

Tobacco in Australia

Facts & Issues

Relevant news and research

8.5 Types of tobacco used by and levels of consumption among Aboriginal peoples and Torres Strait Islanders

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8.5.3 Chewing tobacco

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