

# Teindland Wind Farm

Viewpoint 15  
Meikle Balloch Hill

### Existing View

The views from the hilltop moorland are open in all directions, taking in a view of lower lying farmland with other hills, forests and settlement set within it; in particular at Keith, nearby to the northwest. Existing and consented wind farms are seen in most directions, including to the north at Lurg Hill (beyond the LVIA study area). The greatest concentration of turbines is visible to the west and will be added to by Rothes III and other consented wind farms.

### Predicted Change

The proposed turbines would be seen as a new cluster set on a lower-lying forested hill to the west, beyond Keith and the wooded Hill of Mulderrie. This viewpoint is not likely to be visited at night.

### Cumulative

Cairds Hill would be seen nearby to the southwest, appearing notably closer and larger than the turbines at Edintore wind farm. Kellas Drum would be seen as a distant addition, extending the Rothes group of wind farms. Aultmore wind farm would be seen as two distinct and relatively nearby groups of turbines on the skyline to the north and northwest.

- 90° baseline panorama and cumulative wireline
- 53.5° photomontage



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Coordinate System: OSGB36 / British National Grid

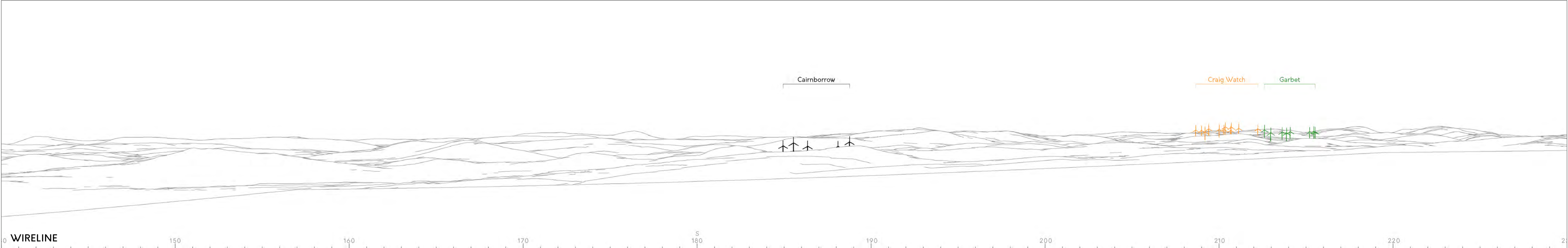






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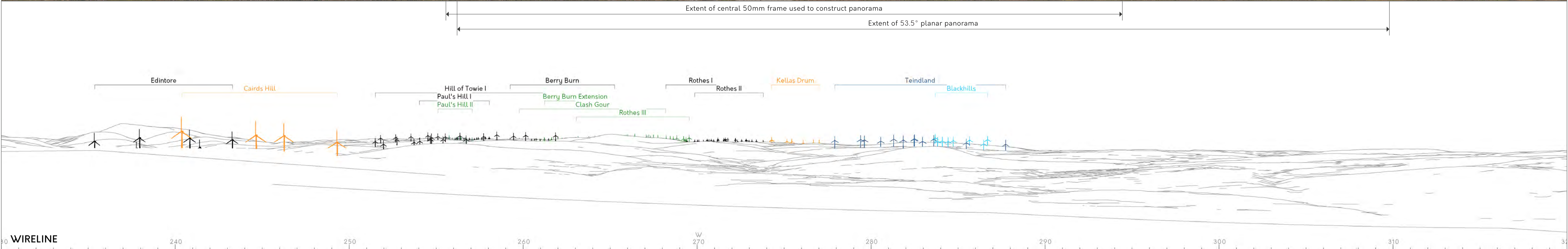






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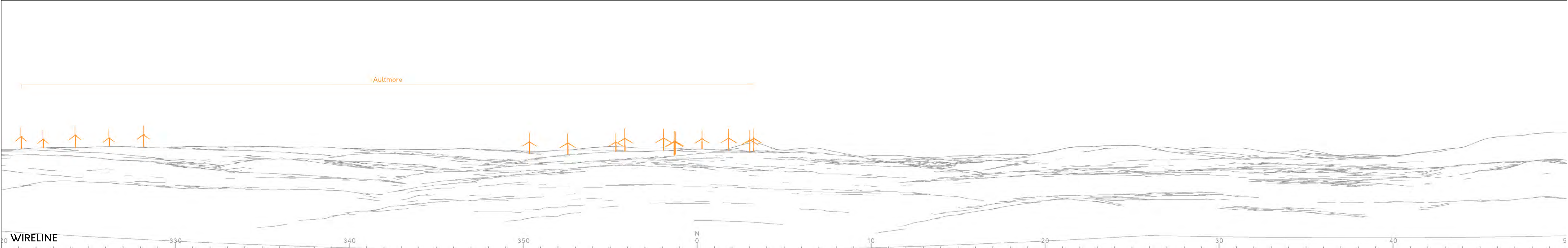






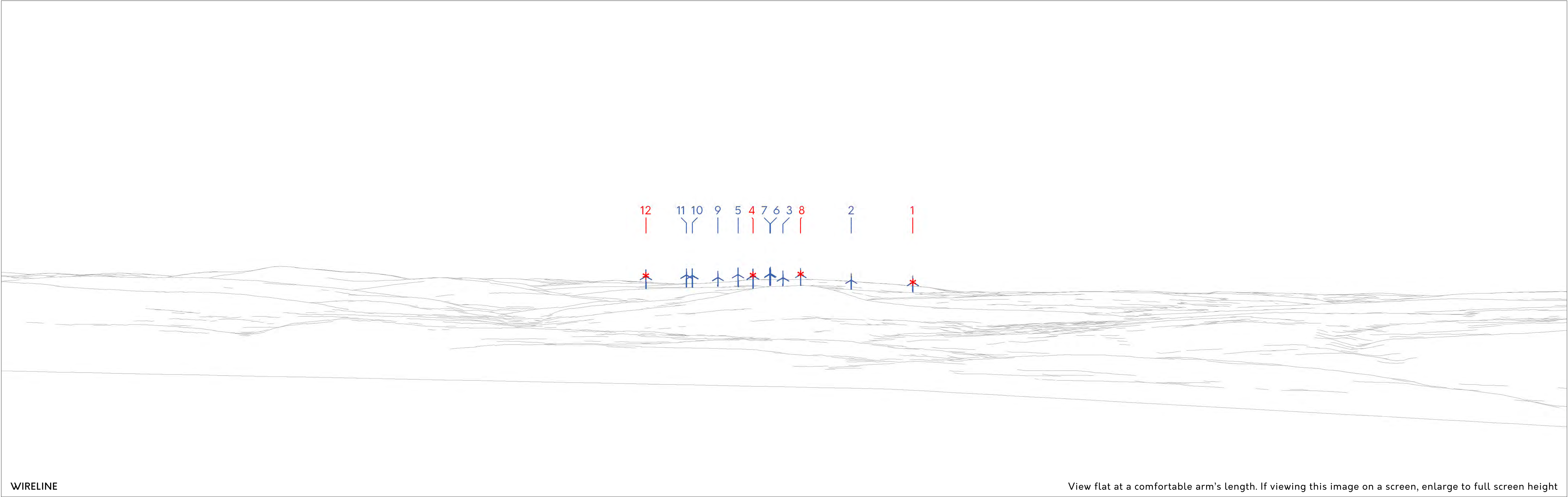
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WIRELINE

View flat at a comfortable arm's length. If viewing this image on a screen, enlarge to full screen height



OS grid reference: 347158E 849565N  
AOD (Above Ordnance Datum): 364m  
Direction of view: 283°  
Nearest turbine (Proposed): 17.96km

Horizontal field of view: 53.5° (planar projection)  
Principal Distance: 812.5mm  
Paper size: 841 x 297mm (half A1)  
Correct printed image size: 820 x 260mm

Turbines with 2000/200cd ANO Visible Red Lights:  
\* Turbine 1, 4, 8 and 12

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PHOTOMONTAGE

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Camera: Nikon D750  
Lens: Nikkor 50mm f/1.8G  
Camera height (above AOD): 2m  
Date/Time of Photography: 28/08/2024 @ 09:33

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