Glendell Open Cut is located at Ravensworth, in the NSW Upper Hunter, approximately 25 kilometres northwest of Singleton, and 26 km southeast of Muswellbrook.

Our History

- Glendell was first approved by the then Department of Planning whilst under the joint venture ownership of Renison Goldfields Ltd and Dalgety Australia Ltd.
- In 1989, Renison Goldfields Consolidated Limited acquired 100% of the project.
- A new joint venture was established between Savage Resources (67.5%) and Mitsui Matsushima (32.5%).
- Glendell was sold to a joint venture of Savage Resources (56.5%), Marion Coal Pty Limited (16%) and Mitsui Matsushima (27.5%).
- Savage Resources sold its 67.5% share to Pasmico and Pasmico sold their 67.5% share to Glencore Coal Australia Pty Ltd.
- Xstrata (now Glencore) acquired 100% ownership of Glendell in early 2003.
- Construction activities commenced in April 2008 with the first coal extracted at Glendell in June 2008.

Our people

329 STAFF

FAST FACTS

Ownership

100% GLENCORE OWNED

Location
Glendell Open Cut mine has a comprehensive Environmental Management System (EMS) in place. The EMS provides a framework for dealing with environmental management issues at the mine, in a systematic way. It brings together all aspects of environmental management on the mine site.

The EMS covers the design, development, production, maintenance and rehabilitation of the operation and its infrastructure. The principal objectives of the EMS are to ensure that the company adopts a continuous improvement approach to environmental management issues at the site and wherever practical and economic, implement best practice environmental management. The EMS also serves to ensure that activities at the operations are controlled, such that the company either prevents or minimises any environmental impacts associated with the operation.

Continuous monitoring of meteorological conditions, air quality, water quality, noise levels, blasting operations, flora and fauna and rehabilitation areas is undertaken. This provides the mine with the information required to minimise environmental impacts, and evaluate the effectiveness of the environmental management process and rehabilitation efforts.

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**Annual Production for Glendell Open Cut**

**2015 SALEABLE COAL**

**3.686 million tonnes**

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**GLENDELL OPEN CUT ~ ACHIEVEMENTS ~**

2011 Environment and Community Glencore Coal Assets Chief Operating Officer Award for Excellence

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**Operation**

Glendell Open Cut operates under the management of Glendell Tenements Pty Ltd. The mine includes Glendell and Ravensworth East Open cut pits.

Glendell Open Cut is an excavator and truck operation targeting the seams of the Whittingham coal measures.

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**Community**

Glendell Open Cut is committed to ongoing open and honest communication with the local community and other stakeholders. We actively seek to engage and consult the community to provide information relating to the environmental, social and operational performance of the mines and enable the community to provide feedback. Members of the local community are encouraged to contact us to raise any concerns they may have.

Our broad community program, which includes donations, sponsorship and in-kind assistance for a range of environmental, community and educational initiatives, demonstrates our on-going support for the local community. Among the groups and events supported are the Mt Pleasant School Horse Sports Day, Hebden Community Hall Trust, and a number of other local initiatives.

Contact information:

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**Environmental Management**

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**Total area of managed land by Glendell Open Cut**

2,750ha