



Grains BMP

WHAT IS GRAINS BMP?

- A voluntary, industry led process which helps broad acre grain growers identify improved practices aimed at improving the long term profitability of their enterprise.

- Identifies steps needed to incorporate best management practices on farm.
- Will enable the grains industry to demonstrate good environmental management to the wider community.

WHAT DOES IT INVOLVE?

A series of modules are run through planned workshops to help growers identify improved practices relevant to your business.

There are currently five Grains BMP modules:

Whilst completing each module, action plans are developed to assist growers in planning ways to implement improved practices. Training activities can be organised so growers can access information needed to implement improved practices.



WHO DOES IT INVOLVE?

Between January and June 2009, 60 growers from 45 enterprises completed the Grains BMP program in Central Queensland. The aim is to make Grains BMP available in all of Queensland's grain growing areas.

Grains BMP workshops are run by Queensland Primary Industries and Fisheries staff, Regional Natural Resource Management field officers, and AgForce staff. All staff are on hand to provide technical support during the completion of program.

ANY PREREQUISITES?

There are no prerequisites or costs to attend the Grains BMP program.

Although the program is designed to cater mainly for grain growers, mixed enterprises can also benefit from attending.

