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Corrections to a recently published area taxonomy of Australia

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After the publication of "Towards an Australian Bioregionalisation Atlas: A provisional area taxonomy of Australia's biogeographical regions" (Ebach *et al.* 2013), we were informed of an incorrect, and missing type locality for the Cape York Peninsula respectively. The correct type locality for the Cape York Peninsula Cracraft 1991 phyto- and zoogeographical sub-regions, is McIlwraith Range, Coen, Queensland, Australia, 13°46'27.00"S 143°19'18.00"E.

We were also informed of an incorrect listing of sub-regions in the Terrestrial Phytogeographical Regions. The phytogeographical sub-regions Adelaide Cracraft 1991, Eyre Cracraft 1991 and Hampton Ladiges *et al.* 2005 are included in the Eremaean Region and not the phytogeographical South-west Region which only includes a single sub-region, South-west Interzone (Nicholls 1933).

The Terrestrial Zoogeographical sub-region Eastern Queensland Cracraft 1991 is missing from the Torresian Region section. The taxonomy is:

Sub-Region EASTERN QUEENSLAND Cracraft 1991 (Fig. 4)

Eastern Queensland Cracraft 1991: 214.

Diagnosis. The western margin of the Great Dividing Range and eastern watershed between the Glass House Mountains and the Einasleigh Uplands.

Type locality. Mount Molangul, Gindoran Queensland, Australia, 24°40'3.00"S 151°31'39.00"E.

Remarks. Cracraft (1991) was uncertain about the boundaries of this sub-region, therefore we have divided up the original area of Cracraft (1991) into Eastern Queensland and the McPherson-Macleay sub-regions.

In addition, the zoogeographical sub-region Arnhem Land Cracraft 1991 (at the bottom of page 328), which occurs in the Torresian Region, is incorrectly labelled as Atherton Plateau Cracraft 1991. The correct taxonomy is:

Sub-Region ARNHEM LAND Cracraft 1991

(Fig. 4)

Arnhem Land Cracraft 1991: 213.

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