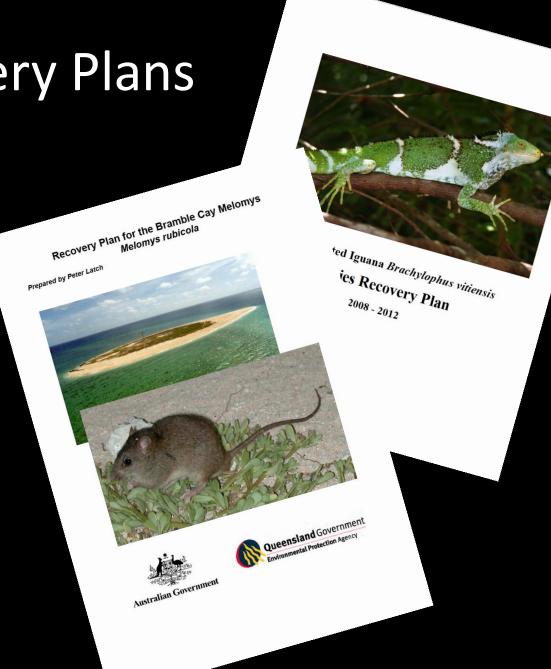
Species Recovery Plans

Solomon Islands Species Forum 4 October 2017



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What is a recovery plan? (10 mins)

OPEN DISCUSSION

How can species recovery

plans best work

in Solomon Islands?



What is a recovery plan?

1. Summarise species knowledge

2. Identify threats

3. Propose actions



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Priority Species	English Name	Species-Focused Conservation Action Needed
MAMMALS		
Dugong dugon	Dugong	Control of overexploitation
Pteralopex anceps	Bougainville Monkey-faced Bat	Control of overexploitation
Pteralopex atrata	Guadalcanal Monkey-faced Bat	Control of overexploitation
Pteralopex flanneryi	Greater Monkey-faced Bat	Control of overexploitation
Pteralopex pulchra	Montane Monkey-faced Bat	Control of overexploitation
Pteralopex taki	New Georgia Monkey-faced Bat	Control of overexploitation
Pteropus cognatus	Makira Flying-fox	Control of overexploitation
Pteropus nitendiensis	Temotu Flying-fox	Control of overexploitation
Pteropus tuberculatus	Vanikoro Flying-fox	Location of viable population
Solomys ponceleti	Poncelet's Giant Rat	Control of overexploitation
Solomys salebrosus	Bougainville Giant Rat	Control of overexploitation
Solomys sapientis	Isabel Giant Rat	Control of overexploitation
Uromys imperator	Emperor Rat	Location of viable population
Uromys porculus	Guadalcanal Rat	Location of viable population
Uromys rex	King Rat	Location of viable population
BIRDS		
Charmosyna palmarum	Palm Lorikeet	Control of invasive species
Gallicolumba sanctaecrucis	Santa Cruz Ground-dove	Control of invasive species
Gallinula silvestris	Makira Moorhen	Location of viable population
Pseudobulweria becki	Beck's Petrel	Location of viable population
Pterodroma brevipes	Collared Petrel	Control of invasive species
REPTILES		
Chelonia mydas	Green Turtle	Control of overexploitation
Dermochelys coriacea	Leatherback Turtle	Control of overexploitation
Eretmochelys imbricata	Hawksbill Turtle	Control of overexploitation
AMPHIBIANS		
Litoria lutea	Solomon Islands Treefrog	Resolution of species limits
Palmatorappia solomonis	Solomon Islands Palm Frog	Resolution of species limits
PLANTS		
Diospyros insularis	New Guinea Ebony	Control of overexploitation
Intsia bijuga	Moluccan Ironwood	Control of overexploitation

Common Actions

More data, more information

Monitor populations

Protect important habitats

Control invasive species



Species Recovery Plans

AUSTRALIA

Government funded

Written by scientific experts

Monitoring by scientists

Actions by government

SOLOMON ISLANDS?

Strengths and weaknesses?

Government or donor funding?

Monitoring by who?

Who to make actions?

