

# Reef Trust Partnership

## Progress Dashboards: Frequently Asked Questions

*What is the RTP Progress dashboard?*

Transparency and accountability are key guiding principles for the Foundation in delivering the Reef Trust Partnership (RTP).

A series of interactive, publicly-available dashboards has been developed as part of the Partnership's [Monitoring and Evaluation Plan](#). The RTP portfolio dashboard and supporting component-level dashboards are updated every six months to provide a snapshot of key progress areas that contribute to the End of Partnership Outcomes.

*What is the Partnership delivering?*

The objective of the Reef Trust Partnership is to achieve significant, measurable improvement in the health of the Great Barrier Reef, in accordance with the Reef 2050 framework and underpinned by innovation, science and community engagement.

The [Grant Agreement](#) between the Australian Government's Reef Trust and the Great Barrier Reef Foundation outlines the Partnership's objective, the three outcomes to be achieved by the end of the Partnership and the six areas of focus (referred to as Components), including funding allocations for each.

The Foundation released its [Investment Strategy](#) for the Partnership in its first year and each year we share an [Annual Work Plan](#) which provides a detailed schedule of work for the year ahead, as a subset of our overarching five-year plan.

*How is progress being measured?*

A requirement of the Reef Trust Partnership Agreement is to develop and publish a [Monitoring and Evaluation Plan](#). This plan sets out how the performance of the Partnership will be measured over five years (to 2023-2024) and provides robust methodology for credibly demonstrating both the outcomes and the broader impact of the Partnership across all six inter-related Partnership components.

*How is the progress data collated?*

Project partners collect and share data with the Foundation about their projects on a regular basis. The Foundation also undertakes independent annual evaluations which feeds into the dashboards.

For the Water Quality component, progress is measured through modelling data obtained by our partners and reported to both the Foundation and the [Paddock to Reef Integrated Modelling, Monitoring and Reporting Program](#) (Paddock to Reef). More detail on how progress is measured under the Water Quality component can be found [here](#).

*How often is this dashboard updated?*

The dashboard is updated every six months in tandem to the submission of a Progress Report to the Australian Government.

*What if I want more detailed information on a project?*

Projects are listed on the relevant Component webpage, under the Partnership Activities and progress dashboard. For any further detail please contact the Foundation at [info@barrierreef.org](mailto:info@barrierreef.org).

*What if I find an error in the reporting?*

If you believe an error has been made in the reporting of progress data, please email [info@barrierreef.org](mailto:info@barrierreef.org).