Lower North Coast Region
Myall Lakes National Park
Fire Management Strategy (Type 2)
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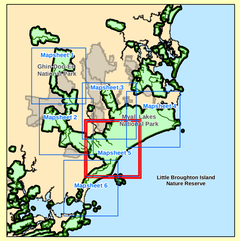
Locality



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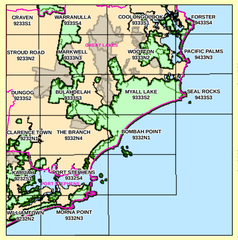
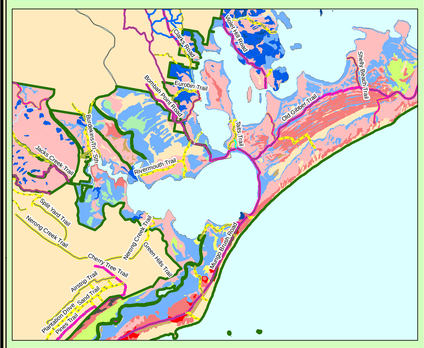


Vegetation



	VEGETATION LEGEND
NPWS Estate	Semi-Mesic Grassy Forest
Plantation	Native Grassland
Introduced	Grassland
Artificial Communities	Arid & Semi-Arid Shrubland
Softwood Plantation	Foredune
Grassy Dry Sclerophyll Forest	Palm Forest
Sclerophyll Grassy Woodland	Sedgeland/Rushland
Heathy Woodland	Serpentine Community
Heathland	Riparian Forest
Endangered Box Open Forest	Wet Heath
Shrubby Dry Sclerophyll Forest	Freshwater Wetland
	Mangrove/Saltmarsh
	Saline Wetland
	Severely Disturbed Vegetation
	Endangered Sub-Alpine Wet
	Endangered Box Snow Grass
	Sub-Alpine Woodland
	Swamp Sclerophyll Forest
	Wet Sclerophyll Forest
	Rainforest
	Unknown

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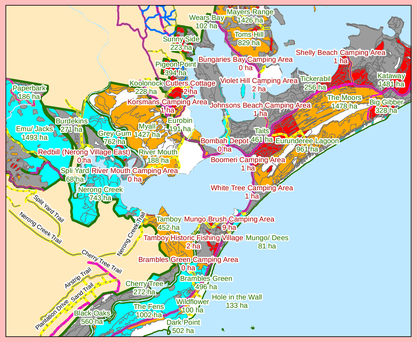
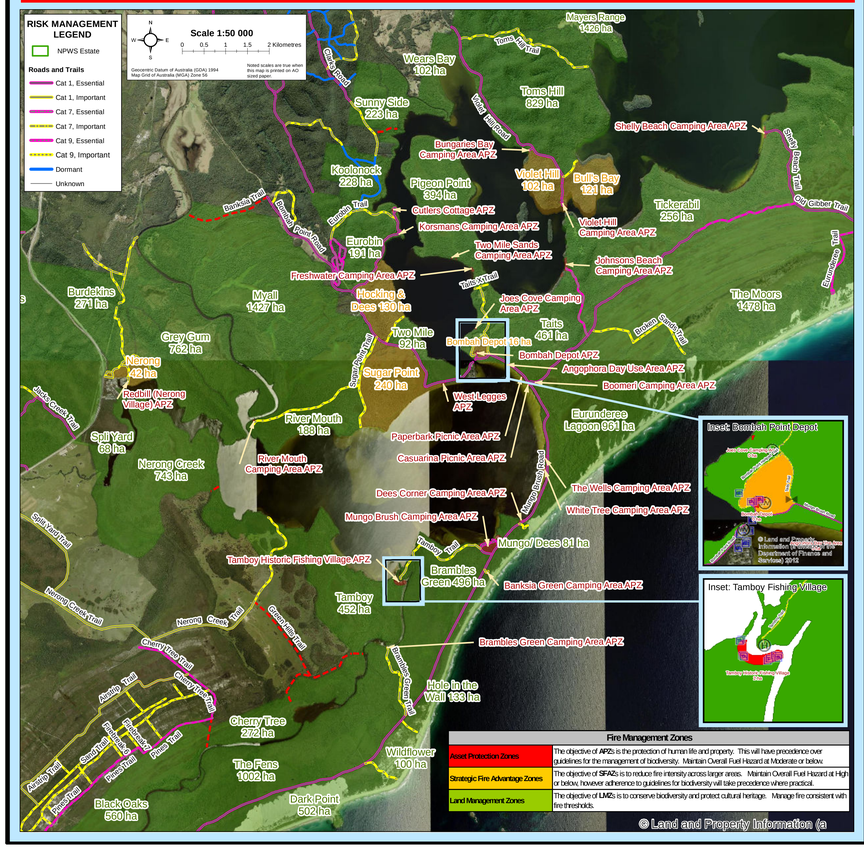
Current Vegetation Status (Fire Thresholds)



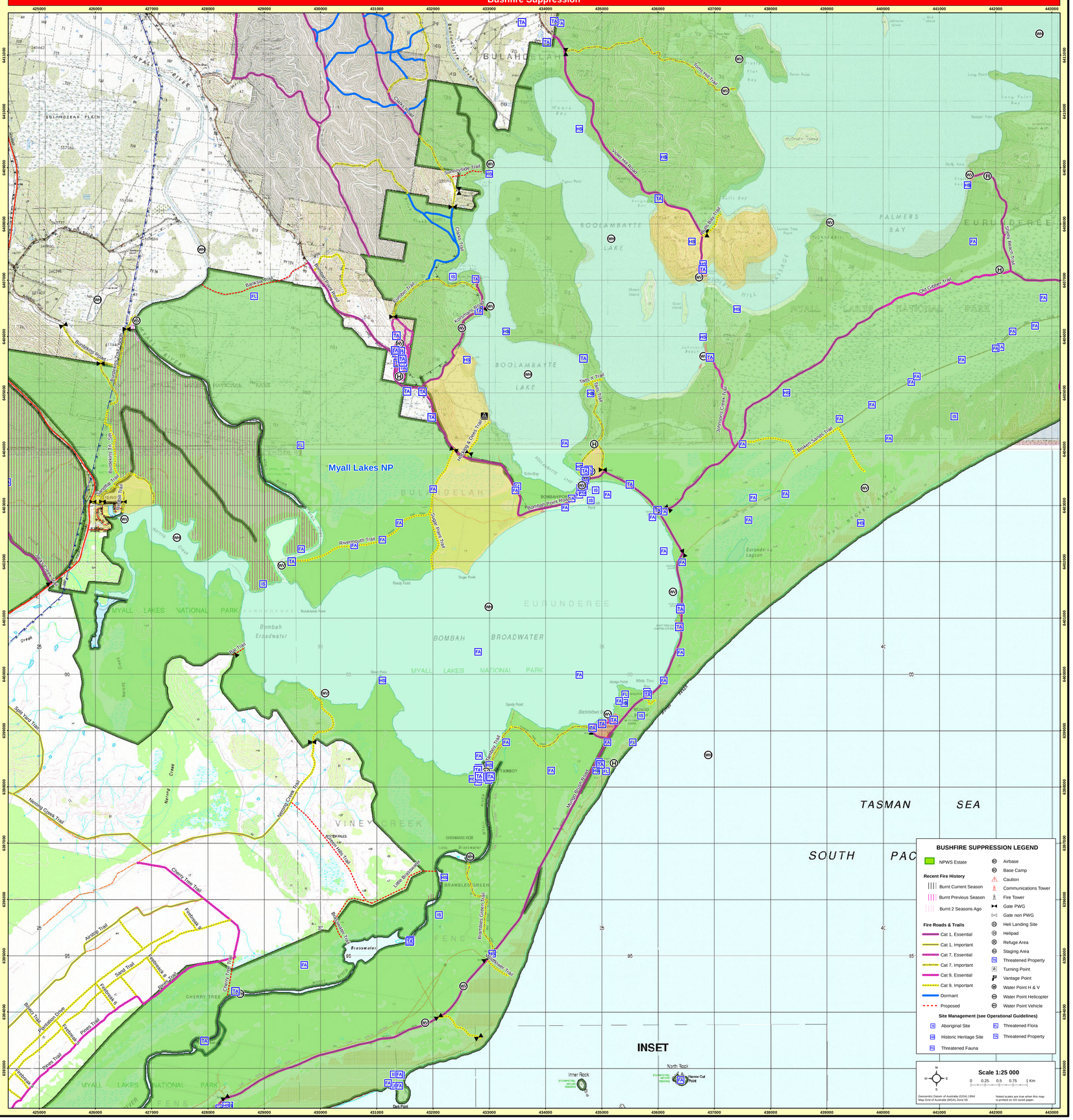
Too Frequently Burnt	Fire thresholds have been exceeded. - Protect from fire as far as possible.
Vulnerable to Frequent Fire	The area will be Too Frequently Burnt if it burns this year. Protect from fire as far as possible.
Within Threshold	Fire history is within the threshold for vegetation in this area. A burn is neither required nor should one necessarily be avoided.
Long Unburnt	Fire frequency is below fire thresholds in the area. A prescribed burn may be advantageous. Consider allowing unplanned fires to burn.
Unknown	Insufficient data to determine fire threshold.
No Regime Assigned	Areas which do not have recommended fire intervals assigned to them eg. cleared land, rock.

NB. Fire thresholds are defined for vegetation communities to conserve biodiversity

Risk Management Information



Fire Management Zones

Asset Protection Zones	The objective of **APZs** is the protection of human life and property. This will have precedence over guidelines for the management of biodiversity. Maintain Overall Fuel Hazard at Moderate or below.
Strategic Fire Advantage Zones	The objective of **SFAZs** is to reduce fire intensity across larger areas. Maintain Overall Fuel Hazard at High or below, however adherence to guidelines for biodiversity will take precedence where practical.
Land Management Zones	The objective of **LMZs** is to conserve biodiversity and protect cultural heritage. Manage fire consistent with fire thresholds.

Bushfire Suppression