

# PROTECTING VICTORIA'S ENVIRONMENT - BIODIVERSITY 2037

PROGRESS AGAINST TARGETS: 2020

Victorians value nature

Victoria's natural environment is healthy



**64%**  
OF VICTORIANS  
CONNECTING WITH  
NATURE



**5 MILLION**  
VICTORIANS ACTING TO  
PROTECT THE NATURAL  
ENVIRONMENT



**865,328**

HECTARES OF  
SUSTAINED PEST  
PREDATOR CONTROL  
IN PRIORITY  
LOCATIONS  
(UP 5% FROM 2019)



**HABITAT HECTARES OF EXTENT AND CONDITION OF HABITATS  
(TERRESTRIAL, MARINE, WATERWAY)**  
8200 HHA ANNUAL NET LOSS OF NATIVE VEGETATION

**ALL ENDANGERED SPECIES WILL HAVE AN  
EX-SITU OR RE-INTRODUCTION OPTION FOR  
LONG-TERM CONSERVATION**  
(ESTABLISHING A BASELINE)

**NO VULNERABLE OR NEAR  
THREATENED SPECIES WILL  
BECOME ENDANGERED**  
(ESTABLISHING A BASELINE)



**888,757**

HECTARES OF SUSTAINED  
PEST HERBIVORE CONTROL  
IN PRIORITY LOCATIONS  
(UP 171% FROM 2019)



**201,857**

HECTARES OF  
SUSTAINED WEED  
CONTROL IN  
PRIORITY  
LOCATIONS  
(UP 190% FROM 2019)



**74**

HECTARES OF REVEGETATION  
FOR HABITAT CONNECTIVITY IN  
PRIORITY LOCATIONS SINCE 2017  
(UP 17% FROM 2019)

**9,135**

HECTARES OF  
REVEGETATION SINCE 2017



**5,373**

HECTARES OF NEW  
PERMANENTLY  
PROTECTED AREAS ON  
PRIVATE LAND SINCE 2017  
(UP 49% FROM 2019)



Environment,  
Land, Water  
and Planning