



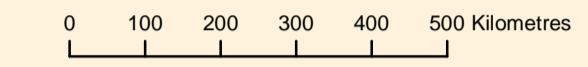
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AUSTRALIAN OPERATING MINES

This map shows Australian operating mines, deposits where development has commenced or where a decision to mine has been announced and selected mineral deposits. Closed mines or mines not currently operating are not shown. It illustrates broadly the geographic distribution of mines and deposits, and the range of selected commodities mined.

SCALE 1:10 000 000



LAMBERT CONFORMAL CONIC PROJECTION
Central Meridian: 134°E Standard Parallels: 18°S, 36°S
Geocentric Datum of Australia

MAIN MINERALISED REGIONS BY PREDOMINANT AGE

- Mainly Phanerozoic basin cover
- Paleozoic to Mesozoic
- Paleozoic (542-251 million years old)
- Proterozoic to Paleozoic
- Proterozoic (2500-542 million years old)
- Archean to Proterozoic
- Archean (>2500 million years old)

- Mineral deposit
- Operating mine
- Developing mine

COMMODITIES

<p>Ag Silver</p> <p>Au Gold</p> <p>Brt Barite</p> <p>Bx Bauxite</p> <p>Cbl Coal (black)</p> <p>Cbr Coal (brown)</p> <p>Co Cobalt</p> <p>Cr Chromium</p> <p>Cu Copper</p> <p>Dmd Diamond</p> <p>Fe Iron</p> <p>Ilm Ilmenite</p> <p>In Indium</p> <p>Jade Jade</p> <p>Leu Leucocene</p> <p>Li Lithium</p> <p>Mgs Magnesite</p> <p>Mn Manganese</p> <p>Mnz Monazite</p> <p>Mo Molybdenum</p>	<p>Ni Nickel</p> <p>Opl Opal</p> <p>Osh Oil Shale</p> <p>P Phosphorous</p> <p>Pb Lead</p> <p>PGE Platinum Group Elements</p> <p>Re Rhenium</p> <p>REE Rare Earth Elements</p> <p>Rt Rutile</p> <p>Sb Antimony</p> <p>Sisd Silica sand</p> <p>Sn Tin</p> <p>Ta Tantalum</p> <p>Ti Titanium</p> <p>Tlc Talc</p> <p>U Uranium</p> <p>V Vanadium</p> <p>Vrm Vermiculite</p> <p>W Tungsten</p> <p>Zn Zinc</p>
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