

Science snapshot 2018–19



Department of Biodiversity,
Conservation and Attractions



Biodiversity and
Conservation Science

120

science projects



116 science partnerships

80

tertiary student projects

425
publications



10,198
hours logged
by Herbarium
volunteers

10,862

specimens added to the
Herbarium collection



423

plant names
added to WA Census

47



western swamp tortoises
translocated

148 white-bellied
and orange-bellied
frogs translocated
east of Margaret River



20 rehabilitated
loggerhead turtles released
back into the wild



152 groundwater
bores monitored

1,200 km²



of hydrological information interpreted
from airborne geophysics

68



wetlands surveyed
for waterbirds

40

stakeholder groups involved in
recovery teams



264

data search requests
for threatened fauna

140

hare-wallabies
translocated to
Dirk Hartog Island



92,923

fish counted during marine
monitoring

13,000 km²



of marine benthic habitat
mapped in Shark Bay

50

years of science at Manjimup
Research Centre

1,400



tissue cultures of 48 plant
species in the
Kings Park collection