

OneSteel Manufacturing – Blast Furnace Update

Whyalla Blast Furnace Restart Update

July 2026

Following the completion of major repair works, the Whyalla Steelworks blast furnace has commenced the restart process after being offline since April 2026.

As is typical following an extended outage, the restart and stabilisation process is expected to take several weeks. Community members may notice periods of visible emissions as the blast furnace is progressively brought back to normal operating conditions. These emissions are an expected part of the restart process and will continue to be closely monitored while the furnace is stabilised over the coming weeks.

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