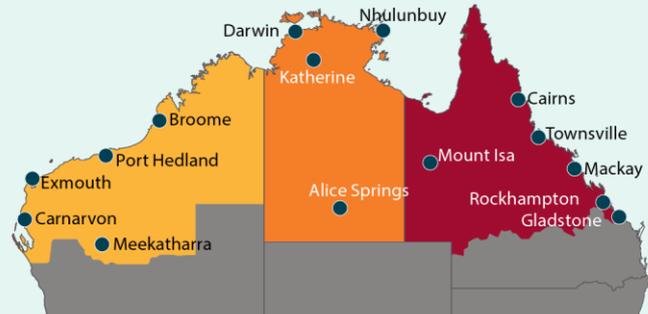


About the Northern Australia Infrastructure Facility (NAIF)

NAIF is a \$5 billion development financier to provide loans to infrastructure projects in the Northern Territory, Queensland and Western Australia. NAIF's mission is to be an innovative financing partner in the growth of northern Australia. A key focus of any financing is to drive public benefit economic and population growth and Indigenous involvement in northern Australia.



NAIF Key Facts

- Since inception, NAIF has offered funding worth \$697m to Northern Territory projects, supporting more than 3,000 jobs.
- Working with the Northern Territory Government, NAIF has now reached contractual close of \$697m in transactions in the Territory – a critical point of economic enablement where design and construction activities commence and job creation starts.
- NAIF has to date supported 25 projects across northern Australia, with investment worth \$2.9 billion, forecast to generate around \$9.4 billion in economic benefit, and supporting around 9,000 jobs.
- Since March 2020 NAIF has made 14 investment decisions worth \$1.7 billion. 11 projects have reached contractual close between March 2020 and March 2021, worth \$1.3 billion.

Indigenous Engagement

- All proponents applying for NAIF financing are required to provide an **Indigenous Engagement Strategy (IES)** which set out objectives for participation, procurement and employment. Positive examples of IES outcomes achieved to date are at **Voyages Indigenous Tourism Australia and Humpty Doo Barramundi**.
- A Memorandum of Understanding has been signed between NAIF, Indigenous Business Australia and the Indigenous Land and Sea Corporation to explore development opportunities.

NAIF in the Northern Territory

\$697m in NAIF support including to:

Transport:

- Darwin Shiplift (NTG) \$300m – Open-access multi-user ship lift facility and associated marine industry infrastructure
- NT Airports: \$150m – Infrastructure and upgrades for Darwin, Tennant Creek & Alice Springs Airports

Social Infrastructure:

- Charles Darwin University: \$151.5m – City Campus Project
- Voyages Indigenous Tourism: \$27.5m - Airport runway, taxiway and apron upgrade, runway lighting and provision of contractor accommodation.

Agriculture/Water:

- Humpty Doo Barramundi: \$31.2m (over two loans) – fish nursery, production ponds and processing equipment.

Energy:

- Merricks Capital: \$37m – new gas and solar projects