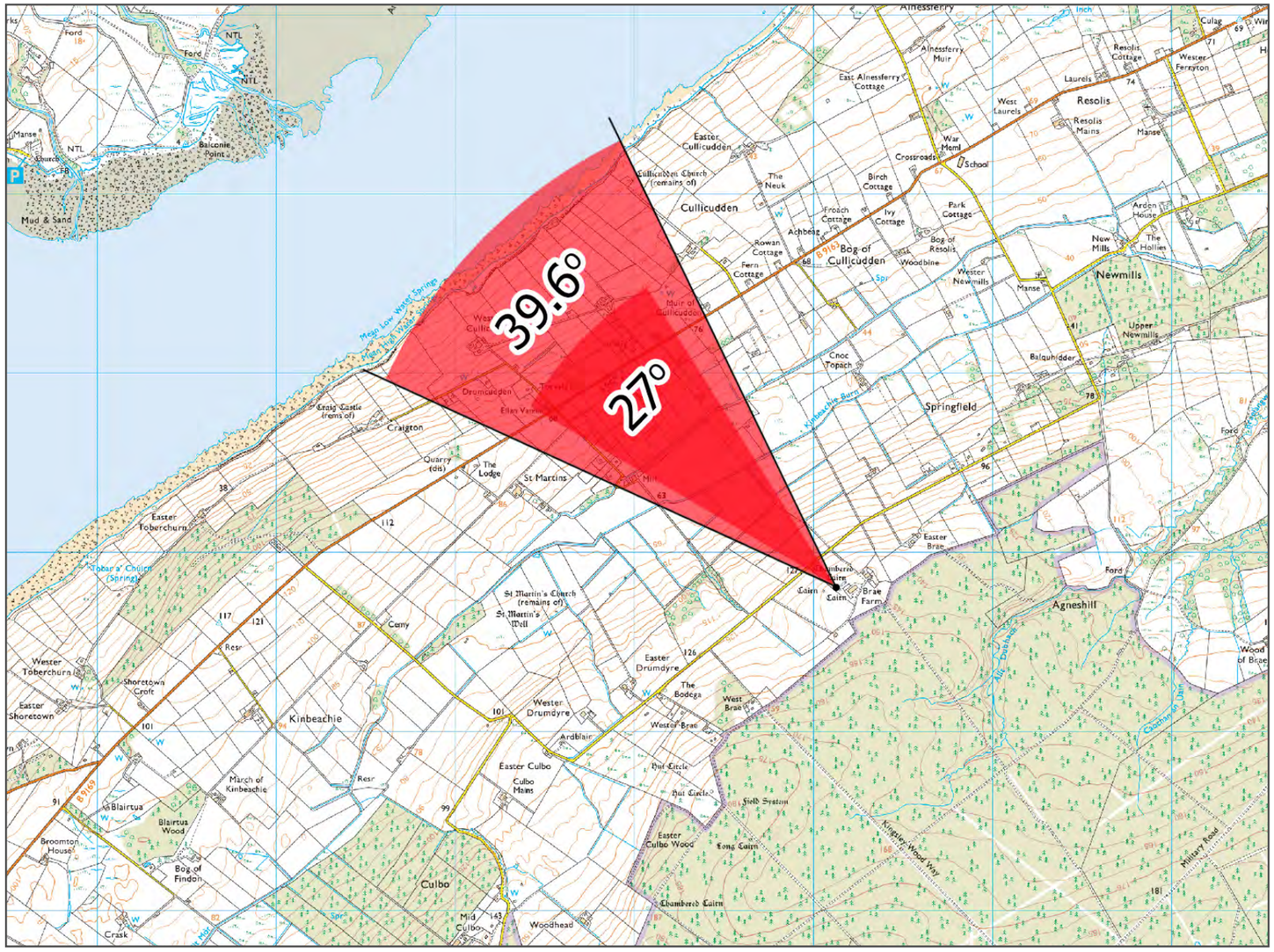
Figure: 6.31a - CH Viewpoint 9: Easter Brae. Long Cairn & Cairn. SM2457.





Grid Reference: 266125 862801 Distance to nearest turbine: 13.31km AOD: 146m

This viewpoint is located approximately 11.5km Northeast of Dingwall.

Travel north from Inverness on the A9 towards Tain. Just before the Cromarty bridge, take the turning off right on to the B9163 signposted to Findon and Cromarty. Continue on looking out for the turning off right to Culbo and Drumdyre. Turn right here. Keep on this road for 3.5km afterwhich you will reach a point in the road with entensive views North across fields and the Cromarty Firth. There is a track on your right leading up to Brae Farm. Find a suitable place to park.

The camera location is up the track and in the field on the left in front of the farm building in amongst the gorse as shown in the adjacent photograph

Extent of 50mm single frame image



Figure: 6.31b
CH Viewpoint 9
Easter Brae. Long Cairn & Cairn.
SM2457

Distance to nearest turbine: 13.31km Camera: Nikon Z6 Focal Length: 50mm vertical (27˚) x 28mm horizontal (65.5˚) Camera height: 1.5m Date: 02/04/2025 13:16

The images contained on this page and the following page are not representative of scale and distance from the actual viewpoint and show the wind farm development in its wider landscape context only.

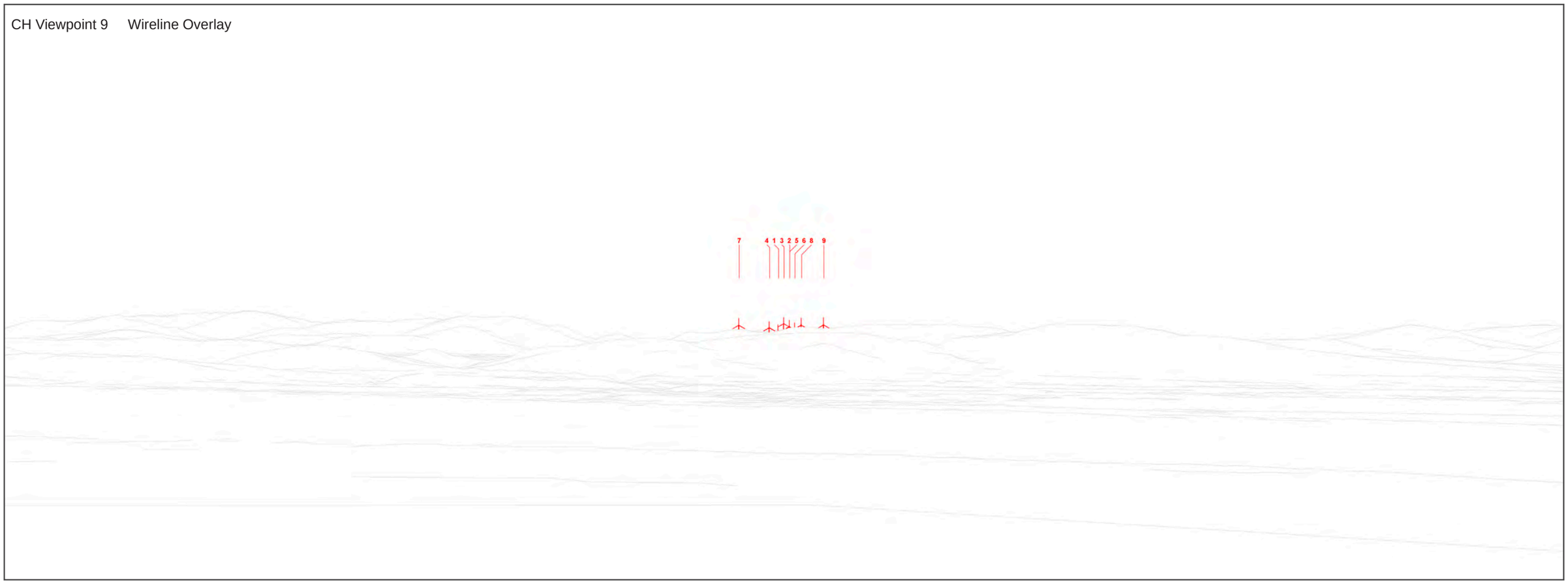
For empirical testing, the wireline image on the next page can be accurately assessed in the field when converted to a transparency. If viewed with one eye at a distance of 300mm from exactly the same location and height as the original camera lens, the image will fit the real landscape cues.

Figure 6.31c



CH Viewpoint 9 Existing View

CH Viewpoint 9 Wireline Overlay





CH Viewpoint 9 (Figure: 6.31d)
Easter Brae. Long Cairn & Cairn. SM2457
This image should be viewed at a comfortable arms length (approx. 500mm)

Distance to nearest turbine: 13.31km Camera: Nikon Z6 Focal Length: 50mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 02/04/2025 13:16



CH Viewpoint 9 (Figure: 6.31e)
Easter Brae. Long Cairn & Cairn. SM2457
This image should be viewed at a comfortable arms length (approx. 500mm)

Distance to nearest turbine: 13.31km Camera: Nikon Z6 Focal Length: 75mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 02/04/2025 13:16