

A Continent under Stress: Interactions, Feedbacks and Risks Associated with Impact of Modified Land Cover on Australia's Climate.

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Australia is particularly vulnerable to climate change, as it will compound existing land use pressures on natural resources, agriculture and native ecosystems. Australia's current policy response to climate change has focused on mitigation and adaptation of forecasted changes attributable to greenhouse gas emissions. We argue there is a critical need to reassess national climate change and natural resource management policies to recognise the interactions and feedback between the land surface and regional climate.

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