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# Atlas of Living Australia

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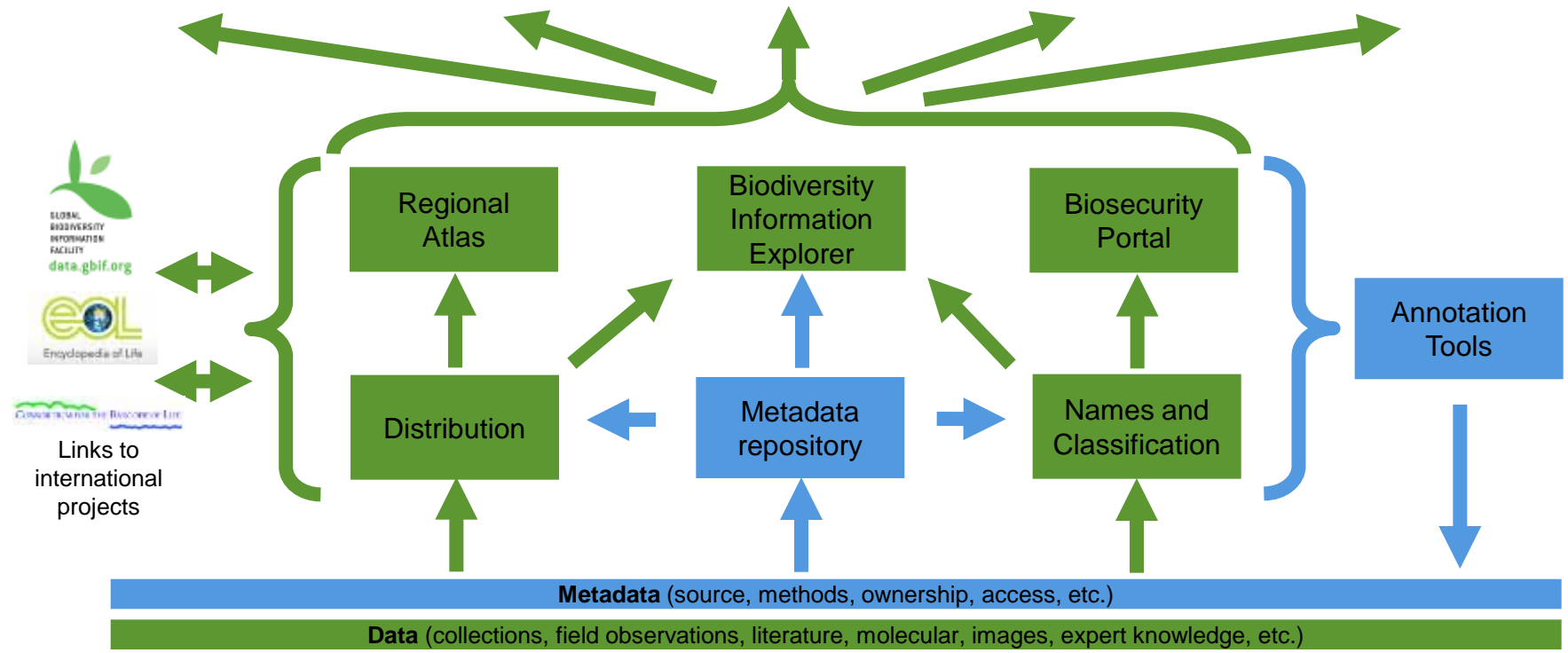


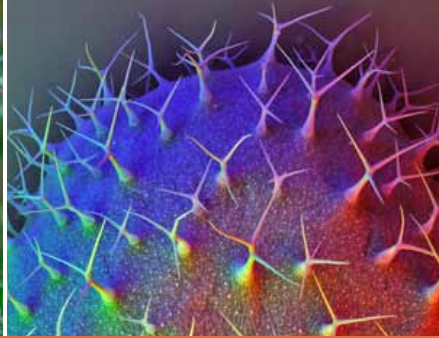
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# Implementation



**Uses** (biosecurity, land-use, climate change, crop development, resource management, education, materials, forensics, taxonomy, etc.)





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### Welcome to Biodiversity Snapshots

Animals, such as mammals, birds and insects live all around us. But have you ever really looked at what's in your local area? And can you identify what you see?

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### Select a Taxonomic Group



Amphibians



Mammals



Reptiles



Insects



Birds



Unknown

Please be aware that this is not a complete list of fauna in Queensland. There will be species you can't identify or record using this tool.

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Sharing biodiversity knowledge

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Refine results for 541 records returned

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Map List

My Records Only (2)

Species Group

Month

Year

- 1995 (1)
- 2005 (1)
- 2006 (8)
- 2007 (8)
- 2008 (0)
- 2009 (17)
- 2010 (192)
- 2011 (305)
- 2021 (1)

Survey

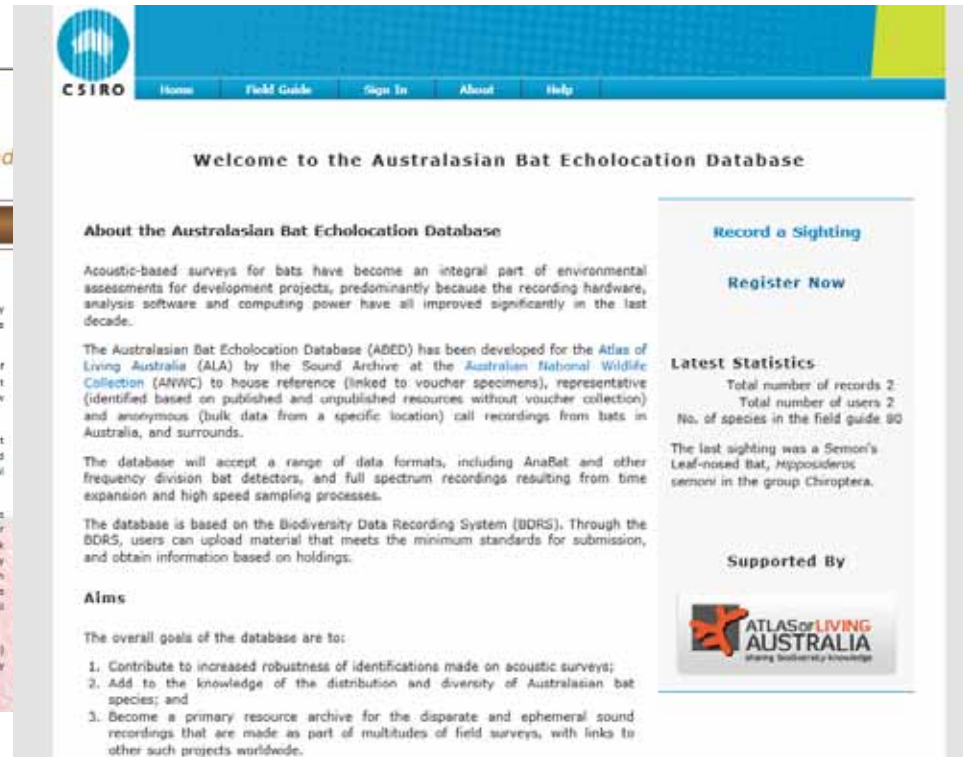
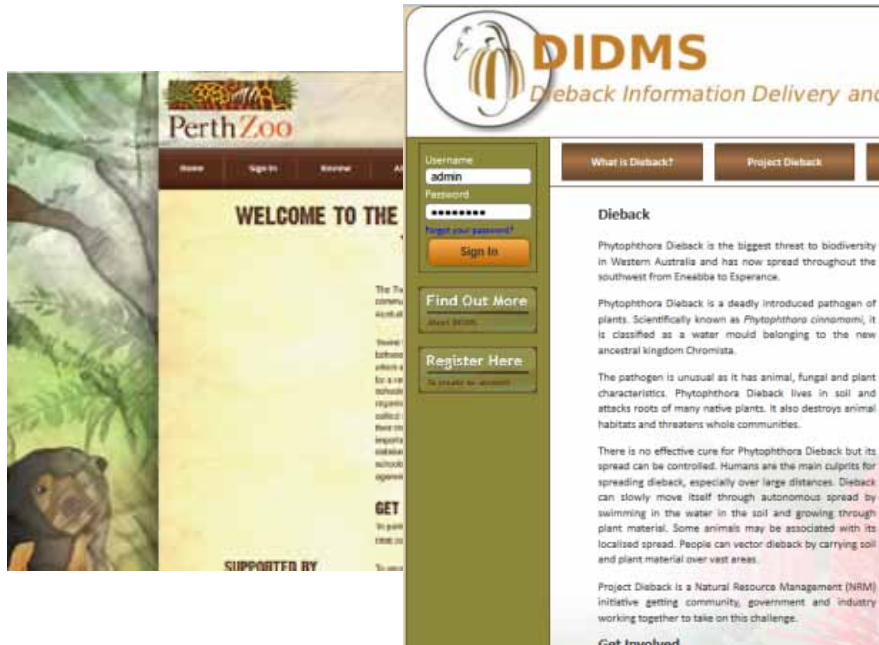
Multimedia

- Data File (4)

Map showing Australia with record locations marked by orange dots.

For online access to Australia's biodiversity information

# Field data capture



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## Vegetation

### Point Intersect

Click on the map to enter the location of the sighting

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Record Visibility: Full public access

Latitude:

Longitude:

Accuracy (meters):

Date: 29 Aug 2011

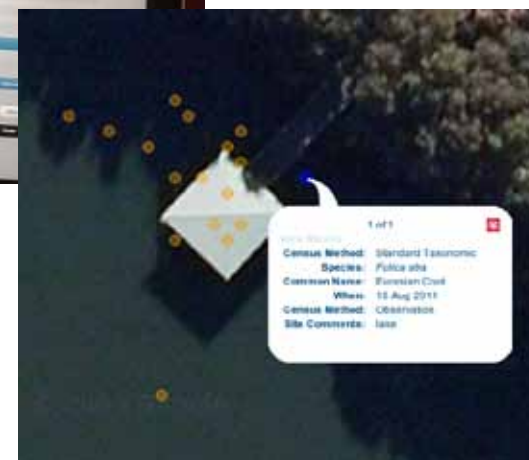
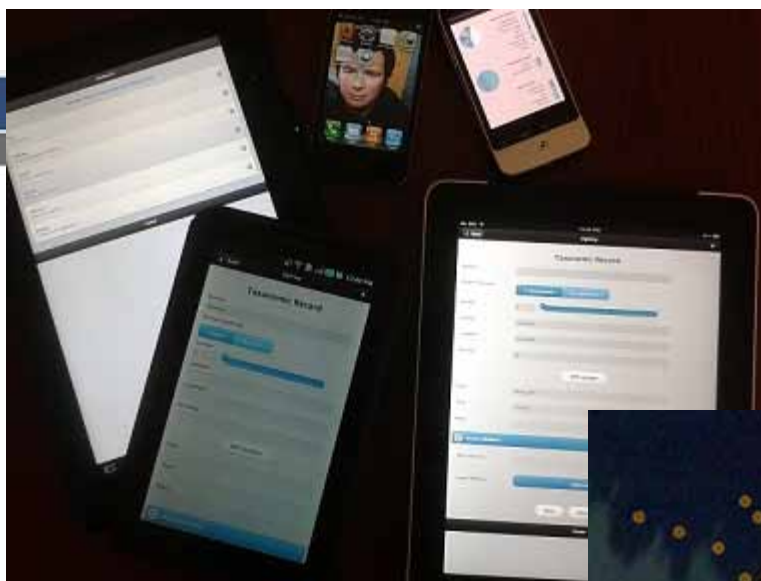
Time: 15:10

Additional Comments:

Transect ID:

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Taxonomy

[http://biodiversity.org.au/taxon/Dodonaea\\_ovata](http://biodiversity.org.au/taxon/Dodonaea_ovata)

[http://biodiversity.org.au/name/Dodonaea\\_ovata](http://biodiversity.org.au/name/Dodonaea_ovata)

Morphbank

<http://morphbank.ala.org.au/?id=130972>

IdentifyLife

<http://www.identifylife.org/>

Biodiversity Heritage Library

<http://bhl.ala.org.au/>

Volunteer portal

<http://volunteer.ala.org.au/>

Field capture

<http://birdsaustralia.ala.org.au/>

Flickr EOL group

[http://www.flickr.com/groups/encyclopedia\\_of\\_life/](http://www.flickr.com/groups/encyclopedia_of_life/)





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The Atlas is a work in progress. This website is a window into what we are doing. We are busy integrating many more data sets and solving issues around combining data from different sources. We welcome your contributions. [Learn more.](#)

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10 JUNE, 2011  
[ALA story in Australian Geographic: Just one click to identify Australian species](#)

9 JUNE, 2011  
[Fourth International Barcode of Life Conference 28/11 - 3/12/2011, Adelaide, South Australia](#)

About the Atlas

The Atlas of Living Australia is an initiative to improve access to essential information on Australia's biodiversity by providing tools for researchers and others to access, combine and map data on Australian species. The Atlas project is a partnership between the Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation (CSIRO), the Australian natural history collections community and the Australian Government. [Learn more >](#)



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Discover what lives around you



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Explore a state or territory's biodiversity

**Map Species**  
Map organisms and environmental data for the complete picture



**Collections**  
Explore Australia's natural history collections and view digitised records

Themes

Themes provide stories of general interest to the Australian public about particular groups of organisms. The Atlas aims to provide insight into the importance of these animals, plants and microbes through the amalgamation of rich data sources. However, we cannot develop themes without the assistance of scientists, researchers and other interested parties.

Current themes within the Atlas of Living Australia

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Iconic Species



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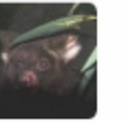
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Thrips



Ants



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# Australia's natural history collections

Learn about the institution, the collections they hold and view records of specimens that have been databased. Currently only the collections of ALA partners are shown. Over time this list will expand to include all natural history collections in Australia.

Map List

Click a button to only show those organisms.


**All collections**  
Show all 141 collections.



**Fauna**  
Mammals, birds, reptiles, fish, amphibians and invertebrates.



**Insects**  
Insects, spiders, mites and some other arthropods.



**Microorganisms**  
Protists, bacteria, viruses, microfungi and microalgae.



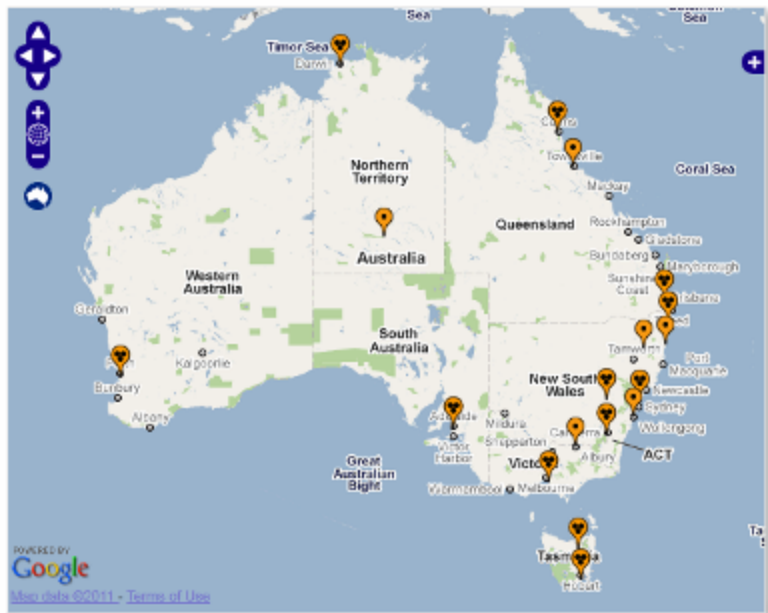
**Plants**  
Vascular plants, algae, fungi, lichens and bryophytes.



141 collections in total.

All are currently visible on the map.

Click on a map pin to see the collections at that location. Use the map controls to zoom into an area of interest. Or drag your mouse while holding the shift key to zoom to an area.



 indicates there are multiple collections at this location.



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141 collections are listed alphabetically. Click on a collection name to see more details including the digitised specimen records for the collection. Collections not shown on the map (due to lack of location information) are marked 📍.

Australian Museum

- [Australian Museum Arachnology Collection](#)
- [Australian Museum Entomology Collection \(AMS\)](#)
- [Australian Museum Herpetology Collection \(AMS\)](#)
- [Australian Museum Ichthyology Collection](#)
- [Australian Museum Malacology Collection](#)
- [Australian Museum Mammalogy Collection](#)
- [Australian Museum Marine Invertebrate Collection](#)
- [Australian Museum Ornithology Collection \(AMS\)](#)
- [Australian Museum Palaeontology Collection](#)

Australian Tropical Herbarium

- [Australian Tropical Herbarium \(CNS\)](#)

Botanic Gardens and Parks Authority

- [Kings Park and Botanic Garden Herbarium \(KPBG\)](#)

Centre for Australian National Biodiversity Research

- [Australian National Herbarium \(CANB\)](#)

Charles Sturt University

- [Charles Sturt University Herbarium \(CSU\)](#)

Coffs Harbour City Council

- [North Coast Regional Botanic Gardens Herbarium \(CFSHB\)](#)

Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation

- [Australian National Algae Culture Collection \(ANACC\)](#)
- [Australian National Fish Collection \(CSIRO\)](#)
- [Australian National Insect Collection \(ANIC\)](#)
- [Australian National Wildlife Collection \(ANWC\)](#)
- [CSIRO Food & Nutritional Sciences \(FRR\)](#)

Department of Agriculture and Food - Western Australia

- [DAFWA - Invertebrate Reference Collection \(DAFWA\)](#)
- [DAFWA - Plant Pathology Culture Collection \(WAC\)](#)

Department of Employment, Economic Development and Innovation

- [Biosecurity Queensland Cairns Collection \(BQCC\)](#)
- [Queensland Forestry Research Institute \(QFIC\)](#)
- [Queensland Plant Pathology Herbarium \(BRIP\)](#)
- [Queensland Primary Industries Insect Collection \(QPIIC\)](#)
- [Queensland Primary Industries Mareeba - Entomology \(QPIM\)](#)

Department of Environment and Conservation

- [Western Australian Herbarium \(PERTH\)](#)

Department of Environment and Natural Resources

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# Australian National Insect Collection

## Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation



Acronym: ANIC [LSID](#)

Overview **Records & Statistics**

### Description

The Australian National Insect Collection (ANIC) is the world's largest collection of Australian insects and related groups such as mites, spiders, earthworms, nematodes and centipedes.

ANIC is an important research collection used by CSIRO researchers, university staff and students, and scientists from Australian and international research organisations.

The collection was established in 1928 and continues to the present.

### Taxonomic range

Kingdoms covered include: Animalia.

The Australian National Insect Collection includes members from the following taxa: Insecta, Arachnida, Chilopoda, Collembola, Crustacea and Diplopoda.

### Geographic range

All Australian states are covered.

### Number of specimens in the collection

The estimated number of specimens in the Australian National Insect Collection is 12,000,000.

Of these 500,000 are databased. This represents 4.2 % of the collection.

Click the Records & Statistics tab to access those database records that are available through the atlas.

### Sub-collections

The Australian National Insect Collection contains these significant collections:

- ANIC - Queensland Bioscience Precinct - The primary focus of the ANIC sub-collection held at the Biosciences Precinct in Brisbane stems from research on invasive insects of Australian plant species.
- ANIC - Northern Territory - The primary focus of this collection is northern Australian ant fauna (Hymenoptera: Formicidae), with &gt; 5,000 Australian species represented in the collection. It also includes a comprehensive collection of grasshoppers (Orthoptera) and a representative collection of



One of the three collection halls within ANIC.

### Location

Clunies Ross Street  
Canberra  
ACT 2601  
Australia

### Contact

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ANIC Manager  
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[email](#)

**Dr Alan Anderson**  
Curator of the ANIC - Northern Territory sub-collection  
phone: (08) 8944 8431  
[email](#)

**Dr Tim Heard**  
Curator of the ANIC - Queensland Bioscience Precinct sub-collection  
phone: (07) 3833 5730  
[email](#)

### Web site

- [Visit the collection's website](#)
- [Visit the institution's website](#)

### Membership

Council of Heads of Australian Entomological Collections

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Overview **Records & Statistics**

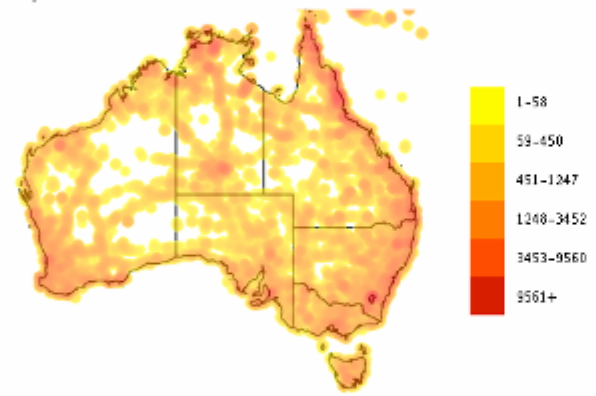
### Digitised records available through the Atlas

The Australian National Insect Collection has an estimated 12,000,000 specimens. The collection has databased 4.2 % of these (500,000 records).

217,574 records can be accessed through the Atlas of Living Australia.

[Click to view all records for the Australian National Insect Collection](#)

#### Map of occurrence records



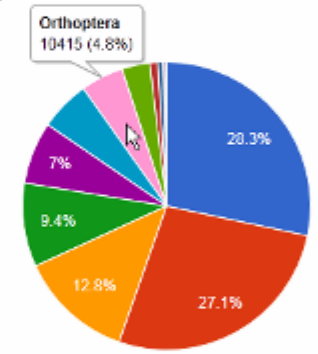
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#### Records by taxonomic group

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##### Records by order

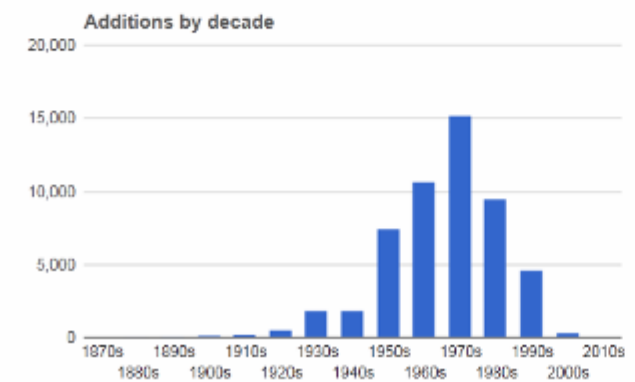
- Coleoptera
- Hymenoptera
- Lepidoptera
- Isoptera
- Odonata
- Hemiptera
- Orthoptera
- Diptera
- Thysanoptera
- Plecoptera
- Megaloptera
- Neuroptera
- Polydesmida
- Phthiraptera
- Phasmdia
- Araneae



Click a slice or legend to drill into a group.

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#### Records by collection date



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## Occurrence Records

View as Map

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## Refine results

61,556 results returned for **Collection: Australian National Insect Collection**

## Current Filters

Results per page Sort by  Sort order 

Order: Coleoptera [X]

## Dataset

[Australian National Insect Collection](#)

(60,910)

[Australian National Insect Collection](#)[EntomID-PNG Dataset](#) (646)

## State/Territory

[Queensland](#) (10,139)[New South Wales](#) (3,508)[Northern Territory](#) (1,838)[Australian Capital Territory](#) (1,622)

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## Biogeographic Region

[Wet Tropics](#) (3,711)[Cape York Peninsula](#) (3,675)[South Eastern Highlands](#) (2,162)[Einasteigh Uplands](#) (1,706)

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## Identified to Rank

[Species](#) (59,078)[Genus](#) (1,156)[Subspecies](#) (887)[Infraspecific](#) (433)

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## Family

[Scarabaeidae](#) (28,522)[Dytiscidae](#) (8,626)[Hydrophilidae](#) (5,785)[Chrysomelidae](#) (4,497)

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## Date (by month)

[January](#) (3,484)[February](#) (2,100)[March](#) (1,308)[April](#) (1,462)Record: [181454546](#) — Species: ***Acanthoscelides macrophthalmus***

Dataset: Australian National Insect Collection Record Type: Specimen

Record: [181454547](#) — Species: ***Acanthoscelides obtectus***

Dataset: Australian National Insect Collection Record Type: Specimen

Record: [181454548](#) — Species: ***Acanthoscelides obtectus***

Dataset: Australian National Insect Collection Record Type: Specimen

Record: [181454549](#) — Species: ***Acanthoscelides obtectus***

Dataset: Australian National Insect Collection Record Type: Specimen

Record: [181454550](#) — Species: ***Acanthoscelides obtectus***

Dataset: Australian National Insect Collection Record Type: Specimen

Record: [181454551](#) — Species: ***Acanthoscelides obtectus***

Dataset: Australian National Insect Collection Record Type: Specimen

Record: [181454552](#) — Species: ***Acanthoscelides obtectus***

Dataset: Australian National Insect Collection Record Type: Specimen

Record: [181454553](#) — Species: ***Acanthoscelides obtectus***

Dataset: Australian National Insect Collection Record Type: Specimen

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Record: [181454555](#) — Species: ***Acanthoscelides obtectus***

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Record: [181454556](#) — Species: ***Acanthoscelides obtectus***

Dataset: Australian National Insect Collection Record Type: Specimen

Record: [181454557](#) — Species: ***Acanthoscelides obtectus***

Dataset: Australian National Insect Collection Record Type: Specimen

Record: [181454558](#) — Species: ***Acanthoscelides obtectus***

Dataset: Australian National Insect Collection Record Type: Specimen

Record: [181454559](#) — Species: ***Acanthoscelides obtectus***

Dataset: Australian National Insect Collection Record Type: Specimen

# Occurrence Record: 66746574

## *Anoplognathus abnormis* Macleay

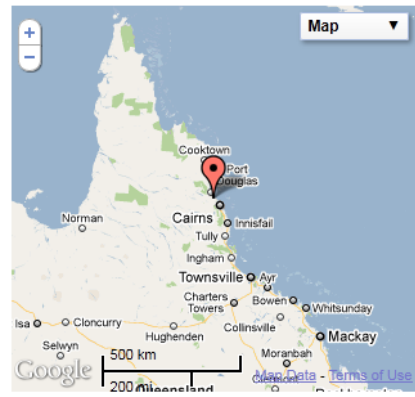
### Dataset

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|                           |  |
|---------------------------|--|
| <b>Data Provider</b>      | <a href="#">Australian National Insect Collection, CSIRO Entomology</a>                                  |
| <b>Data Set</b>           | <a href="#">Australian National Insect Collection</a>  |
| <b>Institution</b>        | <a href="#">Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation</a><br>Institution Code: "ANIC" |
| <b>Collection</b>         | <a href="#">Australian National Insect Collection</a><br>Collection Code: "Insects"                      |
| <b>Catalogue Number</b>   | 25-000006-51   |
| <b>Basis of Record</b>    | specimen<br><i>Supplied as: "S"</i>  |
| <b>Record Date</b>        | 1964-03-12<br><i>Supplied as: "year: 1964, month: 03, day: 12"</i>                                       |
| <b>Collector/observer</b> | Common, I.F.B. & Upton, M.S.   |
| <b>Comments</b>           | [0 comments]   |



### Location of record



### Taxonomy

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|                        |  |
|------------------------|--|
| <b>Scientific Name</b> | <a href="#">Anoplognathus abnormis Macleay</a><br><i>Supplied as: "Anoplognathus abnormis Macleay, 1873"</i> |
| <b>Taxon Rank</b>      | Species  |
| <b>Kingdom</b>         | <a href="#">Animalia</a>   |
| <b>Phylum</b>          | <a href="#">Arthropoda</a>   |
| <b>Class</b>           | <a href="#">Insecta</a>  |
| <b>Order</b>           | <a href="#">Coleoptera</a>   |
| <b>Family</b>          | <a href="#">Scarabaeidae</a>   |
| <b>Genus</b>           | <a href="#">Anoplognathus</a>  |
| <b>Species</b>         | <a href="#">Anoplognathus abnormis</a><br><i>Supplied as: "abnormis"</i>                                     |
| <b>Comments</b>        | [0 comments]   |

### Geospatial

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Supplied as: "Anoplognathus abnormis Macleay, 1873"

|                   |  |
|-------------------|--|
| <b>Taxon Rank</b> | Species  |
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| <b>Class</b>      | <a href="#">Insecta</a>  |
| <b>Order</b>      | <a href="#">Coleoptera</a>   |
| <b>Family</b>     | <a href="#">Scarabaeidae</a>   |
| <b>Genus</b>      | <a href="#">Anoplognathus</a>  |
| <b>Species</b>    | <a href="#">Anoplognathus abnormis</a><br><i>Supplied as: "abnormis"</i> |
| <b>Comments</b>   | [0 comments]   |

### Geospatial

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|                                      |                     |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Country</b>                       | Australia           |
| <b>State/Province</b>                | Queensland          |
| <b>Biogeographic Region</b>          | Wet Tropics         |
| <b>Place</b>                         | Douglas; Mareeba    |
| <b>Locality</b>                      | 9 mls. N of Kuranda |
| <b>Latitude</b>                      | -16.733329999999999 |
| <b>Longitude</b>                     | 145.5667            |
| <b>Coordinate Precision (metres)</b> | 10km                |
| <b>Comments</b>                      | [0 comments]        |

First indexed: 2007-05-09  
Last indexed: 2007-05-09



## Dodonaea viscosa (L.) Jacq. [CHAH 2006] [↗](#)

- URI <http://biodiversity.org.au/apni.taxon/298605>
- LSID <urn:lsid:biodiversity.org.au:apni.taxon:298605>
- Name [Dodonaea viscosa \(L.\) Jacq.](#) [↗](#)
- Taxonomic tree [according to apc](#) [↗](#)
- According to [CHAH \(2006\)](#)
- Publication [CHAH, \(2006\) Australian Plant Census.](#)
- includes (nomenclatural) [Ptelea viscosa L.](#) [↗](#)
- includes (taxonomic) [Dodonaea angustifolia Roxb.](#) [↗](#)
- includes (taxonomic) [Dodonaea dioeca Roxb.](#) [↗](#)
- includes (taxonomic) [Dodonaea neriifolia A.Cunn. ex A.M.Gray](#) [↗](#)
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MorphoBank zooming tool  
(O'Leary and Kaufman, 2007)



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## Welcome to the Volunteer Portal

This is a prototype web application for providing users with the ability to transcribe specimen records.  
For more information contact **Paul Flemons**.





Volunteers home : Projects : Dave's Cicada Collection : Transcribe Task - 6626

## Transcribe Task: Dave's Cicada Collection (ID: 6626)



### Specimen Metadata

Institution:

Project: Dave's Cicada Collection

Catalogue No.:

Taxa:

1. Enter all label text into the box below

2. **Collection Event** (Complete fields below using text from the labels as entered in step 1.)

Collector

Event Date

(YYYY-MM-DD)

Verbatim Locality

Verbatim Latitude

Verbatim Longitude

3. **Interpreted Location** [Show mapping tool](#) (Use the mapping tool before attempting to enter values manually)

Locality

State/Territory

Decimal Latitude

Country

Decimal Longitude

Coordinate Uncertainty

In Meters

