

# How to determine if a borehole has core photos available

The Geological Survey of Victoria maintains a database of more than 13,000 boreholes, with data available for these holes made accessible through the free, online mapping application GeoVic. This guide provides a quick summary of how to use GeoVic to determine whether a borehole has core photos available, the types of core photos potentially available, and instructions on how to select and download photos.

1. In GeoVic, select the borehole you would like to find photos for.
2. Click the 'Tabular View' button on the main toolbar. This will present a tabular view of the data for the selected borehole (Figure 1).

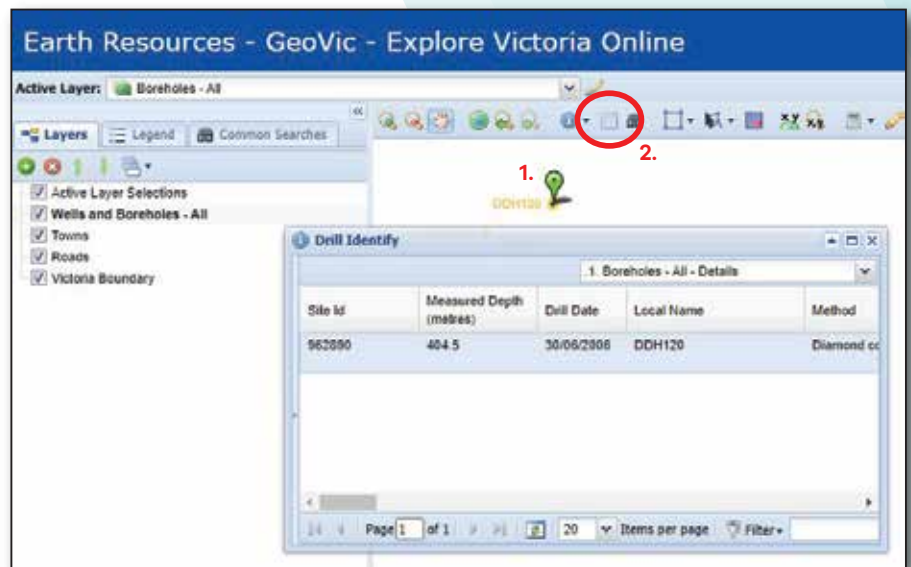


Figure 1.

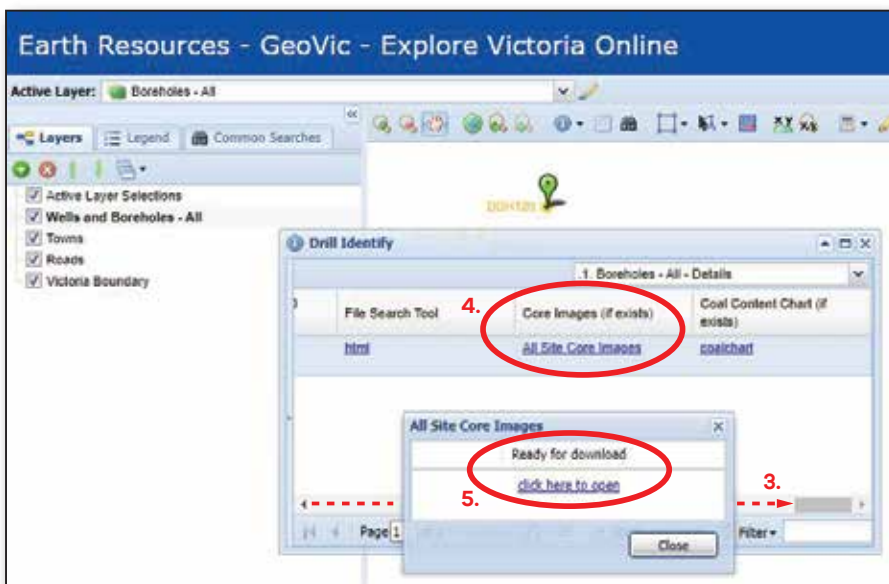


Figure 2.

3. In Tabular View, drag the scrollbar to the right to find the 'Core Images (if exists)' hyperlink (Figure 2).
4. Click this link
5. Select 'click here to open'. This will take you directly to a site containing all core photos available for the borehole.

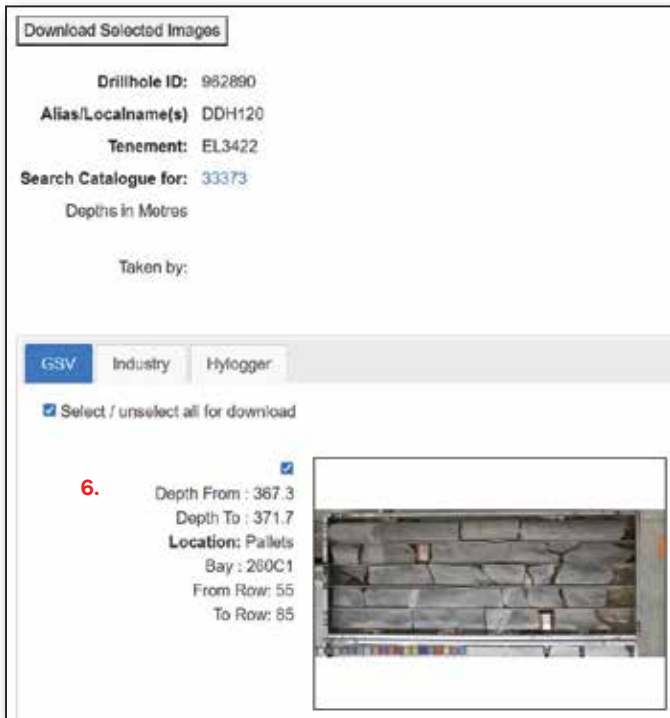


Figure 3.

6. If there are many photos available for the borehole, the site may take some time to load. Please wait up to 1 minute to determine whether the photos just need time to load (Figure 3).

If core photos are unavailable, the following graphic will be displayed:



7. To view or download a single photo, simply click on the photo and it will automatically download, or right-click on it and select 'Save As' and choose the save location (Figure 4).
8. To download multiple images, use the blue tick boxes next to the photos to select/unselect individual photos for download.
9. To select or unselect all, tick the 'Select/unselect all for download' box.
10. Click the 'Download Selected Images' button to complete the process

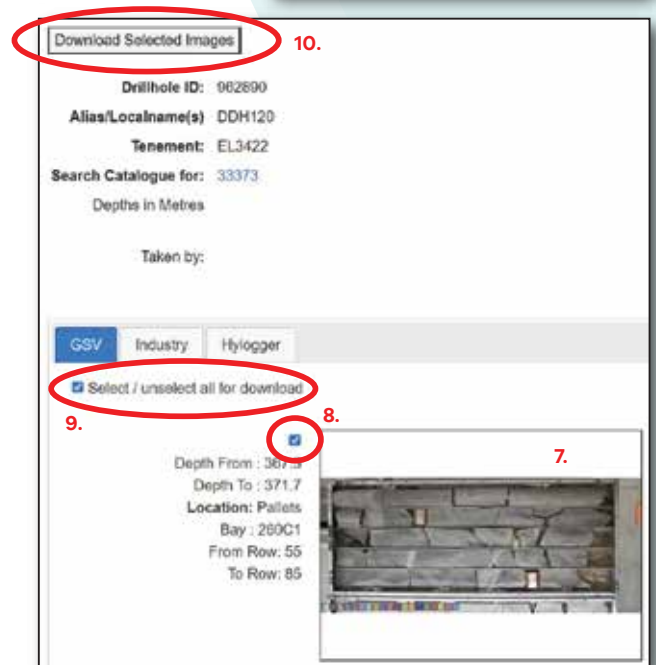


Figure 4.

### GeoVic Help Guide

For more information regarding the functionality of GeoVic, please download a copy of the GeoVic Help Guide, available at the following link:

[resources.vic.gov.au/geology-exploration/maps-reports-data/geovic](https://resources.vic.gov.au/geology-exploration/maps-reports-data/geovic)

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