

Photo: RACV Noosa

# ECOBIZ CASE STUDY ACCOMMODATION RACV NOOSA RESORT



## ECOBIZ CHAMPION

RACV Noosa Resort's commitment to sustainability and reducing its resource consumption has earned it a 3-Star Partnership with ecoBiz.



12% REDUCTION OF  
ENERGY INTENSITY



12% REDUCTION IN  
WASTE SENT TO  
LANDFILL



13% REDUCTION IN  
WATER USAGE

## RACV NOOSA RESORT

RACV Noosa Resort boasts 170 beds of 5-star luxury accommodation and is the perfect place to bask in the golden sands of the Sunshine State. Noosa as a community has a strong focus on sustainability and preserving the local area. The RACV Noosa Resort has adopted these principles by establishing a green team and implementing a number of initiatives to reduce its resource consumption and environmental impact.

Find out more: <https://www.racv.com.au/travel-leisure/racv-resorts/our-destinations/noosa-resort.html>

### ENERGY

RACV Noosa showed its commitment to sustainability through a number of energy reduction initiatives and as a result, lowered its energy intensity by 12% over a 12-month period. Below are some the initiatives used to reach this achievement:

- Replaced all lights in the resort with LEDs.
- Installed a Building Management System to monitor and control air-conditioning usage.
- Repaired and activated sensors for the automated carpark lighting.
- Purchased 2 electric vehicles to eliminate fuel emissions.
- Purchased spa covers to retain heat while not in use overnight.
- Installed 19 energy efficient pool pumps with variable speed controls.

### WASTE

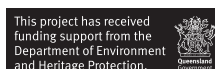
As a participant of Plastic Free Noosa, RACV Resort eliminated plastic straws, non-recyclable coffee cups, water bottles and replaced them with fully compostable products or other suitable alternatives. The resort is also actively separating cardboard, glass, plastics and e-waste for more efficient and effective recycling. As a result of these initiatives the resort has managed to significantly reduce the amount of waste its sends to landfill.

### WATER

To achieve its reduction in water usage, the resort installed low flow shower heads and spa hygiene stickers in guest rooms. Other initiatives included installing timers on the irrigation system and changing the water park spray device to a jet to reduce evaporation.

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