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# The Atlas of Living Australia:A Spatial Perspective

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# Mission

To develop an authoritative, freely accessible, distributed and federated biodiversity data management system (...and efficiently invest \$64.7 million!)

# Partners...

## Government

CSIRO

Department of Sustainability, Environment, Water, Population and Communities

Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry

## Representative bodies

Council of Heads of Australasian Herbaria

Council of Heads of Australian Faunal Collections

Council of Heads of Australian Entomological Collections

Council of Heads of Australian Collections of Microorganisms

Council of Australasian Museum Directors

## State museums

Australian Museum

Museum and Art Gallery of the Northern Territory

Museum Victoria

Queensland Museum

South Australian Museum

Tasmanian Museum and Art Gallery

Western Australian Museum

## Universities

Southern Cross University

University of Adelaide



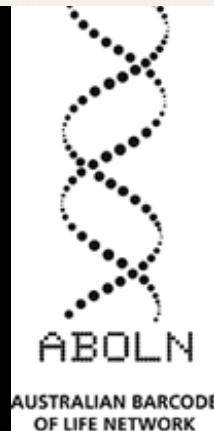
# ...Providers...

- Birds Australia (7,401,793)**
- Atlas of NSW Wildlife (4,288,512)**
- Australia's Virtual Herbarium (4,047,405)**
- Eremaea (1,397,835)**
- Garden Bird Surveys (1,264,535)**
- NODC Plankton Database (1,187,027)**
- Australian Museum (843,920)**
- NT Fauna Atlas (762,438)**
- SA Fauna (548,143)**
- SA Flora (520,288)**
- Museum Victoria (519,312)**
- Western Australian Museum (265,175)**
- ARGOS animal tracks (218,767)**
- History of Marine Animal Populations (196,736)**
- Southern & South Indian Ocean Seabirds (134,461)**
- Australian National Insect Collection (133,052)**
- South Australian Museum Australia (131,907)**
- Australian National Wildlife Collection (115,073)**
- Atlantic Reference Centre (OBIS Canada) (115,073)**
- OBIS Australia (101,358)**
- Continuous Zooplankton Recorder (95,519)**
- NT Flora Atlas (65,535)**
- S. African Institute for Aquatic Biodiversity (56,062)**
- Pelagic Fish Observations 1968-1999 (54,059)**
- NT Museum and Art Gallery (49,516)**
- Queen Victoria Museum Art Gallery (41,717)**
- Hexacoral Database (32,927)**
- Macquarie Island Elephant Seal sightings (31,000)**
- IRO Ichthyology (29,970)**

# ...Projects



A screenshot of the Biodiversity Heritage Library Australia website. It features a search bar, navigation links for 'About BHL' and 'Contact Us', and a 'Browse Our Collection' section with filters for 'Titles', 'Authors', 'Maps', and 'Year'. Below this are 'Featured Books' including 'Australian bird maps' and 'Extinct and vanishing mammals of New York'. A large illustration of two parrots is on the right.



Two stacked screenshots. The top one shows the 'Welcome to Morphbank ALA' page with a guest user message and a login link. The bottom one shows the 'IdentifyLife' homepage with a globe icon, navigation links for 'Home', 'Keys Central', 'My IdentifyLife', and 'Key to All Life', and a banner for 'Taxonomy Research &amp; Information Network building australian capacity'.

# Architecture

- Free and Open Source
  - –(Public) Google Code environment
  - –Javascript & ZK, Cassandra/SOLR, PostGIS, Geoserver, Open Layers
  - –<http://creativecommons.org/licenses/by/3.0/au/deed.en>
- Most functions are implemented as a (REST) web service
  - –<http://www.ala.org.au/tools-services/ala-web-services-list/>
  - –JSON/GeoJSON, Spring Java libraries, OGC
  - –Life Science Identifiers (taxa) and Handles (layers and polygons)

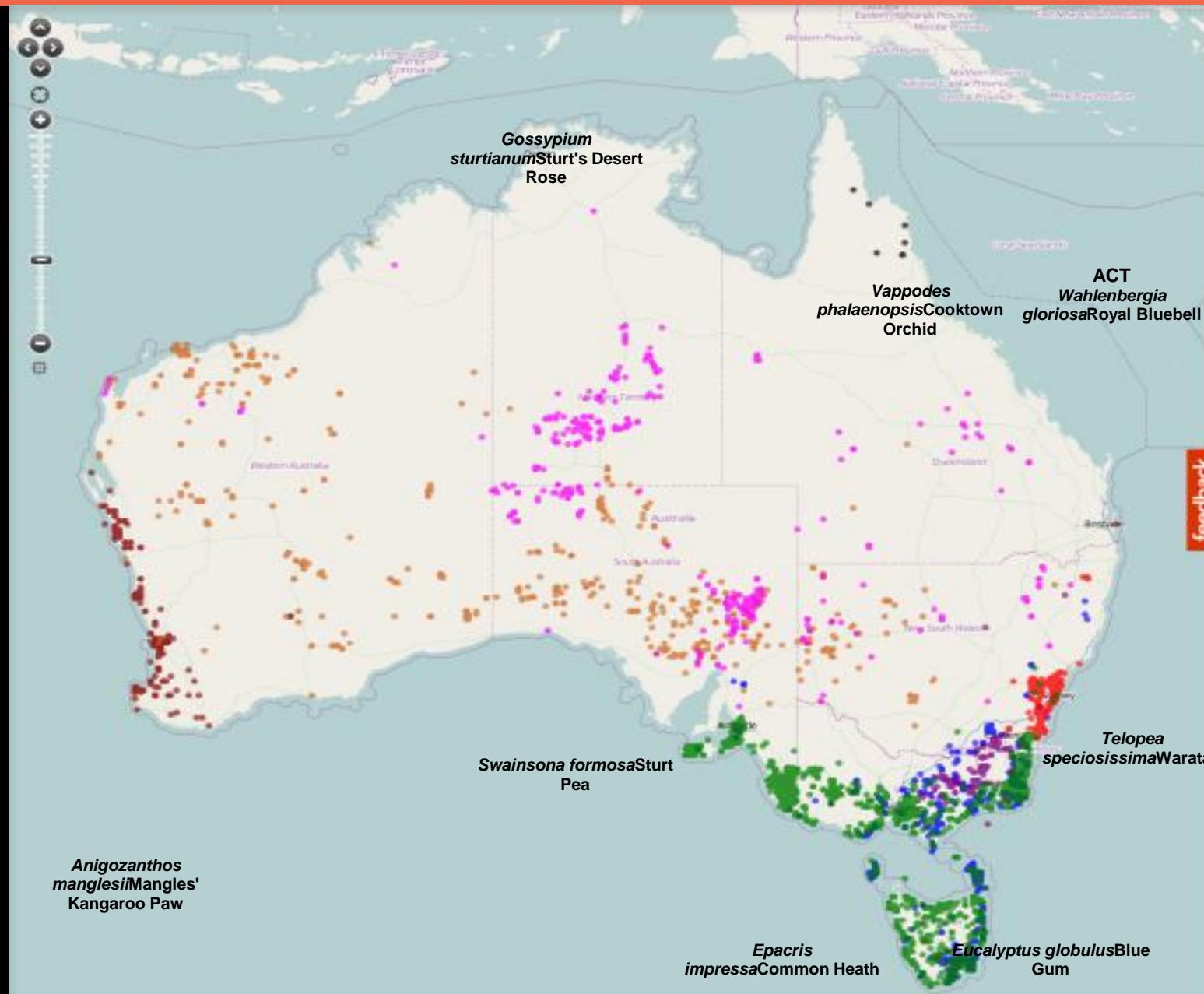
# Services

- Taxonomic Name Service
- Sensitive Data Service
- Taxonomic tools (TRIN)
- Australian Biodiversity Heritage Library
- Identify Life
- Field data capture (Citizen Science)
- Collectory services
- Australian Barcode of Life
- Australian Morphbank
- Annotation Services
- Spatial services

# Spatial Framework

- Integrated biological and environmental data
- Human and machine oriented services on data
- Data upload and download

# 1. Where is it?



# 2. What's here?

## Species List Results Preview

preview of all 82 species found

Family	Scientific name	Common name/s	Taxon rank	LSID	# Occurrences
Acanthizidae	<i>Acanthiza chrysorrhoa</i>	Yellow-rumped Thornbill, Yellow-rumped Thornbill, Yellow-rumped Thornbill, Yellow-rumped Thornbill, Yellow-rumped Thornbill, Yellow-rumped Thornbill, Yellow-rumped Thornbill	species	urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:afd.tax3d46-4c6e-a233-1ba9e82a2886	7
Acanthizidae	<i>Acanthiza ewingii</i>	Brown Thornbill, brown thornbill	species	urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:afd.tax278f-4e84-ac57-87494d836689	2
Acanthizidae	<i>Acanthiza pusilla</i>	Brown Thornbill, brown thornbill	species	urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:afd.tax9ef1-4a2c-839d-0efd7e794af4	13
Acanthizidae	<i>Sericornis humilis</i>	Tasmanian Scrubwren, Tasmanian Scrubwren, Tasmanian Scrubwren; Brown Scrubwren Wedge-tailed, Wedge-tailed, Wedge-tailed, Wedge-tailed Eagle, Wedge-tailed Eagle, Wedge-tailed Eagle, Wedge-tailed Eagle	species	urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:afd.taxbd51-42bc-bcf9-7ea22359d483	5

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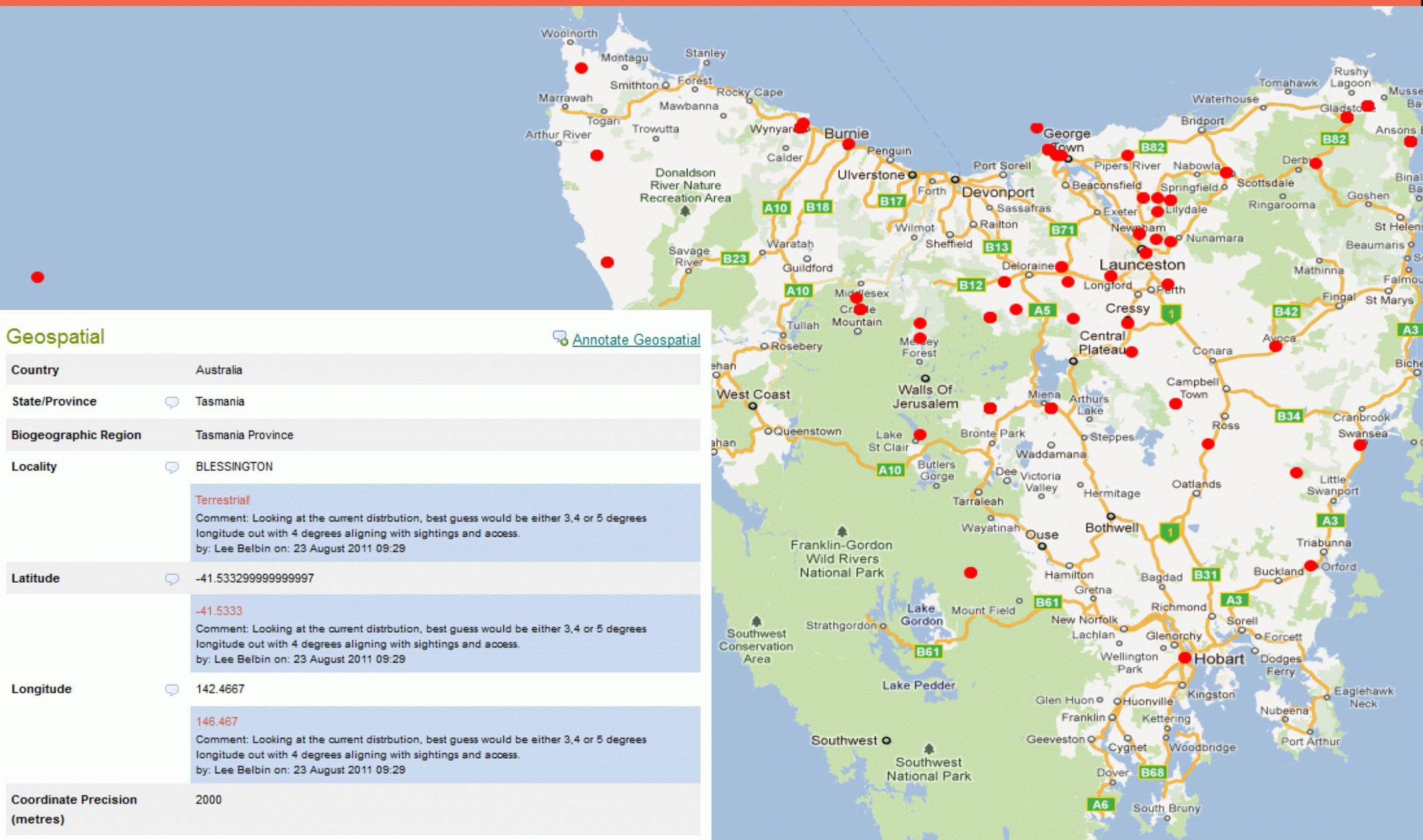


area report for "My Area 1"  
metadata for "Occurrences in My Area 1 1"  
load species list for "My Area 1"  
load all records for "Occurrences in My Area 1 1" in "My Area 1"  
site classification for "My Area 1"

# Data: Checks

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
Code	Name	Creator	Description	Wiki	Failure implication	Severity/Verification Metric	Darwin Core Class	Darwin Core Fields
<b>Geospatial</b>								
1	NEGATED_LATITUDE	GBIF	Record appears to be referencing a location in the wrong hemisphere	Wiki	Fix and report	Warning	Location	decimalLatitude
2	NEGATED_LONGITUDE	GBIF	Record appears to be referencing a location in the wrong hemisphere	Wiki	Fix and report	Warning	Location	decimalLongitude
3	INVERTED_COORDINATES	GBIF	Latitude and longitude have been transposed accidentally (typically bad database mapping)	Wiki	Fix and report	Warning	Location	decimalLatitude, decimalLongitude
4	ZERO_COORDINATES	GBIF	Coordinates given as 0,0. Typically a result of bad default values for empty database fields	Wiki	Exclude from mapping and other reports. Make viewable in error report	Error	Location	decimalLatitude, decimalLongitude
5	COORDINATES_OUT_OF_RANGE	GBIF	Latitude >90 or <-90 and Longitude >180 or <-180	Wiki	Exclude from mapping and other reports. Make viewable in error report	Error	Location	decimalLatitude, decimalLongitude
6	UNKNOWN_COUNTRY_NAME	GBIF	Unrecognised or unparseable country name	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	country
7	ALTITUDE_OUT_OF_RANGE	GBIF	Altitude greater than 10000m, or less than -100m	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	verbatimElevation
8	BADLY_FORMED_ALTITUDE	GBIF	Free text string provided as altitude	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	verbatimElevation
9	MIN_MAX_ALTITUDE_REVERSED	GBIF	Typically a column mapping issue	Wiki	Fix and report	Warning	Location	
10	DEPTH_IN_FEET	GBIF	Darwin core specifies metres should be used	Wiki	Fix and report	Warning	Location	verbatimDepth
11	DEPTH_OUT_OF_RANGE	GBIF	Depth greater than 10000	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	verbatimDepth
12	MIN_MAX_DEPTH_REVERSED	GBIF	Typically a column mapping issue	Wiki	Fix and report	Warning	Location	verbatimDepth
13	ALTITUDE_IN_FEET	GBIF	Darwin core specifies metres should be used	Wiki	Fix and report	Warning	Location	verbatimElevation
14	ALTITUDE_NON_NUMERIC	GBIF	Should be a numeric value in metres	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	verbatimElevation
15	DEPTH_NON_NUMERIC	GBIF	Should be a numeric value in metres	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	verbatimDepth
16	COUNTRY_COORDINATE_MISMATCH	GBIF	Coordinates outside the range for the reported country	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	country, decimalLatitude, decimalLongitude
17	STATEPROVINCE_COORDINATE_MISMATCH	DM	Coordinates dont match the supplied state	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	stateProvince, decimalLatitude, decimalLongitude
18	COORDINATE_HABITAT_MISMATCH	DM	Marine species reported in terrestrial area ** could be an identification or name match error instead of geospatial (MN)	Wiki	Exclude from mapping and other reports. Make viewable in error report	Error	Location	decimalLatitude, decimalLongitude
19	DETECTED_OUTLIER_ENVIRONMENTAL	DM	Record marked as outlier either because it is outside the known range of the species or detected using environmental variables.	Wiki	Optionaly exclude from mapping and other reports	Error	Location	decimalLatitude, decimalLongitude, various spatial layers
20	COUNTRY_INFERRRED_FROM_COORDINATES	GBIF	Country field supplied was empty, but was inferred in processing by the supplied coordinates	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	country
21	COORDINATES_CENTRE_OF_STATEPROVINCE	DM	The coordinates given are in the centre of the state, indicating they have been generated post collection event, erroneously by software. MN - should be verified as being an issue (as opposed to genuine record in the centre of the state) by checking the uncertainty is large or the record is imprecise.	Wiki	Exclude from mapping and other reports. Make viewable in error report	Error	Location	stateProvince, coordinatePrecision, CoordinateUncertaintyInMeters
22	COORDINATE_PRECISION_MISMATCH	MN	Coordinate data does not match precision indicated - could be incorrect precision or truncation or rounding of the coordinate data (most likely with trailing zeros)	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	coordinatePrecision
23	PRECISION_RANGE_MISMATCH	MN	A precision value should be between >0 and <=1if entered according to DwC specifications	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	coordinatePrecision
24	UNCERTAINTY_RANGE_MISMATCH	MN	Uncertainty should be a whole number >0	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	coordinateUncertaintyInMeters
25	UNCERTAINTY_IN_PRECISION	MN	The value in precision is a mismatch with the precision spec but matches the uncertainty spec	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	coordinateUncertaintyInMeters, coordinatePrecision
26	SPECIES_OUTSIDE_EXPERT_RANGE	MN	Coordinates are outside the known "expert" range of the species	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	decimalLatitude, decimalLongitude, expert range
27	UNCERTAINTY_NOT_SPECIFIED	NC	Uncertainty was not supplied with the record	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	coordinateUncertaintyInMeters
28	MISSING_COORDINATEPRECISION	MN	coordinatePrecision not supplied with the record	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	coordinatePrecision
29	MISSING_GEOGRAPHICDATUM	MN	geodeticDatum not supplied for coordinates	Wiki	Report - also implies uncertainty	Warning	Location	geodeticDatum
30	MISSING_GEOREFERENCEDBY	MN	GeoreferencedBy not supplied with the record	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	georeferencedBy
31	MISSING_GEOREFERENCEPROTOCOL	MN	GeoreferenceProtocol not supplied with the record	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	georeferenceProtocol
32	MISSING_GEOREFERENCESOURCES	MN	GeoreferenceSources not supplied with the record	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	georeferenceSources
33	MISSING_GEOREFERENCEVERIFICATIONSTATUS	MN	GeoreferenceVerificationStatus not supplied with the record	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	georeferenceVerificationStatus
34	INVALID_GEOGRAPHICDATUM	SB	The geodetic datum is not valid	Wiki	Report	Warning	Location	geodeticDatum

# Data: Annotations



# Spatial Portal Functions

- Map
  - –Any taxonomic level
  - –Areas
  - –Layers (4 basemap options)
- Tools
  - –Area analysis: Size, species, occurrences
  - –Scatterplots: Taxa by environmental layers
  - –Environmental classification (PATN)
  - –Spatial prediction of taxa (MaxEnt)
- Import and export
  - –Occurrences with any layer sampling (CSV)
  - –Assemblages (CSV)
  - –Areas (shapefile, KML and WKT) + aggregate
- Help, Print, Annotate

# Data: Biology

- ~172,00 taxa and ~26,000,000 records
  - –Observations, specimens, checklists, expert distributions (polygons) and tracks\*
  - –Auto-complete by scientific/common name with feedback on occurrences & taxonomy
- Upload for session
  - –Taxa coordinates and up to 256 fields (CSV)
- ~~Display~~ Assemblages (via LSIDs: CSV)
  - Point colour, size, transparency, density
  - Faceting/filtering records on 25+ fields
  - Links to taxa-related information
- Download
  - Checklists
  - Occurrence records with samples of all layers
- Annotate or feedback

# Species Page

Home : Explore : *Grus rubicunda* (Perry, 1810) : Australian Crane

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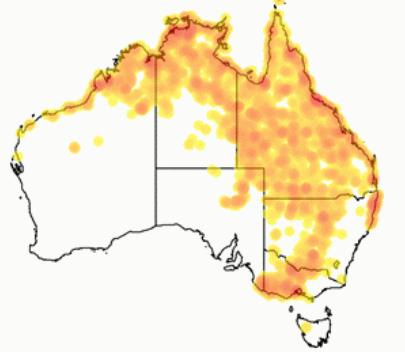
***Grus rubicunda* (Perry, 1810)**  
Australian Crane

Rank Species  
Name source Australian Faunal Directory  
Data links LSID | JSON

Animalia : Chordata : Aves : Gruiformes : Gruidae : Grus : *Grus rubicunda*

Overview    Gallery    Names    Classification    Records    Literature

Mapped occurrence records  
[View occurrence records list](#) | [View interactive map](#)



Learn more about Atlas maps 

**Description**  
The Brolga is quite unmistakable in southern Australia. (Australia's only other crane, the Sarus Crane, is found only in far northern Australia.) It is a huge bird - one of Australia's largest flying birds - standing 1.3 metres tall with a wingspan of nearly 2.5 metres. It is pale bright grey with a broad band of bare red skin from the beak round the nape of the neck and a black dewlap under the chin. ...  
SOURCE: [Department of Environment and Conservation - NSW threatened species](#)

The full-grown Brolga is a tall, mid-grey to silver-grey crane, 0.7–1.3 m (3.3–4.3 ft) high, with a wingspan of 1.7–2.4 m (5.6–7.9 ft), and a broad red band extending from the straight, bone-coloured bill around the back of the head. Juveniles lack the red band. Adult males average a little under 7 kg (15 lb), females a little under 6 kg (13 lb). ...  
SOURCE: [Wikipedia](#)

**Online Resources**

<a href="#">Aus Wild Life</a>	Names, Images, Images
<a href="#">Australian Faunal Directory</a>	Names
<a href="#">Barry Armstead Photography</a>	Images, Images
<a href="#">Birds in Backyards</a>	Distribution, Habitat, Diet, Reproduction, Similar Species, Distribution Map, Images

The Brolga is found across tropical northern Australia, southwards through north-east and east central areas, as well as central New South Wales to western Victoria. [more](#)

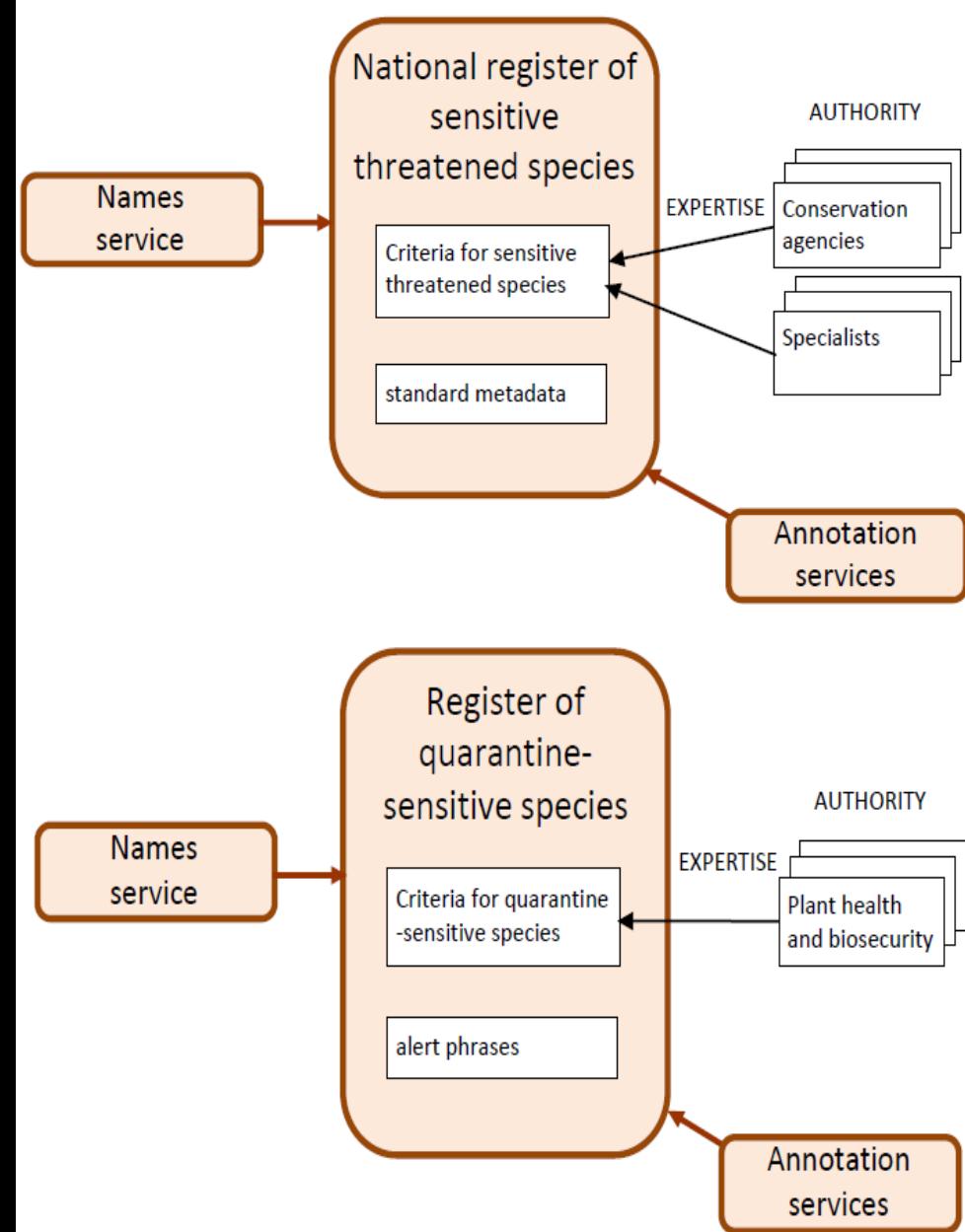
**Recorded in Australia**  **Terrestrial Habitats**  **IUCN Least Concern**  **Vulnerable**   
**VIC Vulnerable**  **NSW Vulnerable** 



**Share**  
Sightings, photos and data for the **Australian Crane** 

# Sensitive Data Service

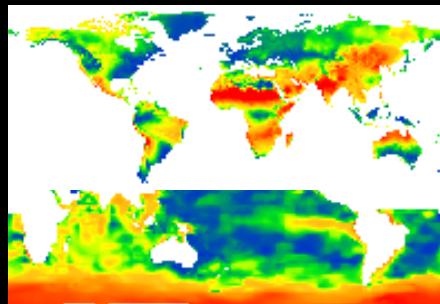
- Sensitive geospatial data
  - –Threatened species
  - –Quarantine-sensitive species
- Registers of sensitive species
  - –Conservation agencies
  - –Biosecurity agencies
  - –National and state-by-state
- Configurable rules
  - –Suppress from public views
  - –Reduce coordinate precision
  - –Require additional metadata



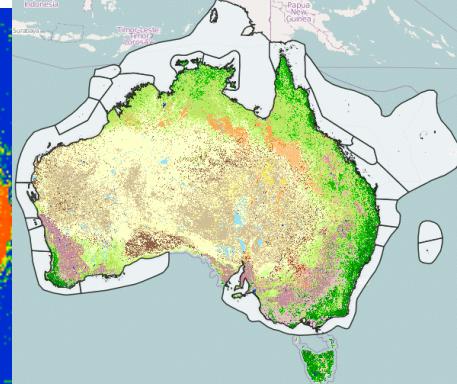
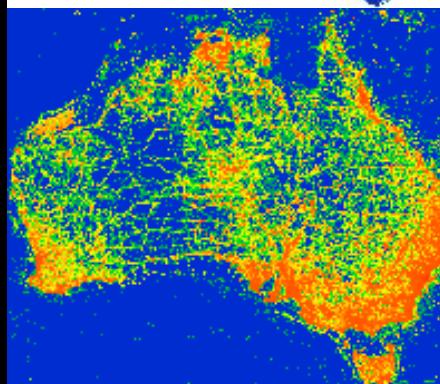
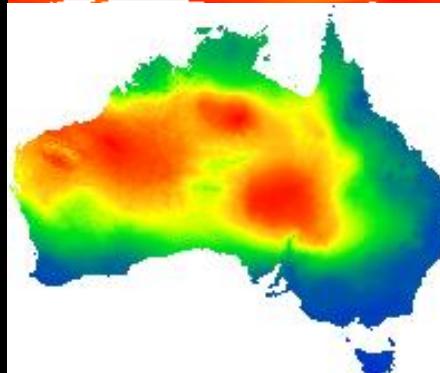
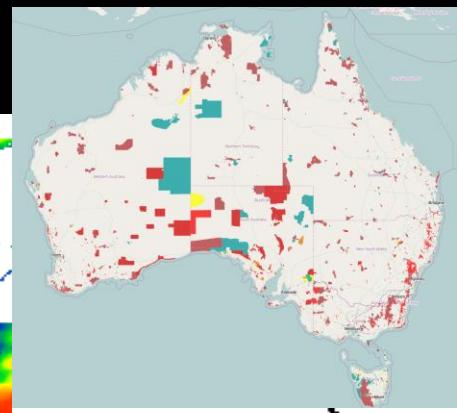
# Data: Layers

- ~ 220 environmental layers
  - –Most ~1km grids
  - –Used for sampling, scatterplots, classification and prediction
- ~ 50 ‘contextual layers’
  - –Polygonal with classes
  - –Used for area definitions & tabulation\*
- Services
  - –<http://spatial.ala.org.au/layers>
    - •JSON, XML, CSV
  - –Classification, autocomplete + tags

Environmental



Contextual



# Data: Areas

- On map digitizing or selecting
- Searching Google or our gazetteers
- Pre-set areas
- Environmental envelopes
  - –Select ranges on any combination of environmental layers
  - –Logical AND
- Import, combine and export areas
  - –Shapefiles, KML, WKT

## Add Area

Select method to define area.

### Interact with the map

- Draw bounding box
- Draw polygon
- Draw point and radius
- Select area from polygonal layer

### Searching

- Radius centered on street address
- Gazetteer polygon

### Preset areas

- Box - Australia
- Box - World
- Box - Current View

### Upload

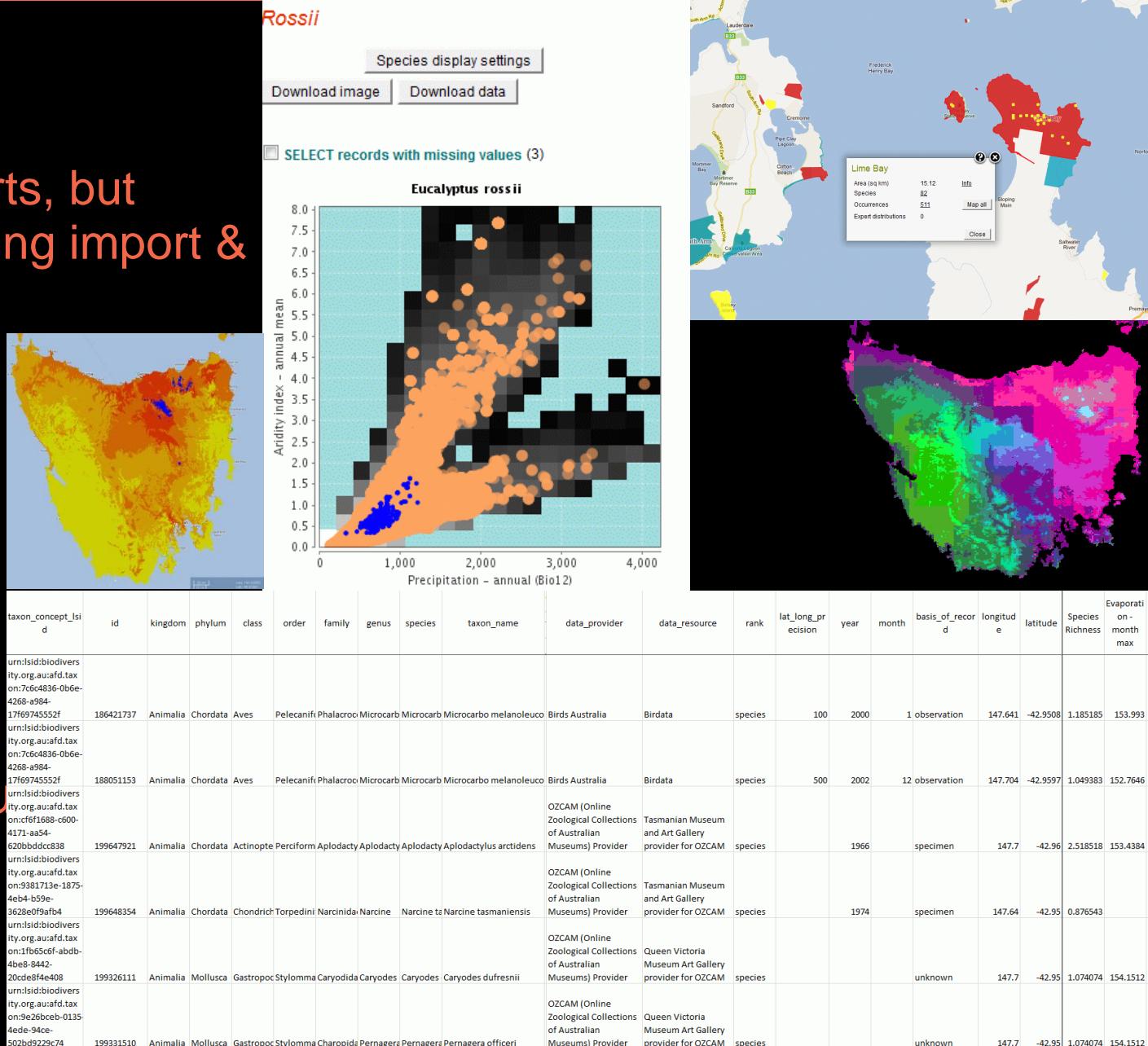
- Upload Shapefile
- Upload KML

### Other

- Define environmental envelope
- Paste Well Known Text (WKT)

# Tools

- **Exemplars**
  - –Workshop of experts, but focusing on enhancing import & export
  - –Area reports
  - –Checklists
  - –Sampling layers
  - –Scatterplots
  - –Classification
  - –Prediction
  - –GDM\*
- **Restore ID**
- **Documented case studies**



- [View metadata for "Exocarpus aphyllus 1"](#)
- [Download all records for "Exocarpus aphyllus 1"](#)
- [Produce scatterplot for "Exocarpus aphyllus 1"](#)
- [Generate prediction for "Exocarpus aphyllus 1"](#)

## Add species

- All species  
 Search for a species by scientific or common name

For example: "Macropus rufus" or "Red Kangaroo"

### Exocarpos

- genus - found 10660 records
- Exocarpos aphyllus**  
species - found 3172 records
- Exocarpos cupressiformis**  
species - found 3256 records
- Exocarpos homalocladus**  
species - found 23 records
- Exocarpos humifusus**  
species - found 149 records
- Exocarpos latifolius**  
species - found 397 records
- Exocarpos nanus**  
species - found 12 records
- Exocarpos odoratus**  
species - found 15 records
- Exocarpos phyllanthoides**  
species - found 1 records
- Exocarpos phyllanthoides phyllanthoides**  
scientific name - found 1 records
- Exocarpos sparteus**  
species - found 1417 records
- Exocarpos strictus**  
species - found 1678 records
- Exocarpos syrticola**



Town

Port Douglas

Cairns

Innisfail

Tully

Cham

Wynsfield

Aiters

Lavers

Bowen

Whitsunday

Collinsville

Moranbah

Clermont

Emerald

Blackall

Biloela

Sunshine Coast

Gladstone

Bundaberg

Rockhampton

Gympie

Roma

Dalby

Toowoomba

Goondiwindi

Warwick

Moore

Narrabri

Armidale

Gunnedah

Sobbaro

Moorabool

Dubbo

Camworth

Central West

Newcastle

Sydney

Wollongong

Ulladulla

Port Macquarie

Taree

Central Coast

New South Wales

Orange

Conargo

Goulburn

Young

Gerringong

Leeton

Deniliquin

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Ballarat

Melbourne

Pakenham

Lakes Entrance

Mornington

Geelong

Portland

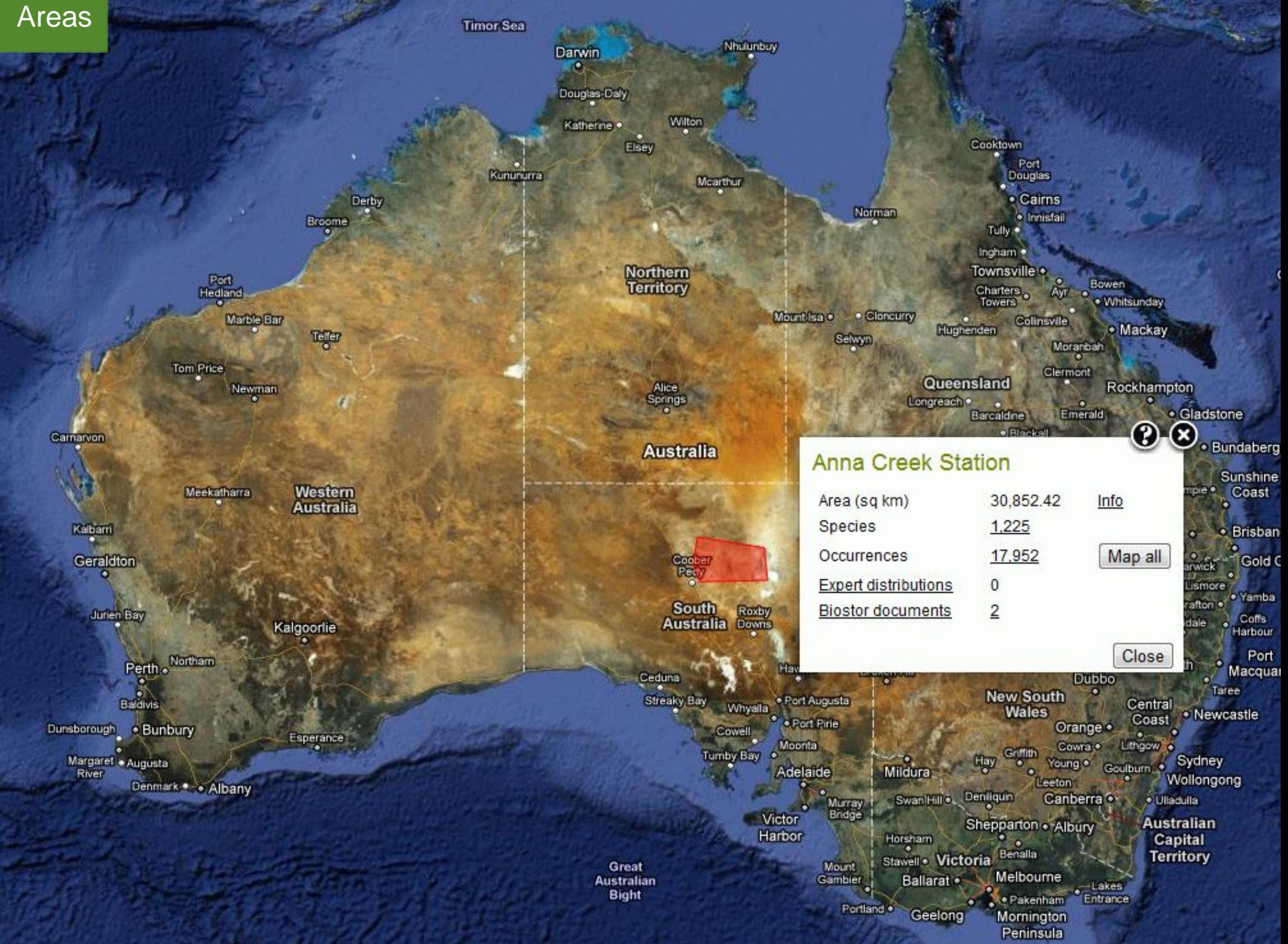
Moorabool

Moorabool

Mornington

Great Australian Bight

Mornington



## Areas

Add to Map Tools Help

- Temperature - annual mean (Bio01) 🔍 ⓘ ⚡
- Anna Creek Station 🔍 ⓘ ⚡
- Exocarpos latifolius 1 🔍 ⓘ ⚡

## Environmental Envelope

Area name **EE**

Search for a layer to add

e.g. Annual Mean Temperature

**Clear layers**

Layer	Envelope extent	Species count
Temperature - annual mean (Bio01)	between 3.4000 and 8.0000	5843

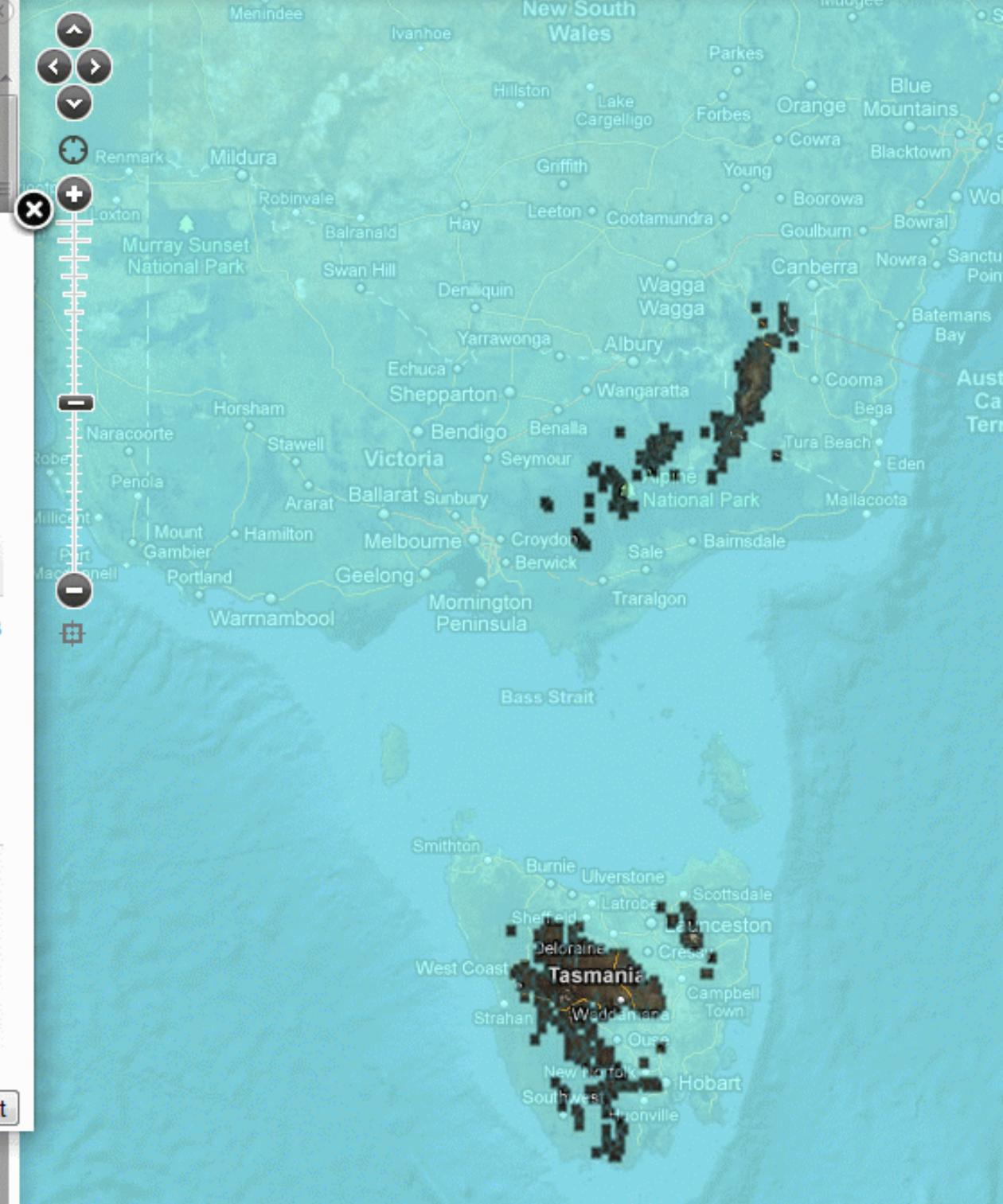
edit envelope for: Temperature - annual mean (Bio01)  
Full layer extent 3.4000 - 29.7000

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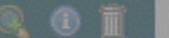
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**Update species count** **Remove**

**Cancel** **Next**



Precipitation - annual (Bio12)



Temperature - annual mean (Bio01)



Anna Creek Station



## Environmental Envelope

Area name

EE

Search for a layer to add

e.g. Annual Mean Temperature

Clear layers

Layer	Envelope extent	Species count
Precipitation - annual mean (Bio01)	between 3.4000 and 8.0000	5843
Precipitation - annual (Bio12)	between 3000.0000 and 4000.0000	267

edit envelope for: Precipitation - annual (Bio12)

Full layer extent 137.0000 - 5761.0000



Update species count

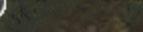
Remove

Cancel Next



## Areas

Add to Map Tools Help

 EE

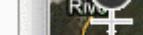
Anna Creek Station



Exocarpus latifolius 1



Exocarpus humifusus 1



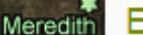
Exocarpus homalocladius 1



Exocarpus cupressiformis 1



Exocarpus aphyllus 1



EE

Layer name

EE

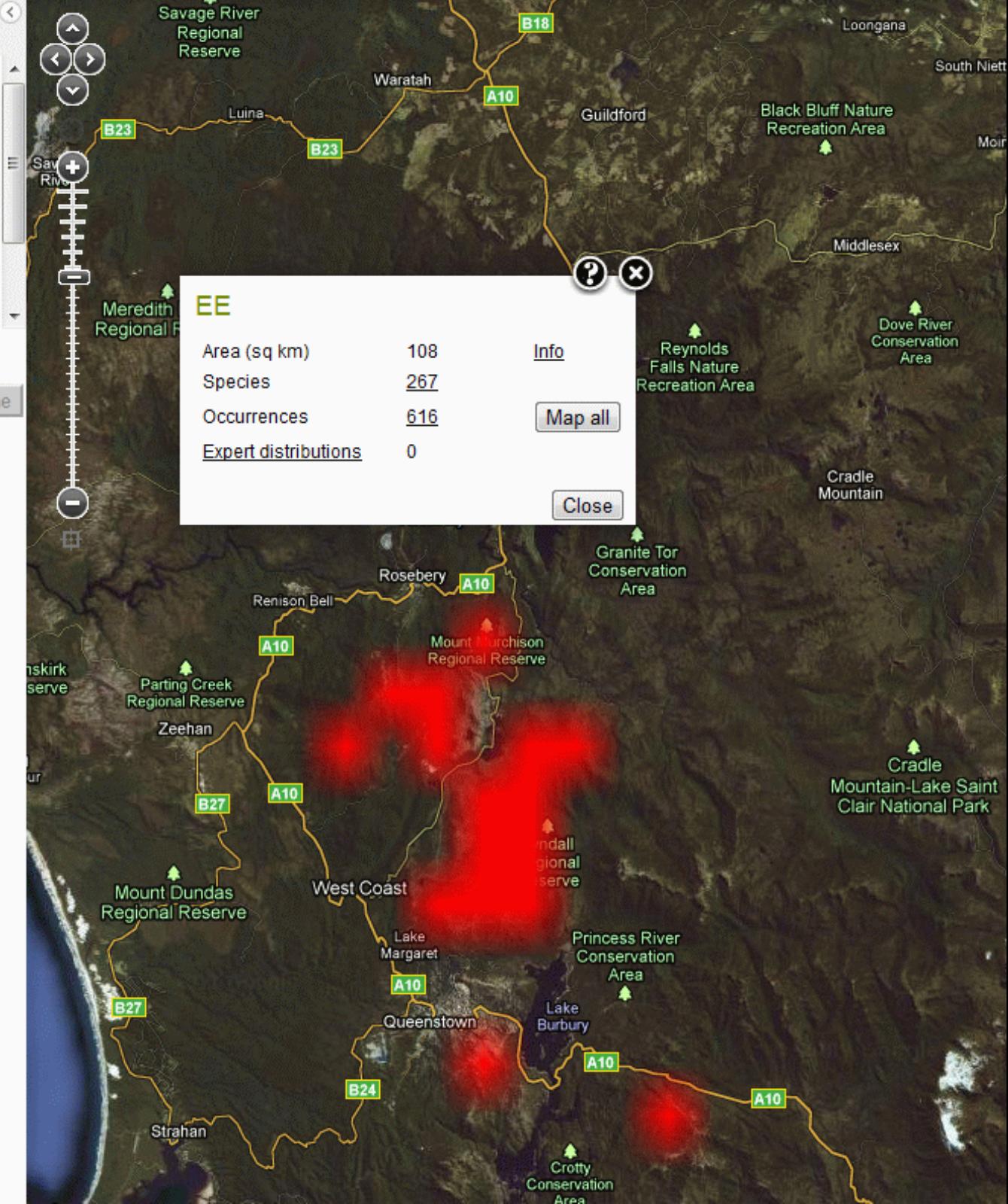
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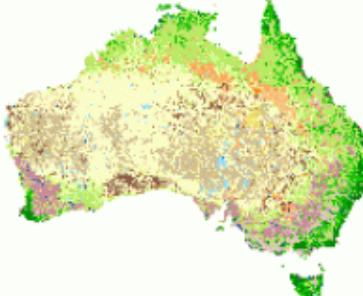
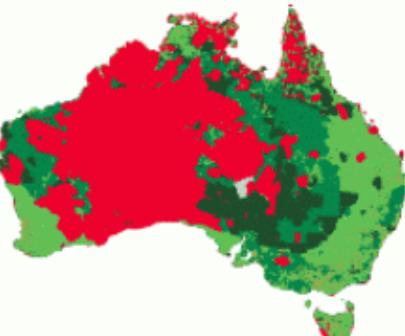
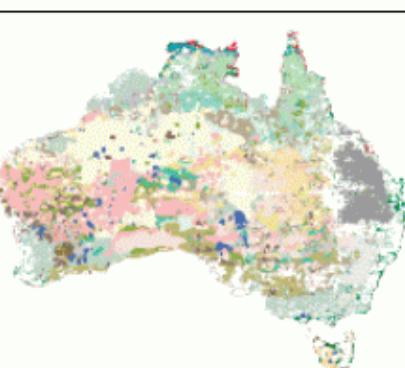


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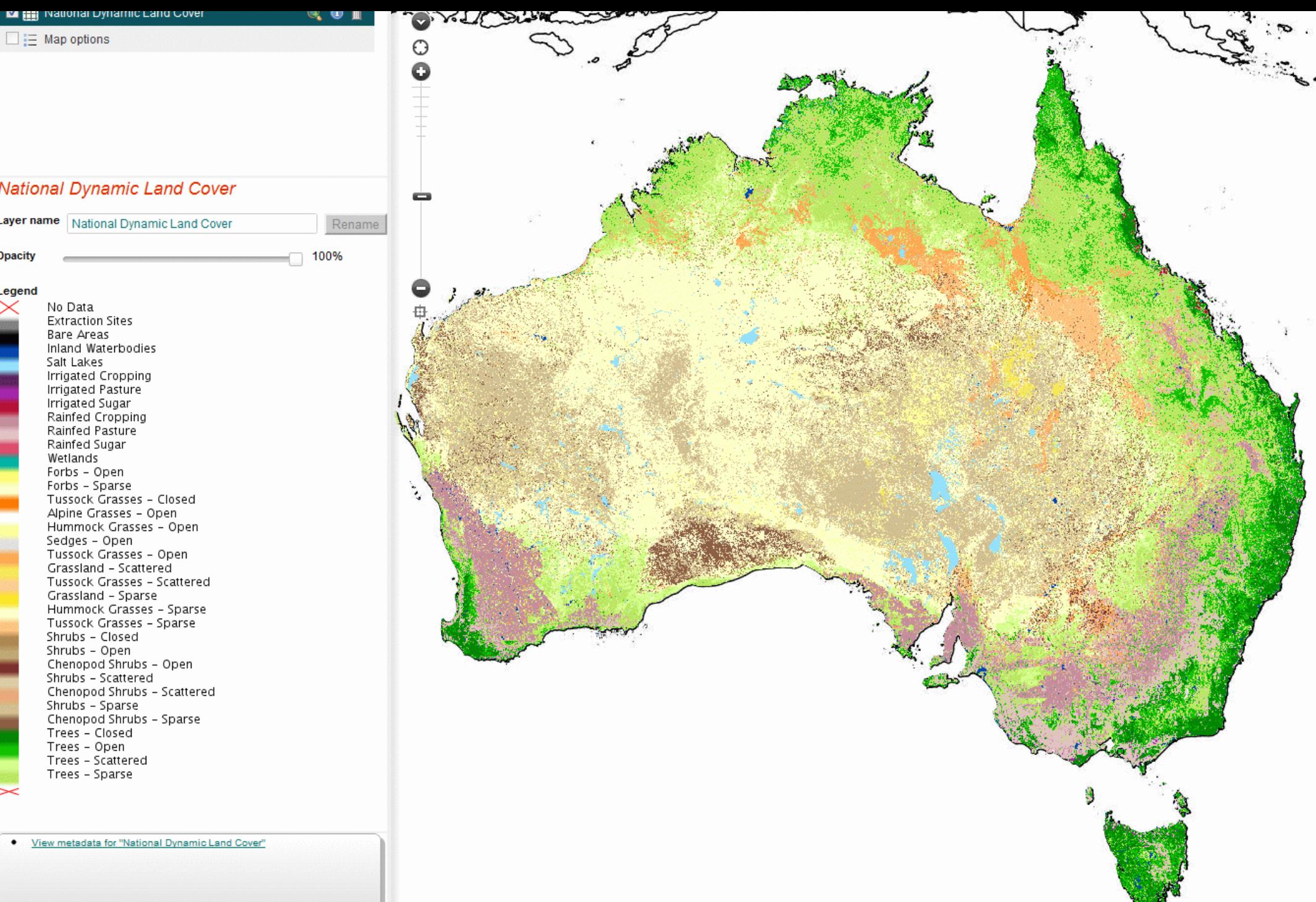
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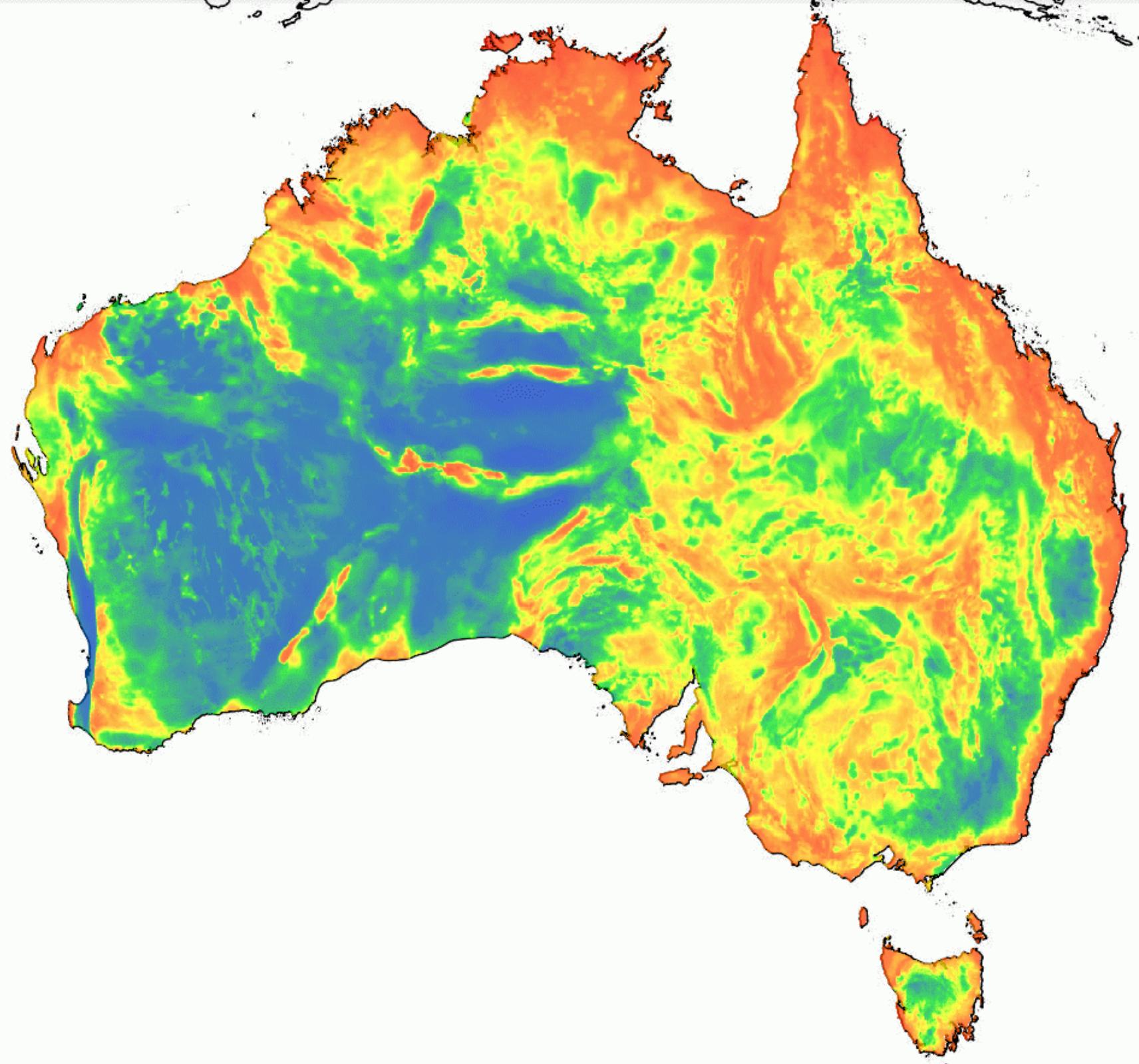
## Layers

	<a href="#"><u>National Dynamic Land Cover</u></a>	dld_DLDMv1_Class	The National Dynamic Land Cover Dataset	Environmental (gridded) 250m	GA		
Vegetation	<a href="#"><u>Vegetation - condition</u></a>	vast	Vegetation assets, states and transitions - VAST 2 (class)	Contextual (polygonal)	ABARES		
Vegetation	<a href="#"><u>Vegetation types - native</u></a>	native_veg	Pre-European major vegetation groups (class)	Contextual (polygonal)	ERIN		
Vegetation	<a href="#"><u>Vegetation types - present</u></a>	present_veg	Current major vegetation group (class)	Contextual (polygonal)	ERIN		

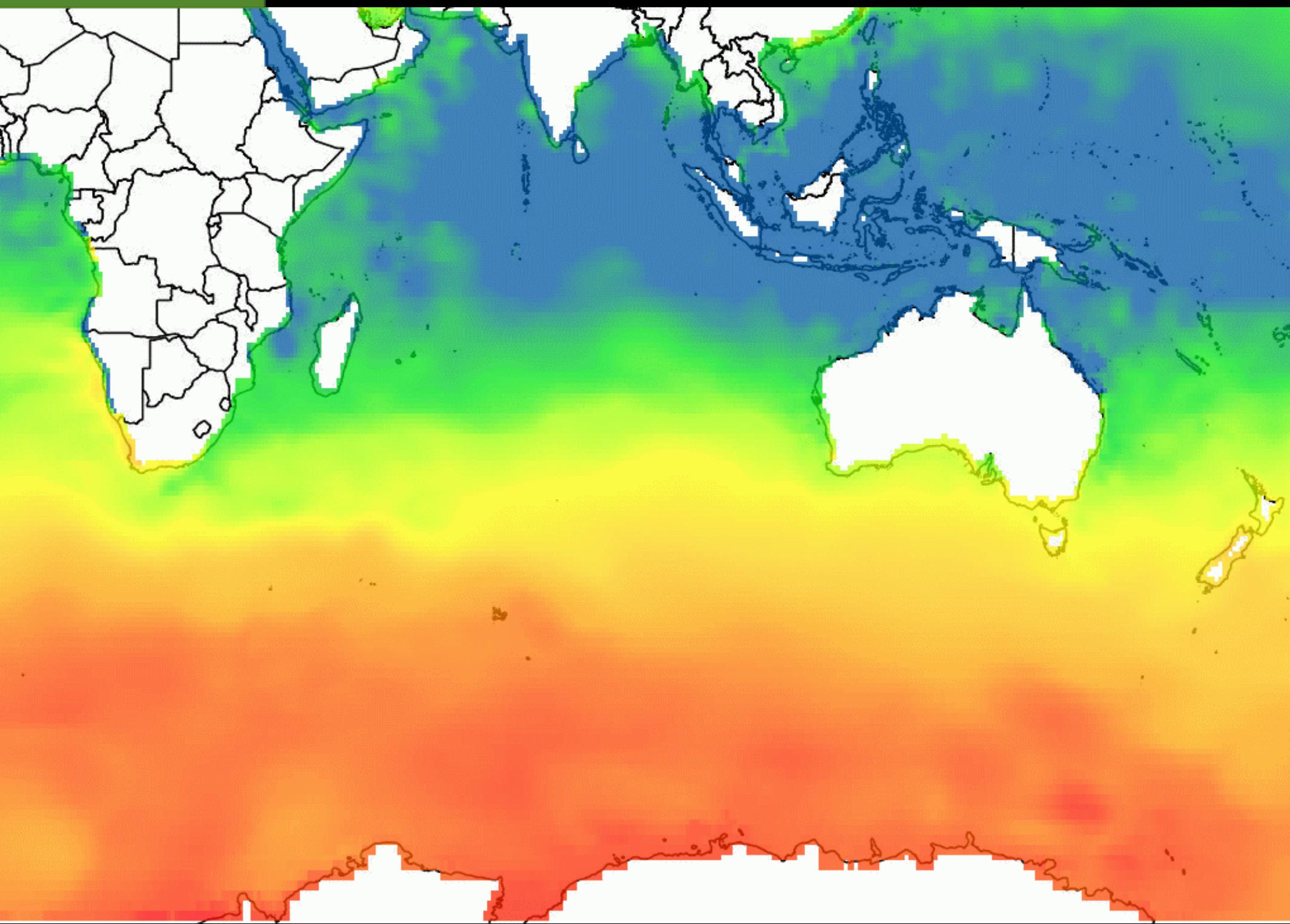
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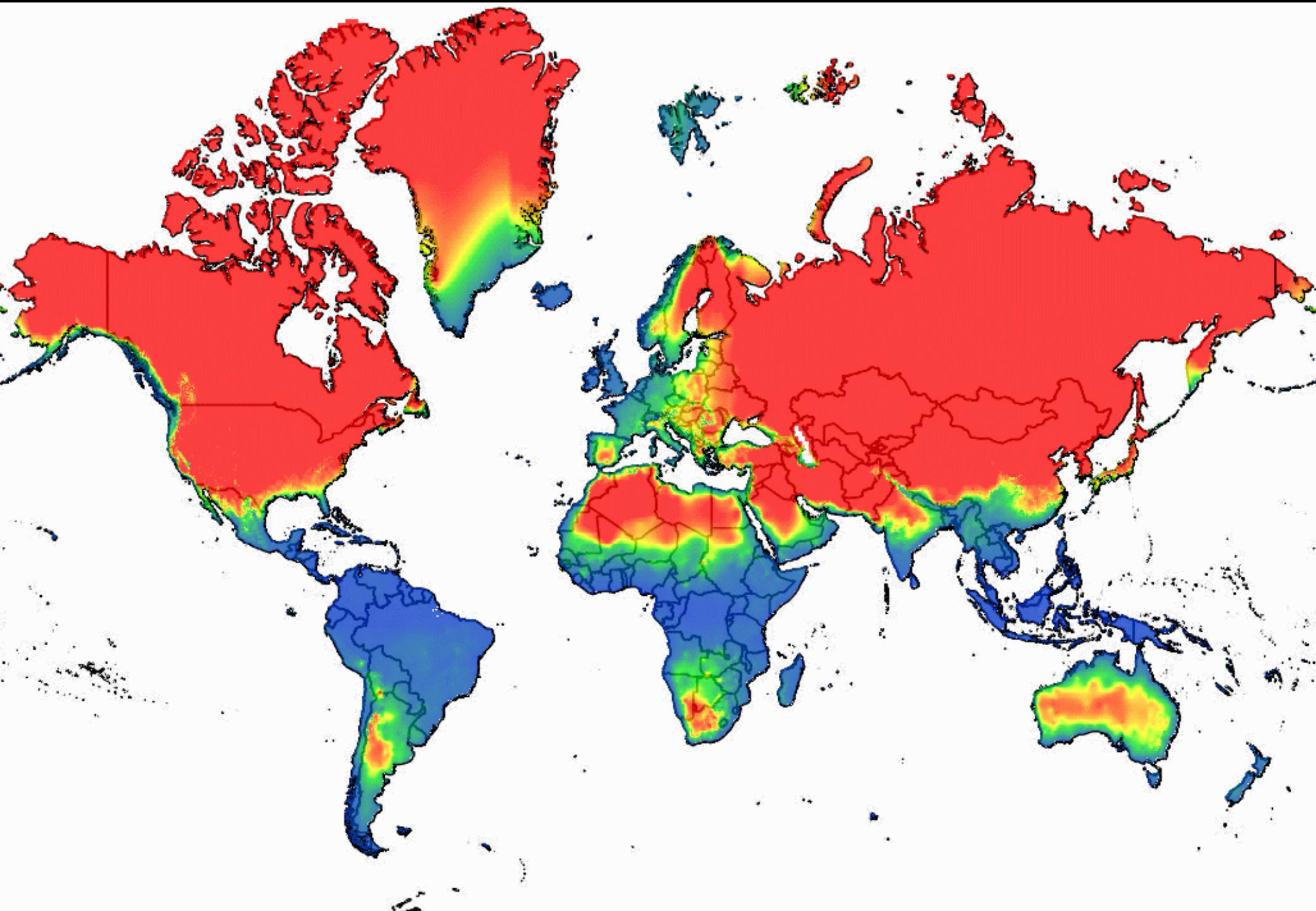
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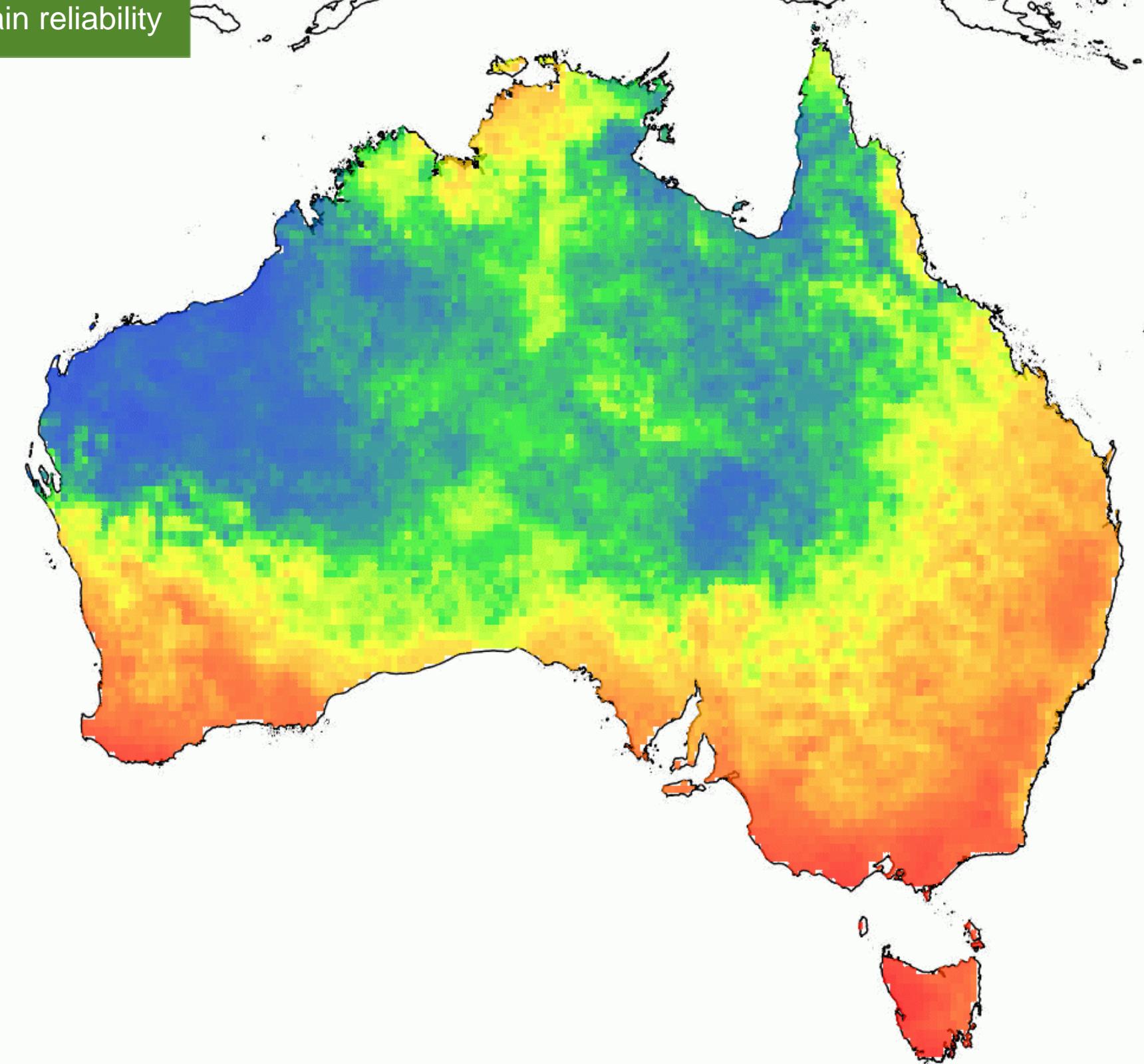
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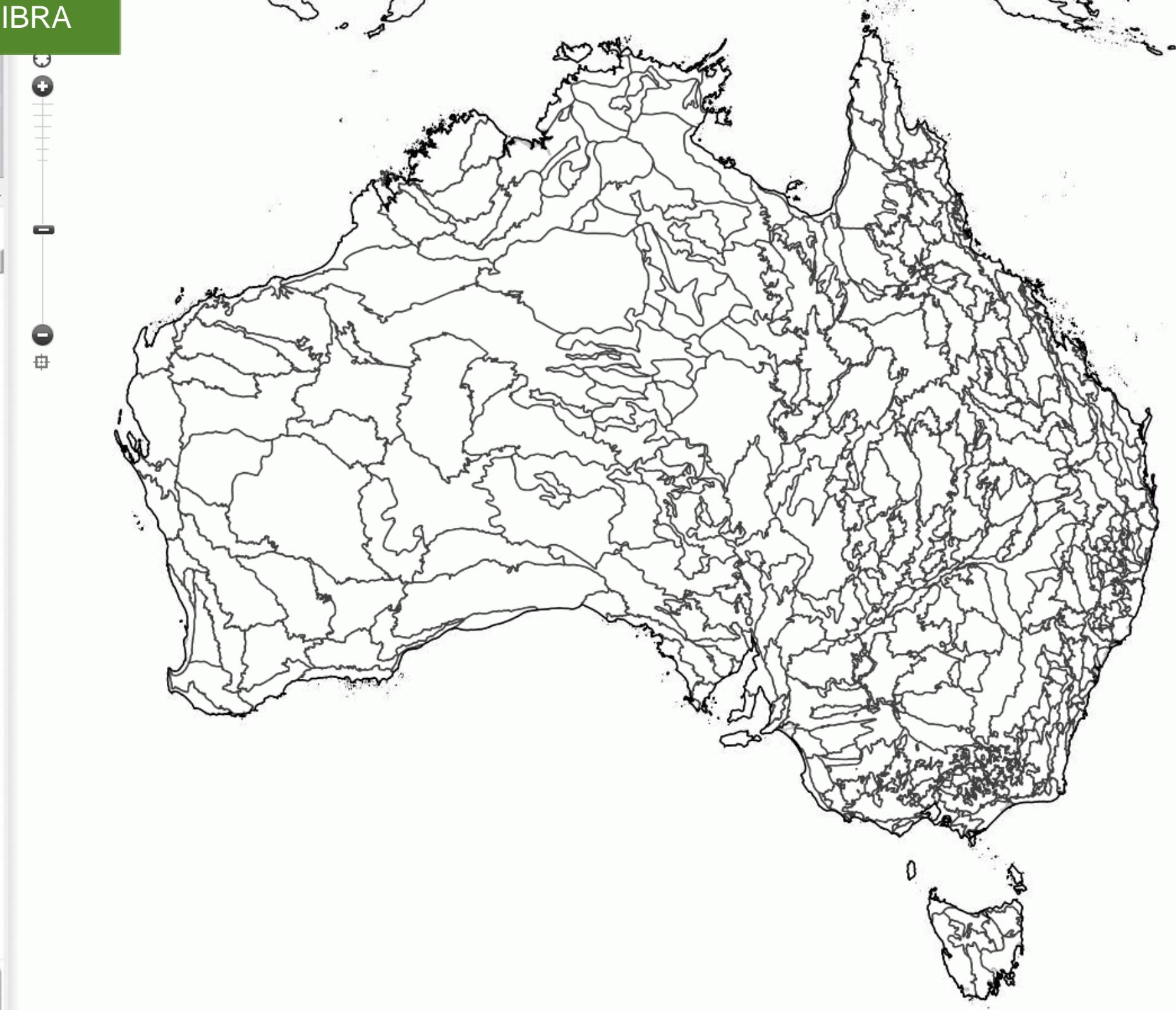
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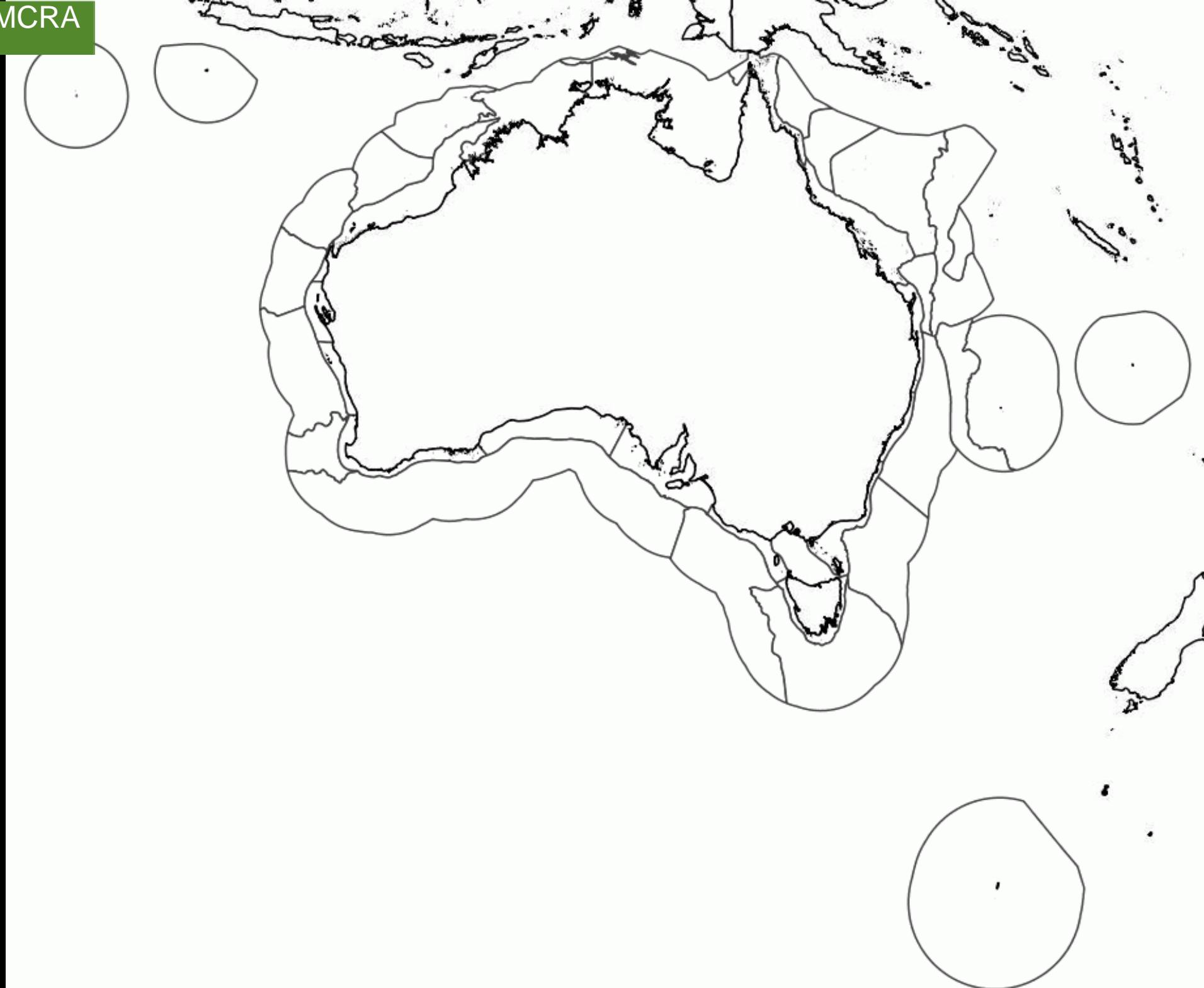
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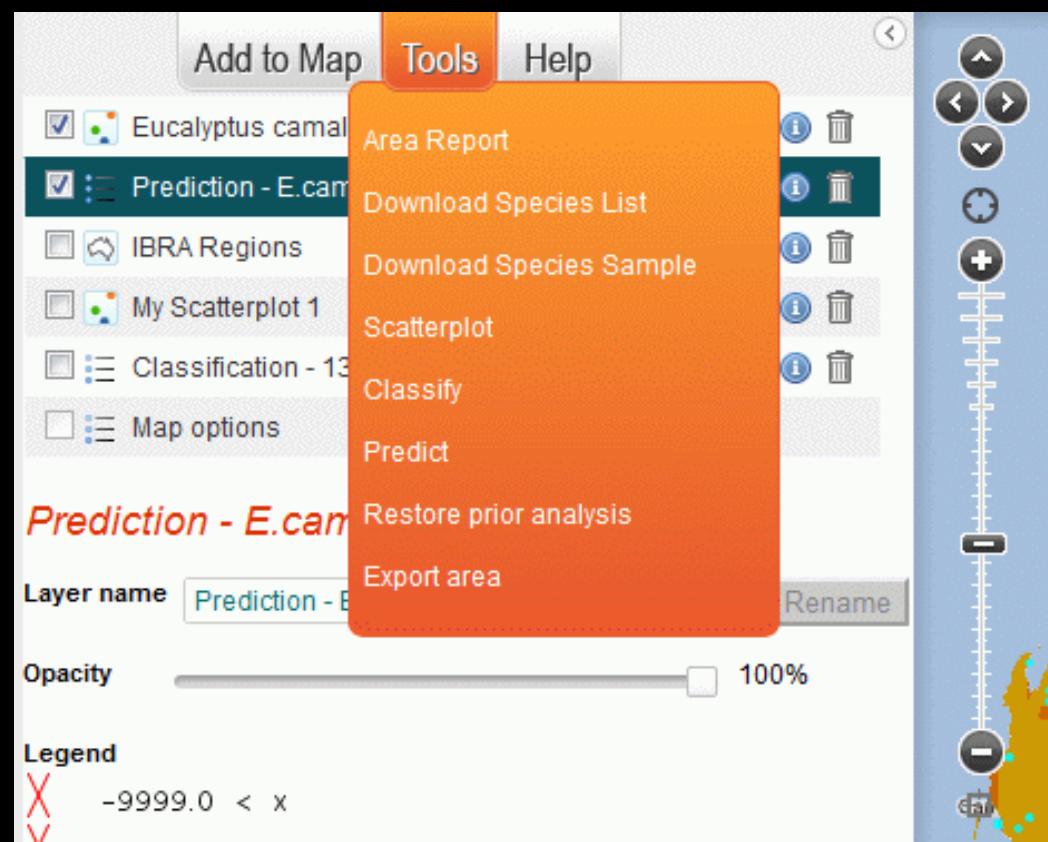


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Layers: IMCRA





## Checklists

A	B	C	D	E	F
Family Name	Scientific Name	Common name/s	Taxon rank	Scientific Name LSID	Number of Occurrences
Estrildidae	<i>Taeniopygia guttata</i>	Zebra Finch, Zebra Finch	species	urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:afd.taxon:2f8fd069-023c-4331-ba3e-8b7c63f07b1e	335
Muridae	<i>Mus musculus</i>	biganuelo (Dominican Republic), field mouse (English), Hausmaus (German), House Mouse, House Mouse, House Mouse, House Mouse, House Mouse, house mouse, house mouse (English), kiore-iti (Maori), raton casero (Dominican Republic), souris commune (French), wood mouse (English)	species	urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:afd.taxon:d297ea57-6fac-45de-8d02-8e43adc89010	230
Columbidae	<i>Ocyphaps lophotes</i>	Crested Bronzewing, Crested Pigeon, Crested Pigeon, Crested Pigeon, Crested Pigeon, Crested Pigeon, Crested Pigeon, Crested Pigeon	species	urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:afd.taxon:8343fa49-0bab-496e-9d1f-e63d4608d9f7	226
Maluridae	<i>Malurus leucopterus</i>	White-winged Fairy-wren, White-winged Fairy-wren, White-winged Fairy-wren, White-winged Fairy-wren, White-winged Fairywren, White-winged Fairywren; White-winged Fairy-wren	species	urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:afd.taxon:2d20bbc4-af43-410f-9042-985c63c6359f	225
Cacatuidae	<i>Eolophus roseicapillus</i>	Galah, Galah, Galah	species	urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:afd.taxon:53f876f0-2c4d-40c8-ae6c-f478db8b07af	207
Meliphagidae	<i>Lichenostomus virescens</i>	Singing Honeyeater, Singing Honeyeater, Singing Honeyeater, Singing Honeyeater, Singing Honeyeater, Singing Honeyeater	species	urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:afd.taxon:50954e49-5907-4f08-8017-b27c0b3d3b9d	191
Gekkonidae	<i>Gehyra variegata</i>	Tree Dtella, Tree Dtella, Tree Dtella, Tree Dtella, Tree Dtella	species	urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:afd.taxon:2add58c8-a3e1-4d69-bbe6-daa14dfd975c	171
Rhipiduridae	<i>Rhipidura leucophrys</i>	Willie Wagtail, Willie-wagtail; Willie Wagtail	species	urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:afd.taxon:10595785-a754-4011-8e14-0459e70080a9	167
Psittacidae	<i>Melopsittacus undulatus</i>	Budgerigar, Budgerigar, Budgerigar, Budgerigar, Budgerigar, Budgerigar, Budgie; Budgerygah	species	urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:afd.taxon:149bac5a-83f2-4adb-91ca-5f53b1aa2374	166
Artamidae	<i>Artamus cinereus</i>		species	urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:afd.taxon:6dee0810-3f27-45cd-82d4-5a97fa291ab5	161
Meliphagidae	<i>Lichenostomus penicillatus</i>	White-plumed Honeyeater, White-plumed Honeyeater, White-plumed Honeyeater, White-plumed Honeyeater, White-plumed Honeyeater, White-plumed Honeyeater	species	urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:afd.taxon:3ca16127-364a-404e-ab8b-acf39f0b7099	159
Dasyuridae	<i>Sminthopsis crassicaudata</i>	Fat-tailed Dunnart, Fat-tailed Dunnart, Fat-tailed Dunnart, Fat-tailed Dunnart, Fat-tailed Dunnart, Fat-tailed Dunnart	species	urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:afd.taxon:77b3bcfc-6ac6-45ee-9c1c-1c1dc3108ac9	138
Corvidae	<i>Corvus coronoides</i>		species	urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:afd.taxon:9b8d040b-edc1-46b8-a2b0-ee32d08e0961	126
Motacillidae	<i>Anthus novaeseelandiae</i>	Australasian Pipit, Australasian Pipit; New Zealand Pipit; Richard's Pipit, Australian Pipit, Australian Pipit, New Zealand Pipit, Richards Pipit	species	urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:afd.taxon:3677a747-9b1e-4bc2-b986-1c1d1ddb2879	126
Maluridae	<i>Malurus lamberti</i>	Lambert Wren; Lavender-flanked Wren, Variegated Fairy-wren, Variegated Fairy-wren, Variegated Fairy-wren, Variegated Fairy-wren,	species	urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:afd.taxon:698fa787-ffc8-44a7-933a-133a2a2a2a2a	123

# Sampling

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# Scatterplot

- Anna Creek Station
- Exocarpus latifolius 1
- Exocarpus humifusus 1
- Exocarpus homalocladius 1
- Exocarpus cupressiformis 1
- E.Mellioidora**

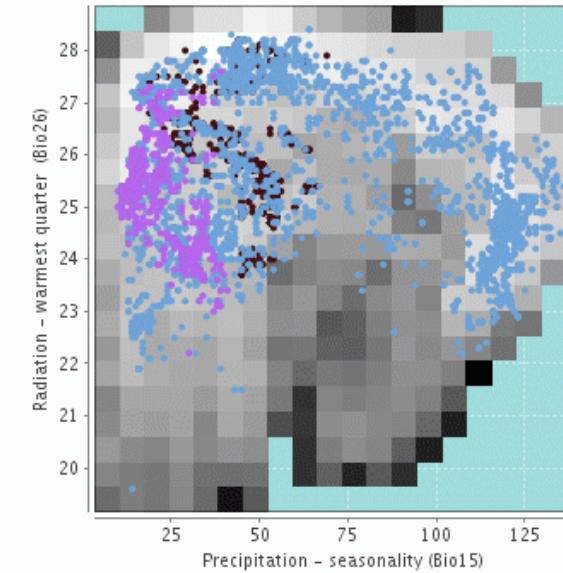


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**Eucalyptus camaldulensis**



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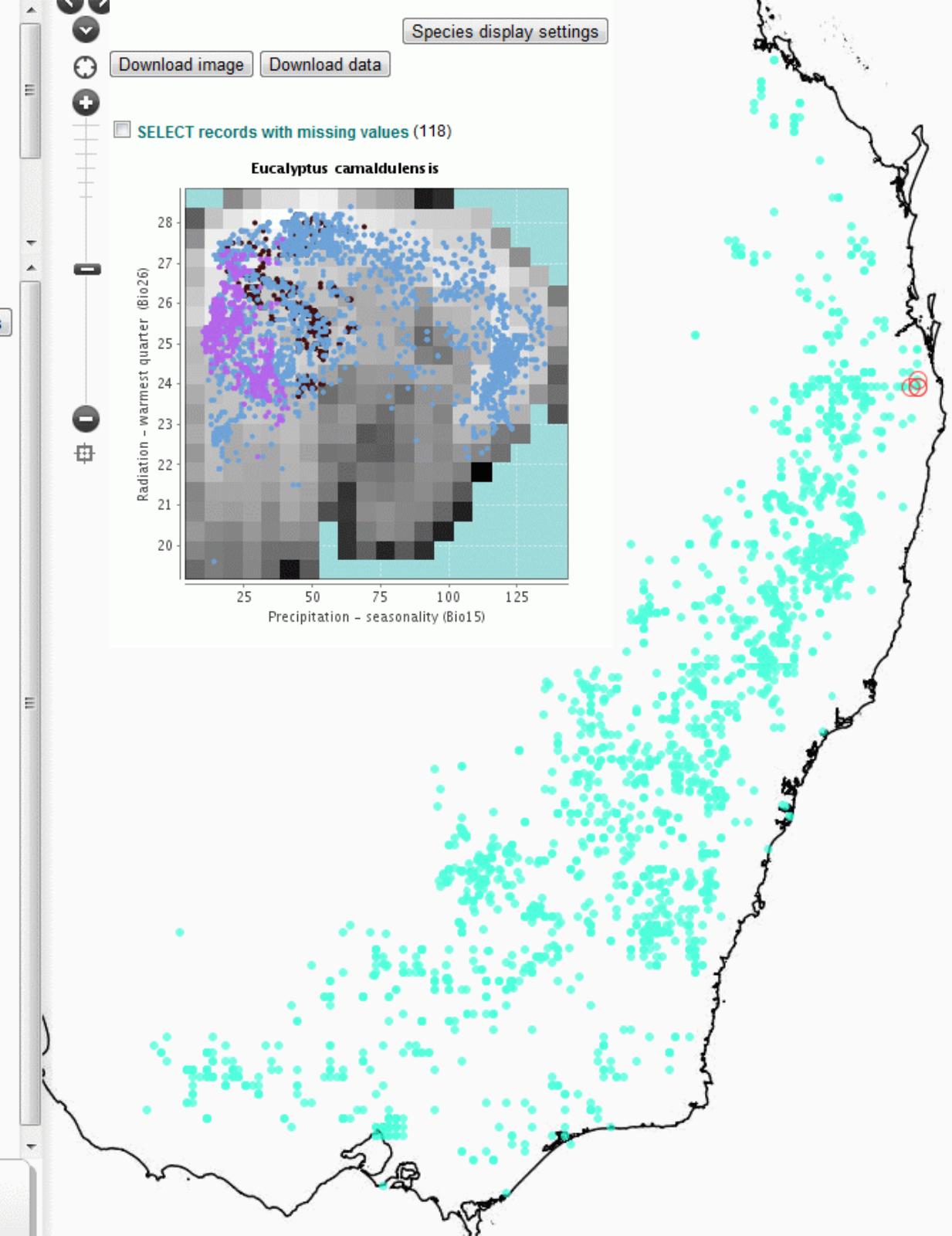
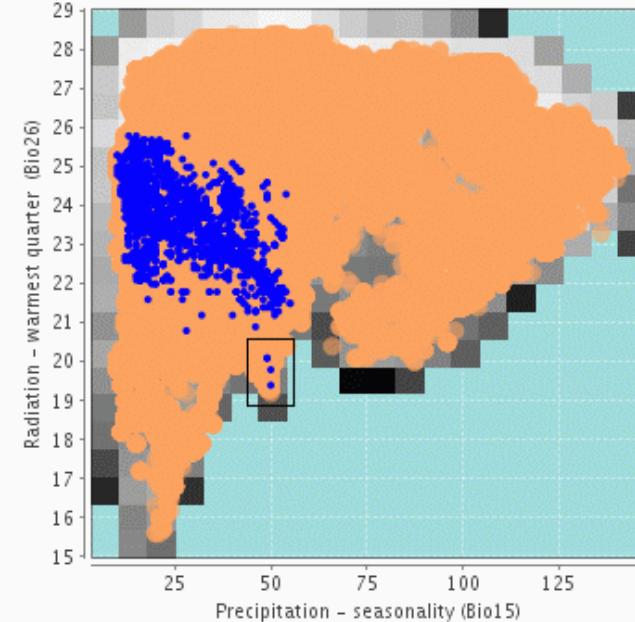
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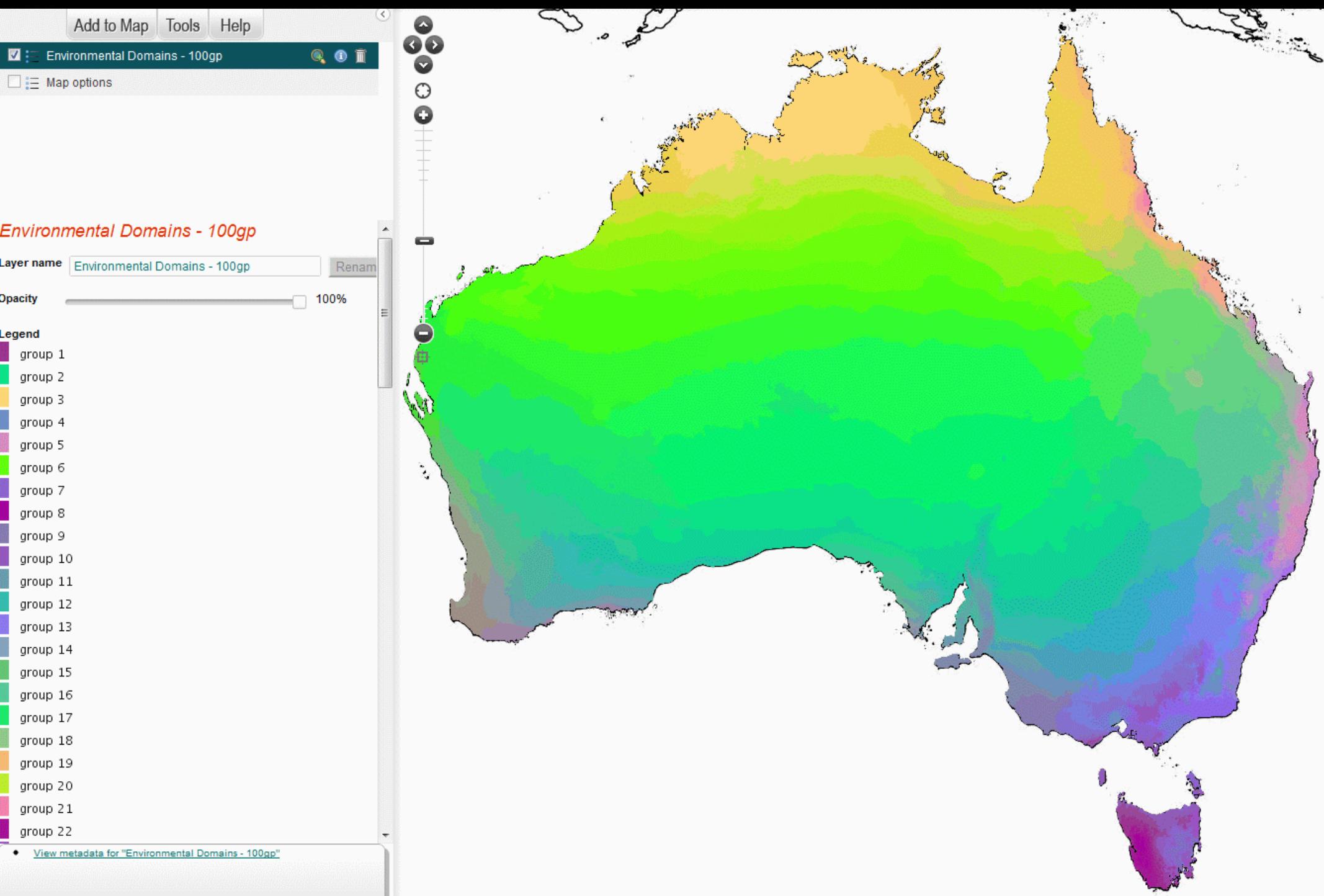
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**Eucalyptus melliodora**



# Classification



Classification	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
group number	red	green	blue	Precipitation - driest quarter (Bio17)	Precipitation - seasonality (Bio15)	Radiation - seasonality (Bio23)	Radiation - warmest quarter (Bio26)	Moisture Index - highest quarter mean (Bio32)
1								
2	1	154	52	143	270.49	31.26	53.89	18.69
3	2	0	226	136	38.41	26.45	31.89	27.38
4	3	255	215	115	6.11	114.33	10.23	23.84
5	4	107	142	198	108.41	21.96	39.80	23.56
6	5	214	140	192	143.74	47.96	25.92	20.72
7	6	96	254	19	13.92	102.24	18.22	26.28
8	7	138	100	206	144.95	20.12	47.00	21.82
9	8	164	0	154	492.96	22.55	53.81	16.12
10	9	135	123	176	82.32	43.53	45.65	23.68
11	10	142	88	196	221.26	29.38	45.85	21.62
12	11	105	156	174	51.26	46.64	40.83	25.65
13	12	49	187	160	47.37	30.80	37.85	26.25
14	13	140	119	254	173.96	16.46	37.27	23.14
15	14	132	162	191	132.37	33.35	29.10	23.15
16	15	101	196	115	24.33	76.92	32.60	26.99
17	16	87	200	153	84.72	37.40	26.71	24.66
18	17	29	232	103	20.61	53.71	29.25	27.65
19	18	144	200	139	77.52	54.04	21.08	23.21
20	19	247	185	113	44.70	97.97	17.83	22.06
21	20	187	236	45	7.49	120.54	13.31	24.93
22	21	240	130	169	277.49	71.37	18.39	20.12

## Step 1 of 5 - Prediction

1. Apply to an area
2. Select species
3. Select environmental layers
4. MaxEnt options
5. Set layer name

### Apply to an area

- My Area 3
- My Area 2
- My Area 1
- All area layers
- Current extent
- Australia
- World
- Define new area

## Step 2 of 5 - Prediction

1. Apply to an area
2. Select species
3. Select environmental layers
4. MaxEnt options
5. Set layer name

### Select species

- Eucalyptus camaldulensis 2
- Search for species by common or scientific name
- Upload coordinates
- Upload LSIDs

## Step 3 of 5 - Prediction

1. Apply to an area
2. Select species
3. Select environmental layers
4. MaxEnt options
5. Set layer name

### Select one or more environmental layers

category	name	
Climate; Precipitation	Precipitation - annual mean	
Climate; Precipitation	Precipitation - annual seasonality	
Climate; Precipitation	Precipitation - annual seasonality ratio	
Climate; Precipitation	Precipitation - autumn	
Climate; Precipitation	Precipitation - autumn reliability	
Climate; Precipitation	Precipitation - coldest quarter (Bio19)	
Climate; Precipitation	Precipitation - driest month	
Climate; Precipitation	Precipitation - driest period (Bio14)	
Climate; Precipitation	Precipitation - driest quarter (Bio17)	
Climate; Precipitation	Precipitation - equinox seasonality ratio	
Climate; Precipitation	Precipitation - max difference between successive months	

## Step 4 of 5 - Prediction

1. Apply to an area
2. Select species
3. Select environmental layers
4. MaxEnt options
5. Set layer name

### MaxEnt options

- Do jackknife to measure variable importance
- Create response curves

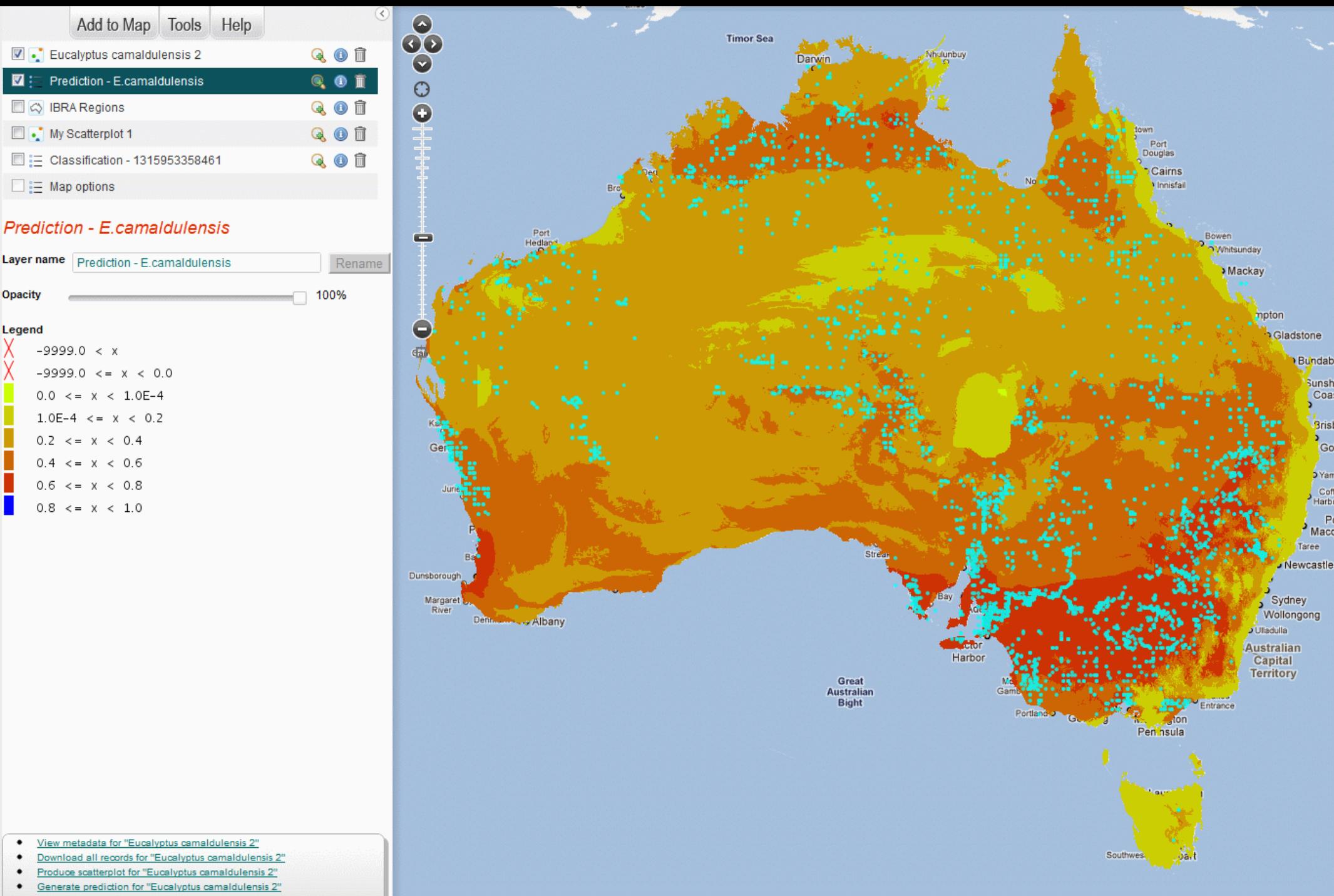
Random test percentage (0 - 100):

## Step 5 of 5 - Prediction

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2. Select species
3. Select environmental layers
4. MaxEnt options
5. Set layer name

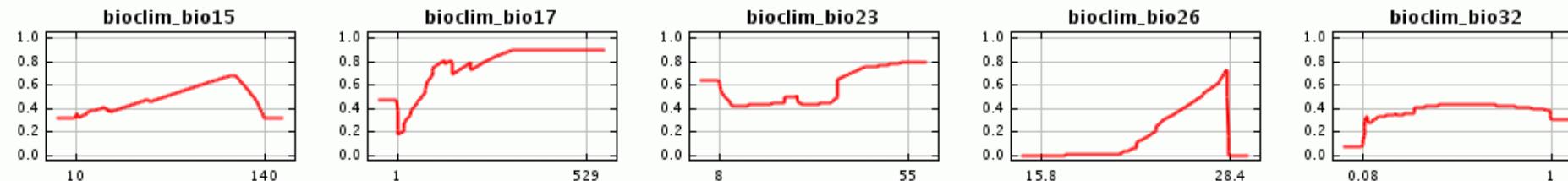
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# Prediction

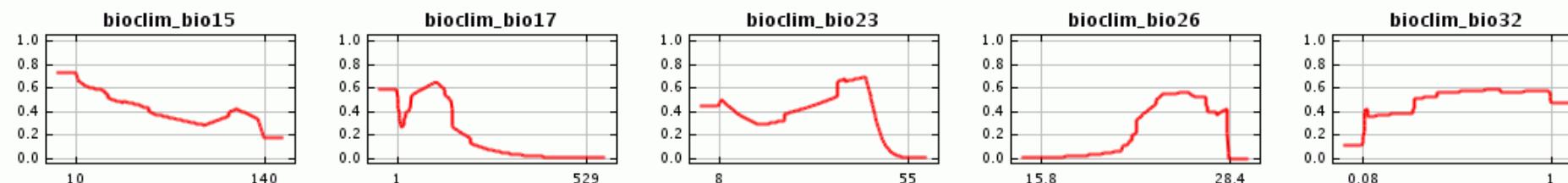


## Response curves

These curves show how each environmental variable affects the Maxent prediction. The curves show how the logistic prediction changes as each environmental variable is varied, keeping all other environmental variables at their average sample value. Click on a response curve to see a larger version. Note that the curves can be hard to interpret if you have strongly correlated variables, as the model may depend on the correlations in ways that are not evident in the curves. In other words, the curves show the marginal effect of changing exactly one variable, whereas the model may take advantage of sets of variables changing together.



In contrast to the above marginal response curves, each of the following curves represents a different model, namely, a Maxent model created using only the corresponding variable. These plots reflect the dependence of predicted suitability both on the selected variable and on dependencies induced by correlations between the selected variable and other variables. They may be easier to interpret if there are strong correlations between variables.

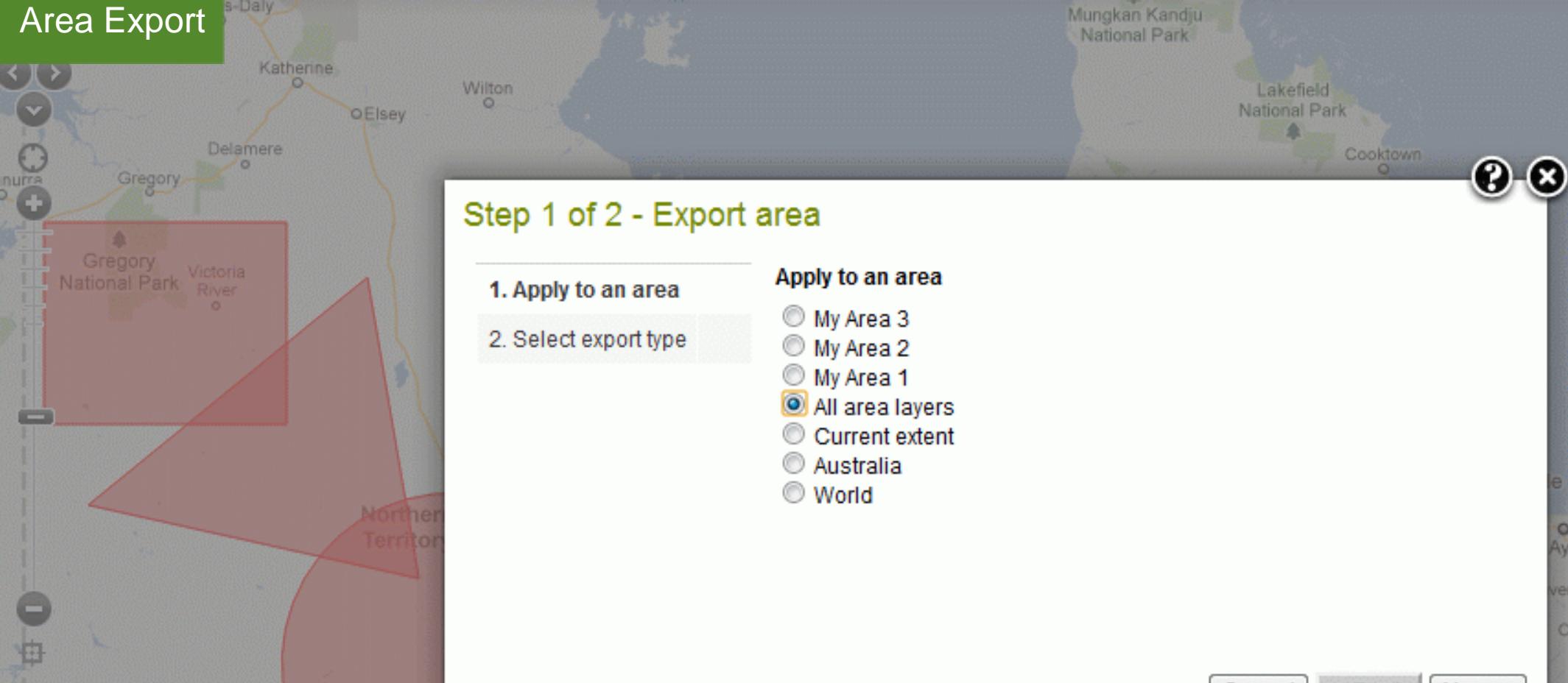


## Analysis of variable contributions

The following table gives estimates of relative contributions of the environmental variables to the Maxent model. To determine the first estimate, in each iteration of the training algorithm, the increase in regularized gain is added to the contribution of the corresponding variable, or subtracted from it if the change to the absolute value of lambda is negative. For the second estimate, for each environmental variable in turn, the values of that variable on training presence and background data are randomly permuted. The model is reevaluated on the permuted data, and the resulting drop in training AUC is shown in the table, normalized to percentages. As with the variable jackknife, variable contributions should be interpreted with caution when the predictor variables are correlated.

Variable	Percent contribution	Permutation importance
bioclim_bio23	41.8	19.3
bioclim_bio17	22.3	38.3
bioclim_bio26	18.2	20.4
bioclim_bio32	13	12.1
bioclim_bio15	4.6	9.9

# Area Export



A map of Northern Australia with a red polygon highlighting a specific area. The polygon covers parts of the Northern Territory and Queensland, including the Victoria River and the town of Katherine. The map also shows the Gregory River, Delamere, Elsey, Wilton, Mungkan Kandju National Park, Lakefield National Park, and Cooktown.

**Step 1 of 2 - Export area**

**1. Apply to an area**

**2. Select export type**

**Apply to an area**

- My Area 3
- My Area 2
- My Area 1
- All area layers
- Current extent
- Australia
- World

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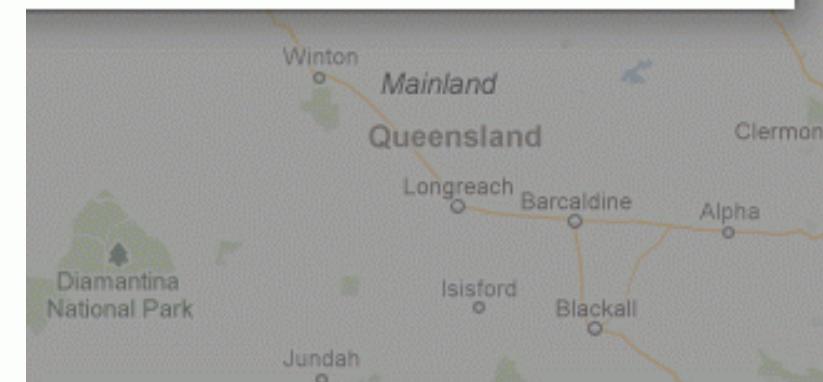
## Step 2 of 2 - Export area

**1. Apply to an area**

**2. Select export type**

Select an export format for your selected layer:

- Shapefile
- KML
- Well Known Text (WKT)



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# Ahead

- Portable Portal (HTML5)
- Generalize Scatterplot to contextual layers (tabulations)
- Generate areas x species matrices (+ environmental data)
- Generalized Dissimilarity Modelling (Simon Ferrier)
- Restore state and task scheduling
- Tap satellite imagery, e.g., weekly evapotranspiration maps



# The End

<http://www.ala.org.au>

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- –CSIRO
- –Dept. Environment, Water, Heritage and the Arts
- –Dept. Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry

## Representative bodies

- –Council of Heads of Australasian Herbaria
- –Council of Heads of Australian Faunal Collections
- –Council of Heads of Australian Entomological Collections
- –Council of Heads of Australian Collections of Microorganisms
- –Council of Australasian Museum Directors

## State museums

- –Australian Museum
- –Museum and Art Gallery of the Northern Territory
- –Museum Victoria
- –Queensland Museum
- –South Australian Museum
- –Tasmanian Museum and Art Gallery
- –Western Australian Museum

## Universities

- –Southern Cross University
- –University of Adelaide

