

Appendix B:

Abbreviations, acronyms and glossary

Abbreviations We use the following abbreviations in this report:

Abbreviation

the department	Department of Transport and Planning
Metro	Metro Trains Melbourne
Peter Mac	Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre
the project	Metro Tunnel Project
RMIT	RMIT University

Acronyms We use the following acronyms in this report:

Acronym

CYP	Cross Yarra Partnership
MACS	magnetic active cancellation system
RPV	Rail Projects Victoria
SCADA	supervisory control and data acquisition
TEI	total estimated investment
VAGO	Victorian Auditor-General's Office

Glossary This glossary includes an explanation of the types of engagements we perform:

Term

Reasonable assurance	We achieve reasonable assurance by obtaining and verifying direct evidence from a variety of internal and external sources about an agency's performance. This enables us to express an opinion or draw a conclusion against an audit objective with a high level of assurance. We call these audit engagements. See our assurance services fact sheet for more information.
Limited assurance	We obtain less assurance when we rely primarily on an agency's representations and other evidence generated by that agency. However, we aim to have enough confidence in our conclusion for it to be meaningful. We call these types of engagements assurance reviews and typically express our opinions in negative terms. For example, that nothing has come to our attention to indicate there is a problem. See our assurance services fact sheet for more information.
