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BIODIVERSITY CONSERVATION DIVISION – BACKPOCKET BRIEF
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Key Facts***Australia's Nature Hub***

- The Strategy is supported by Australia's Nature Hub which provides an online platform to communicate the range of biodiversity-related actions at all levels across Australia.
- The Nature Hub demonstrates how the collective work occurring across Australia contributes to the Strategy's goals and objectives, and to global biodiversity targets under the Convention on Biological Diversity.
- Australia's Nature Hub provides a way to showcase, and report on, Australia's biodiversity initiatives at local, regional, state/territory and national levels.
 - Funding of the Nature Hub platform is shared between jurisdictions, with a total cost last financial year of **\$7,000**. The Commonwealth provides 50 per cent of the funding.
 - There are currently 67 actions on Australia's Nature Hub. The Commonwealth currently has the most, with 13 actions recorded.
 - Funding actions is a matter for individual jurisdictions, or implementation partners. Uploading actions on Nature Hub is a matter for individual organisations, with moderators in each jurisdiction verifying content before it is published.

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