

# VAAL-OLIFANTS (VAAL DAM) TRANSFER

## LOCATION

This transfer occurs from Vaal Dam in the Upper Vaal catchment northwards to the Upper Olifants Water Management Area.

## DESCRIPTION

The capacity is limited to a maximum of 5.1 m<sup>3</sup>/s. Refer to the schematic of the Upper Vaal catchment. The scheme is known as VRESSAP (Vaal River Eastern Sub-system Augmentation Project).

## PURPOSE

The purpose is to extend the supply of industrial water to the Sasol-Secunda complex, as well as Eskom power stations. This scheme is to work in the future in conjunction with Grootdraai Dam.



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