

# Northern and Yorke Landscape Board

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The Northern and Yorke region spans 38,500 square kilometres of varied landscapes, from the southern Flinders Ranges to Yorke Peninsula and 1,300 kilometres of coastline. These diverse environments are home to a range of pest animal species that threaten native wildlife, agricultural productivity and ecosystem health.

This inventory documents invasive animal species recorded across the region, providing essential information for targeted management and control programs. Understanding the distribution and impacts of these species enables strategic intervention to protect native fauna, support primary production, and maintain landscape resilience.

Through coordinated management efforts and community participation in control programs, the Northern and Yorke Landscape Board works to reduce the impacts of invasive animals and protect the region's ecological and agricultural values.



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Common name	Scientific name
<b>Birds</b>	
Eurasian skylark	<i>Alauda arvensis arvensis</i>
Mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos platyrhynchos</i>
European goldfinch	<i>Carduelis carduelis britannica</i>
European (common) greenfinch	<i>Chloris chloris</i>
Feral pigeon	<i>Columba livia</i>
Helmeted guineafowl	<i>Numida meleagris</i>
House sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus domesticus</i>
Spotted dove	<i>Spilopelia chinensis</i>
Common starling	<i>Sturnus vulgaris vulgaris</i>
Common blackbird	<i>Turdus merula merula</i>
<b>Fish</b>	
Goldfish	<i>Carassius auratus</i>
European carp	<i>Cyprinus carpio</i>
Eastern gambusia	<i>Gambusia holbrooki</i>
Rainbow trout	<i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>
Redfin perch	<i>Perca fluviatilis</i>
Brown trout	<i>Salmo trutta</i>
Tench	<i>Tinca tinca</i>
<b>Insects</b>	
European honey bee	<i>Apis mellifera</i>
Wanderer	<i>Danaus plexippus</i>
Spotted amber ladybird	<i>Hippodamia variegata</i>
Cabbage white butterfly	<i>Pieris rapae rapae</i>
European wasp	<i>Vespula germanica</i>
<b>Mammal</b>	
Cattle (feral)	<i>Bos taurus</i>
Goat (feral)	<i>Capra hircus</i>
Fallow deer	<i>Cervus dama</i>
Red deer	<i>Cervus elaphus</i>

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<b>Mammal</b>	
Horse (brumby)	<i>Equus caballus</i>
Domestic / feral cat	<i>Felis catus</i>
European brown hare	<i>Lepus europaeus</i>
House mouse	<i>Mus musculus</i>
European rabbit	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>
Sheep (feral)	<i>Ovis aries</i>
Brown rat	<i>Rattus norvegicus</i>
Black rat	<i>Rattus rattus</i>
Pig (feral)	<i>Sus scrofa</i>
Red fox	<i>Vulpes vulpes</i>
<b>Mollusc</b>	
Vineyard snail	<i>Ceruella virgata</i>
Pointed snail	<i>Cochlicella acuta</i>
White Italian snail	<i>Theba pisana</i>
Dune snail	<i>Xerocincta neglecta</i>

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