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Project Description

Salinity is the most serious environmental issue facing West Australians today, and areas low in the landscape, particularly wetlands and streams are most at risk.

The responsibility of protecting these natural biodiversity assets is vested with the Department of Environment and Conservation through the West Australian State Salinity Strategy (2001).

Consequently priority catchment areas, called Natural Diversity Recovery Catchments (NDRC) have been identified under the State Salinity Investment Framework (SIF) where resources are to be focused to maximize the chances for success.

This project aims to complement the NDRC program by; building on knowledge of the impact of salinity on vulnerable species; assessing the feasibility of salinity management priorities for biodiversity conservation; collating and collecting information for planning salinity mitigation actions in target landscapes; and implementing on-ground salinity management actions.

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