Case studies of feral cat management Introduction

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Feral cats in Australia: the challenge

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- There is no landscape level cat control strategy that is effective
- Doing nothing is not an option
- We cannot wait for silver bullets

"This has to be the highest priority for conservation in Australia as nothing causes more damage to native fauna than feral cats." - Atticus Fleming 26 May 2018





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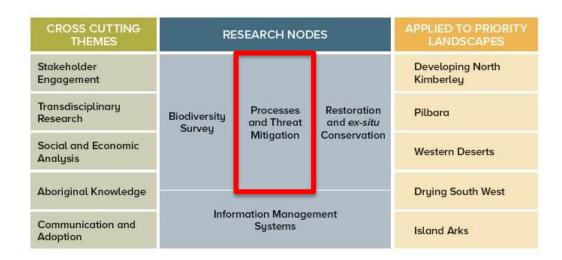
What do we do?

Enable relevant research to meet end user needs

Bring the best expertise together to maximise research efficiencies

Facilitate better sharing of scientific information

Research framework





Case studies: the speakers

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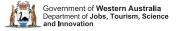
















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