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EP5.15 National assessment of harmful algal bloom preparedness and future needs

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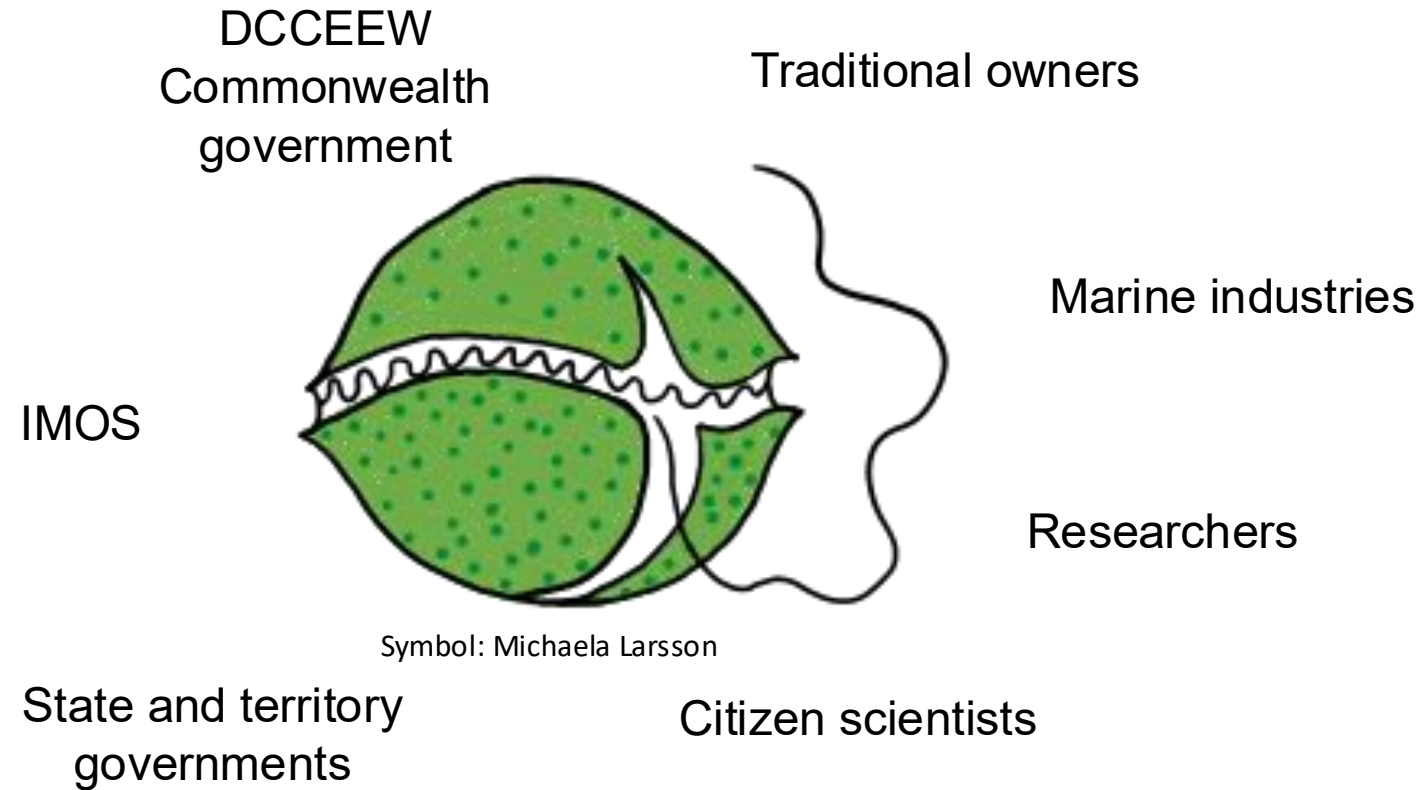
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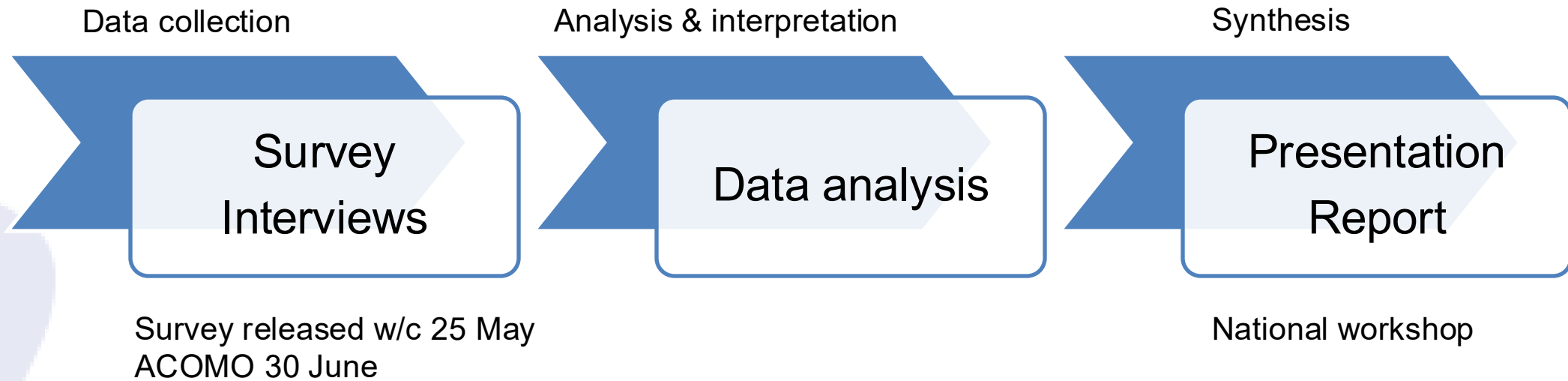
Stakeholders



Objectives

1. Summarise the current science capability for surveillance and response to marine HABs, that includes environmental as well as seafood safety aspects
2. Identify the capabilities and research needed for improving HAB surveillance and forecasting
3. Determine future knowledge and operational policy needs

Research methodology



Expected outcomes

1. A summary of current science capability in Australia to understand marine algal bloom issues
2. A summary of existing management strategies/policy settings being deployed by various levels of government around Australia
3. A framework for improved preparedness for dealing with future HABs including early warning, forecasting, and mitigation risk management



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Thank you

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