



# **Queensland Regional NRM Bodies**

**NRM Regions Queensland**

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# Role of the NRM Regions Queensland (NRMRQ)

- formed in 2002 with the aim of improving state-wide delivery of regional outcomes in partnership with all stakeholders (including industry, community, research and development organisations and government).

Twelve Regional NRM Bodies in Queensland form the NRMRQ's member base.

**NRMRQ supports Queensland's Regional Bodies in the following four areas:**

**Leadership**

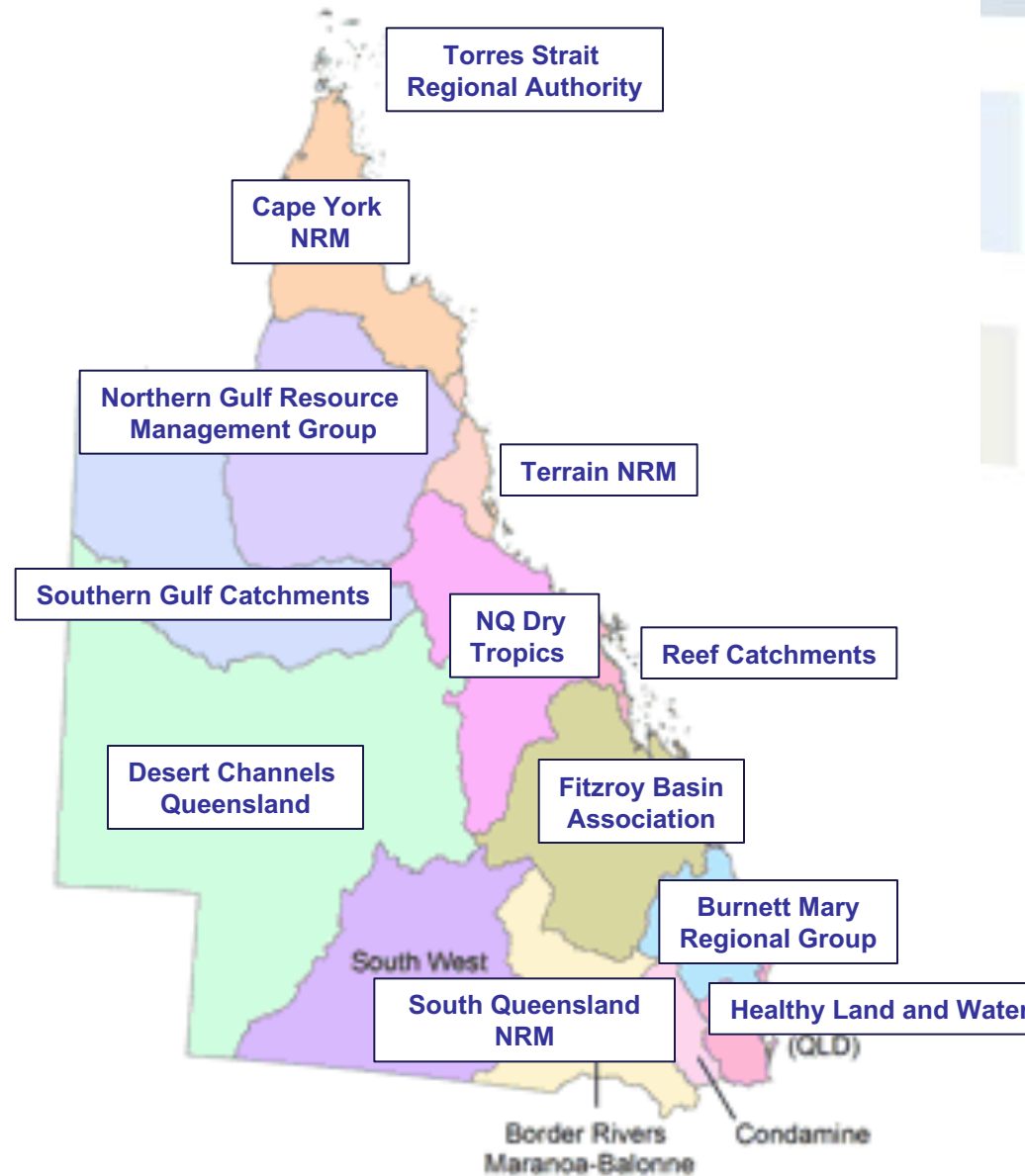
**Regional Support and Advocacy**

**Strategic Partnerships**

**Shared Learnings**

# Boundary map of Queensland's Regional NRM Bodies.

There are a total of 54 Regional Bodies across Australia



# NRM Stakeholders

## Natural Resource Management

### Community

Landholders, Custodians, Traditional Owners  
everyone

Regional  
NRM Groups  
RGC

Volunteer  
Groups  
QWaLC  
ACS

Industry  
Bodies  
QFF, AgForce,  
QTIC, QDO

Environmental  
Groups  
QCC, WWF

### Government

Local Government / LGAQ, State Government, Australian Government

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# Regional Bodies Role

Regional bodies are community based, not-for-profit organisations accredited by the Australian and Queensland governments to plan, fund and implement programs under regional NRM plans.

They are the only means by which national, state and local governments are able to partner with land managers and the community to improve the health of the entire natural and productive landscape.

Queensland's community-based Regional NRM bodies work in partnership with the community to look after State's natural assets, such as soil, water and vegetation and respond to challenges such as climate risk at a regional scale.

Regional Bodies build partnerships with a diverse range of stakeholders to:

- **plan** for regional natural resource management;
- **monitor** the health of natural resources and outcomes of collaboration;
- **mobilise** on-ground work;
- **strengthen** partnerships;
- provide **incentives** and
- **share** knowledge.

# So where do RBs fit into responding to Climate Risk?

- Good opportunities to work with a wide range of stakeholders at a local, regional and national scale,
- Regional NRM Plans as a coordinating mechanism for activities,
- NRM influence in Sector Adaption Plans,
- LRF..
- Queensland and Australian Government initiatives

Questions?

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