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# Former Footscray Ammunition Factory

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## Location

Gordon Street, Footscray, MARIBYRNONG CITY

## Municipality

MARIBYRNONG CITY

## Level of significance

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## Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO131

## Heritage Listing

Vic. War Heritage Inventory

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## Statement of Significance

Last updated on - June 13, 2000

HO131 Ammunition Factory 1 Gordon St, Footscray

Construction dates 1870,

Hermes Number 126075

Property Number

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## Physical Description 1

Colonial magazine; colonial ammunition factory; interwar ammunition factory

## Historical Australian Themes

Providing administrative structures and authorities - defence

## **Veterans Description for Public**

The Former Footscray Ammunition Factory is located on Gordon Street. The site includes an original, large bluestone magazine from the 1870s, known as Jacks Magazine. The Colonial Ammunition Company used the site between 1880s-1920s, until the Commonwealth ammunition factory was set up in 1920s. The site is currently subject to plans for redevelopment.

*This place/object may be included in the Victorian Heritage Register pursuant to the Heritage Act 2017. Check the Victorian Heritage Database, selecting 'Heritage Victoria' as the place source.*

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