orchids

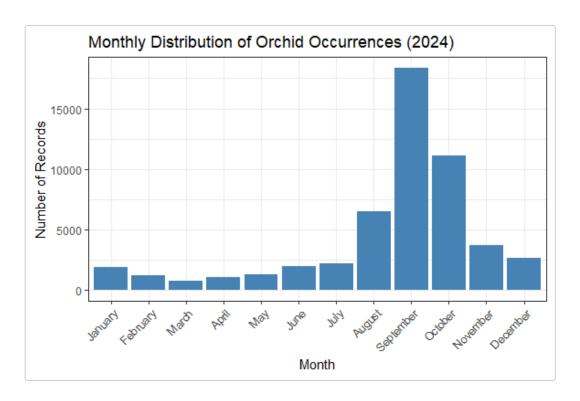


We are investigating occurrence data of <u>orchids(Orchidaceae)</u> in Australia from the **Atlas of Living Australia**, and make a map showing the spatial locations of sightings for 2024.

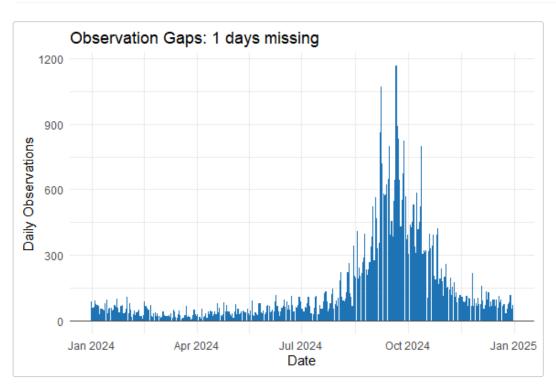
The head of Orchids dataset:

the length of the records is 52649

Monthly Distribution of Orchid Occurrences (2024)



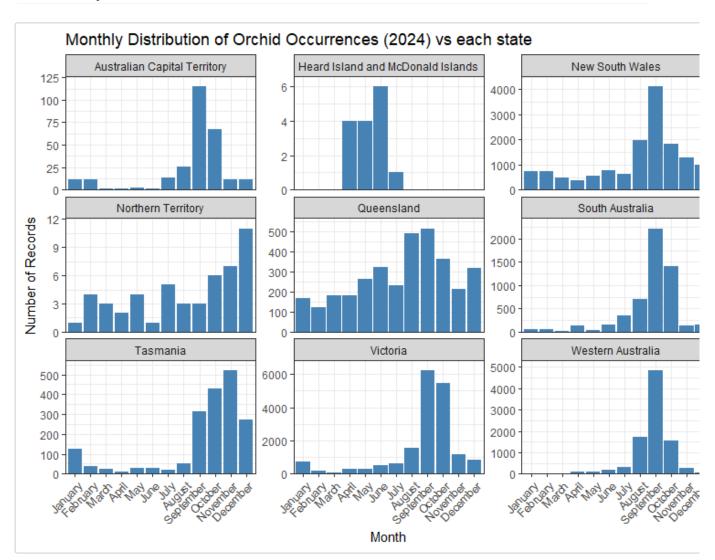
Data Regularity & Temporal Gaps

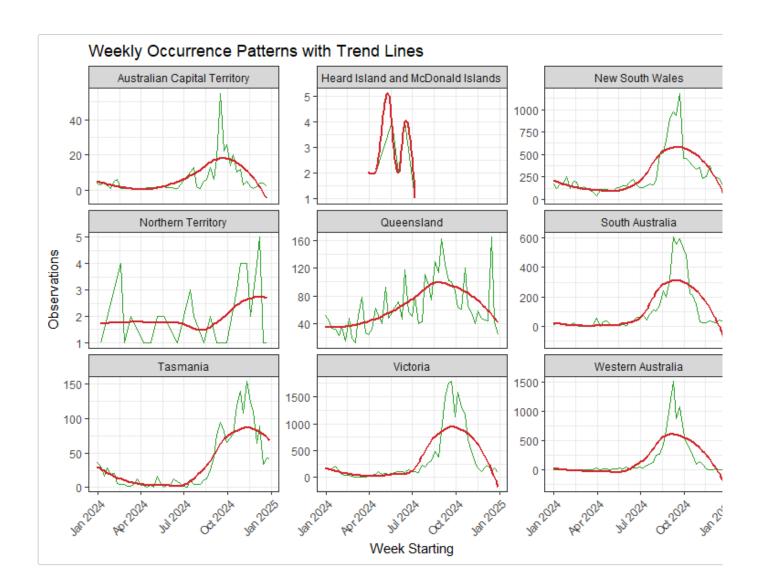


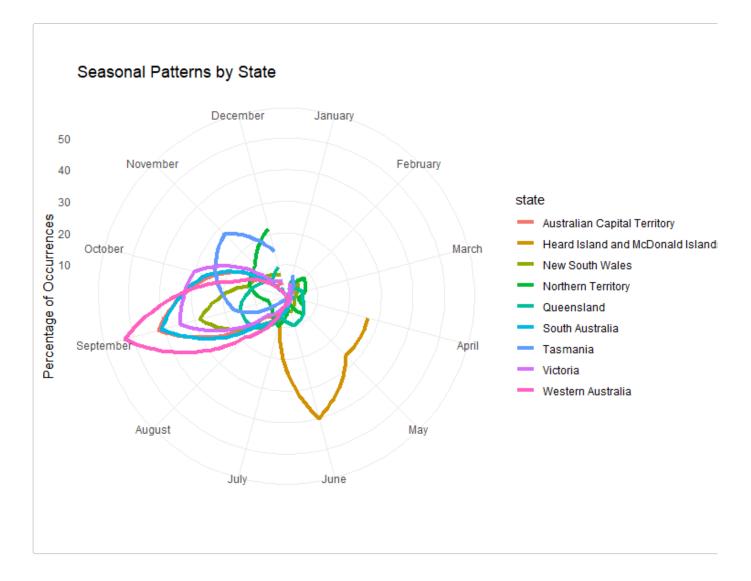
In this section we want to find nearest weather station for each occrurance of Orchids

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State Frequency
# 1
                              Victoria
                                           17953
# 2
                                           14501
                      New South Wales
# 3
                    Western Australia
                                            9161
                      South Australia
                                            5459
# 5
                            Queensland
                                            3366
                              Tasmania
                                            1869
         Australian Capital Territory
                                             275
# 8
                   Northern Territory
                                               50
# 9 Heard Island and McDonald Islands
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Pattern Analysis







Datasets Overview

We have organized the orchid occurrence and weather station data into the following structured datasets, stored in the data/ directory:

- o orchids 2024.rda Contains orchid occurrence records across all states in Australia.
- orchids_2024_ws.rda An enhanced version of the occurrence data, merged with the nearest weather station information, including:

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--Station ID (weather_station_id)
--Station name (stname)
--Geographic details (lat.y, lon.y, address, city, state)
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- orchids_top_weather.rda Focuses on weather data from the top 3 most frequently recorded stations associated with orchid occurrences.
- weather_stations.rda A standalone dataset of all unique weather stations in Australia, providing reference metadata for cross-referencing.