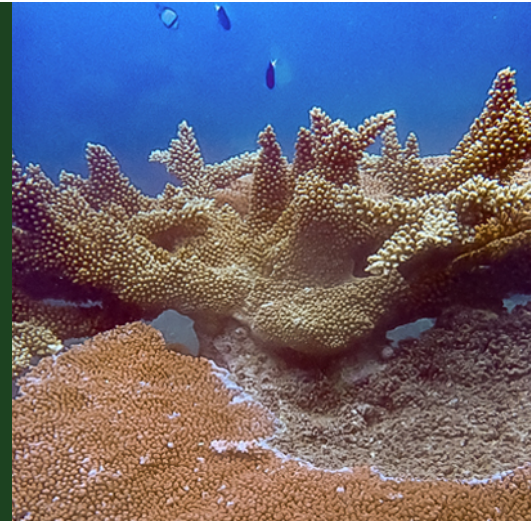


# Evaluation of the potential for commercial aquaculture of the freshwater prawn *Macrobrachium rosenbergii* in Papua New Guinea



## Key details

### Location

Papua New Guinea

### Duration

**Start** Mar 2012

**End** Feb 2014

### Budget

AUD 99,810

### Commissioned organisation

Secretariat of the Pacific Community

### Partners

National Fisheries Authority

### Project Leader

Tim Pickering - Secretariat of the Pacific Community

### Program

Fisheries

### Project code

FIS/2011/049

## Outcomes

No final report was published for this project.



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## Overview

ACIAR has invested extensively in research to increase production from inland aquaculture in Papua New Guinea, where it is seen as holding promise to increase food and income security.

This study evaluated the indigenous PNG strain of the giant freshwater prawn *Macrobrachium rosenbergii* for its potential in the country's commercial aquaculture.