AC Meeting – 18 August 2021

TWEEDSAND BYPASSING

- Project Monitoring / Operational Overview
 - Sand bypassing system operations
 - 2021 Dredging Campaign
 - Environmental Monitoring / beach observations
 - Entrance conditions, usage and survey
 - TSB projects and enhancements
 - Communications

Sand Bypassing System Operations + Delivery Program

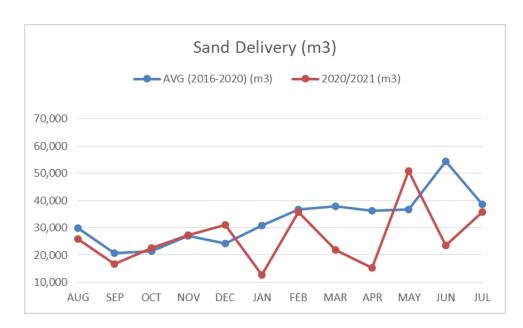
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Sand Delivery 2021

PUMPING BY JETTY MOUNTED SYSTEM 2021				
MONTH	Vol SRE (m3)	Vol D'Bah (m3)	Total Vol (m3)	AVG (2016- 2020) (m3)
JAN	12,694	0	12,694	30,806
FEB	35,663	0	35,663	36,734
MAR	3,067	18,854	21,921	37,910
APR	6,934	8,257	15,191	36,147
MAY	30,832	19,905	50,737	36,781
JUN	17,475	6,070	23,545	54,292
JUL	33,248	2,497	35,745	38,703
AUG			0	29,977
SEP			0	20,653
OCT			0	21,390
NOV			0	26,948
DEC			0	24,342
TOTAL	139,913	55,583	195,496	394,684

Avg Vol Jan to July = 271,373m3 Vol since Jan 2021 = 195,496m3

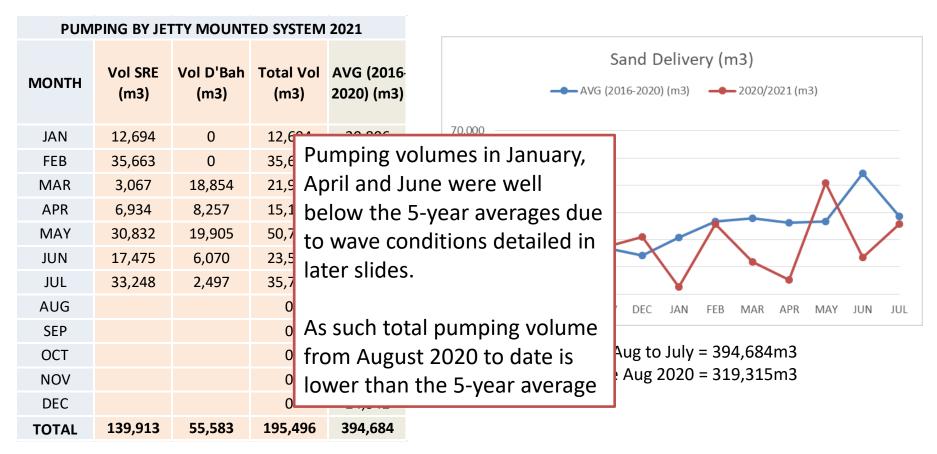
Pumping monthly trends



Avg Vol Aug to July = 394,684m3 Vol since Aug 2020 = 319,315m3

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<u>Duranbah Pumping March – July 2021</u>



28 December 2020 – After December Erosion

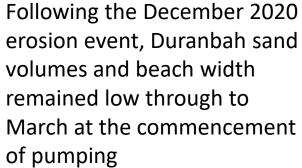


10 March 2021 - Prior to Pumping

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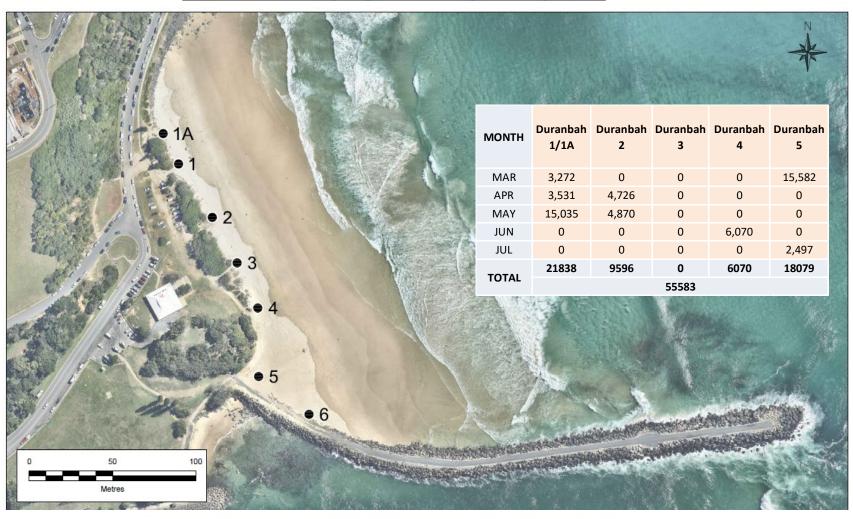


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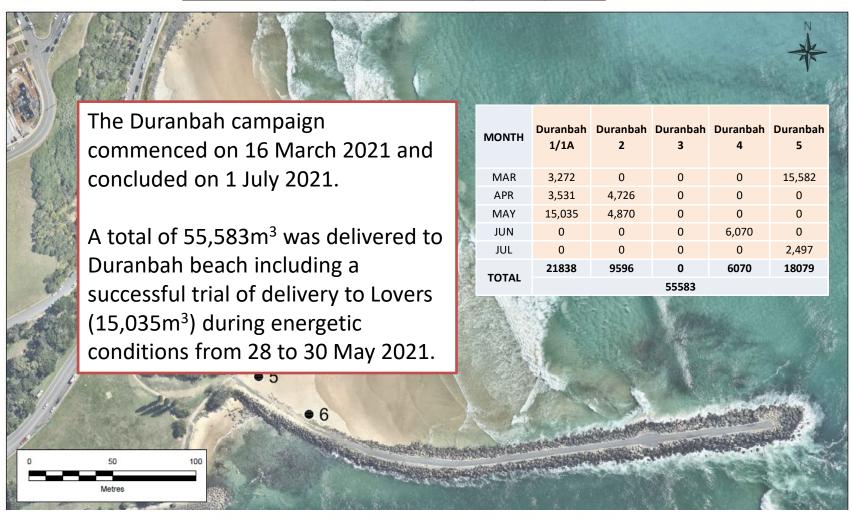




Duranbah Pumping March, April May 2021



Duranbah Pumping March, April May 2021



Duranbah Pumping March – July 2021



8 May 2021 (central and northern placement)



2 July 2021 (campaign complete)

<u>Duranbah Pumping March – July 2021</u>



8 May 2021 (central and northern placement)

Photo in top left is during nourishment in May showing targeted placement areas. Photo in bottom right hand corner is the day after Duranbah completion illustrating a nourished upper beach.

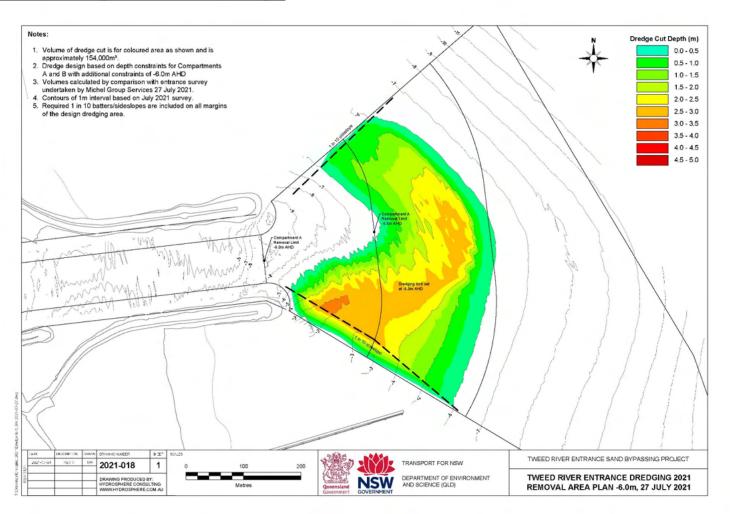


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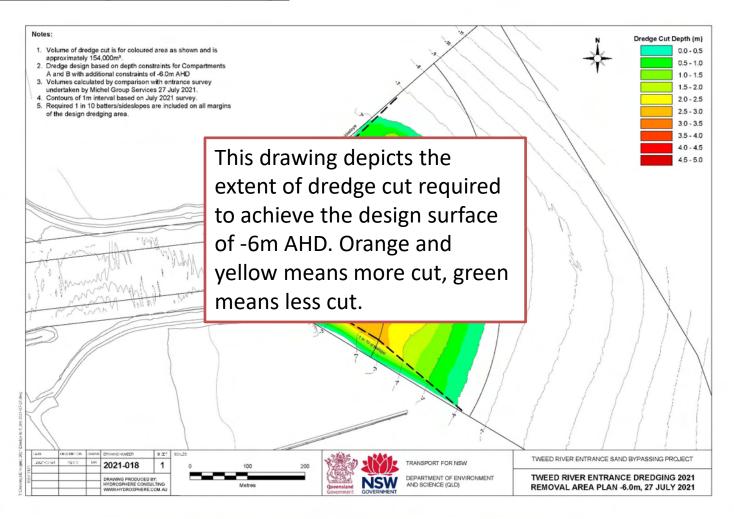
2021 Dredging Campaign

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August 2021 Dredge Removal Design



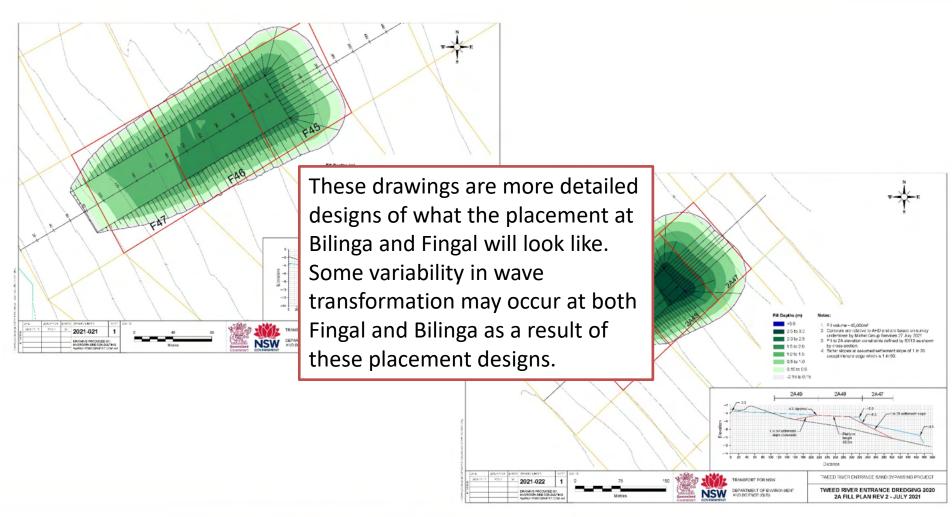
August 2021 Dredge Removal Design







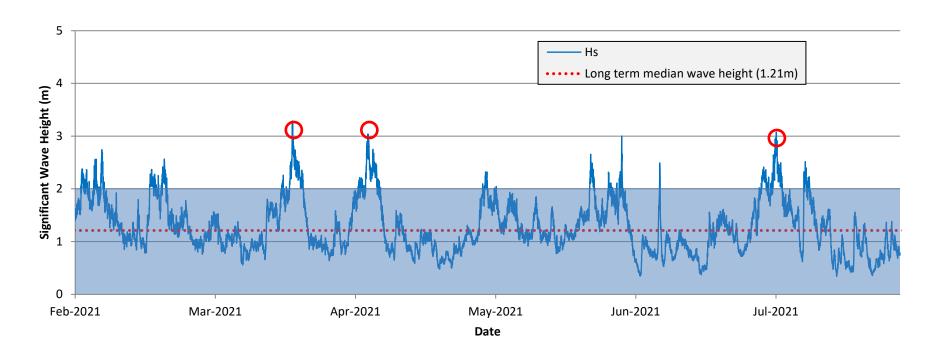




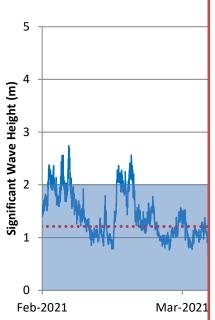
Environmental Monitoring Beach Observations

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Wave Data – Feb 2021 to Aug 2021



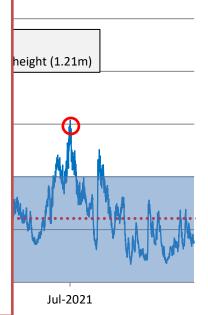
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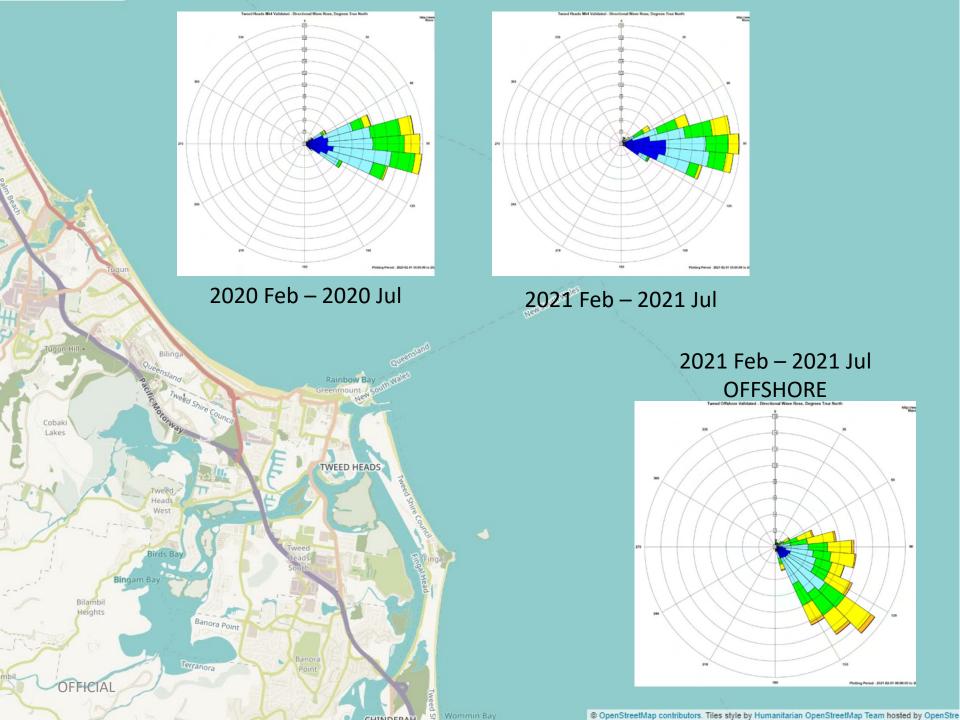
Wave conditions over the last 6 months have been relatively mild. Although there have been 3 or 4 notable swell events, they have been short lived and not significant in size.

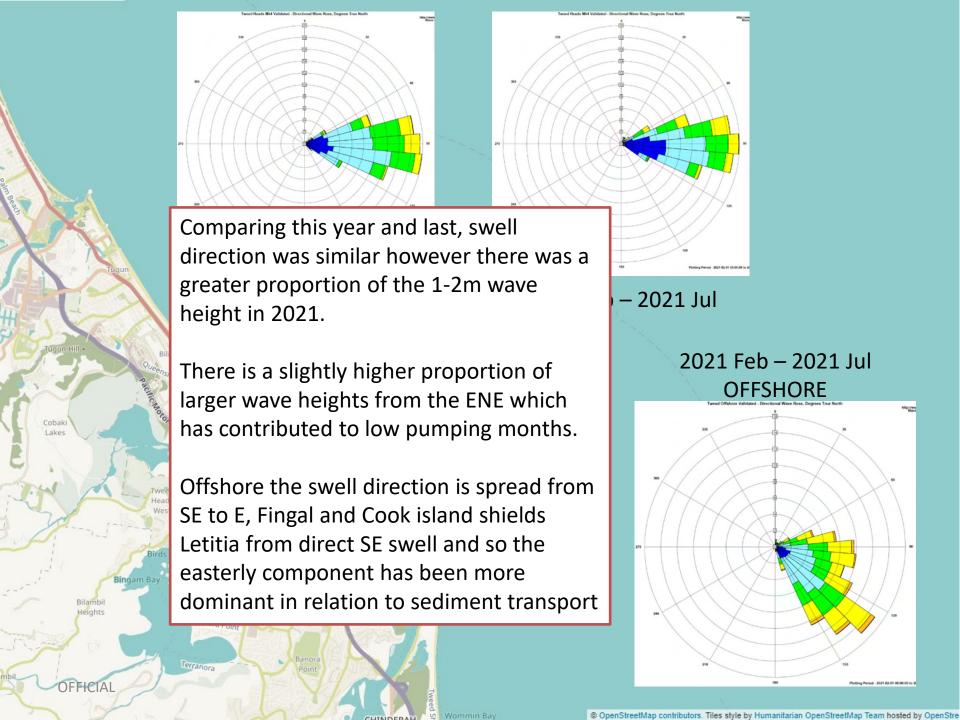
This is reflected in the pumping data shown earlier, some months are well below average whilst only one month was well above.

Where there was some swell, surf amenity has been excellent, especially at Kirra.



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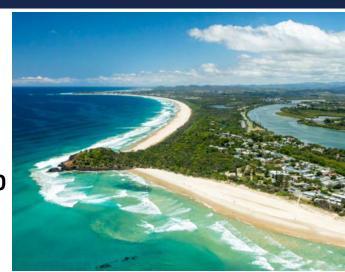




Fingal

20 August 2020

28 October 2020





14 January 2021

20 April 2021





20 August 2020

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Oblique imagery for July was postponed to instead capture during the dredge operations.

The following slides provide historical context for recent survey and imagery data.

20 April 2021

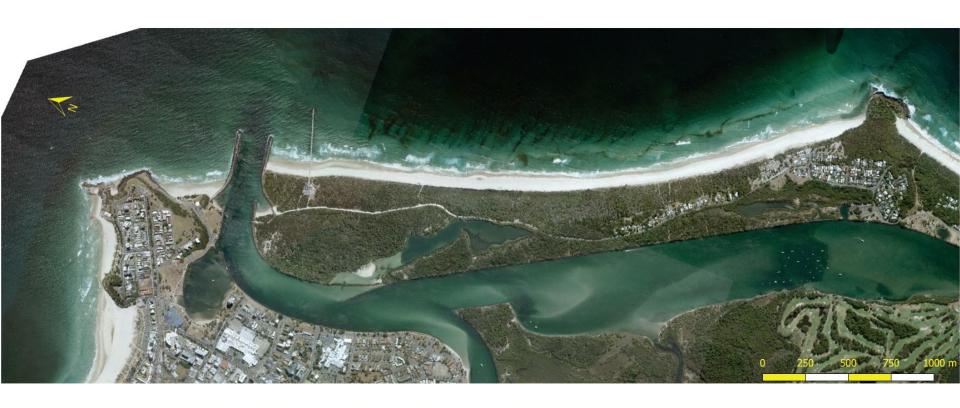




Letitia 20 April 2021 14 January 2021

Vertical Aerial Photography

Fingal Head to Point Danger - 29 November 2020



Vertical Aerial Imagery

Fingal Head to Point Danger - 4 June 2021



Vertical Aerial Imagery

Fingal Head to Point Danger - 4 June 2021



The previous slide shows vertical imagery from Nov 2020 and the current slide is more recent from June 2021.

Notable changes include:

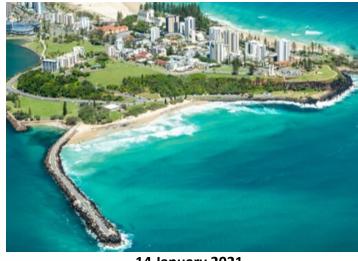
- Fingal bypassing a sand slug has moved around the headland covering the bedrock at the southern end of Letitia
- There is a well defined bar along the length of Letitia that extends to the end of the southern training wall
- Within the entrance, the southern lobe has pushed further north toward the channel and the entrance bar is visible



Duranbah Beach



22 June 2020



14 January 2021



28 October 2020



20 April 2021



28 October 2020



14 January 2021

Snapper Rocks / Rainbow Bay



20 April 2021



Coolangatta Bay



28 October 2020



14 January 2021



20 April 2021

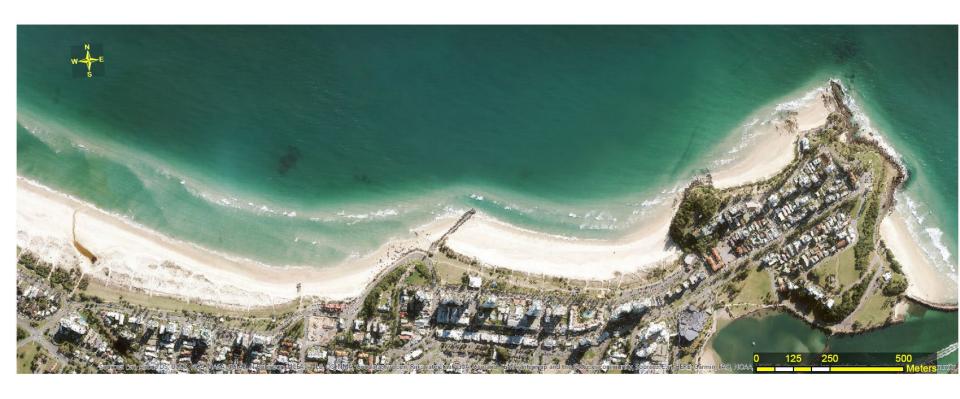
Vertical Aerial Photography

Point Danger to North Kirra - 29 November 2020



Vertical Aerial Imagery

Point Danger to North Kirra - 4 June 2021



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Point Danger to North Kirra - 4 June 2021



Oblique and vertical imagery for Duranbah through to Coolangatta has shown:

- Duranbah beach width increased through pumping and seasonal change
- Sand volumes being restored at Snapper following December erosion event
- Seasonal sand migration through Coolangatta and the subsequent beach rotation
- Sand volumes at Kirra beach and along the lee side of Kirra Point groyne increased
- A defined sediment pathway consistent with seasonal wave climate



Kirra / Nth Kirra



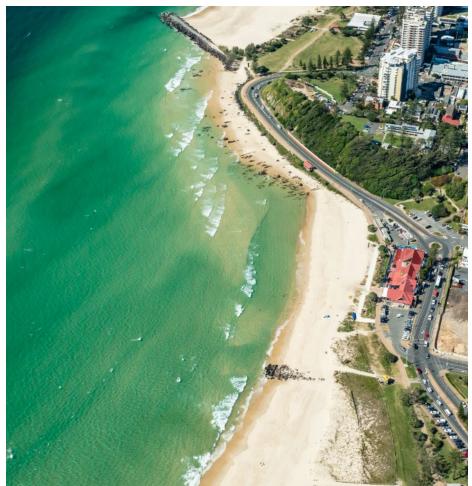




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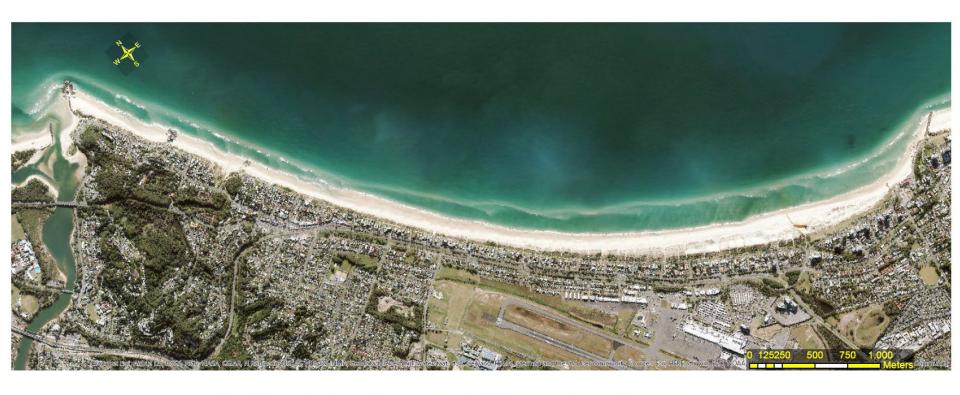
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Kirra to Currumbin - 29 November 2020



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Kirra to Currumbin - 4 June 2021



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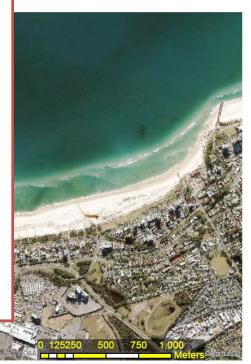
Kirra to Currumbin - 4 June 2021



Well defined bar along the length of Kirra to Currumbin is visible.

Some reduction in upper beach sand volumes at Tugun/Currumbin with some exposure of Flat Rock

2020 Bilinga sand placement mound appears to have dispersed, however the bathymetry of the area shows signs of the placement's influence







Snapper Rocks









Snapper Rocks









Rainbow/Greenmount/Kirra



Kirra



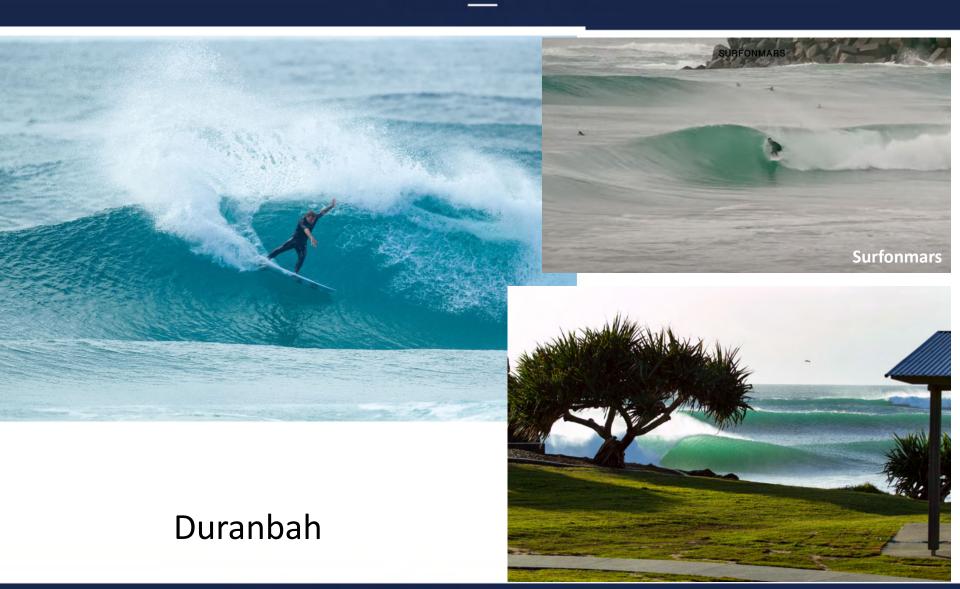




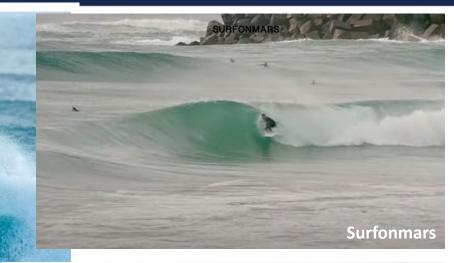
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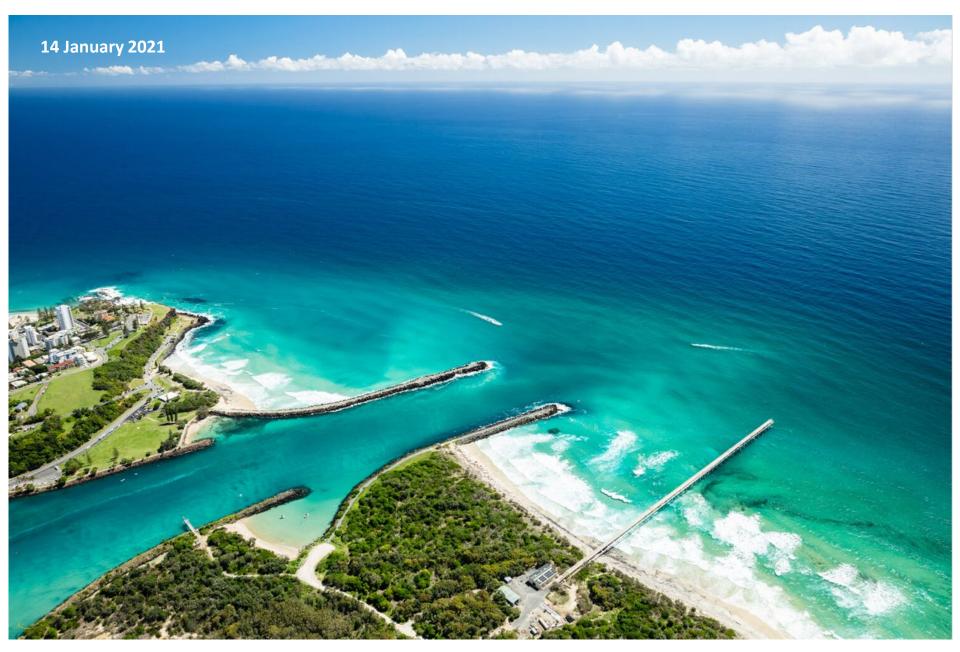


Duranbah has remained consistent with a range of banks across the beach. Sand pumping to Duranbah was not observed to cause any deterioration of bank quality.

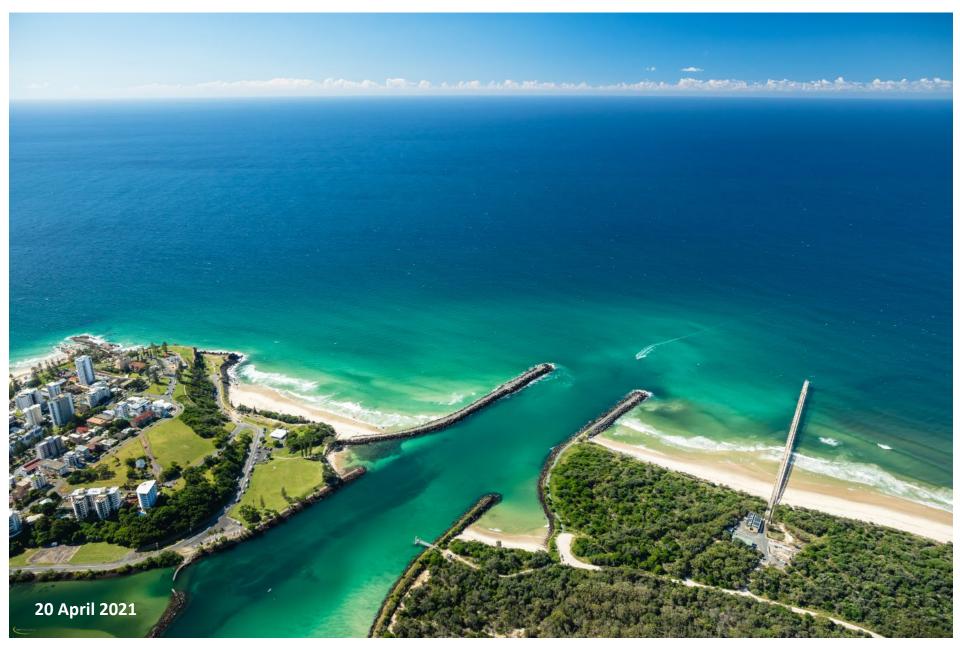


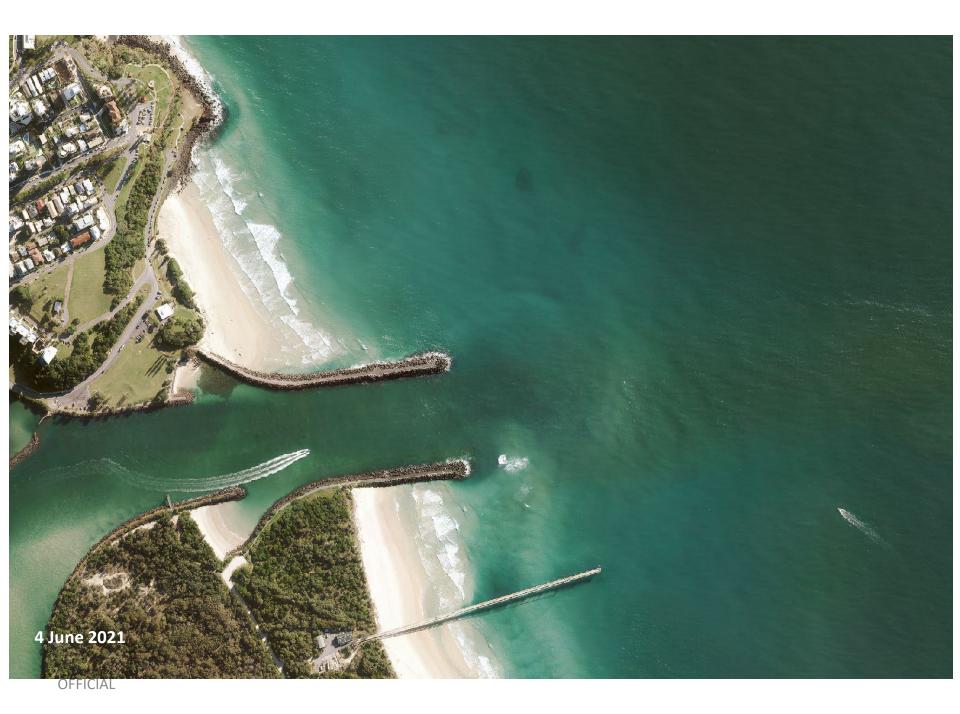


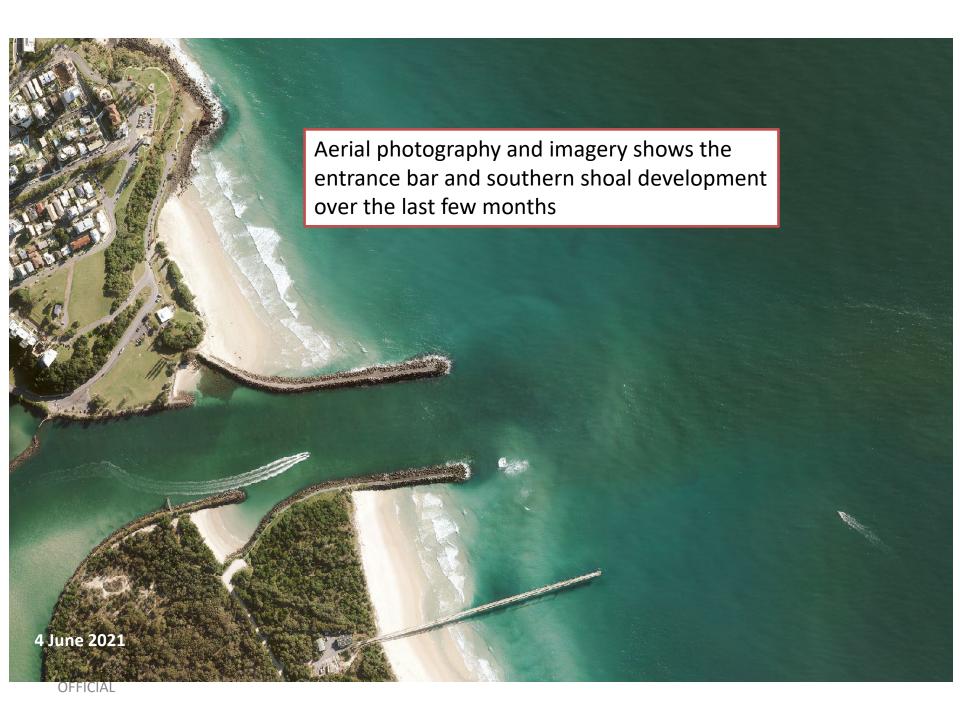
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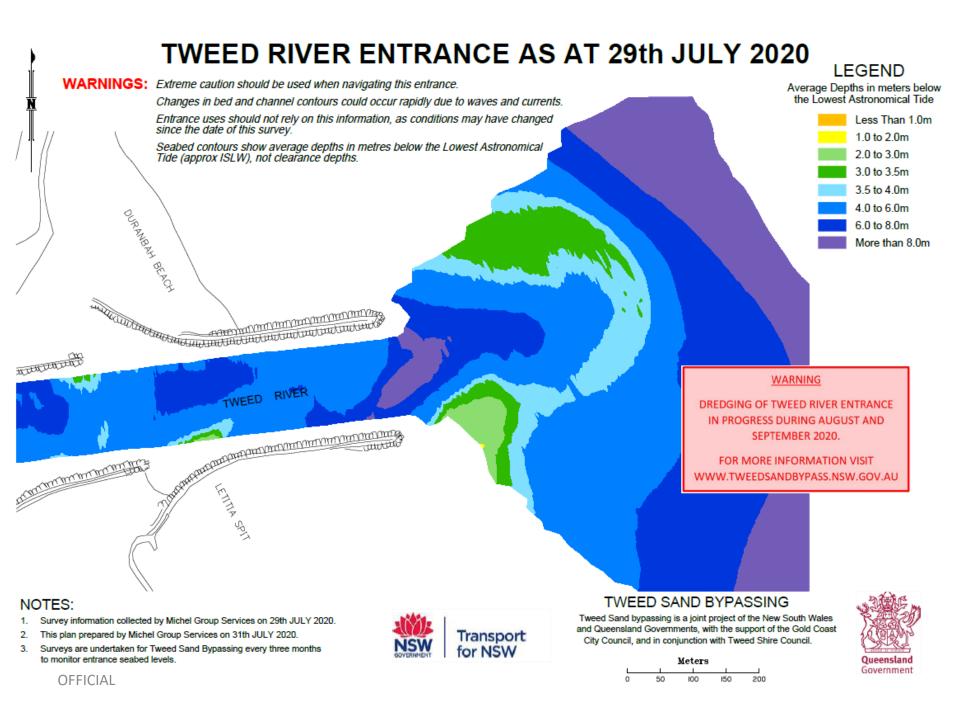


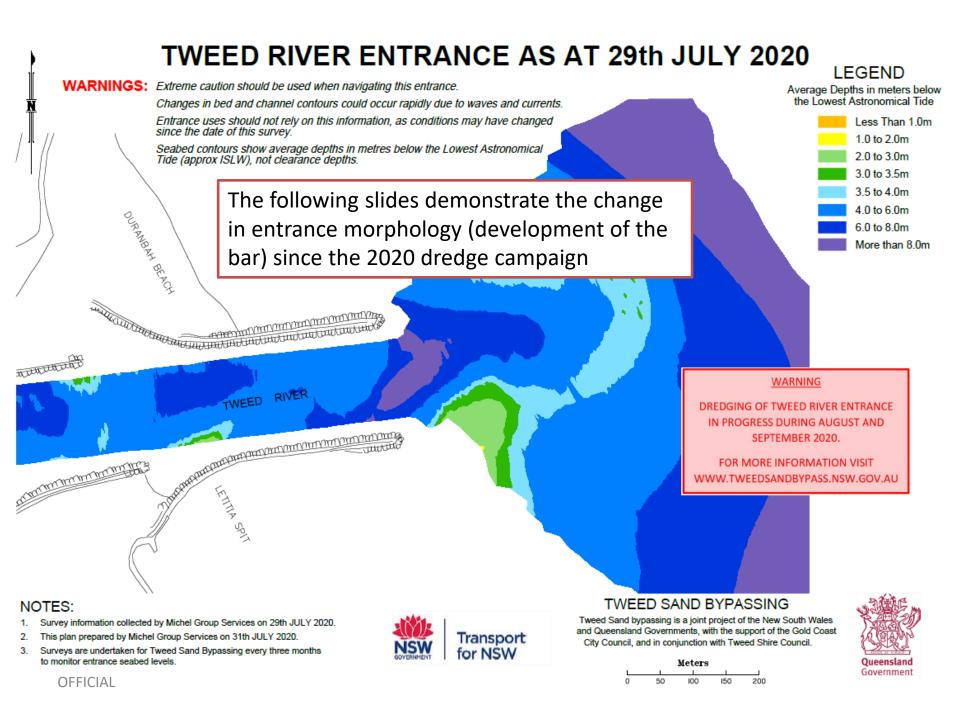
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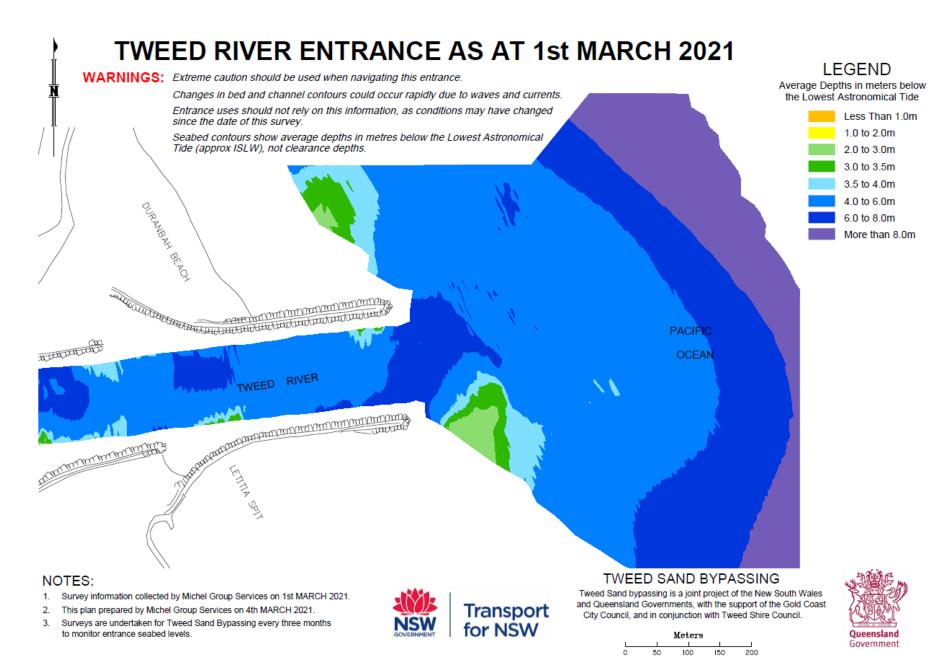
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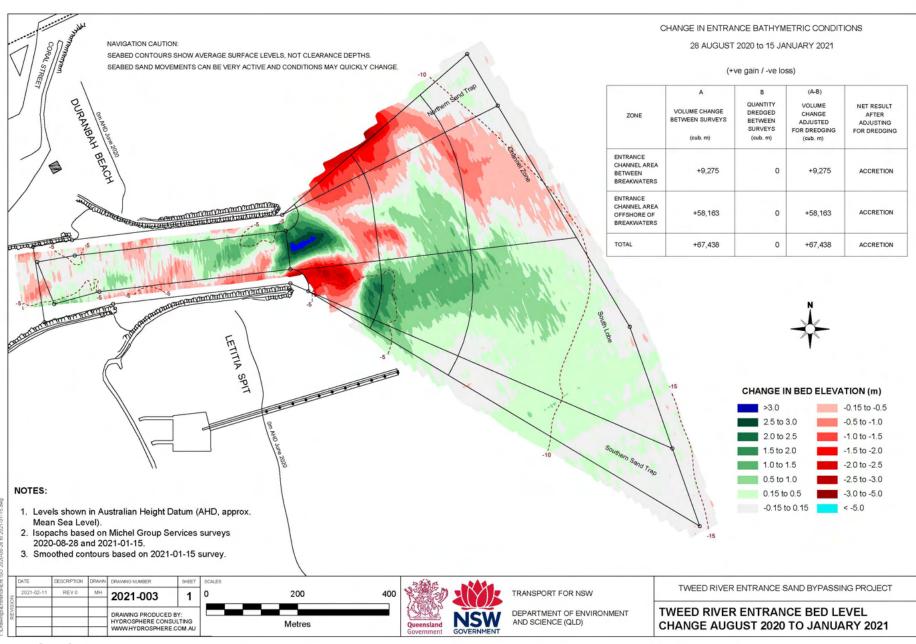
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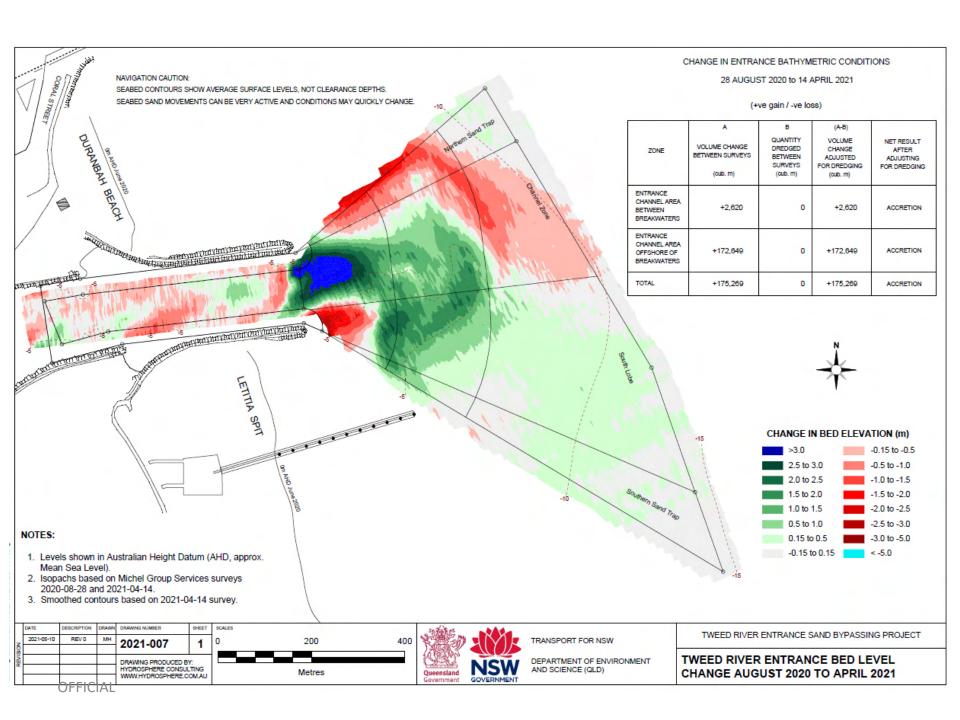
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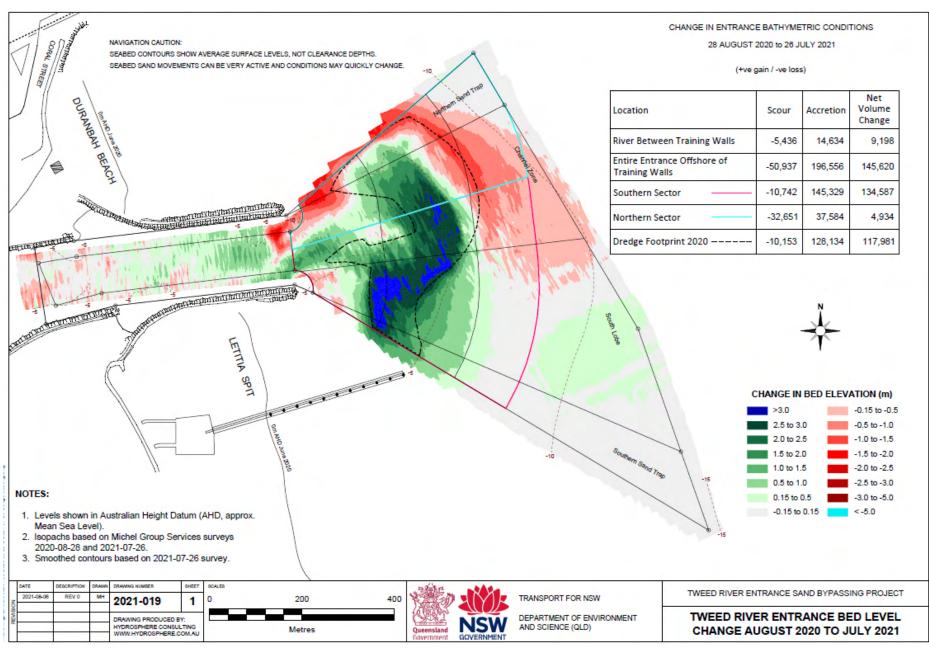
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CHANGE IN ENTRANCE BATHYMETRIC CONDITION

28 AUGUST 2020 to 26 JULY 2021

(+ve gain / -ve loss)

	Location	Scour	Accretion	Net Volume Change	
	River Between Trainin	-5,436	14,634	9,198	
	Entire Entrance Offsho Training Walls	-50,937	196,556	145,620	
	Southern Sector		-10,742	145,329	134,587
dredge			-32,651	37,584	4,934

Dashed black outline represents the dredge cut area from August 2020. As expected it has infilled due to it being a low point in the sediment pathway. Greens and blues show an increase in level between the surveys nominated, red shows a reduction in level.

Outside of the dredge cut area it is closer to a balance of infill/scour although the slow growth of the ebb tide delta continues



CHANGE IN BED ELEVATION (m)

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2.	5 to 3.0		-0.5 to -1.0
2.	0 to 2.5		-1.0 to -1.5
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0.	15 to 0.5		-3.0 to -5.0
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NOTES:

 Levels shown in Australian Height Datum (AHD, approx. Mean Sea Level).

NAVIGATION CAUTION:

SEABED CONTOURS SHOW AVERAGE SURFACE LEVELS, NOT CLEARANCE DEPTHS

- Isopachs based on Michel Group Services surveys 2020-08-28 and 2021-07-26.
- Smoothed contours based on 2021-07-26 survey.

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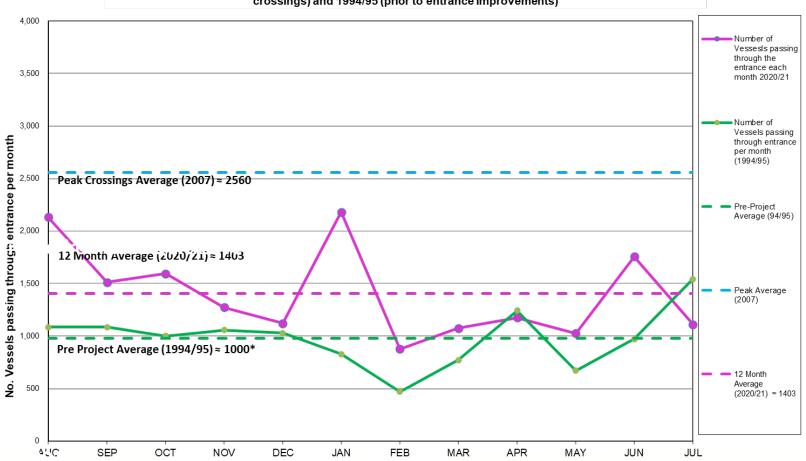
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TWEED RIVER ENTRANCE SAND BYPASSING PROJECT

TWEED RIVER ENTRANCE BED LEVEL CHANGE AUGUST 2020 TO JULY 2021

Tweed River Entrance Usage up to August 2021

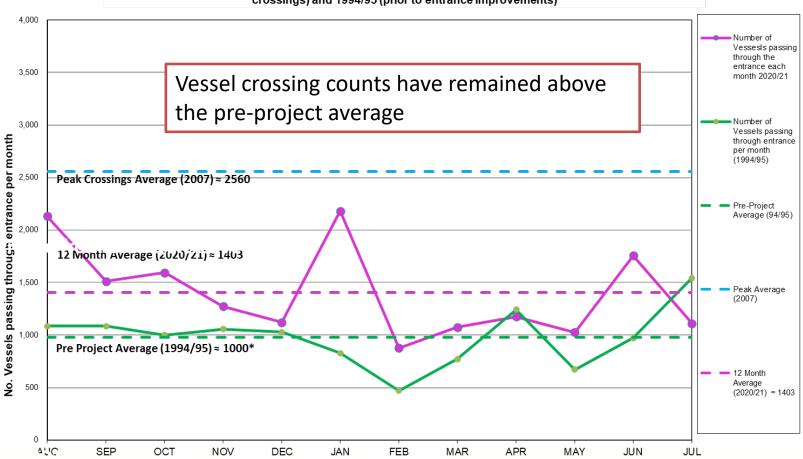
Comparison of the number of vessels passing through the entrance per month 2020/21 compared to 2007 (peak crossings) and 1994/95 (prior to entrance improvements)



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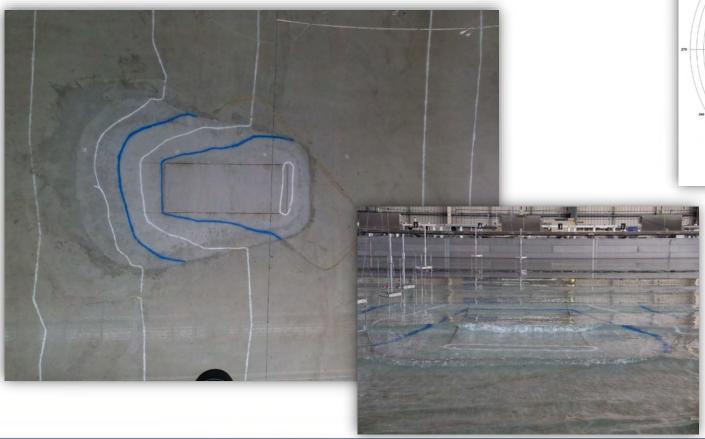
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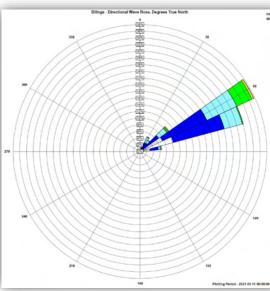
Projects

- TSB Transition Phase 1 investigations complete, Phase 2 options evaluation complete.
 Preferred option adopted endorsed by the TSB Working Group.
- Reef Monitoring 2021 field work complete
- Letitia Coastal Processes Study underway
- Kirra pipeline detailed design detailed design ongoing
- VP2 safety upgrade underway
- Asset Management Software Migration underway

QGHL – Bilinga Physical and Numerical Modelling

- Physical testing final design in the basin
- Deployment of wave buoy at Bilinga





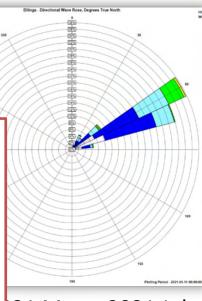
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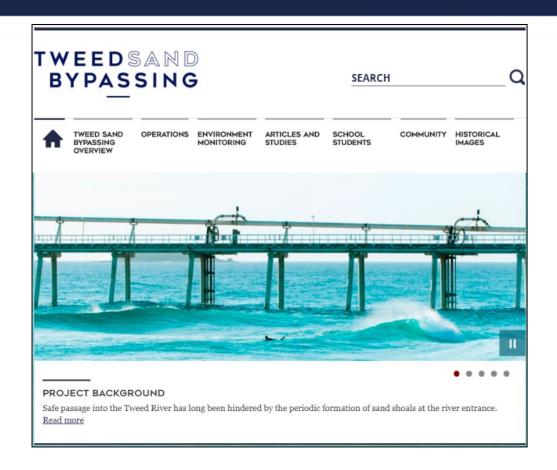
QGHL have continued to develop and test physical model configurations of the proposed Bilinga sand placement design. These images show the bathymetry in the basin and an example of wave transformation over the mound.

A wave buoy has been deployed at Bilinga and some recent data has been collected. This week additional instrumentation will be deployed in the surf zone for a short period of time to measure baseline wave transformation data prior to placement in Aug/September 2021



)21 May – 2021 Jul Bilinga wave buoy

Communications



- Communication Activities for dredging
- New Project Video for website



