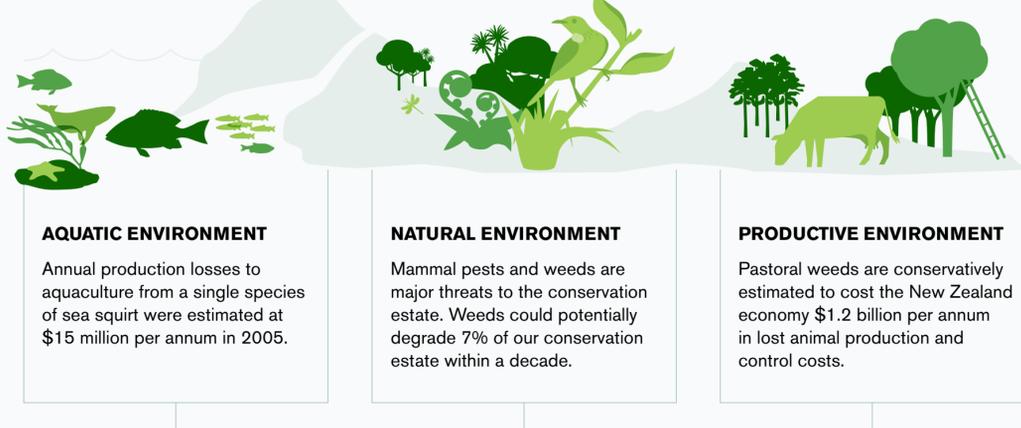


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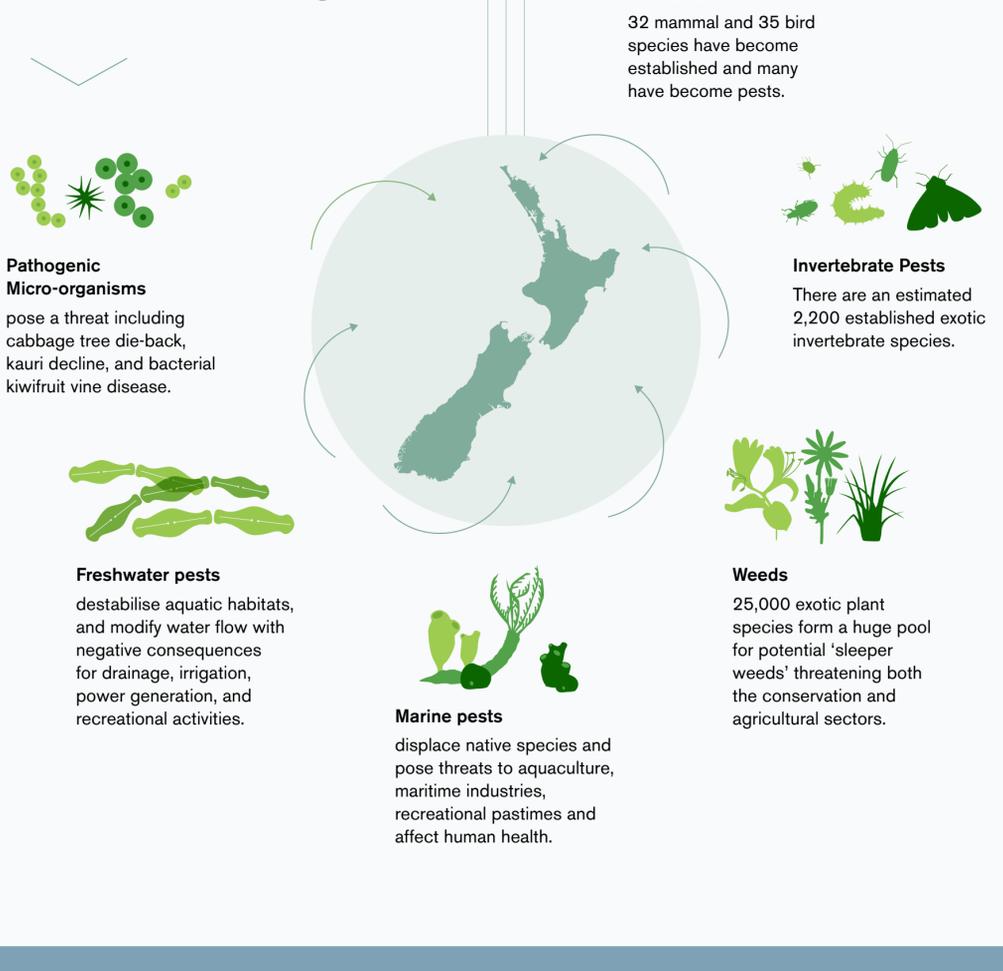
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## Pests continue to threaten our economy and environment

and cost the country billions of dollars in lost revenue and control costs and result in long term losses of native biodiversity



## Biosecurity and pest management are crucial to New Zealand's environmental and economic wellbeing

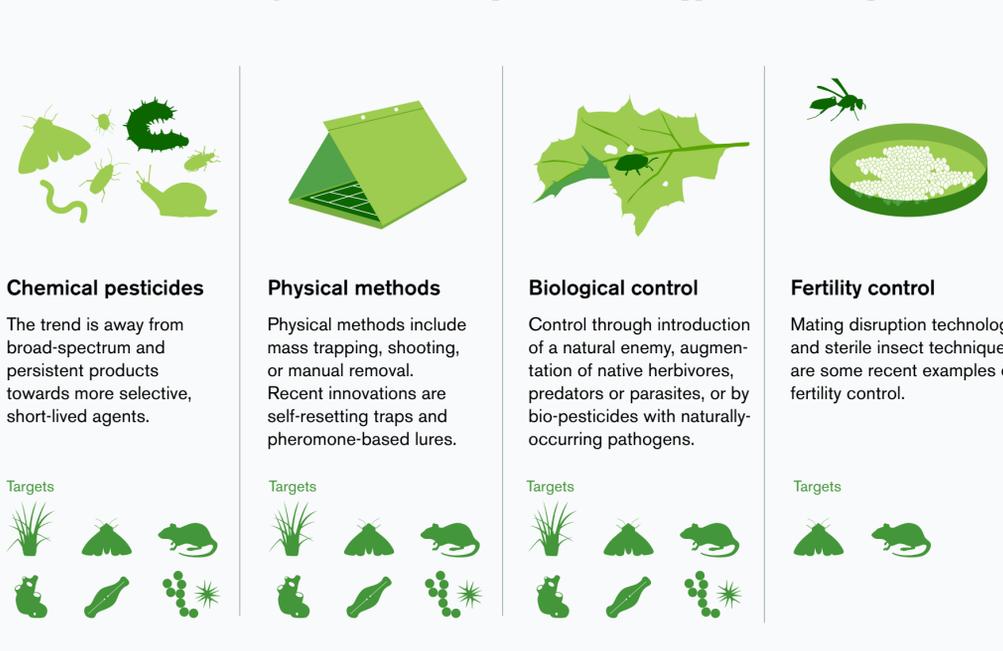


Although New Zealand is at the forefront of incorporating ethical and welfare principles internationally, pressures on pest management tools remain a major policy challenge



## Effective, safe and ethical pest management requires innovation of methods and integration of research and technology

To counter the loss of older and less acceptable pest management tools and to have a range of tools available, existing tools need to be improved and new approaches developed



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