



## **WAM Taxonomic Services Terms, Conditions & Disclaimers**

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### **WAMTS Projects**

The following service terms, conditions & disclaimers apply to all WAMTS identification projects and specimen submissions.

- Identifications supplied to consultants are as accurate and up-to-date as possible from the time of report generation.
- Identifications are for the purpose of environmental surveys only. Data must not be published outside this framework unless express permission has been granted by the relevant Western Australian Museum curator.

### **WAMDB Projects**

The following service terms, conditions & disclaimers apply to all WAMDB database search projects.

- WAMDB outputs are provided on the condition of single-use only. Use of the data is at the risk of the user.
- Data output supplied to consultants from database searches are as accurate and up-to-date as possible from the time of data generation.
- Data output is for the purpose of environmental surveys only. Data must not be published outside this framework unless express permission has been granted by the relevant Western Australian Museum curator.

### **Molecular Projects**

The following service terms, conditions & disclaimers apply to all WAMTS molecular projects.

- Where tissues samples are taken from Western Australian Museum (WAM) specimens and used to generate molecular data (DNA sequences) at facilities other than the WAM molecular facility, a copy of the sequence/s and notification of any publications arising from the use of the tissue must be sent to the relevant WAM curator of the animals from which that tissue was taken.
- The sequence data given back to the WAM from WAM tissues will be used by WAM staff for internal purposes only and not disclosed in any form to a third party until the sequence is publicly available.
- Remaining extracted DNA must be returned to the WAM for long-term storage at the end of the project.