

Agricultural Websites

<p>Agribusiness Gippsland A web site dedicated to agriculture in Gippsland.</p> <p>http://agribusinessgippsland.com.au</p>	<p>Industry information, land and infrastructure, agribusiness directory.</p>
<p><i>Rural Industries Research & Development Corporation</i> This website is one of the most comprehensive agricultural research sites in the world.</p> <p>http://www.rirdc.gov.au</p>	<p>With more than 1000 reports and other material available for download free of charge. Support for researchers with online application forms, new information on new and emerging industries, established industries, sustainable systems, capacity building and competitiveness, corporate reports, short reports on research and development, free downloadable information for a cross section of agricultural businesses, a variety of publications and an online bookshop.</p>
<p>Department of Primary Industry Agriculture and Food An A to Z listing of all things agriculture.</p> <p>http://www.dpi.vic.gov.au/agriculture</p>	<p>DPI enable Victoria's agriculture and food sectors to maintain and enhance a reputation for world-class food by sustainably increasing wealth, employment and investment in regional communities.</p>
<p>Dairy Australia Information for people interested in the dairy farming industry.</p> <p>http://www.dairyaustralia.com.au/</p>	<p>Dairy industry organisations, industry organisations, education programs, improve farm performance and more....</p>
<p>University Of Melbourne The Master of Agribusiness, an innovative course being offered by the Institute of Land and Food Resources at The University of Melbourne, is now into its fifth year.</p> <p>http://www.agribusiness.unimelb.edu.au/</p>	<p>The Master of Agribusiness (Coursework) focuses on enhancing specific skills required to make effective business decisions within the context of the food and fibre business, from input suppliers through primary producers to wholesalers, processors, retailers in a competitive, consumer-directed market.</p>
<p>Department Of Agriculture, Fisheries And Forestry The Australian Government Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry has the dual roles of providing customer services to the agricultural, food, fisheries and forest industries, and addressing the challenges of natural resource management. It also helps build and promote the whole food and fibre chain from paddock to plate for domestic and international markets.</p> <p>http://daff.gov.au/home</p>	<p>Items to be found here are: Quarantine, Salinity, research and development, Australian Government drought assistance, fees, levies, Rural Industry Leadership and information on many different types of agricultural pursuits.</p>

<p>Get Farming Australia Australia' leading farming information source http://www.getfarming.com.au/</p>	<p>Large amount of very useful information including: news reports, events, classified advertising, current topics in agricultural industries, accommodation opportunities and much more ...</p>
<p>Bureau Of Meteorology If your activity depends on the weather then log onto this site. http://www.bom.gov.au/</p>	<p>Provides information for each state. Also educational resources, publications listing, weather services e.g. radar images, weather charts, satellite images, marine weather, rain and temperature maps, seasonal outlooks, climate averages, how to get climate data, flood warning services, water resources, learn how to forecast the weather, forecasts and much more ...</p>
<p>The Bush Food Directory Learn more about Australian bush food. http://www.outbackchef.com.au/</p>	<p>Buy and sell bush food, recipes, nurseries, links to related sites.</p>
<p>CSIRO Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organisation http://www.csiro.au/</p>	<p>Check out what research is happening in Australia. A lot of information about agriculture research.</p>
<p>Animal Health Australia Animal Health Australia is an organisation dedicated to advancing issues of collective interest to stakeholders associated with the health of livestock. http://www.animalhealthaustralia.com.au/</p>	<p>Animal Health Australia is an innovative partnership involving the Australian Government, state and territory governments, major livestock industries and other stakeholders. We work with our members and stakeholders to strengthen Australia's national animal health system and maximise confidence in the safety and quality of Australia's livestock products in domestic and overseas markets..</p>
<p>Australian Fodder Industry Association Welcome to the Australian Fodder Industry Association web site. Incorporated in February '96, AFIA is the peak body for the hay and silage industries, and represents these industries on a national basis. http://www.afia.org.au</p>	<p>Trial results , silage, technical notes, quality guides and much more...</p>
<p>Biological Farmers of Australia & Australian Certified Organic ACO provides certification services to operators from all sectors of the organic industry. http://www.australianorganic.com.au/</p>	<p>Australia's largest certifier of organic produce. Certification ensures compliance with national production standards and allows trace back of all products to their origin.</p>
<p>ABARES is a research bureau within the Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry. We provide professionally independent research, analysis and advice for government and private sector decision-makers on significant issues affecting Australia's agriculture, fisheries and forestry industries. http://www.daff.gov.au/abares</p>	<p>Research material, markets and forecasts, publications, data, media and much more . . .</p>

<p>Australian Women in Agriculture Australian Women in Agriculture is committed to promoting the advancement of women in agriculture by:</p> <p>http://www.awia.org.au/</p>	<p>Australian Women in Agriculture (AWiA) is Australia's peak organisation for women across all areas of agriculture. AWiA and our members unite and raise the profile of women in agriculture. Members are part of a recognised and dedicated national network involved in the development of Australian primary production, rural industries and communities</p>
<p>Victorian Farmers Federation Australia's largest independent non government farmer organisation, run by farmers and fighting for farmers.</p> <p>http://www.vff.org.au/</p>	<p>Links to information on livestock, eggs, dairy, horticulture, chicken meat, pigs, flowers Victoria, latest news, VFF services and more...</p>
<p>YAPS Young Agribusiness professionals encourages young people in all facets of agriculture to come together to keep this industry thriving.</p> <p>http://yaps.vff.org.au/index.php?page=index</p>	<p>Members include farmers, research scientists, agronomists, policy makers, marketers, website designers and more. By joining the YAPs, not only will you be part of this network of young people who understand the unique challenges that being a young person in agriculture face, you will also be part of the VFF who are working to provide better outcomes for farmers and agricultural communities</p>
<p>AgriVenture Agricultural exchange information</p> <p>http://www.agriventure.com/</p>	<p>Travel, work, excitement! Join AgriVenture and you really will land on your feet. We offer a unique opportunity for young people aged between 18 and 30 to travel and work in 12 different countries.</p>
<p>The Weekly Times Rural news Australia - the farmers' newspaper with headline news.</p> <p>http://theweeklytimes.news.com.au/</p>	<p>Something for everyone in the family in this newspaper that has been around for a very long time</p>
<p>Landline Australia's National Rural Affairs weekly.</p> <p>http://www.abc.net.au/landline/</p>	<p>A great site to read up on past stories as presented on the Landline program on ABC TV.</p>
<p>Australian New Crops This website provides information about individual plant species and advice about the process of new crop commercialisation.</p> <p>http://www.newcrops.uq.edu.au/index.htm</p>	<p>A new crop is defined as a crop or crop product new to an area. New crop development is the adoption of a plant in a particular geographic place (for the purposes of production) so that it can be manipulated as a crop for the generation of some profitable commercial product (for the satisfaction of consumers) that has not previously been successfully produced from that plant in that region.</p>
<p>Australian Alpaca Association The official site for the Alpaca Association.</p> <p>http://www.alpaca.asn.au/</p>	<p>Alpaca information at a glance, breeders directory, breed standards, commercial viability, fleece to fashion and much more...</p>
<p>Australian Highland Cattle Society Information on highland cattle.</p> <p>http://www.highlandcattle.org.au</p>	<p>Links to other societies, history, magazine, breeder forms, virtual show of champions etc.</p>

<p>Essential Oils & Plant Extracts Research Program Objective: To support the growth of a profitable and sustainable essential oils and natural plant extracts industry in Australia.</p> <p>http://www.rirdc.gov.au/programs/new-rural-industries/essential-oils-and-plant-extracts/essential-oils-and-plant-extracts_home.cfm</p>	<p>Essential oils 5 year plan, research results, free short reports, publications for sale, free downloadable reports, ag facts, handbook on NEW rural industries and more...</p>
<p>Australian Honey Bee Industry Council Information related to the production of honey</p> <p>http://www.honeybee.org.au/</p>	<p>Economics of the industry, competency standard for the honey industry, online newsletter that provides considerable information.</p>
<p>Horticulture Australia Keeping people up to date with news on the value of fruit and vegetables to health.</p> <p>http://horticulture.com.au/</p>	<p>Horticulture Australia Limited (HAL) is a not-for-profit, industry-owned company. It works in partnership with Australia's horticulture industries to invest in research, development and marketing programs that provide benefit to industry and the wider community.</p>
<p>AusIndustry AusIndustry is the Australian Government's agency for delivering products, services and information that support industry, research and innovation.</p> <p>http://www.ausindustry.gov.au/</p>	<p>AusIndustry can help you conduct research and development, grow your small business, undertake manufacturing and production, apply for a tax or duty concession and more. Help line 13 28 46</p>
<p>Web Alive If you have a small business and would like to consider a low cost option, Web Alive, an Australian Government Supplier has an attractive proposition that you may wish to consider. Web Alive has a basic website for small businesses which is capable of being enhanced without requiring a large budget.</p> <p>http://www.webalive.biz/</p>	<p>A web site with unlimited pages 12 months hosting - 25 e-mail addresses - easy to manage No programming skills required An online store, including unlimited product catalogues Secure online shopping & payment facilities Unlimited username & password protected areas (extranets/intranets) Access to hundreds of style sheets to customise your site 24 hour online support Custom design support ** And much more...</p>