

NERC's need for Impact Evidence

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What does NERC do?

- NERC funds world-class science that increases knowledge and understanding of the natural world.
- We provide independent research and training in the environmental sciences, working closely with business, the public sector and NGOs to generate economic growth, inform policy and deliver widespread social benefits.

How do we use impact evidence?

- Spending Review Bids to BIS
- To alert external users as to how we can work with them
- Evidence for our annual impact reporting to BIS
- Motivating NERC funded scientists to participate in activities leading to impact
- Responses to short term (hours) ministerial requests
- Engaging the media and public in what we do

What type of case study does NERC need?

- Can be any scale (we can aggregate them)
- Can be an impact on business, policy or NGOs.
- Be specific to Bristol or achieved by working with other universities
- NERC funded science must have contributed to the impact



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