

Appendix A – site record form



Site Record Form

NZAA SITE NUMBER: T13/923

SITE TYPE: Mining - gold

SITE NAME(s):

DATE RECORDED:

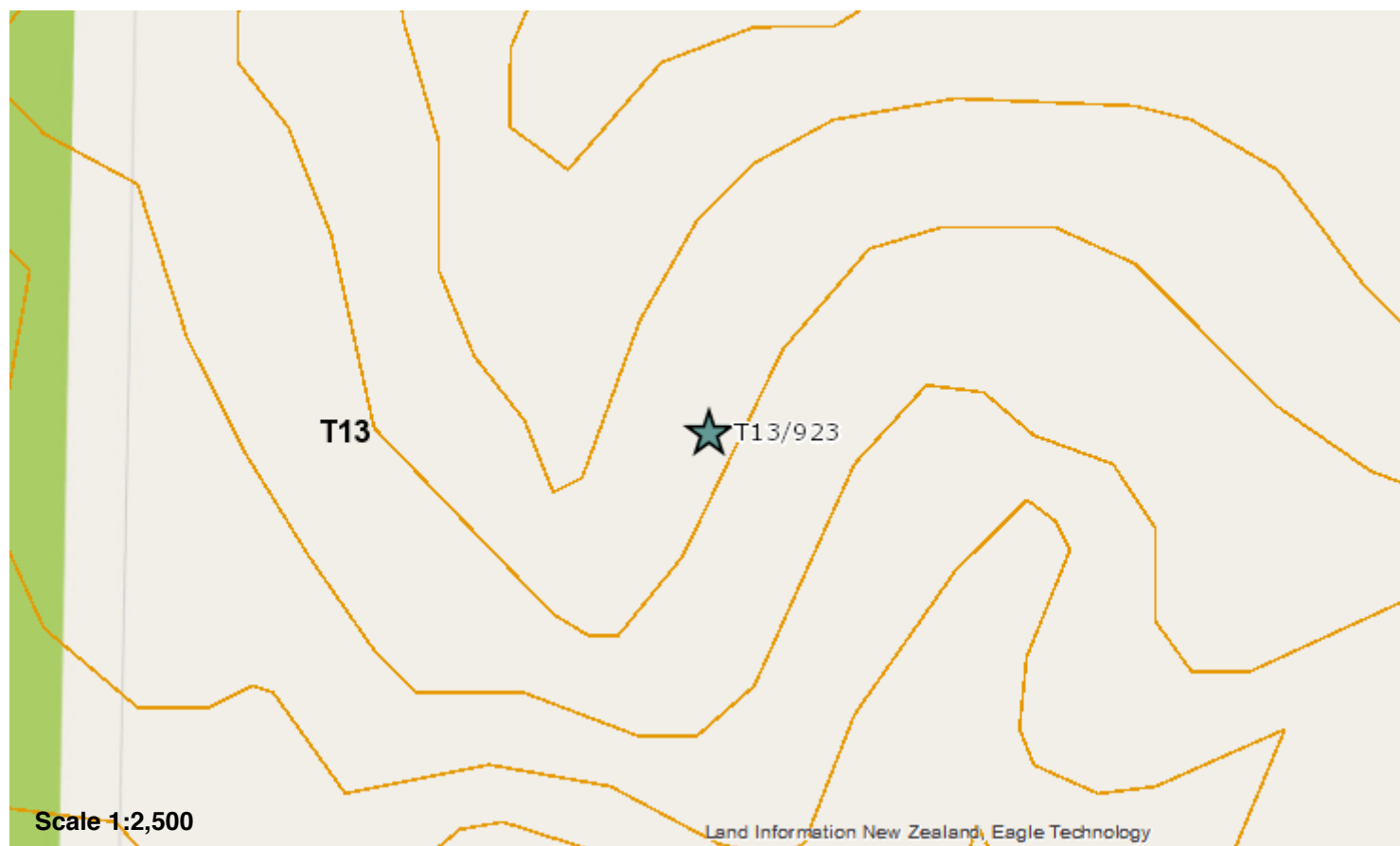
SITE COORDINATES (NZTM) Easting: 1840097

Northing: 5851739

Source: Handheld GPS

IMPERIAL SITE NUMBER:

METRIC SITE NUMBER: T13/923



Finding aids to the location of the site

Access via private road (connects with Wright Road) adjacent Romaru Stream, north off Rawhiti Road, between Te Aroha and Tirohia. Then on through private farm holdings (Denize Brothers Ltd).

Brief description

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Recorded features

Adit

Other sites associated with this site

SITE RECORD HISTORY**NZAA SITE NUMBER:** T13/923**Site description**

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Grid reference (E1840097 / N5851739)

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Adit 1) E1840097/N5851739: prospecting adit, partially collapsed at entrance. Not entered. Mullock heap visible on eastern aspect slope forward of entrance, under grass. Existing benched farm access track is c.30 below entrance, 10 m below lowest point of mullock heap.

Adit 2) E1840489/N5851680: continue east uphill along existing track to other side of natural gut. This is a completely collapsed adit entrance with a mullock heap visible on western aspect fore slope.

Condition of the site

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Statement of condition

Updated: 04/04/2017, Visited: 28/12/2016 - Poor - Visible features are incomplete, unclear and/or the majority have been damaged in some way

Current land use:

Updated: 04/04/2017, Visited: 28/12/2016 - Grazing

Threats:

Updated: 04/04/2017, Visited: 28/12/2016 - Erosion, Road/ track formation or maintenance

Supporting documentation held in ArchSite

View west from Denize Brothers farm access track across to Adit 2 (T13/923).



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View SW from high ridge across T13/923 adit 1. Hauraki plains in background

Denize Brothers farm, access track below T13/923 adit 1

Dec 2016. AJH.





Adit 1

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