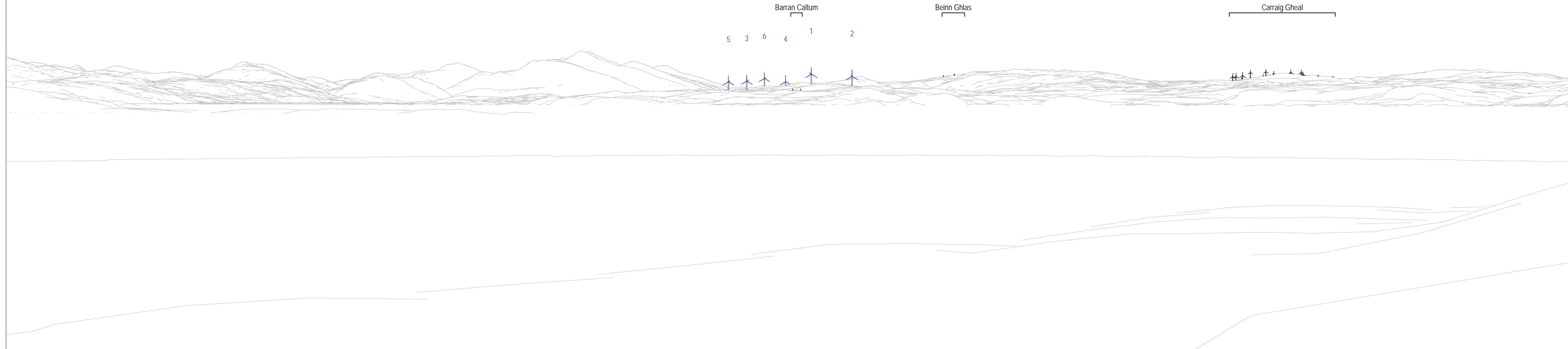
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Viewpoint 17: Duart Castle, Mull

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Viewpoint Information:
 Grid Reference: 174919E 735307N
 Ground Height: 25.3m AOD
 Direction of Centre of View: 106°
 Horizontal Field of View: 53.5°
 Vertical Field of View: 18.2°
 Principal Distance: 813.4mm

Layout Information:
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 Hub Height: 117m
 Height to Blade Tip: 199.5m
 Nearest Visible Turbine: T1 @ 19026m
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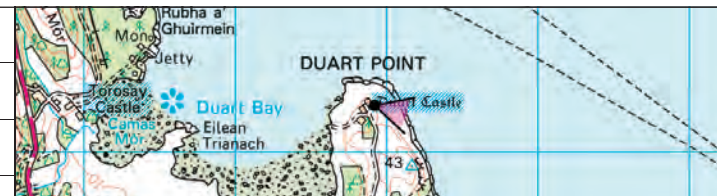
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Viewpoint 17: Duart Castle, Mull
WIRELINER VISUALISATION 17b



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Photography Information:

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Layout Information:

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 Nearest Visible Turbine: T1 @ 19026m
 Number of Sets of Tips Visible: 6
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Viewpoint 17: Duart Castle, Mull
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Cruach Clenamacrie Wind Farm

Viewpoint 18
Rubha nan Sailthean

Existing View

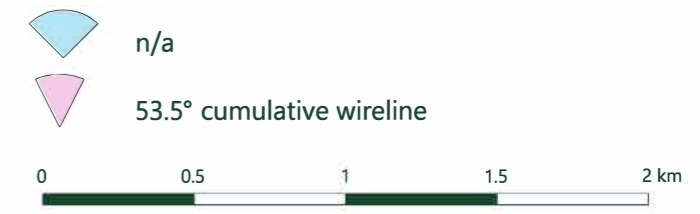
This view looks from Mull across the Firth of Lorn to Kerrera and the mainland behind. There is distant visibility of Carraig Gheal Wind Farm which is partially visible above the distant hills.

Predicted Change

The proposed turbines would be predominantly screened by the landform and trees on the mainland from this viewpoint. Should the turbines be seen, visibility would likely be limited to a single blade tip seen just above the trees. At night none of the proposed turbine lights would be visible.

Cumulative

An Carr Dubh and Ladyfield Wind Farms would not be visible from this location.



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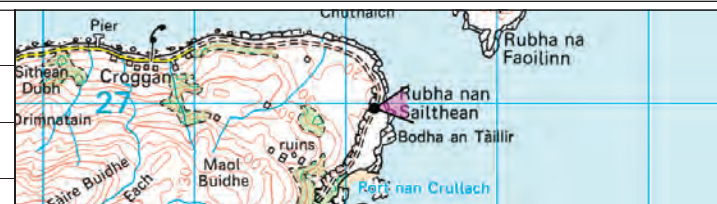


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Direction of Centre of View: 3	83.2°
Horizontal Field of View:	53.5°
Vertical Field of View:	18.2°
Principal Distance:	813.4mm

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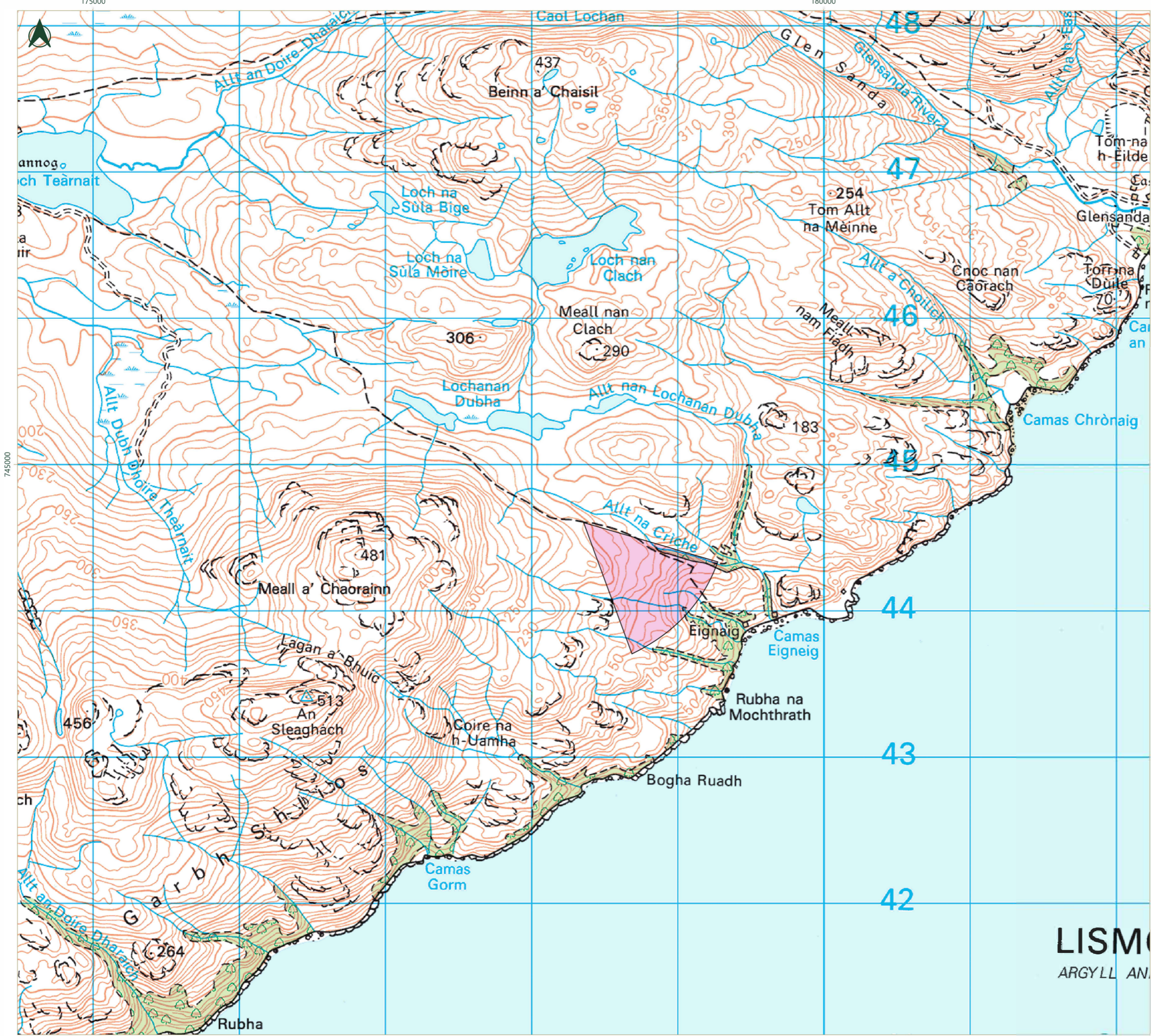
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Cruach Clenamacrie Wind Farm

Viewpoint 18: Rubha nan Sailthean

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Cruach Clenamacrie Wind Farm

Viewpoint 19
Inninmore Bay and Garbh Shlios SLA

Existing View
This view is located on a minor track on hills to the west of Loch Linnhe. It looks from an elevated position across the water and the Isle of Lismore towards layers of distant hills on the mainland. There is limited visibility of existing wind farms which are in clear conditions on the skyline. At night all five of the proposed turbine lights would be visible.

Predicted Change
The proposed turbines would be seen set among rolling hills on the mainland.

Cumulative
An Carr Dubh and Ladyfield Wind Farms would not be visible from this location.

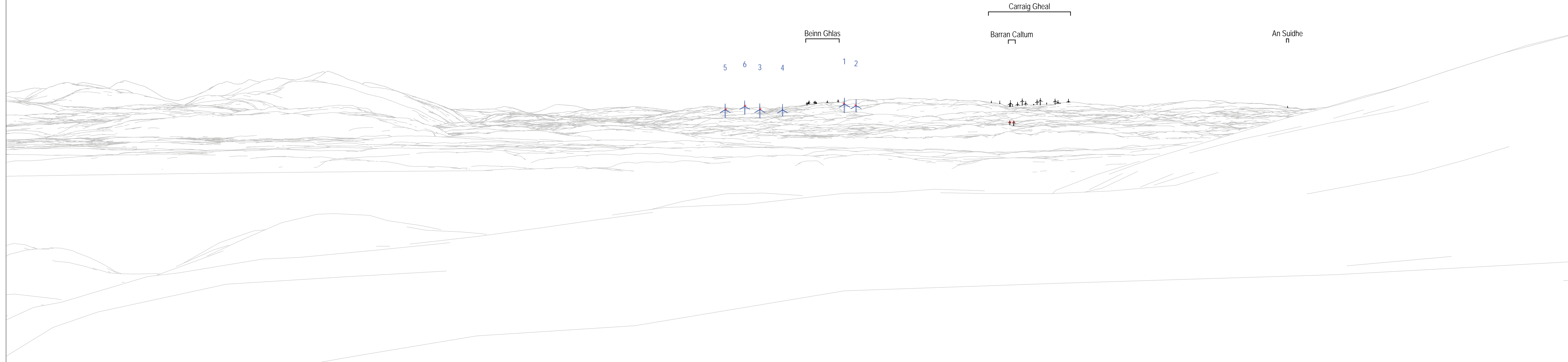


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Vertical Field of View:	18.2°
Principal Distance:	813.4mm

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Hub Height:	117m
Height to Blade Tip:	199.5m
Nearest Visible Turbine:	T1 @ 20901m
Number of Sets of Tips Visible: 2	6
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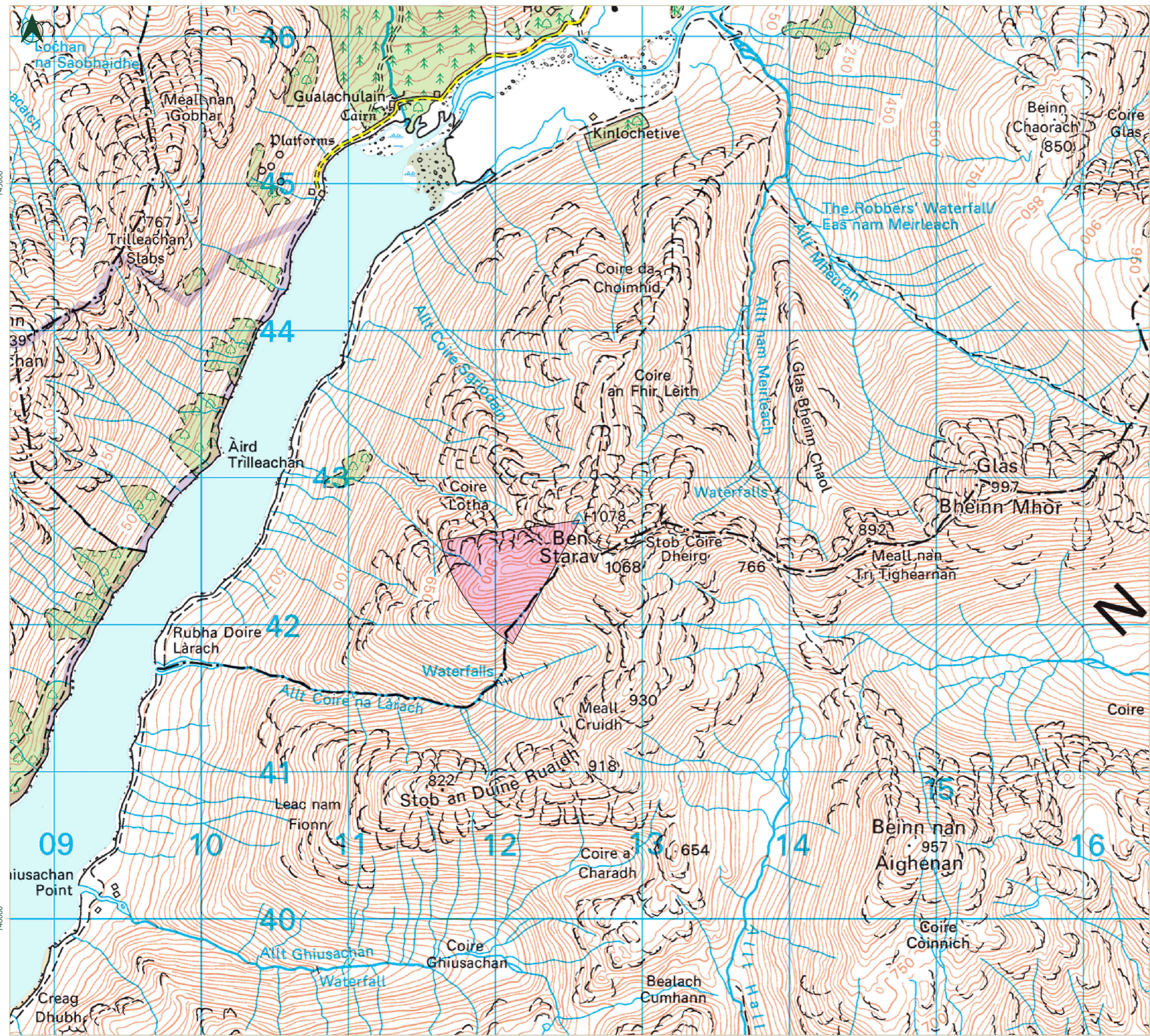


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Viewpoint 19: Inninmore Bay and Garbh Shlios SLA
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Cruach Clenamacrie Wind Farm

Viewpoint 20 Ben Starav



Existing View

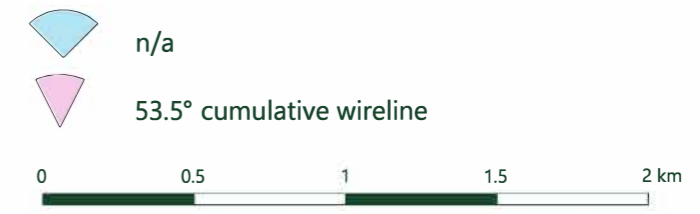
This open, panoramic view looks across the ridges, steep corries and peaks of the surrounding mountains. There is woodland visible on the lower-lying land at the base of the mountains. Loch Etive forms an eye-catching feature at the base of the glen to the west and leads the eye towards glimpsed views of more distant waterbodies beyond. There is distant glimpsed visibility of Carraig Gheal and Beinn Ghlas Wind Farms on the low hills behind Loch Etive.

Predicted Change

The proposed turbines would be visible as a minor feature on the distant hills. At night all five of the proposed turbine lights would be visible.

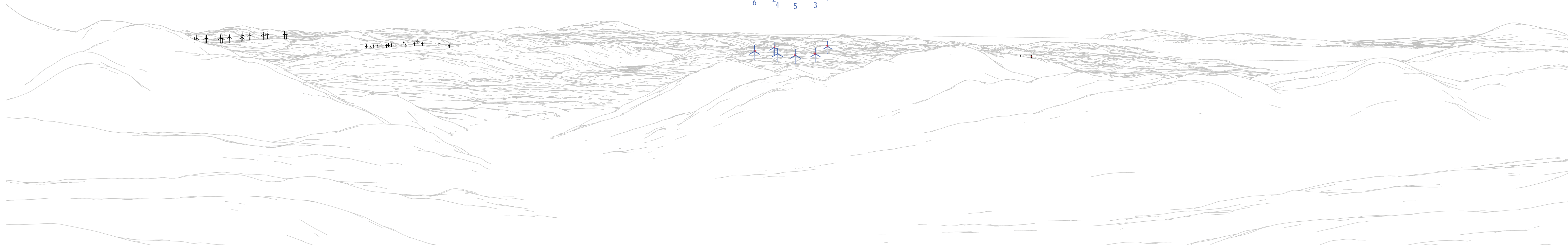
Cumulative

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Horizontal Field of View:	53.5°
Vertical Field of View:	18.2°
Principal Distance:	813.4mm

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Height to Blade Tip:	199.5m
Nearest Visible Turbine:	T5 @ 21537m
Number of Sets of Tips Visible: 2	6
Number of Hubs Visible: 2	6

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Viewpoint 20: Ben Starav
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