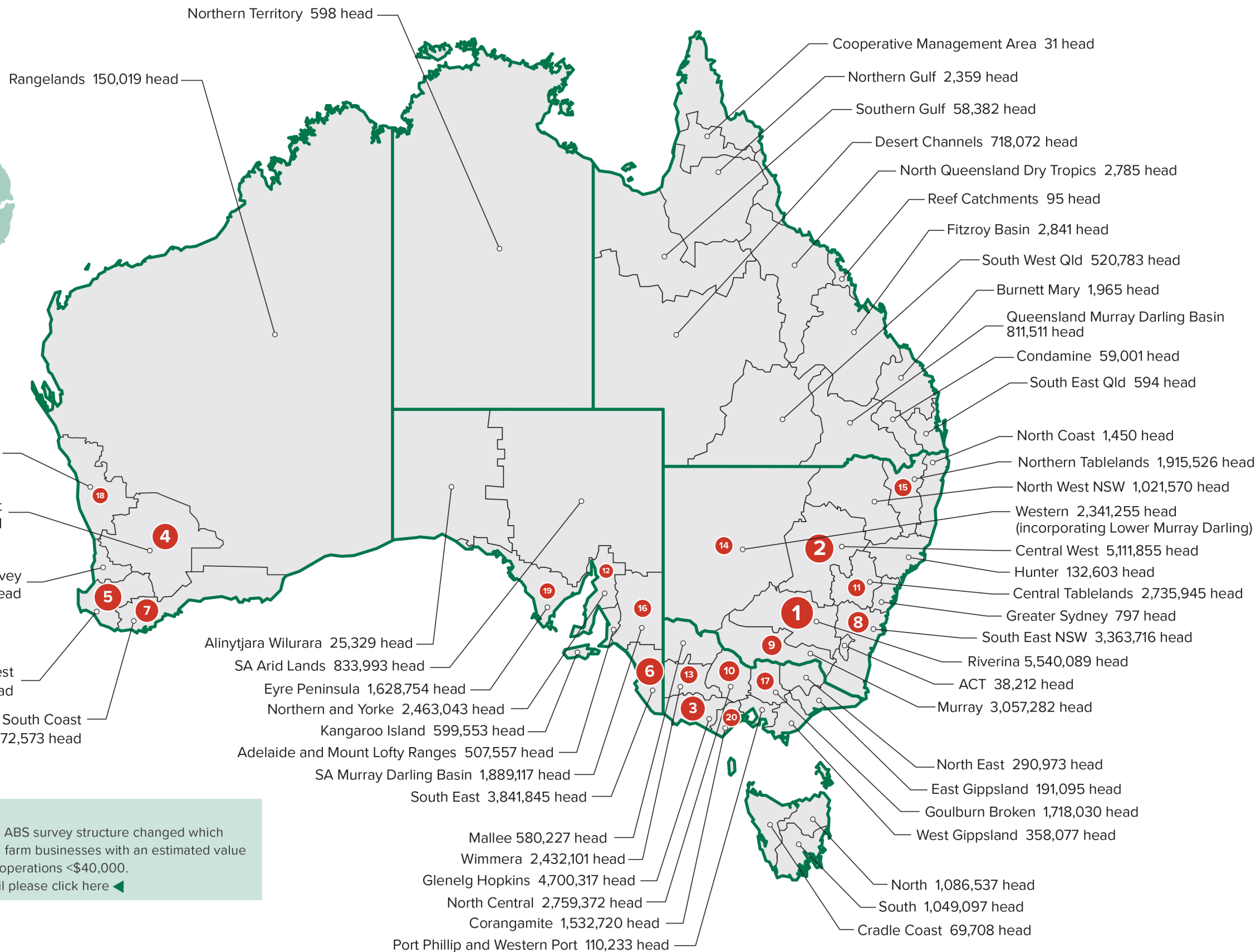
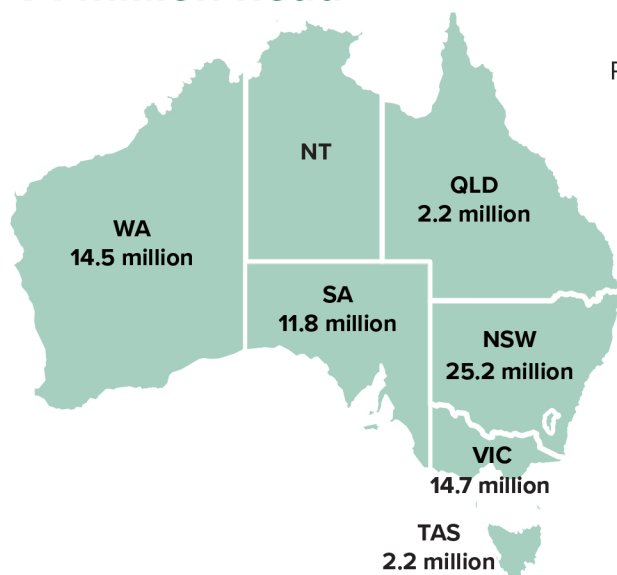




Sheep numbers – as at June 2018

Natural Resource Management Region

National sheep numbers: 71 million head



Top 20 sheep regions

NRM region	State	Total head
1 Riverina	NSW	5,540,089
2 Central West	NSW	5,111,855
3 Glenelg Hopkins	VIC	4,700,317
4 Wheatbelt	WA	4,094,418
5 South West	WA	3,986,489
6 South East	SA	3,841,845
7 South Coast	WA	3,572,573
8 South East NSW	NSW	3,363,716
9 Murray	NSW	3,057,282
10 North Central	VIC	2,759,372
11 Central Tablelands	NSW	2,735,945
12 Northern and Yorke	SA	2,463,043
13 Wimmera	VIC	2,432,101
14 Western	NSW	2,341,255
15 Northern Tablelands	NSW	1,915,526
16 South Australian Murray Darling Basin	SA	1,889,117
17 Goulburn Broken	VIC	1,718,030
18 Northern Agricultural	WA	1,640,577
19 Eyre Peninsula	SA	1,628,754
20 Corangamite	VIC	1,532,720

Please note:
In 2015–16 the ABS survey structure changed which removed small farm businesses with an estimated value of agricultural operations <\$40,000.
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Sheep