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# **Volume 7D Caledonia South Appendices**

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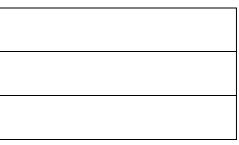




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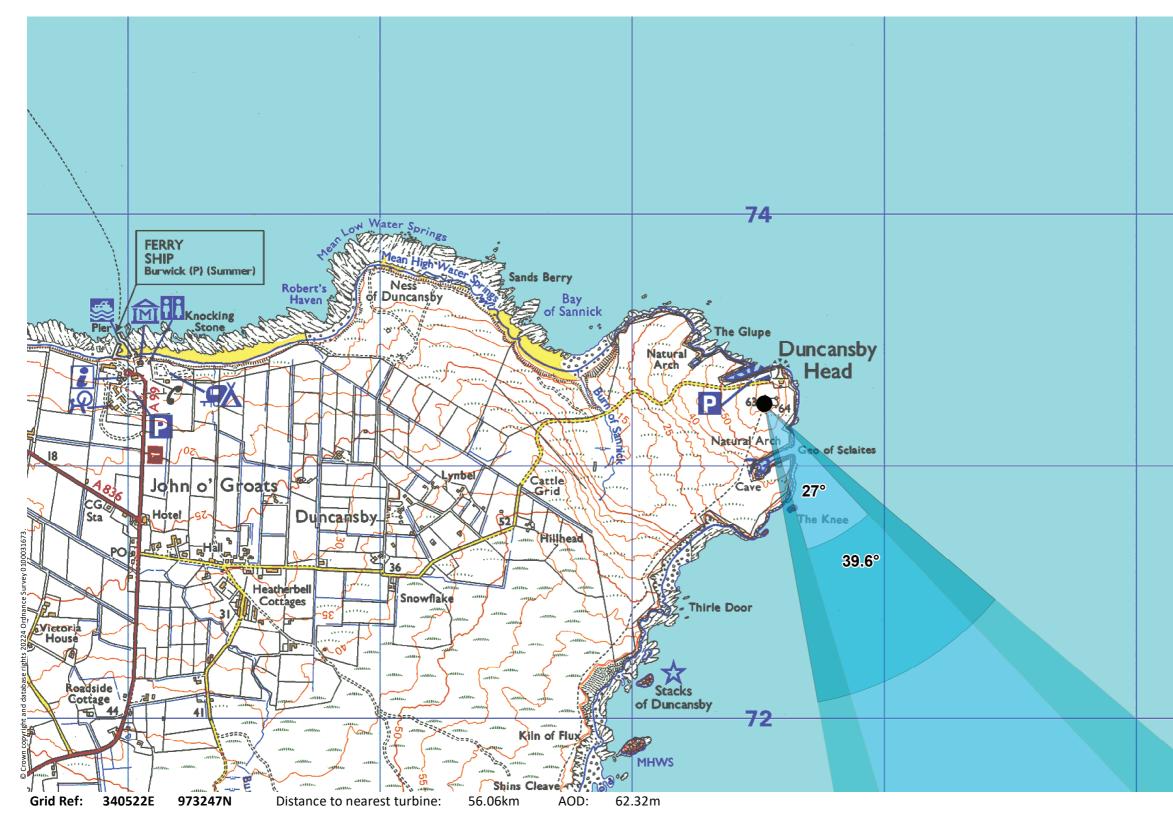
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#### VIEWPOINT 03: Duncansby Head



Park at the car park by Duncansby Head lighthouse. Do not go through the gate to the lighthouse but head south (inland)across the grass to the trig point to the west of the fence enclosure. The viewpoint is located approximately 10m to the south of the trig point.

#### THC Viewpoint 03 Duncansby Head Figure 12.2



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## Viewpoint 3: Duncansby Head

Distance to nearest turbine: 56.06km

When viewed at a comfortable arm's length (approx. 500mm), this printed image is representative of our detailed central vision, but is not representative of scale and distance.

ne: 56.06km Camera: Canon EOS 5D Mark II Focal length: 50mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 16.10.2023 Time: 13:40 Operational and Under Construction offshore wind farms have been photomontaged in this view. (Moray East and BOWL)



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Camera height: 1.5m Date: 16.10.2023 Time: 13:40



Park in Keiss and walk south along the A99 out of the settlement envelope. The viewpoint is located on the verge at the junction with the first small road to the right.

#### THC Viewpoint 04 Keiss Figure 12.3



## Viewpoint 4: Keiss

Distance to nearest turbine: 51.45km

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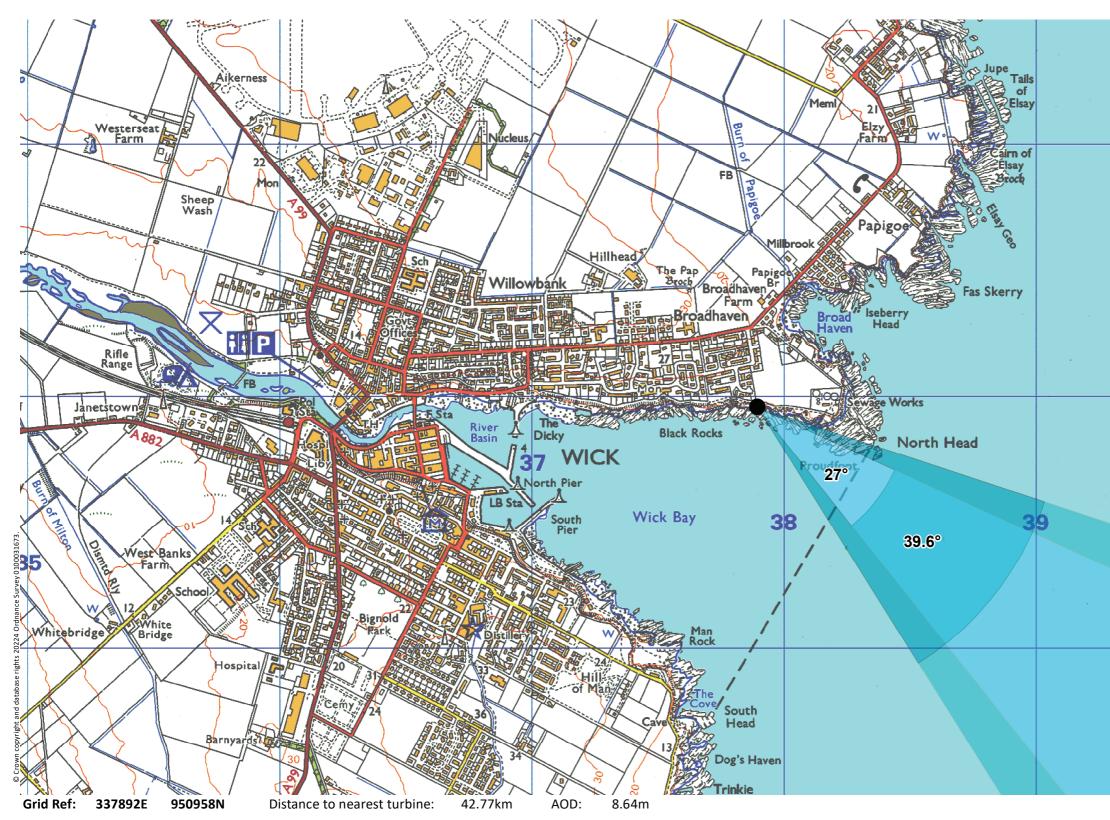
Focal length: 50mm Camera height: 1.5m Camera: Canon EOS 5D Mark II Date: 17.10.2023 Time: 15:03 Operational and Under Construction offshore wind farms have been photomontaged in this view.



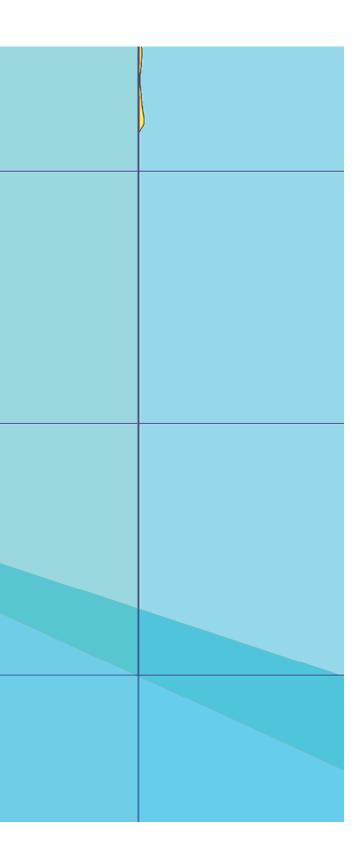
**Viewpoint 4: Keiss** This image should be viewed at a comfortable arm's length (approx. 500mm).

Distance to nearest turbine: 51.45km Camera: Canon EOS 5D Mark II Focal length: 75mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 17.10.2023 Time: 15:03
Operational and Under Construction offshore wind farms have been photomontaged in this view.

#### VIEWPOINT 05: Wick (path south of South View)



Park on the western spur of South View, walk on the path between the furthest houses and turn left. Turn left on the coastal footpath and walk northwards until level with the last house. This is where the viewpoint is located.



#### THC Viewpoint 05 Wick (path south of South View) Figure 12.4



# Viewpoint 5: Wick (path south of South View)

When viewed at a comfortable arm's length (approx. 500mm), this printed image is representative of our detailed central vision, but is not representative of scale and distance.

Distance to nearest turbine: 42.77kmCamera: Canon EOS 5D Mark IIFocal length: 50mmCamera height: 1.5mDate: 16.10.2023Time: 14:52Ve of ourOperational and Under Construction offshore wind farms have been photomontaged in this view.



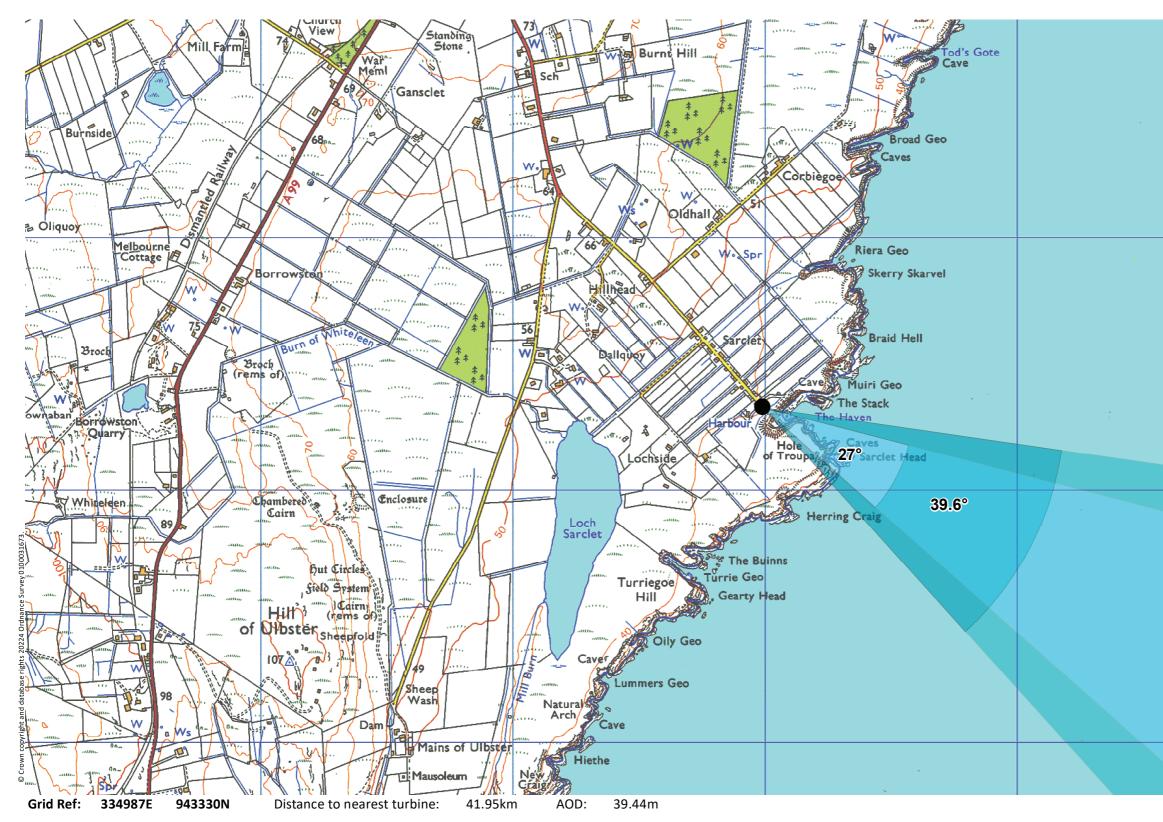
Viewpoint 5: Wick (path south of South View) This image should be viewed at a comfortable arm's length (approx. 500mm).

Focal length: 75mm Camera: Canon EOS 5D Mark II Distance to nearest turbine: 42.77km Operational and Under Construction offshore wind farms have been photomontaged in this view.

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Camera height: 1.5m Date: 16.10.2023 Time: 14:52

#### VIEWPOINT 06: Sarclet (Sarclet Haven Info Board)



Take Stewart Cresent south-eastwards from Thrumster, and where the road forks take the lefthand road. Park in the small layby at the end of the road. The viewpoint is located at the information board at the end of the road.

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#### THC Viewpoint 06 Sarclet (Sarclet Haven Info Board) Figure 12.5

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## Viewpoint 6: Sarclet (Sarclet Haven Info Board)

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Distance to nearest turbine: 41.95kmCamera: Canon EOS 5D Mark IIFocal length: 50mmCamera height: 1.5mDate: 16.10.2023Time: 12:39Ve of ourOperational and Under Construction offshore wind farms have been photomontaged in this view.



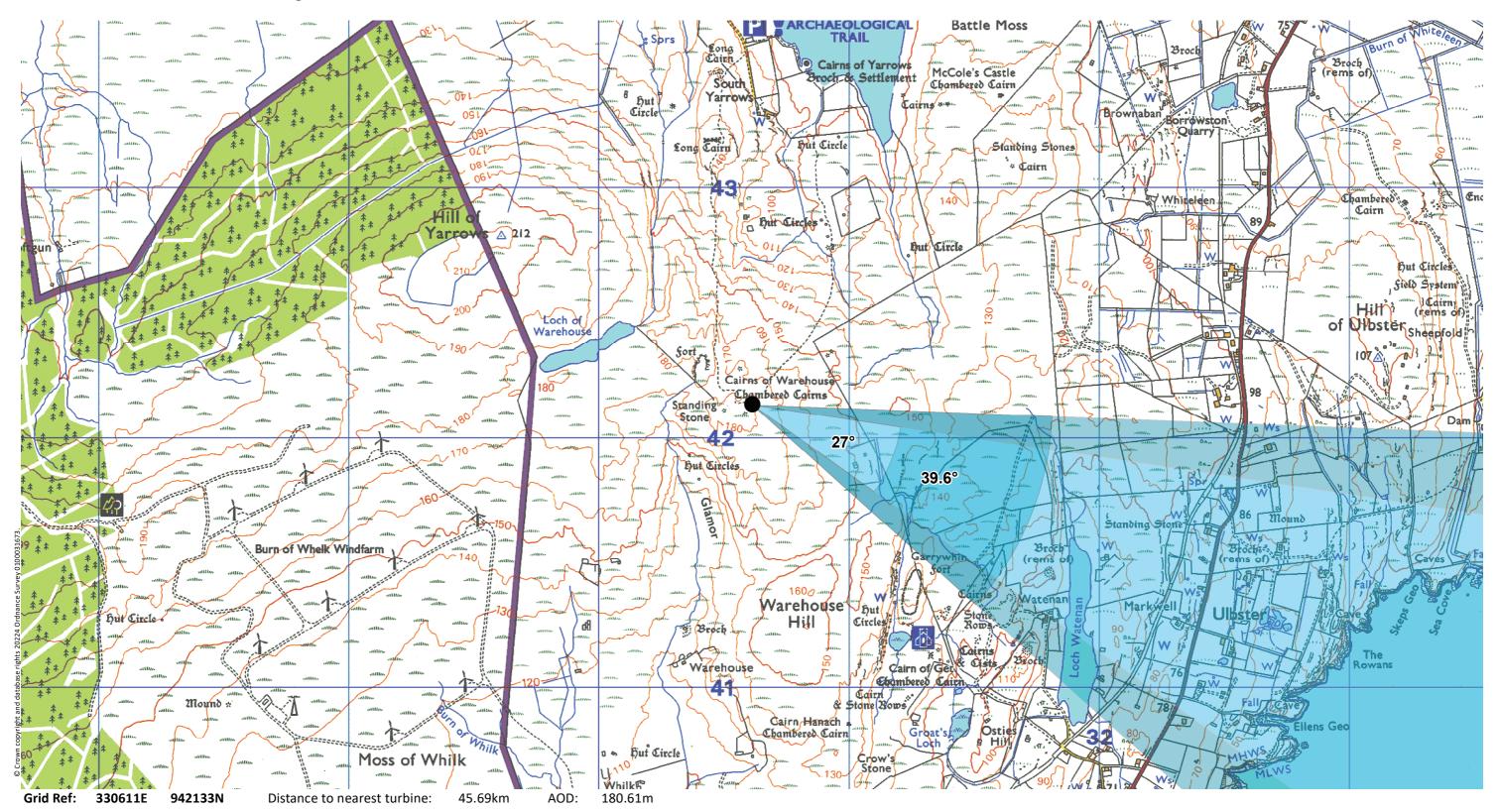


**Viewpoint 6: Sarclet (Sarclet Haven Info Board)** This image should be viewed at a comfortable arm's length (approx. 500mm).

 Distance to nearest turbine: 41.95km
 Camera: Canon EOS 5D Mark II
 Focal length: 75mm
 Camera height: 1.5m
 Date: 16.10.2023
 Time: 12:39

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#### VIEWPOINT 07: Yarrows Archaeological Trail



Park at the Yarrows Archaeological Trail car park and take the path heading up hill to the south-west. The viewpoint is located on the footpath at the farthest south point on the path at a high point, just after the path turns east beyond the standing stone and south of the chambered cairn.

#### THC Viewpoint 07 Yarrows Archaeological Trail Figure 12.6



# Viewpoint 7: Yarrows Arch Trail

Distance to nearest turbine: 45.68km When viewed at a comfortable arm's length (approx. 500mm), this printed image is representative of our detailed central vision, but is not representative of scale and distance.

Focal length: 50mm Camera: Canon EOS 5D Mark II Camera height: 1.5m Date: 11.12.2023 Time: 13:02 Operational and Under Construction offshore wind farms have been photomontaged in this view.



**Viewpoint 7: Yarrows Arch Trail** This image should be viewed at a comfortable arm's length (approx. 500mm).

Distance to nearest turbine: 45.68km Camera: Canon EOS 5D Mark II Focal length: 75mm Camera height: 1.5m Date: 11.12.2023 Time: 13:02
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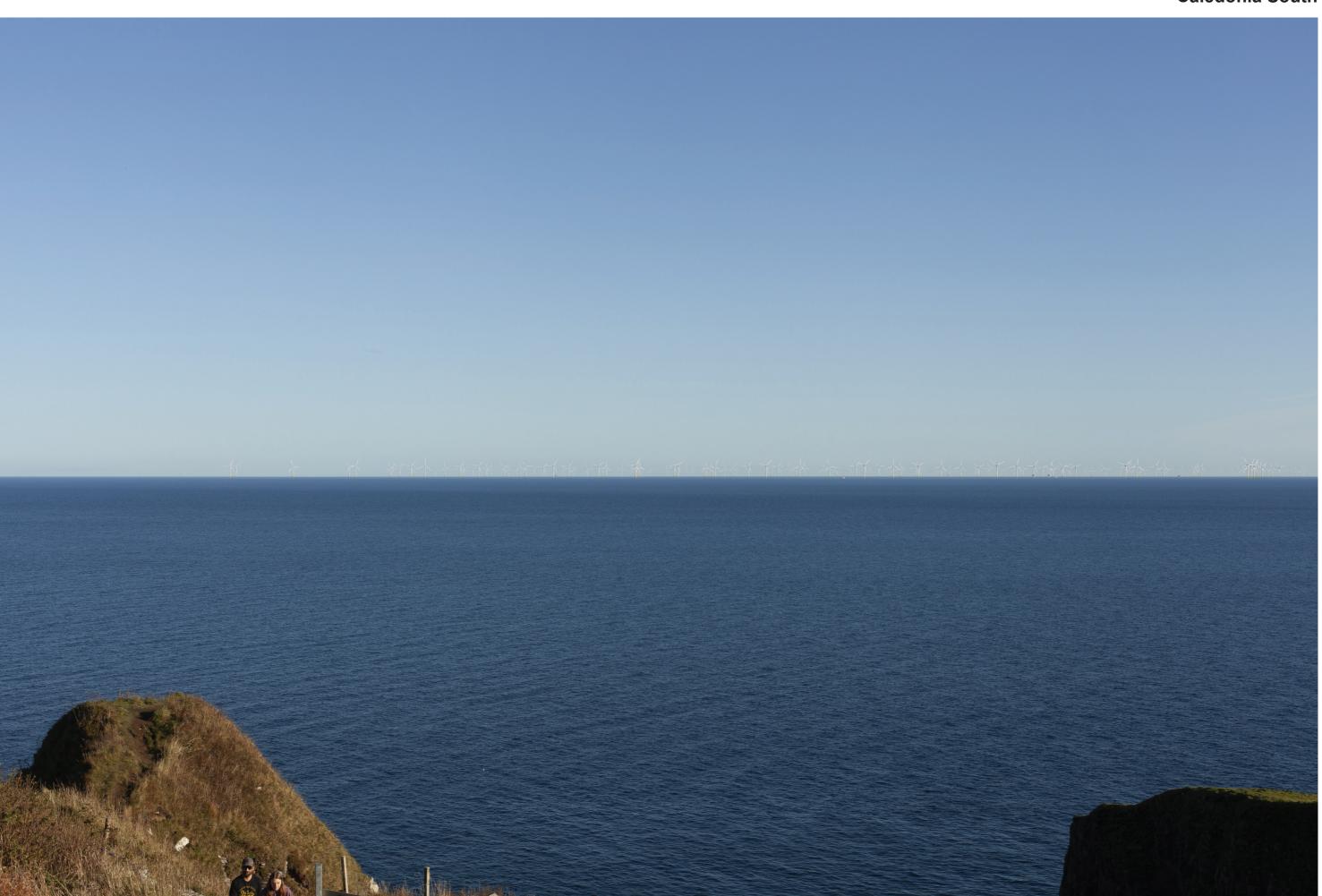
#### **VIEWPOINT 08: Whaligoe Steps**



From the A99 take the minor road south-east at the phone booth, which is almost opposite the route signed towards the Cairn of Get. Park at the small car park at the end of the road. Take the footpath down towards Whaligoe Steps and follow it around the house. The viewpoint is located on the path after the first flight of steps.

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#### THC Viewpoint 08 Whaligoe Steps Figure 12.7



# Viewpoint 8: Whaligoe Steps

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Focal length: 50mm Camera: Canon EOS 5D Mark II Distance to nearest turbine: 43.76km Operational and Under Construction offshore wind farms have been photomontaged in this view.

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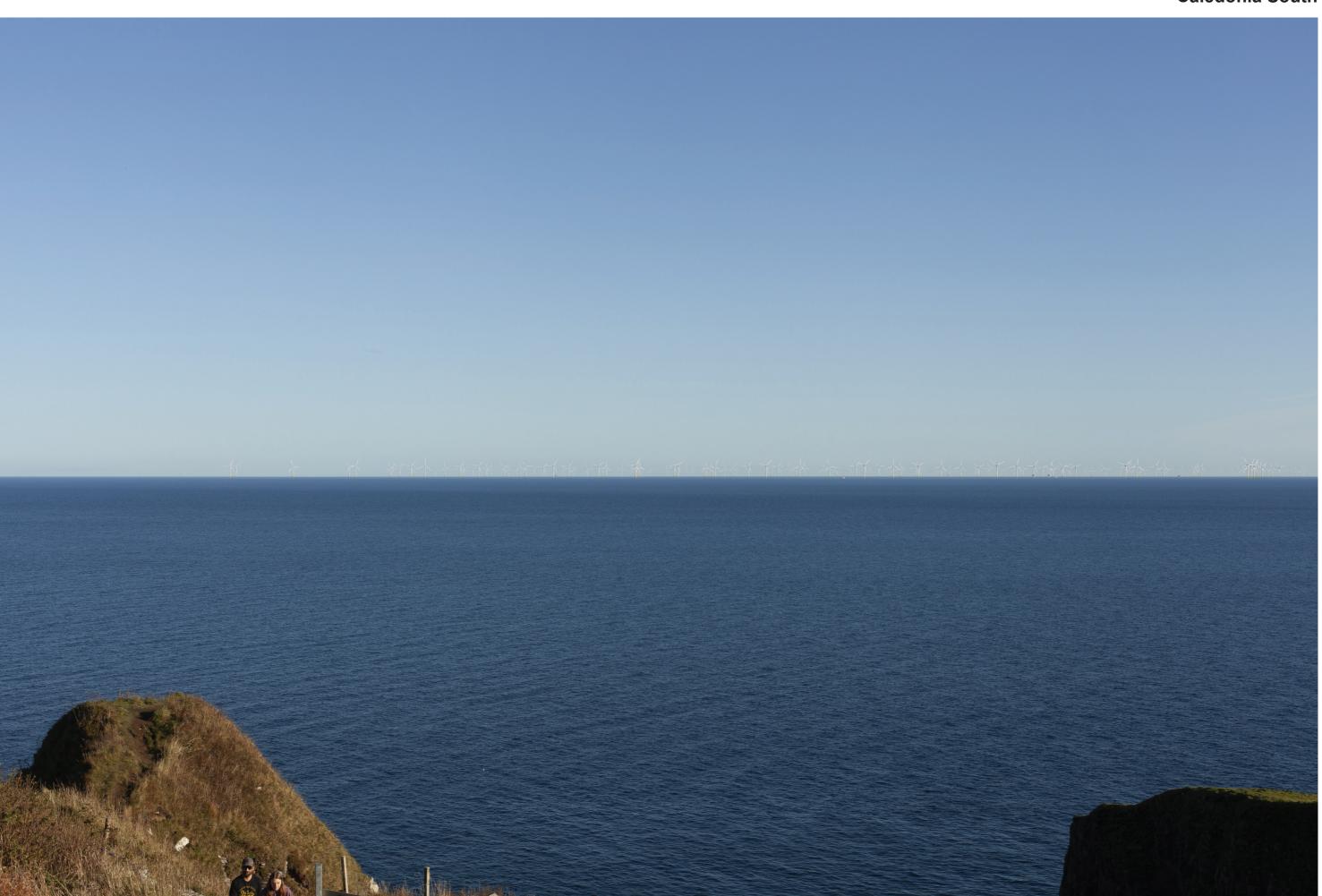
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Viewpoint 8: Whaligoe Steps This image should be viewed at a comfortable arm's length (approx. 500mm).

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Camera height: 1.5m Date: 17.10.2023 Time: 14:16



# Viewpoint 8: Whaligoe Steps

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Focal length: 50mm Camera: Canon EOS 5D Mark II Distance to nearest turbine: 43.76km Operational and Under Construction offshore wind farms have been photomontaged in this view.

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Camera height: 1.5m Date: 17.10.2023 Time: 14:16

#### VIEWPOINT 09: Lybster (end of Main Street)



Park on Main Street, and walk to the viewpoint located at the southern end of the street.

#### THC Viewpoint 09 Lybster (end of Main Street) Figure 12.8



## Viewpoint 9: Lybster (end of Main Street)

Distance to nearest turbine: 48.40km

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Focal length: 50mm Camera: Canon EOS 5D Mark II Camera height: 1.5m Date: 16.10.2023 Time: 12:08 Operational and Under Construction offshore wind farms have been photomontaged in this view.



Viewpoint 9: Lybster (end of Main Street) This image should be viewed at a comfortable arm's length (approx. 500mm).

Focal length: 75mm Distance to nearest turbine: 48.40km Camera: Canon EOS 5D Mark II Operational and Under Construction offshore wind farms have been photomontaged in this view.

# IMAGES FOR VISUAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT **Caledonia South**

Camera height: 1.5m Date: 16.10.2023 Time: 12:08

#### **VIEWPOINT 10: Dunbeath (near Heritage Centre)**



From the A9 west of the Dunbeath Viaduct take Neil Gunn Road south then Cambell Avenue east to the Heritage Centre. Park at the Heritage Centre in Dunbeath, walk right out of the car park down the road to the hairpin turn where the viewpoint is located on the verge.

#### THC Viewpoint 10 Dunbeath (near Heritage Centre) Figure 12.9



# Viewpoint 10: Dunbeath (near Heritage Centre)

When viewed at a comfortable arm's length (approx. 500mm), this printed image is representative of our detailed central vision, but is not representative of scale and distance.

Distance to nearest turbine: 54.67kmCamera: Canon EOS 5D Mark IIFocal length: 50mmCamera height: 1.5mDate: 16.10.2023Time: 10:00Ve of ourOperational and Under Construction offshore wind farms have been photomontaged in this view.



Viewpoint 10: Dunbeath (near Heritage Centre) This image should be viewed at a comfortable arm's length (approx. 500mm).

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Camera height: 1.5m Date: 16.10.2023 Time: 10:00

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