1. For the industry sectors of health, environmental management, primary industries and tropical living, the *Q-Tropics – Tropical Expertise – innovations for Queensland’s future*: Queensland Tropical Expertise Strategy 2008-2012 (the *Q-Tropics Strategy*) focuses on growing, commercialising and exporting Queensland’s tropical expertise through:

* establishing northern Queensland as a global region for tropical expertise supported by forging collaborative links with private investors, corporate and philanthropic sources;
* identifying and translating tropical research into commercial outcomes; and
* marketing Queensland’s tropical expertise and strengthening the capacity of businesses to win contracts at home and abroad.

1. Cabinet endorsed *Q-Tropics – Tropical Expertise – innovations for Queensland’s future:* Queensland Tropical Expertise Strategy 2008-2012.
2. Cabinet endorsed the public release of the *Q-Tropics Strategy* and associated summary document.
3. *Attachments*

* [*Q-Tropics – Tropical Expertise – innovations for Queensland’s future:* Queensland Tropical Expertise Strategy 2008-2012](attachments/Q-Tropics%20Strategy.pdf)
* [*Q-Tropics Strategy* summary document](attachments/Q-Tropics%20summary.pdf)