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Online-only Table 3 The information captured in the “species occurrence” data sheet. An observation could refer to a species (either with a scientific binomial or a morphospecies identification), or a genus, life stage, ecological group, or native/non-native group.

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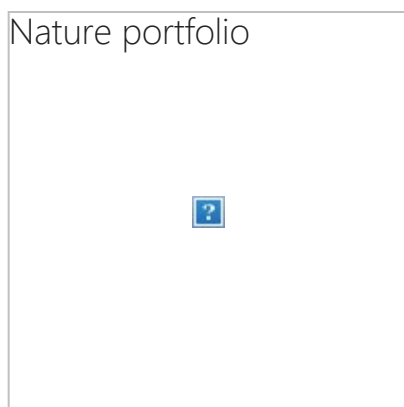
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Genus	Text		The genus of the observation
Family	Text		The family of the observation
Ecological_group	Multiple choice	Epigeic, Anecic, Endogeic, Epi-Endogeic, Unknown	The ecological group of the observation (following revision by earthworm experts)
LifeStage	Multiple choice	Adult, Juvenile, Unknown	The life stage of the observation
Native/Non-native	Multiple choice	Native, Non-native, Unknown	Whether the observation is native or non-native in the sampled region
Abundance	Numerical		The total abundance of the

			observation at a specific site
Abundance Unit	Multiple choice	Number of individuals, Individuals per cm ² , Individuals per cm ³ , Individuals per m ² , Individuals per m ³	The units of the abundance value
WetBiomass	Numerical		The total biomass of the observation at a specific site
WetBiomassUnits	Multiple choice	g, g/m ²	The units of the biomass value

1. For each dataset, this datasheet was only used if species occurrence data were available.

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