

Green Star – Design & As Built Submission Template

Ensure all prompts shown in **Blue text** have been responded to.

Design Review / As Built Submission [Delete as appropriate]

Credit: ECO – Ecological Value

Project Name: [name]

Project Number: GS- [####]

Points available: 3

Points claimed: [1 to 3]

Improving the ecological value of the site

The project has met the utilised the compliance requirement and improved the ecological value of the site in accordance with the following criteria:

Credit Criteria	Description	Points available	Points claimed
0 Protection of Endangered Species	This is a minimum mandatory requirement for this credit.	Mandatory	<input type="checkbox"/>
1 Ecological value	The ecological value has been improved as demonstrated in the calculator	3	<input type="checkbox"/>

[Greenfield / Reused] Site

0 – Protection of Endangered Species

The project has carried out an assessment of the site in line with Option A) or Option b) below and can confirm that the site has no threatened or vulnerable species. [Yes/No. If no you cannot target points in this credit]

Option A) A check for threatened and vulnerable species was carried out as part of the Design Approval process [Yes/No. If no please move on to option b)].

[If yes, Insert hyperlinks to DA documents which support these claims]

Option B) A check was not carried out as part of the Design Approval process, however a Qualified Ecologist has reviewed and confirmed that no threatened or vulnerable species or ecological communities were present on the site at time of purchase. [Yes/No]

[If yes, Insert hyperlinks to ecologist report and CV of the ecologist which support these claims]

1 – Change in Ecological Value

There is no net reduction of native vegetation and the net ecological value of the site is [not diminished OR enhanced beyond its previously existing state].

This site is in the bioregion: [X]

Change in ecological value

Project/site name	[Name]
Ecological value at time of purchase	[Insert value from calculator]
Ecological value as-built	[Insert value from calculator]
Increase in ecological value (%)	[Insert value from calculator]

[If yes, Insert hyperlinks documents and as-built site drawings which support these claims]

Discussion

[Insert any issues you would like to highlight and clarify to the Assessment Panel.]

Author Details:

[Insert name, position and contact details of author]

[Date]

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