



Kielder Dam and Hydroelectric Plant

Plant which operates the opening of the valve in the dam. Most of the structure is under the reservoir. There is a very long concrete tunnel which has an arched ceiling, and it is possible to drive along here. Two hydro-electric generators installed at Kielder dam convert latent energy into electricity for the nation grid. A water release of 1,300 million litres a day can produce enough power to illuminate a town the size of Hexham (population 11,000).

Nearest Town/City: Bellingham > 19 min (10.4 miles)

Nearest Station: Hexham Station > 45 min (26.2 miles)

Nearest Direct to London: Newcastle Central Station > 1 hr 14 min (44.6 miles)

Nearest Airport: Newcastle International Airport > 1 hr 2 min (40.1 miles)

Nearest Unit Base: Hawkhope Car Park > 5 min (0.1 miles)

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