

Water Sources - The Grampians System

The Grampians system sources water from:

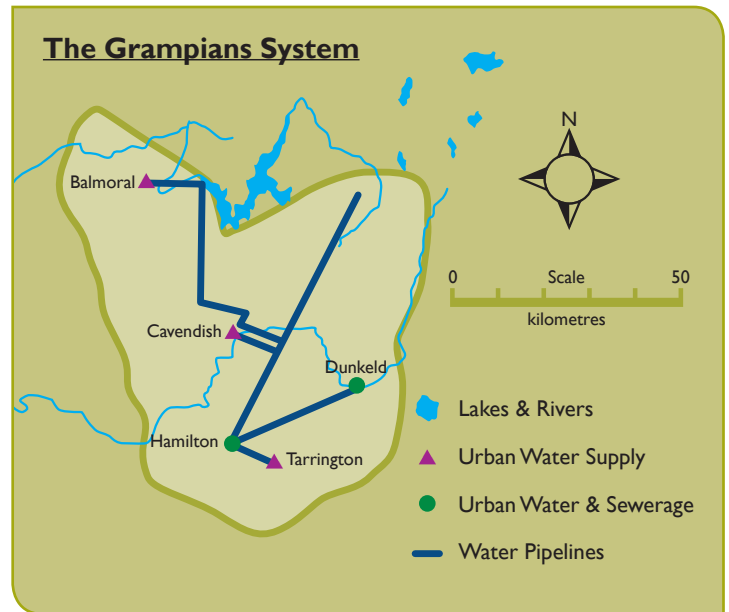
- A series of small streams located within the Grampians National Park
- Groundwater bores located in the Grampians National Park can be used to augment supply during dry periods.
- Rocklands Reservoir – which is managed by Grampians Wimmera Mallee Water

Water from the various sources is piped to three large storage reservoirs (Hayes, Cruckoor and Hartwicks) north of Hamilton. These storages hold a total supply of 2,530 megalitres.

This water is then piped to the Hamilton water treatment plant to be treated to comply with the Australian Drinking Water Guidelines before it is delivered to customers in Hamilton, Tarrington and Dunkeld.

Cavendish's water supply is sourced directly from streams or bores in the Grampians National Park. It is disinfected before being delivered to the Cavendish community.

Balmoral's water supply comes from Rocklands Reservoir and is treated in town.



One of the storage reservoirs along the Hamilton pipeline route

AT A GLANCE The Grampians System

Grampians Pipeline

Total Length of Pipeline:	86km
Commissioned:	1960

Rocklands Reservoir Pipeline

Total Length of Pipeline:	52km
Commissioned:	2010

The Grampians System 2012/13

Volume of Water Supplied:	1,257.7ML
Total Customers:	6,191

IML = One Million Litres