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IMPORTANT NOTES ON VIEWPOINT PHOTOGRAPHY, WIREFRAMES AND PHOTOMONTAGES

- These photographic visualisations have been produced following the guidelines laid out by the Landscape Institute in their Advice Note of 01/11 - Use of photography and photomontage in landscape and visual assessment
- Photographs were taken towards the Proposed Project from publicly accessible areas and cameras were levelled and set up on a tripod at a standard viewing height of 1.5m.
- All photography was taken on site using a Canon EOS 6D Digital SLR Camera with approx. 20.2 effective megapixels and Canon EF 50mm f/1.8 fixed focal lens.
- The panoramic views are formed from a number of separate images taken in sequence and stitched together using PTGui and TrueViewVisuals.
- The wireframes have been generated by inserting computer generated 3D pylons and tunnel head houses, as supplied by engineers and architects, into TrueViewVisuals and generating 90 degree views from the respective viewpoint coordinates in TrueViewVisuals. 3D models of the vertical sealing end equipment to the east of the Dwyryd Estuary were not available. The proposed equipment in the SEC is therefore represented by cylindrical columns to provide an indication of the perceived height of the equipment only. The photomontages do not show security or other fencing proposed nor do they show any proposals for planting which has not yet been agreed with National Grid/ landowners. The illustrative photomontages are based on a combination of wireframes rendered in TrueViewVisuals and visualisations of 3D contours and mitigation planting in AutoCAD and have been produced Photoshop.
- Photographic images alone cannot provide the visual experience that a human observer would receive in the field and should therefore be considered an aide-mémoire and for illustration of how the Proposed Project would sit in a view. Note: detailed assessment and considered judgements can only be made on the basis of site inspection.



VIEWPOINT D: VIEW FROM NATIONAL CYCLE ROUTE 8, NORTH WEST OF MINFFORDD

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VIEWPOINT DETAILS



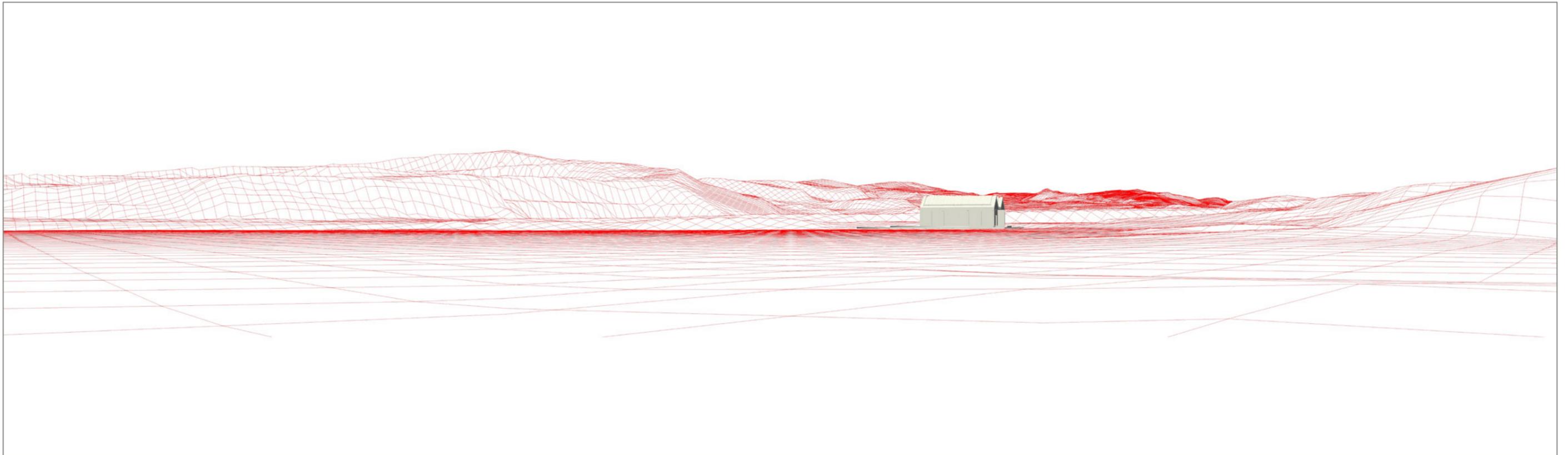
VIEWPOINT DETAILS

Grid Reference	SH 59280 38584
Approx Elevation	5m AOD
General Direction of View	NE, 23°
Time / Date	15.00, April 11 2018
Weather / Visibility	Cloudy/ Moderate
Camera	Canon EOS 6D, Canon EF 50mm f/1.8 fixed focal lens

PHOTOGRAPH OF EXISTING LANDSCAPE FROM VIEWPOINT (90° FIELD OF VIEW)



WIREFRAME OF THE PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT FROM VIEWPOINT (90° FIELD OF VIEW)



ILLUSTRATIVE PHOTOMONTAGE OF PROPOSED PROJECT FROM THE VIEWPOINT AT OPERATION YEAR 1



ILLUSTRATIVE PHOTOMONTAGE OF PROPOSED PROJECT FROM THE VIEWPOINT AT OPERATION YEAR 15



VIEWPOINT N: VIEW FROM THE A496 LOOKING NORTH EAST

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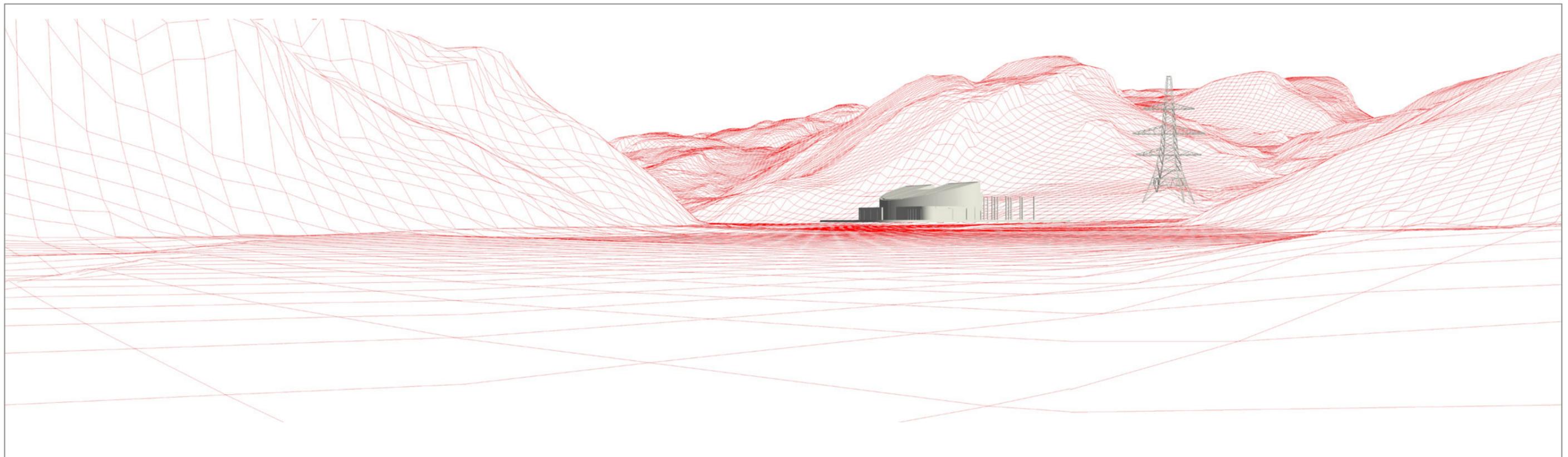
VIEWPOINT DETAILS

Grid Reference	SH 62220 37701
Approx Elevation	4.4m AOD
General Direction of View	NE, 48°
Time / Date	13:36, March 27 2019
Weather / Visibility	Light Cloud / Good
Camera	Canon EOS 6D, Canon EF 50mm f/1.8 fixed focal lens

PHOTOGRAPH OF EXISTING LANDSCAPE FROM VIEWPOINT (90° FIELD OF VIEW)



WIREFRAME OF THE PROPOSED PROJECT FROM VIEWPOINT (90° FIELD OF VIEW)



ILLUSTRATIVE PHOTOMONTAGE OF PROPOSED PROJECT FROM THE VIEWPOINT AT OPERATION YEAR 1



ILLUSTRATIVE PHOTOMONTAGE OF PROPOSED PROJECT FROM THE VIEWPOINT AT OPERATION YEAR 15





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