



NWSJEMS Workshop



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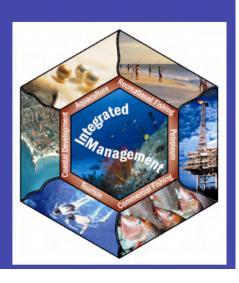
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Overview



- Background
- Website
- Information management
- Physical and biogeochemical environment
- Habitats
- Food webs
- Management strategy evaluation





NWSJEMS background



June 2000: Agreement between Federal Science Minister and WA Environment Minister on a major collaborative study.

Aim: to provide a scientific basis for integrated planning and management of the NWS environment and resources.

Funding: \$2.7m from WA Government

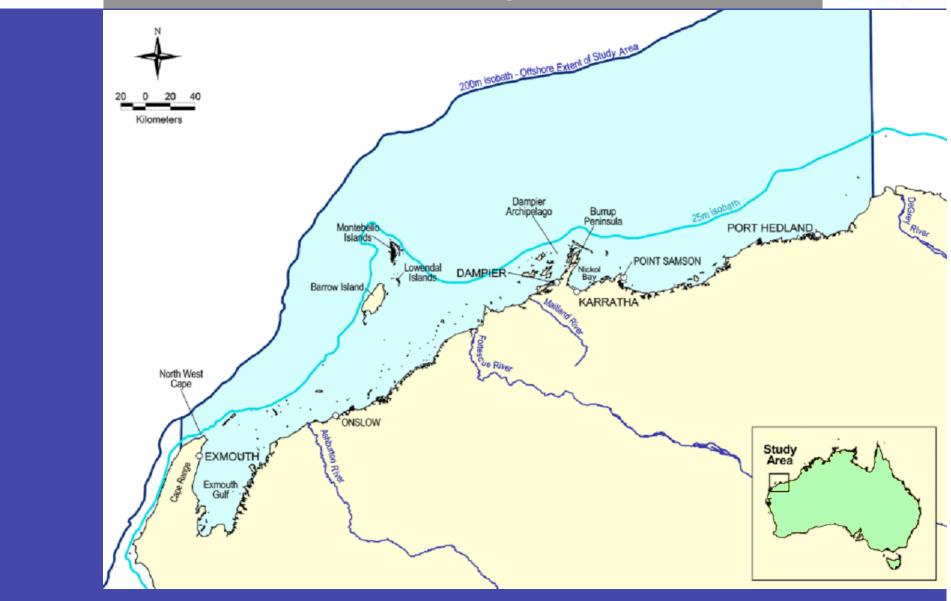
\$5.0m from CSIRO

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NWSJEMS focus region







Natural assets of the NWS







Industrial development on the NWS







NWSJEMS technical report series







Lessons for integrated management studies



- Management agencies and scientific providers with a common vision, common expectations, and a long-term commitment.
- Effective leadership at a range of levels properly resourced.
- Project design driven by objectives rather than pre-existing skills or interests.
- A framework designed explicitly to achieve integration → more than the sum of the parts.
- Framework components with compatible complexity and uncertainty.

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