

Current contracted R&D projects

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

Raspberry and blackberry 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
FF20000	National Fruit Fly Council	6,000	6,000	6,000	10,500
MT17006	Xylella coordinator	10,780			
MT18004	Biosecurity plan for the berry sector			7,200	
MT18005	Improving plant industry access to new genetics	13,818			
MT18020	Facilitating the development of Australian Berries	141,897			
MT20004	Joint Export Trade development	41,601			
MT20007	Regulatory support and Response Co-ordination	2,196	3,293		
MT21000	Health and nutrition information for the berry industry	74,375			
MT21004	Consumer behavioural retail data	13,744	41,309	27,539	33,165
MT21006	Horticulture Statistics Handbook 2021/22 to 2023/24	4,166	7,583		
MT21008	National bee pest surveillance program	15,000	15,711		
MT21010	Economic contribution of Australian horticulture	880			
MT21015	Horticulture impact assessment program 2020/21 to 2022/23	2,314	1,999		
MT21018	Phenomenom	7,458			

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MT21202	Consumer usage and attitude research program	2,176			
MT22000	Fund Annual Reports 2021/22	864			
MT22003	Nuffield Scholarship	37,560		11,440	
MT22007	Expansion of flies as berry crop pollinators	96,548	96,548	122,265	
MT22010	Facilitating the development of the Australian berry industries	358,933	189,420	199,373	199,373
MT22011	Lean Leaders Program	9,500	7,000	1,500	
MT23001	Strategic Agrichemical Review Process (SARP) 2023 updates	3,466	3,466		
MT23002	Fund annual reports 2022/23	163			
MT23003	Berry advisory mechanism	25,692	51,384	51,384	64,230
MT23004	Multi-industry berry trade development and market access project	82,862	79,810	80,988	82,202
MT23201	Consumer usage and attitude tracking FY23/24	4,675	1,174		
PH23001	Progress on bumble bees as commercial pollinators in Australia: update on risks and opportunities	5,000	25,000	20,000	20,000
RBI6000	Rubus minor use program	2,810	2,000	2,000	
RB21000	Integrated management approaches to address current pest challenges in rubus	224,428	224,428	224,428	224,428
RB21001	Using pheromones and traps in the management of mirids and vegetable bugs	5,000	15,000	20,000	35,000
RB22000	Assessing the viability of fumigation as an export pathway for Australian rubus	78,981	69,108		
RB22001	Strengthening the sustainability of Rubus production	104,000	104,000	52,000	
RB23002	Best practice pollinator management for the Rubus industry	95,375	71,526	143,053	166,902

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ST22001	Crop protection	13,501			
ST22004	Generation of data crop protection	24,746			
Total		1,510,509	1,015,759	969,170	835,800