Title	Naturally Occurring Asbestos	
Abstract	Areas within NSW where naturally occurring asbestos has been found, or has the potential to be found within 10 metres of the surface. The areas are based on the existing 1:250,000 geological mapping with additional use of 1:25 000 lithological mapping in the Broken Hill area. The datasets also include point data information on sites where naturally occurring asbestos has been found, and petrographic information on asbestos and its host rocks. The different dataset layers can be switched on or off (and their transparency adjusted) by clicking the 'Layers' icon at the bottom of the screen. Clicking on a polygon or point will return more detailed attribute information. The map has been restricted to only zoom to approximately 1:80,000, reflecting the maximum accuracy of the underlying mapping data. For more information visit https://www.epa.nsw.gov.au/clm/natural-asbestos.htm or https://www.safeworkaustralia.gov.au/asbestos#work-health-and-safety-duties	
Resource loca	tor	
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	Protocol: WWW:DOWNLOAD-1.0-httpdownload	
	Description:	
	Display dataset on SEED's map	
	Function: download	
<u>Data Quality</u> <u>Statement</u>	Name: Data Quality Statement	
	Protocol: WWW:DOWNLOAD-1.0-httpdownload	
	Description:	
	Data quality statement for Naturally Occurring Asbestos	
	Function: download	
<u>Download</u> <u>Package</u>	Name: Download Package	
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Presentation form	Map digital	
Edition	1	
Dataset language	English	
Metadata stan	dard	
Name	ISO 19115	
Edition	2016	
Dataset URI	https://datasets.seed.nsw.gov.au/dataset/ab3886de-3318-4497-b18b-8efdde957e55	
Purpose	Workplace safety	
Status	Completed	

Spatial representation Type vector Geometric Object Type point Spatial reference system Code identifying the spatial 4283 reference system Equivalent scale 1:None Topic category

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	HAZARDS
Originating controlled vocabulary	
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Code identifying the coordinate reference system	5711
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End position	N/A
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Lineage

The dataset includes 35 sites where asbestos has been identified as a commodity, and 65 sites were identified as from MetIndex from the MetIndex database where possible asbestos-type minerals have been recorded and are likely to be asbestiform.

Two main assessments were undertaken to select areas with the potential for NOA to occur: 1) a first-pass assessment based on spatial queries on lithological fields and 2) A more detailed assessment based on detailed information from GSNSW maps and their attendant explanatory notes, the scientific literature and theses. The mapping was almost entirely based on the existing mapped geological polygons.

Limitations on public access

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