

Questions taken on notice

1. **P. 17, Senator MOORE:** Is it possible to get on notice some indication of the amount of research that has been done in the pesticides area and the funding that went into that? It does not have to be everything, but I would like a comparator over the period of time and the investment—and where that came from—into that area.

Dr Kroon: Yes.

AIMS Funded Project on Pesticide Pollution 2008-2016

Project name	Period	External funder	External funding	AIMS contribution
The chronic effects of pesticides and their persistence in tropical waters – AIMS Task 2367	2011-2014	The National Environmental Research Program Tropical Ecosystem Hub	\$530,000	\$645,976
Laboratory exposure of seagrass and corals to Amicarbazone – AIMS Task 2623	2014	Arysta LifeScience North America LLC	\$31,486	Nil
Pesticide dynamics in the Great Barrier Reef: Herbicide degradation – AIMS Task 2394	2011-2013	Reef Rescue	\$175,167	\$54,822
Understanding thresholds and interactive effects between pesticides, water quality and climate change on tropical marine species – AIMS Task 2216	2008-2009	Marine and Tropical Sciences Research Facility	\$80,000	\$20,006
Total			\$816,653	\$720,804

2. **P. 19:** GESAMP stands for 'Joint Group of Experts on the Scientific Aspects of Marine Environmental Protection' (<http://www.gesamp.org/>).