

MAKHADO AIR FORCE BASE (FALM)

FALM | Military — SAAF base,
PPR for civilian use

Coordinates	S23°09'34" E29°42'05"
Elevation	3,069 ft AMSL
Access	Military — SAAF base, PPR for civilian use
Fuel	Military
Night Ops	Yes

Runways

RWY	Length	Width	Surface	Strength
10/28	(?)	(?)	Asphalt	(?)

[!] [!] Military airspace — do NOT enter without clearance

- Formerly AFB Louis Trichardt, renamed 7 November 2003
- SAAF's northernmost base, known unofficially as "Fighter Town, RSA"
- Base motto: *Castrum Borealis* (Fortress of the North)
- Home to SAAF fighter squadrons
- Uses cheetahs for wildlife control on the airfield

Data source: SACAA AIP (collected 2026-03-19)