

2 Lake History and Current Issues

The lakes at Parc Taff Bargoed were created at the beginning of the Millennium as part of the park creation on a former colliery site. After the reworking of the colliery surface, four lakes were formed by a series of weirs installed across the valley floor. This consists of two main lakes, the Upper and Lower Lake, plus two smaller pools at the bottom of the Lower Lake.

Figure 2-1: 2001 (left) and 2020 (Right) Google Earth Image

