

THREATENED SPECIES SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

Established under the *Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999*

FINALISED PRIORITY ASSESSMENT LIST FOR THE ASSESSMENT PERIOD COMMENCING 1 OCTOBER 2019

Black text indicates nominations from the public and
blue text indicates nominations from the Committee[#]

Item	Australian Distribution	Proposed for assessment as	Assessment completion time
Flora species			
<i>Acacia dangarensis</i>	NSW	Critically Endangered	30 Oct 2020
<i>Asterolasia beckersii</i> (Dungowan Starbush)	NSW	Endangered	30 Oct 2020
<i>Diuris aequalis</i> (Buttercup Doubletail)	NSW	Endangered	30 Oct 2020
<i>Gaultheria viridicarpa</i> (Green Waxberry)	NSW, Qld	Endangered	30 Oct 2020
<i>Gaultheria viridicarpa</i> J.B. Williams subsp. <i>viridicarpa</i> ms. (Green Waxberry)	NSW	Delist	31 Oct 2020
<i>Leucochrysum albicans</i> subsp. <i>tricolor</i> (Hoary Sunray)	ACT, Tas, NSW, Vic	Vulnerable	30 Oct 2022
<i>Nitella parooensis</i>	NSW	Critically Endangered	30 Oct 2020
<i>Persoonia mollis</i> subsp. <i>revoluta</i>	NSW	Vulnerable	30 Oct 2020
<i>Pimelea cremnophila</i>	NSW	Critically Endangered	30 Oct 2020
<i>Plinthanthesis rodwayi</i> (Budawang Wallaby-grass)	NSW	Critically Endangered	30 Oct 2020
<i>Pomaderris walshii</i> (Carrington Falls Pomaderris)	NSW	Critically Endangered	30 Oct 2020
<i>Prostanthera staurophylla</i>	NSW	Critically Endangered	30 Oct 2020
<i>Rhizanthella gardneri</i> (Western Underground Orchid, Underground Orchid)	WA	Critically Endangered	30 Oct 2020
<i>Rhizanthella johnstonii</i> (South Coast Underground Orchid)	WA	Critically Endangered	30 Oct 2020
<i>Spyridium fontis-woodii</i> (Woods Well Spyridium)	SA	Critically Endangered	30 Oct 2020
<i>Zieria buxijugum</i> (Box Range Zieria)	NSW	Critically Endangered	30 Oct 2020
<i>Zieria odorifera</i> subsp. <i>warrabahensis</i>	NSW	Critically Endangered	30 Oct 2020
Reptile species			
<i>Emoia nativitatis</i> (Christmas Island Forest Skink, Christmas Island Whiptail-skink)	Christmas Island*	Extinct	30 Oct 2020
<i>Hemiaspis damelii</i> (Grey Snake)	NSW, Qld	Endangered	30 Apr 2022
Fish species			
<i>Anoxypristis cuspidata</i> (Narrow Sawfish)	WA, NT, Qld	Endangered	30 Oct 2022
<i>Cephaloscyllium alpinum</i> (Whitefin Swellshark)	NSW, Vic, Tas, SA	Critically Endangered	30 Oct 2022
<i>Dentiraja confusa</i> (Australian Longnose Skate)	NSW, Vic, Tas	Critically Endangered	30 Oct 2022
<i>Dipturus canutus</i> (Grey Skate)	NSW, Vic, Tas, SA, WA	Endangered	30 Oct 2022
<i>Galaxias tantangara</i> (Stocky Galaxias)	NSW	Critically Endangered	30 Oct 2020
<i>Hippocampus whitei</i> (White's Seahorse)	NSW, Qld	Endangered	30 Oct 2020

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Invertebrate species			
<i>Acrodipsas illidgei</i> (Illidge's Ant-blue or Mangrove Ant-blue)	NSW, Qld	Vulnerable	30 Apr 2022
<i>Dendronephthya australis</i> (Cauliflower Soft Coral)	NSW	Endangered	30 Oct 2020
<i>Hypochrysops piceatus</i> (Bulloak Jewel Butterfly)	Qld	Critically Endangered	30 Apr 2022
<i>Synemon plana</i> (Golden Sun Moth)	ACT, NSW, Vic	Endangered	30 Oct 2022
Mammal species			
<i>Dasyuroides byrnei</i> (Kowari)	Qld, SA	Endangered	30 Oct 2022
<i>Pseudomys novaehollandiae</i> (New Holland Mouse)	NSW, Qld, Tas, Vic [ACT reintroduced into Mulligan's Flat in 2013]	Endangered	30 Oct 2022
Additional species for regulatory alignment with the states and territories			
Other species assessed by the states and territories consistent with the Intergovernmental memorandum of understanding - Agreement on a common assessment method for listing of threatened species and threatened ecological communities and provided to the Commonwealth for consideration under the EPBC Act may be assessed in the 2019 assessment period			30 Apr 2021
Ecological Communities			
Eastern Suburbs Banksia Scrub of the Sydney Region	NSW	Critically Endangered	31 Oct 2021
<i>Empodisma gracillimum</i> peatlands of south-west Western Australia	WA	Vulnerable	31 Oct 2022
Key Threatening Processes			
No key threatening processes have been prioritised for assessment in 2019			
Other species, ecological communities and key threatening processes			
Assessments of other species, ecological communities and key threatening processes may be proposed by the Committee during the 2019 assessment period if they perceive a need to commence an assessment prior to the 2020 assessment period.			

Under section 194G(3) of the EPBC Act, the Proposed Priority Assessment List may include items the Committee itself wishes to nominate along with nominations received from the public

* Former distribution