



The section 'Assessment of potential high conservation values' has been removed from the Karri forest management plan (KFMP) and has been produced as a stand alone document, titled 'Karri Forest HCV Assessment'. This document details the main changes to assist stakeholders who have already reviewed the previous version.

This document does not include changes to grammar or editorial improvements. In addition, some minor edits are omitted from this summary. Table 1 lists all of the main changes that have been made to the Karri Forest HCV Assessment.

**Table1. Summary of changes to the Karri Forest HCV Assessment since June 2016**

What	Details on change
Contents	This document covers the section 'Assessment of potential high conservation values' previously included in the KFMP.
Figures	All the Figures (maps) have been updated to reflect the most current size of the karri Forest Management Unit (FMU). Figures have been updated based on the removal of formal reserves. The karri FMU was previously 245 410 hectares, but it is now 182 240 hectares.
	As this has now become a separate document to the KFMP, references have been updated throughout.
HCV 1 section	Changed heading to High Conservation Value 1 - Biodiversity Under Outcomes subheading: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• added paragraph 4 'Birdlife Australia has identified...'</li><li>• added link to Parks and Wildlife Service document defining conservation codes for WA flora and fauna in Paragraph 10.</li></ul> The format of Table 1 was changed to categorise into life forms (eg birds, mammals, invertebrates) and is now sorted by scientific name within these categories.



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HCV 1 section	<p>Table 1 has been updated with the release of the threatened fauna and flora notices in January 2017. In particular:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The conservation status of the Western ringtail possum (<i>Pseudocheirus occidentalis</i>) has changed from ‘Endangered’ to ‘Critically Endangered’.</li> <li>• The nomenclature of the Brush-tailed phascogale has changed from <i>Phascogale tapoatafa subsp.</i> to <i>Phascogale tapoatafa wambenger</i>.</li> <li>• The conservation status of the Brush-tailed phascogale (<i>Phascogale tapoatafa wambenger</i>) has changed from ‘Vulnerable’ to ‘Conservation Dependent’.</li> <li>• The conservation status of the Quenda (<i>Isoodon obesulus fusciventer</i>) has changed from P5 to P4.</li> <li>• The conservation status of the Tammar Wallaby (Western Australian subspecies, <i>Macropus eugenii</i>) has changed from P5 to P4.</li> <li>• The Tingle Trapdoor Spider (<i>Bertmainius opimus</i>) is actually called the ‘western pygmy trapdoor spider’ (<i>Bertmainius opimus</i>) and status has changed from EN to P3. This is a result of accepted systematics that have separated this species out from <i>Moggridgea tingle</i> (which is now considered 7 species).</li> <li>• The Black-stripe Minnow (<i>Galaxiella nigrostriata</i>) has had a status change from P3 to EN</li> <li>• The conservation status of Three-lobed Meziella has changed from Vulnerable to P4. It has been removed from the list.</li> </ul>
HCV 1 c	Removal of paragraph 2 ‘there are a small number of declared priority...’ and addition of ‘there are 13 declared priority...’
HCV1 Management strategies	<p>Addition to Paragraph 9 ‘and include the following:...’  Removal of Paragraph 10 ‘In immature even-aged stands...’ and addition of ‘Senescent trees are identified...’  More detailed requirements for habitat tree retention are now included.</p>
HCV 2	<p>Changed heading to High Conservation Value 2 – Landscape Level Forests  Removed formal reserves from the Karri FMU and updated figures accordingly.</p>
HCV 2 Outcomes	Update to paragraph 5, size of informal reserves in karri FMU reduced from 111 400 hectares to 48 370 hectares.
HCV 3	<p>Wording was improved  Changed heading to High Conservation Value 3 – Ecosystems</p>



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HCV 3 c) old growth forests	Area of type 1 old-growth forest reduced from 48 700 hectares to 12 990 hectares, as formal reserves have been removed from karri FMU. Added 'Of this Type 1 old-growth forest 6 440 hectares is old-growth karri forest.'
HCV 4	Wording was improved Changed heading to High Conservation Value 4 – Critical Services of Nature
HCV4 Outcomes	Updated population figures for Pemberton and Town of Manjimup. Addition of three fish in the FMU, which are Western Trout Minnow ( <i>Galaxias truttaceus hesperius</i> , EN), Pouched Lamprey ( <i>Geotria australis</i> , P1) and Black-stripe minnow ( <i>Galaxiella nigrostriatal</i> , EN). Updated figures for paragraph 3
HCV 5	Changed heading to High Conservation Value 5 – Basic Needs of Local Communities
HCV 6	Changed heading to High Conservation Value 6 – Cultural Identity Note that an AHIS database search was conducted in February 2017 however there was no change to the data from 2016. Under 1. Noongar heritage subheading added Paragraph 5 'This document also outlines some...'
References	References updated
Forest Products Commission	Forest Products Commission for consistency is referred to as FPC, rather than The Commission
Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions (Parks and Wildlife Service)	As of 1 <sup>st</sup> July 2017 the Department of Parks and Wildlife changed their name to Department of Biodiversity, Conservation and Attractions (DBCA). They are now referred to as the Parks and Wildlife Service within DBCA.