

# A common language for environmental information

[www.neii.gov.au/vocabulary](http://www.neii.gov.au/vocabulary)



**land use:** agriculture

**sensor:** temperature



**species:** eucalyptus



**sensor:** satellite

# NEII's National Online Environmental Vocabulary Service

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## What is this service?

The National Environmental Information Infrastructure (NEII) environmental vocabulary service is an infrastructure developed to host environmental vocabularies providing a common language for people and systems.

It provides a uniform mechanism for describing, publishing and maintaining nationally important environmental vocabularies through a single point of truth delivered as open data.



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## How can I use the service?

The service can be accessed in two ways:

**NEII Vocabulary Service portal**

[www.neii.gov.au/vocabulary](http://www.neii.gov.au/vocabulary)

**Research Vocabularies Australia portal**

[vocabs.ands.org.au/](http://vocabs.ands.org.au/)

## How can I contribute to this service?

Additional environmental vocabularies can be included by contacting [environment@bom.gov.au](mailto:environment@bom.gov.au)

Guidelines for providers are available at [www.neii.gov.au/vocabulary/vocabulary-providers](http://www.neii.gov.au/vocabulary/vocabulary-providers)