VNI West experience

Helping you to visualise VNI West

Victorian legislation recognises the value of landscapes for their intrinsic qualities, for the quality of life and enjoyment of people, and for the economic benefits they bring.

Understanding the visual character of these landscapes and their recognised scenic and landscape values helps to assess the severity of impacts resulting from the Project across parts of the region, particularly for receptors (e.g. residences) located near roads, private dwellings, and recreational areas.

The ***VNI West project experience*** is one of four visualisation tools that VicGrid VNI West offers landholders and community members to understand the proposed project. This experience allows users to see view locations assessed at Wallaloo, Jeffcot, Kerang, Tragowel, Charlton, Wycheproof, Benjeroop, Teddywaddy, Mount Bolangum and Joel Joel.

What to know about the headset experience

The VNI West project experience allows wearers to preview how the proposed transmission infrastructure could look at scale, embedded in the local landscape.

Using an Apple Vision Pro headset, wearers can take a guided tour through more than ten view locations studied in the Land and Visual Impact Assessment (Technical Appendix J of the EES).

The headset calibration and experience takes about ten minutes. Once underway, wearers will be guided with voiceover describing the 3D maps, before-and-after visual renders, flythroughs and 360-degree videos. Instructions on how to wear and operate the headset are on the reverse side of this page.

The complete EES, draft PSA and technical appendices are available on the VNI West website at **vniwproject.com.au/EES**

Wearer considerations



A monitor screen or iPad will show the experience without needing to wear a headset.



The headset experience is available to community members to wear aged 14 years and over.



Hats, headwear and glasses cannot be worn in the experience. Contact lenses can be worn, hearing aids may require adjustment.



The headset operator will help fit the headset and make any physical adjustments with you. Let us know if it is not fitting correctly.

Headset instructions

Please ensure you have read the **wearer considerations** on the reverse page before you put on the headset. Follow the instructions below, and listen as the operator assists you with the fitting, to ensure that ensure that you are receiving a smooth demonstration of the VNI West interactive experience.

While you will be able to 'see through' the headset, using augmented reality (AR) passthrough technology, the demonstration takes place in a seated position, for a controlled and comfortable experience. If at any point the experience causes you discomfort, please let the operator know. You or the operator can end the experience at any time by removing the headset.

1 Place the battery lanyard over your neck



2 Take the headset with both hands



3 Use the fit knob on the right band above the ear



4 The crown on the top right of the headset twists and also presses like a button



5 If the fit is uncomfortable, the operator can run the demo while you watch on an iPad monitor



6 Briefly pinching your thumb and forefinger together is how you select, or 'click,' on items in the Apple Vision Pro



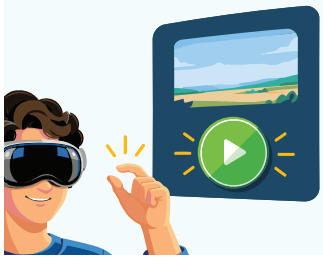
7 Press and hold the crown button to adjust the fit to your face



8 Rotate and press the crown button to select Guest Mode



9 Pinch to select the green play button and view the chosen experience



10 Hand the Apple Vision Pro headset back to the operator once the experience is complete



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