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The impact on Indigenous Cultural landscapes, sites and species needs to be included in the monitoring program.

The Comprehensive Regional Assessment undertaken before the Forest Agreements which underpin the Coastal Integrated Forestry Operations Approval provide a core data set of baseline data to compare the impacts of forestry operations and the success of the CAR reserve system for the last 20 years. At a minimum all sites should be re-surveyed with the same methodology using the same survey teams where possible or suitable independent ecologists ie not employed by Forest Corp. In addition compressive survey program will need to developed by independent ecologists to address the gaps in data. This will need to include impacts on invertebrate and aquatic species and include impacts of climate change and dieback issues.

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