

GUIDE HILL STATION

LANDSCAPE SENSITIVITY TABLE

This table should be read in conjunction with the report "Guide hill station - landscape mapping in relation to the Mackenzie basin sub-zone provisions" and two maps entitled "Land Description Units and Visibility Plan – Guide Hill Station" and "Landscape Sensitivity Plan - Guide Hill Station".

Land Description Unit Number	Description	Landscape Character Sensitivity	Visual Sensitivity	Landscape Sensitivity
1	Evenly sloping terrace land covered in conifer plantation. Generally exposed to views from the west.	Low	High	Medium
2	Sloping terrace land in rough pasture with scatterings of long tussock and mature matagouri vegetation. Generally exposed to views from the west.	Medium	High	Medium
3	Evenly sloping terrace land in the form of improved pasture. Generally exposed to views from the west.	Low	Medium	Medium
4	Evenly sloping terrace land in the form of rough pasture with scatterings of long tussock and mature matagouri vegetation. Generally exposed to views from the west.	Medium	High	High
5	Undulating, rounded watercourse gullies in the form of rough pasture with scatterings of long tussock and mature matagouri vegetation. Generally hidden from external views.	Medium	Low	Low
6	Undulating rough pasture with scatterings of long tussock and mature matagouri vegetation. Generally exposed to views from the west.	Medium	High	Medium
7	Undulating terrace land in the form of improved pasture. Generally hidden from external views.	Low	Low	Low
8	Undulating rough pasture with scatterings of long tussock and mature matagouri vegetation. Generally exposed to views from the west.	Medium	High	Medium

9	Undulating terrace land in the form of improved pasture. Generally exposed to views from the west.	Low	High	Medium
10	Broad shallow valley containing a small watercourse in the form of rough pasture with considerable long tussock and mature matagouri. Generally hidden from external views.	Medium	Low	Low
11	Undulating terrace of improved pasture. Generally exposed to views from the west.	Low	High	Medium
12	Incised watercourse of Bolton's Gully that becomes a significant ravine towards its western end. Considerable matagouri and other woody vegetation. Generally well hidden from views.	High	Low	Medium
13	Large area of undulating moraine terraces stepping down to the west. Managed as rough pasture but with considerable long tussock, matagouri and other native vegetation. Generally hidden from external views.	High	Low	Medium
14	Rolling and undulating country that generally slopes to the west. Managed as browntop dominated pasture with some tussock. Generally exposed to views from the west.	Medium	High	High
15	Flat terrace of improved pasture that is generally hidden from external views.	Low	Low	Low
16	Flat terrace of improved pasture that is exposed to view from the west.	Low	Medium	Medium
17	Undulating moraine terraces managed as rough pasture but with considerable long tussock, matagouri and other native vegetation. Currently relatively visually hidden due to a roadside conifer shelterbelt but would be exposed to view from Braemar Road.	High	Medium	High
18	Large, generally flat terrace area that accommodates farm base infrastructure, yards and buildings including dwellings as well as large areas of improved pasture. Generally hidden from external views.	Low	Low	Low
19	A series of rugged ridges in use as rough pasture with	Medium	High	High

	considerable matagouri vegetation. Exposed to close views from Baremar Road.			
20	A series of rugged ridges in use as rough pasture with considerable matagouri vegetation. Generally hidden from external views.	Medium	Low	Medium
21	Large terrace/plain area that is lightly grazed. Vegetative cover includes a high content of native tussocks as well as exotic browntop. Long views across this area are available from Braemar Road.	High	Medium	High
22	Large fan/plain area that is lightly grazed. Vegetative cover includes a high content of native tussocks as well as exotic browntop. Long views across this area are available from Braemar Road.	High	Medium	High
23	Large open valley containing the Mary Burn. Light seasonal grazing. Vegetative cover includes a high content of native tussocks as well as exotic browntop. Long views across this area are available from Braemar Road.	High	Medium	High
24	Undulating rough pasture with a high content of native tussocks as well as exotic browntop. Exposed to views from Braemar Road.	High	Medium	High
25	Undulating rough pasture with a high content of native tussocks as well as exotic browntop. Light seasonal grazing. Long views across this area are available from Braemar Road.	High	Medium	High
26	Rounded gully landform containing an ephemeral watercourse. Light seasonal grazing. Vegetative cover consists of a high content of native tussocks as well as exotic browntop. Generally hidden from external views.	High	Low	Medium
27	Undulating and rolling table landform. Light seasonal grazing. Vegetative cover consists of a high content of native tussocks as well as exotic browntop. Long views across this area are available from Braemar Road.	High	Medium	High

28	Rounded gully landform containing an ephemeral watercourse. Light seasonal grazing. Vegetative cover consists of a high content of native tussocks as well as exotic browntop. Generally hidden from external views.	High	Low	Medium
29	Steep ridge landform with some rocky outcrops. Vegetative cover consists of a high content of native tussocks as well as exotic browntop. Exposed to broad and distant views from the west.	High	High	High
30	Large open fan / plain landform. Light seasonal grazing. Vegetative cover consists of a high content of native tussocks as well as exotic browntop. Exposed to long views from Braemar Road.	High	Medium	High
31	Elevated ridge / peak landform. Vegetation is browntop dominated but with considerable tussock content. Exposed to broad distant views.	High	High	High
32	Large area of rolling and terraced landform that generally steps down towards the west. Used for light grazing. Vegetative cover consists of exotic grasses dominated by browntop but with a considerable content of native tussocks. Generally hidden from external views.	High	Low	Medium
33	Large, generally flat terrace area that accommodates semi-improved pasture and very occasional farm buildings. Generally hidden from external views.	Medium	Low	Low
34	Area of rolling and terraced landform that generally steps down towards the west. Used for light grazing. Vegetative cover consists of exotic grasses dominated by browntop but with a considerable content of native tussocks. Generally hidden from external views.	Medium	Low	Medium
35	Area of open rolling and terraced land that generally steps down to the west. Vegetative cover consists of exotic grasses dominated by browntop but with a considerable content of native tussocks. Generally exposed to views from	Medium	High	High

	the west.			
36	Small terrace of exotic grasses dominated by browntop. Generally exposed to views from the west.	Medium	High	High
37	Small terrace of exotic grasses dominated by browntop. Generally exposed to views from the west.	Medium	High	High
38	Open rolling and terraced land that generally steps down to the west. Vegetative cover consists of exotic grasses dominated by browntop but with a considerable content of native tussocks. Generally hidden from broad views.	Medium	Low	Medium
39	Small area sloping down to the west dominated by browntop. Generally exposed to views from the west.	Medium	High	High
40	Rough gully containing a watercourse. Considerable scatterings of matagouri vegetation that increase at lower elevations.	Medium	Low	Low
41	Area of rolling and terraced land dominated by browntop but with a considerable content of native tussocks. Generally hidden from broad views.	Medium	Low	Medium
42	Large area of open rolling and terraced land that generally steps down to the west. Vegetative cover consists of exotic grasses dominated by browntop but with a considerable content of native tussocks. Generally exposed to views from the west.	Medium	High	High
43	Shallow rounded gully area dominated by browntop but with a considerable content of native tussocks. Generally hidden from broad views.	Medium	Low	Medium
44	Shallow rounded gully area dominated by browntop but with a considerable content of native tussocks. Generally hidden from broad views.	Medium	Low	Medium
45	Area of terraced land that slopes down to the west. Vegetative cover consists of exotic grasses dominated by browntop but with a considerable scattering of matagouri. Generally exposed to views from the west.	High	High	High

46	Broad, rounded gully with an ephemeral watercourse. Vegetative cover consists of exotic grasses dominated by browntop but with a considerable scattering of matagouri. Generally hidden from external views.	High	Low	Medium
47	Area of rolling and terraced land that slopes down to the west. Vegetative cover consists of exotic grasses dominated by browntop but with a considerable scattering of matagouri. Generally exposed to views from the west.	High	High	High
48	Flat terrace area of improved pasture. Generally hidden from external views although some brief visibility is available from Hayman Road.	Low	Medium	Low
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50	Area of rolling and terraced land that slopes down to the west. Vegetative cover consists of exotic grasses dominated by browntop but with a considerable scattering of matagouri. Generally exposed to views from the west.	High	High	High
51	Area of rolling land covered in exotic grasses dominated by browntop but with a considerable scattering of matagouri. Generally hidden from external views.	High	Low	Medium