



## Assessment of Proposal

To be completed by nominated assessor.

### 1. Project Title

### 2. Principal Investigator

SAMPLE ONLY

### 3. Assessment Against Criteria

**Criteria 1: the scientific and/or technical excellence of the project.**

Assessor's Comments:

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#### Guide to scoring

Score range	Characteristics
81-100	Highly innovative research of very high quality likely to produce scientific results of international significance or lead to the development of new and important methods and techniques for studying the marine environment.
61-80	High quality research likely to produce significant results of interest to the international scientific community
41-60	Sound research likely to produce useful results of particular interest to the local scientific community.
21-40	Research likely to produce results of minor interest/value or a repetition of the results of previous studies; with some minor flaws apparent in the research objectives, research design and/or preparation.
1-20	Poor quality research unlikely to produce useful/interesting results; major scientific and/or planning flaws.

**Assessor's Score (1 - 100)**

**Criteria 2: the potential of the project to contribute to Australia’s national benefit.**

Assessor’s Comments:

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**Guide to scoring**

<b>Score range</b>	<b>Characteristics</b>
81-100	an outstanding proposal which will significantly advance the understanding of Australia’s oceans environment and/or provide significant other flow-on benefits and have international impact.
61-80	a proposal of high quality which will advance the understanding of Australia’s marine jurisdiction or its regional oceanic environment, have some flow-on benefits and be noted internationally.
41-60	a good proposal which will make a major contribution to advancing the understanding of Australia’s oceans environment.
21-40	routine project with moderate impact on the understanding of Australia’s oceans environment.
1-20	a poor proposal likely to produce results which will go essentially unnoticed in Australia and internationally.

**Assessor’s Ranking (1 - 100)**

**Criteria 3: the ability of investigators (demonstrated or potential, relative to opportunity) to successfully undertake the project.**

Assessor's Comments:

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<b>Score range</b>	<b>Characteristics</b>
81-100	Highly experienced investigator/s of international standing with excellent relevant research and publication record.
61-80	Experienced investigator/s with good research and publication record or very promising post-graduate researcher.
41-60	Experienced investigator/s with moderate research and publication record or highly promising recently graduated researcher.
21-40	Investigator/s with poor research and/or publication record
1-20	Investigator/s not considered capable of undertaking the research and/or of producing the required results.

**Assessor's Ranking (1 - 100)**

#### 4: Additional Comments

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