



Woomera Redevelopment Joint Venture

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Local and Indigenous Participation

What is Woomera?

THE wider RAAF Woomera Range Complex, a large Australian Defence Force aerospace and systems testing range **covering an area of approximately 122,000 square kilometres** and is operated by the Royal Australian Air Force.



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Following the advances in military technology of World War II, Australia and the United Kingdom formed the **Anglo-Australia Joint Project in 1946.** The centrepiece of the project was the establishment of a long-range weapons testing facility at Woomera. The area was declared a Prohibited Area in 1947 and the first military trial took place in December 1947.



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From 1957, Woomera became a global focal point for space activity, including being chosen as the launch point for the European Launcher Development Organisation (ELDO). At the height of its space activity, Woomera had the second highest number of rocket launches in the world after NASA's facilities at Cape Canaveral in Florida.





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