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Current contracted R&D projects

Current contracted projects in the Potato – Fresh Fund as at July 1, 2024, which are aligned to the respective outcomes and strategies in the **potato** SIP, can be seen below. More information about these projects is available on the Hort Innovation website where the projects have a hyperlink.

Potato – Fresh current contracted R&D project actuals at 2023/24 and forecast to 2026/27

Project code	Project title	2023/24 Actual	2024/25 Forecast	2025/26 Forecast	2026/27 Forecast
HA19007	Plant Biosecurity Research Initiative – (PBRI) program		1,100	1,100	1,100
MT18005	Improving access to new germplasm through faster and more accurate diagnostics (PBRI)	9,120			
MT20005	Management strategy for serpentine Leafminer	34,837			
MT20007	Regulatory Support and response Coordination	1,676	2,514		
MT21004	Consumer behavioral retail data	6,575	19,880	13,253	15,961
MT21006	Horticulture Statistics Handbook 2021/22 to 2023/24	4,166	7,583		
MT21010	Economic contribution of Australian horticulture	1,094			
MT21015	Horticulture impact assessment program 2020/21 to 2022/23	2,866	2,475		
MT21016	Feasibility/scoping study: Surveillance and diagnostic framework for detecting soil-borne pathogens in vegetable industries	12,303			
MT21202	Consumer usage and attitude tracking FY22/23	1,253			
MT22000	Fund Annual Reports 2021/22	992			
MT22002	People Development Strategy	3,817			
MT22005	Horticultural trade data 2022-2025	1,524	1,577		

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MT22012	Industry preparedness for exotic root knot nematode (Meloidogyne enterolobii)	9,100	7,800	9,100	
MT23002	Fund Annual Reports 2022/23	123			
MT23201	Consumer usage and attitude tracking FY23/24	5,380	1,351		
PT16005	Minor use permits	210	1,000	1,000	1,000
PT20000	Communication and industry adoption program	239,512	242,625	125,625	
PT22001	Independent mid-term review of PT20000 – Potato industry communication and extension program	17,500			
PT23000	World Potato Congress 2024	5,714	49,531		
ST22001	Generation of data – Crop protection 2022	14,490			
Total		372,252	1,107,756	1,070,399	1,024,882