

# Northern Brown Bandicoot

*Isoodon macrourus*



## Adaptation to environment

- Long pointed snout with lots of sharp teeth for locating, catching & eating prey
- Long sharp claws for digging, makes many small holes in its nightly foraging
- Makes a loud “balloon screech” if disturbed.

# Feeding relationships

## Where do I live?

Frontal Dunes

Mixed Woodland

Swamp

## What do I eat?

- Insect larvae, roots & worms which it digs small holes to find
- Grass seeds & berries.

## What eats me?

- Large snakes, Lace Monitor
- Eagles, hawks, owls.

• Length: body 40cm • Short tail 14 cm; tail often missing • Mass: 2 kg • Nocturnal • Ground dwelling.