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Many orienteering maps include excavated areas. In Australia, old gold- or tin-mining areas provide interesting navigational challenges.

Weathering may deepen excavated trenches into erosion gullies. Other excavated features include mounds (called knolls), embankments, small depressions, pits and earth walls (as seen earlier). Most excavated features are shown in **BROWN**, but black is also used for emphasis.

Large excavations are shown with contours.

The small knoll symbol may sometimes be used to show a small rock feature, when the rock is shaped like a mound of earth.

-  Erosion Gully
-  Earthbank
-  Earth Wall
-  Ruined Earth Wall
-  Ditch
-  Small Knoll
-  Small Depression
-  Pit
-  Mineshaft
-  Adit or Cave (& contour)
-  Broken Ground



Task 10

Match the maps on the left with the views on the right. (All match.)

