JUMBUNNA COAL MINE



Locality plan Jumbunna mine close

Location

165 OUTTRIM-MOYARRA ROAD JUMBUNNA, SOUTH GIPPSLAND SHIRE

Municipality

SOUTH GIPPSLAND SHIRE

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H8021-0043

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Statement of Significance

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STATE SIGNIFICANCE

Interpretation of Site

The site visually interprets the operation of a large underground black coal mine of its era, showing large mullock dumps, machinery footings and abundant scrap artefacts. The actual main shaft position has not been identified, however.

Hermes Number

34905

Property Number

History

Coal was discovered at Jumbunna in 1889, and commercial operations commenced in 1894. The mine operated until 1929, producing 1.3 million tons of black coal. Limited extraction was later carried out in the late 1940s to 1961.

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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