

PROJECTED CHANGES: FAR WEST



Hot days are **increasing**



Cold nights are **decreasing**

NEAR FUTURE 2020-2039



Maximum temperatures increase

↑ 0.3 – 1.0°C

Minimum temperatures increase

↑ 0.4 – 0.8°C

FAR FUTURE 2060-2079



Maximum temperatures increase

↑ 1.8 – 2.7°C

Minimum temperatures increase

↑ 1.4 – 2.7°C



↑ Rainfall to **increase** in
summer & autumn



Rainfall to **decrease**
in spring



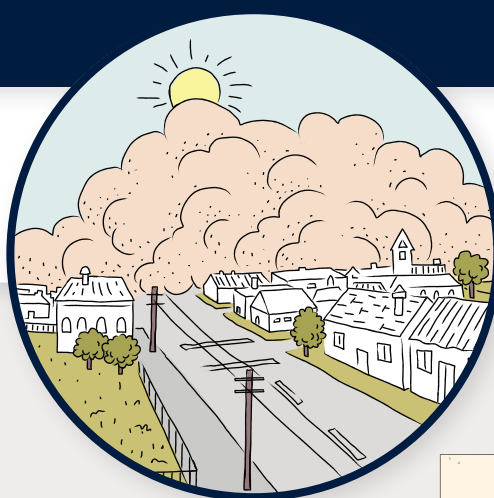
↑ Average & severe fire weather
is projected to **increase** in
summer & spring

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FAR WEST



REGIONAL IMPACTS



OUTBACK TOWNS

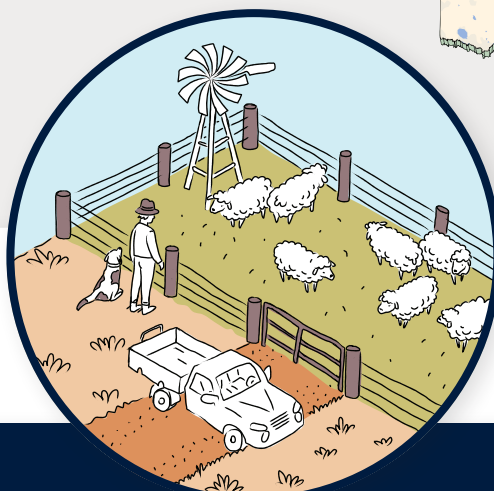
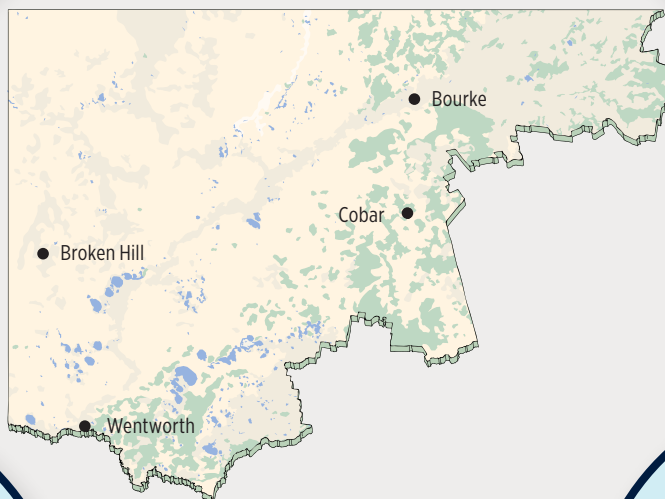
DUST STORM

Soil erosion,
health and
wellbeing

NATIONAL PARKS

EXTREME HEAT & DROUGHT

Cultural heritage,
tourism, biodiversity



DROUGHT

Productivity,
health and
wellbeing

DROUGHT

Riverine
ecosystems,
tourism, productivity



GRAZING

MURRAY-DARLING RIVER SYSTEMS