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1. Executive Summary

Desert Channels Queensland Inc. contracted Williams and Partners Consulting to conduct a review of the "Sustainable Management and Conservation of Grazing Lands in Queensland's Rangelands" (the project) in co-operation with the following Regional Bodies:

- Northern Gulf Resource Management Group (NGRMG);
- Southern Gulf Catchments Inc (SGC);
- South West Natural Resource Management Group Inc (SWNRM).

In addition to these regional bodies, GLM was rolled out in the eastern part of the Desert Uplands biogeographic region.

The 2008 GLM and \$avanna Plan participant survey is part of the project review. The participant survey sample of 39 survey participants represented 22% of the total number of GLM and \$avanna Plan program participants.

Region	DPI GLM and \$avanna Plan Aggregations	WP Survey Participants	Survey Sample Proportion
NGRMG	39	7	18%
SGC	19	10	53%
DU*	18	4	22%
DCQ	65	11	17%
SWNRM	37	7	19%
Total	178	39	22%

^{*}DU properties outside DCQ.

Key outcomes from the GLM and \$avanna Plan survey are summarised below.

Natural Resource Management Benefits

1. Across all regions the greatest perceived benefit by participants of the GLM course was related to natural resource management on individual properties.

Based on the responses of the survey participants we conclude that the GLM and \$avanna Plan programs have already and will continue to deliver significant Natural Resource Management benefits at the property scale, sub-catchment scale and regional scale.