

# IDEAS

## Australian Bushfires

all time

large records

lots of Data

would have lots of Visuals

Data too big for design project

2009 - Black Saturday

• limited Area for data, mostly one State of Australia,

• Data would focus on whether events and would be more words than graphs

2019/2020 Black Summer

• Area for data is all of Australia  
• Records appear to be accessible.  
• Smaller data points

### Areas of Visuals

1. Extent + Severity of Burnt Areas

- on map of whole of Australia

2. Show where the fires were during the season, changing month

Impact by State, Environmental

Human impact, population, houses

Wild life loss

Temp + Rain

exact damages fall to state forest

### Data Sources

- GEF BOM (Google earth Engine Burnt area)
- Modis Active Fire data (NASA forms)
- ABS population density
- Australian Bureau of Meteorology (BOM)

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S. — line graphs, maps

Australia or maybe life loss

actual current data estimation

Concrete Data for

### CATEGORIZE

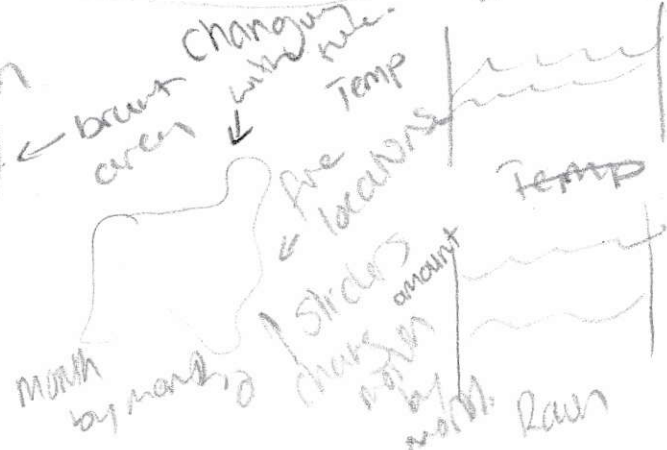
graphs of data comparisons

Burnt maps Areas fire locations Temp + Rain

COMBINE + REFINE

like graphs by month, to show passage of time

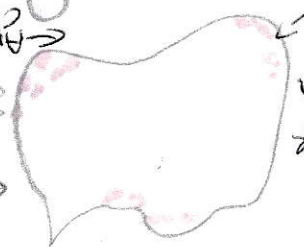
Actual & expected Total burned area, as large as burned areas



Summary:  
 Author: Ane  
 Date: 21/10/25  
 Sheet no. 3  
 Task: Great turtles of bushfires.  
 Title: Black Smoke Bushfires

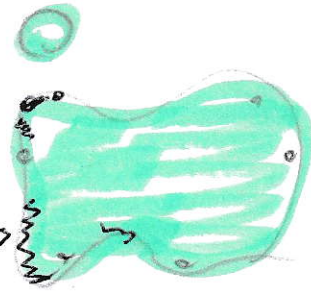
Focus  
 Maps/  
 Bush  
 fire damage

TITLES  
 ← costumer  
 explanation  
 what data  
 is from

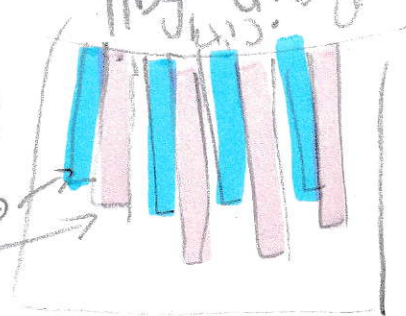


fire locations  
 ← animals  
 changes  
 of each  
 year

Burnt are  
 map.

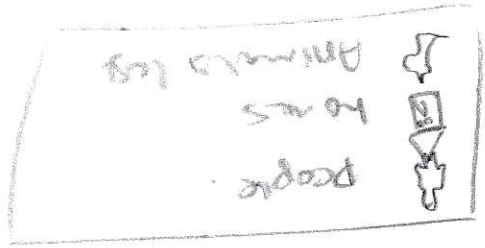


PDS/CONS  
 have to  
 compare temp/  
 can by  
 month, coding  
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 amount of rain  
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 red  
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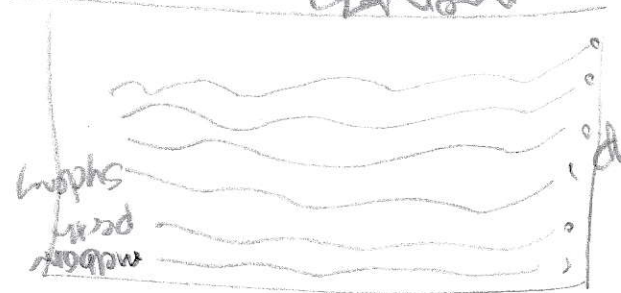
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 filter by  
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 city  
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at  
 animals,  
 people  
 and housing  
 to show



explanation  
 with links to  
 data company.

temp  
 at  
 city across  
 period



components  
 filter by month  
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 line, and  
 filter to change  
 Run at city

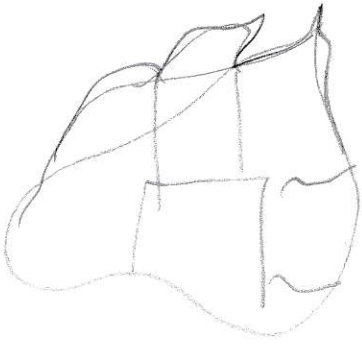
# LAYOUT.

## focus

Summary.  
Author: Anne  
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Date: 21/10/25.  
Sheet nb: 2.  
Task: creative  
or business

explanation  
of Data and  
accuracy.

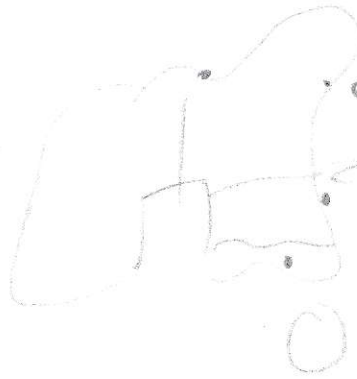
Maps of  
Australia  
showing  
areas.



filters  
for month  
and day, how  
fires change



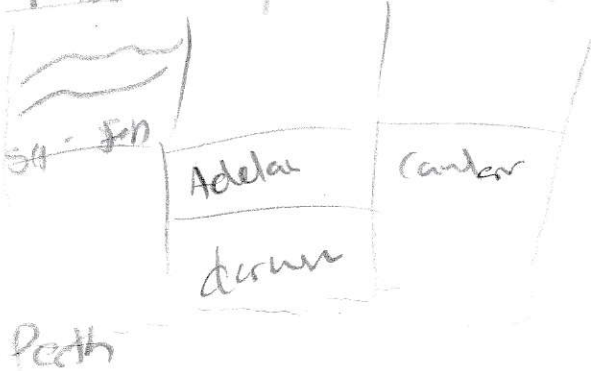
Burnt areas  
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with



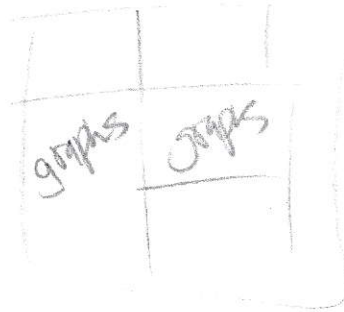
capital  
cities

State  
boundaries.

Rain fall data.  
Melbourne Sydney Hobart



temp data



## Components

- filter on  
fire map.
- Two maps
- graphs of  
Temperature and  
Rain fall.

## Pro/cons

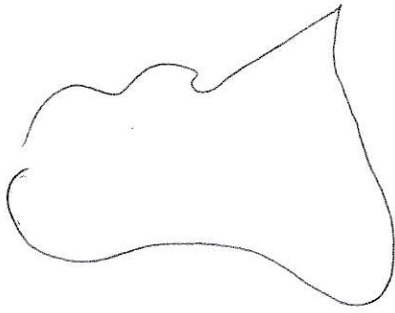
Simple design, doesn't  
lead reader to keep  
reading, needs more  
information,  
the filter per month  
and day looks  
well, makes it easier  
to see how the fires  
changed.



LAYOUT

TITLE: 2019/2020 Black Summer Bushfires.

Summary  
Author: Anne  
Date: 2/10  
Sheet no. 4  
Task: Create accurate weather  
Title: Black Summer bush fires.

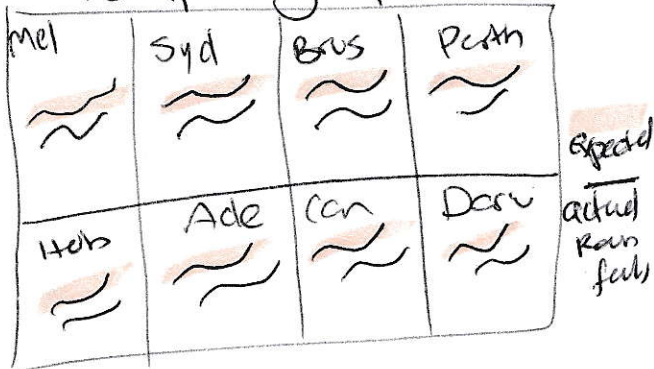


• colour  
• coded  
• months.

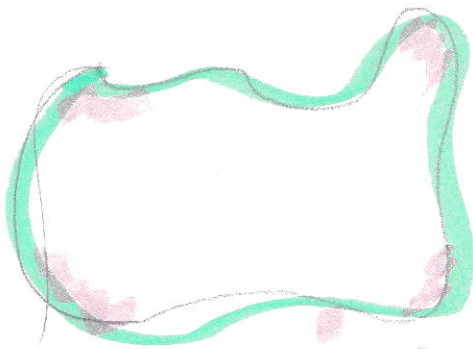
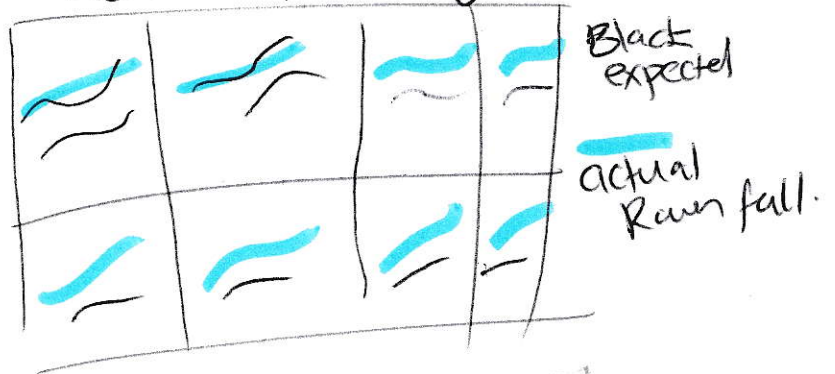
explanation of events, where this data is from.

Month  
DAY

Temp graphs



Rain fall graphs.



explanation of Areas burnt, Temp graphs + Rain graphs

final Burnt Area map

houses lost  
People lost  
animals lost.

have

components  
filter for north and dar.  
• picture to really emphasise lost and damage.

# LAYOUT - TITLE

TITLE

← picture  
Banner

Map 1

introduction  
and map  
explanation.

Focus:

Black Summer  
conclusion,  
showy fades  
and events  
which caused  
the devastation.

Summary  
Author: Anne  
Sheet: 5  
date: 21/10

Temp

Rainfall

Comparison  
of people  
explained  
vis

Map 2.

Burnt Areas

People lost  
none lost  
Animals lost

Explains  
why there  
is the worst  
Bushfire.

Detail.

- sort data on github
  - make poly areas into geojson for vega.
  - get tables for temp and Rainfall.
  - find images for damage stats.
  - full paragraphs.
- dependencies  
are github, vega lite and Agust