

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Flexible farming systems – Exploring the options

Adelaide Convention Centre

Program

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Wednesday 22nd February – Day 1

9.00am **Welcome**

John Harvey, Managing Director, GRDC

9.30am **Grain markets** – What are the key drivers and influences into 2012?

Steve Powell, Market Check

10.05am **Finger on the pulse** – Where to with pulse markets?

(TBC)

10.45am **Morning tea**

CONCURRENT SESSIONS (40 minutes: including time for room change) (R = session to be repeated)

	Hall B	Meeting Room 1 & 2	Meeting Room 10 & 11	Meeting Room 3
11.15am	Digital technology – Making it work for you and your client (R) <i>Agworld, Back Paddock and AGRO app</i>	Mice – Are they here to stay? (R) <i>Greg Mutze, Biosecurity SA & Andrew Polkinghorne, farmer</i>	Brome and barley grass – Changes in weed behaviour, a sinister development? (R) <i>Gurjeet Gill, University of Adelaide & Chris Davey, YP AG</i>	Back chat with Steve Powell, Market Check
11.55am	Digital technology – Making it work for you and your client <i>Agworld, Back Paddock and AGRO app</i>	Mice – Are they here to stay? <i>Greg Mutze, Biosecurity SA & Andrew Polkinghorne, farmer</i>	Brome and barley grass – Changes in weed behaviour, a sinister development? <i>Gurjeet Gill, University of Adelaide & Chris Davey, YP AG</i>	Weed management in herbicide tolerant crops – A Canadian perspective (R) <i>Linda Hall, University of Alberta</i>
12.35pm	Optimising results with pre-emergents plus wild oat control update (R) <i>Chris Preston, University of Adelaide & Peter Hooper, Hooper Consulting</i>	Sorting out problem weeds – flaxleaf fleabane (R) <i>Hanwen Wu, DPI NSW</i>	Nutrient use efficiency – Are we over fertilising P and under fertilising N? (R) <i>Therese McBeath, CSIRO</i>	Industry Innovation Forum – Update on latest commercial products & services (R) Industry panel
1.10pm	Lunch (compliments of Viterra)			
2.00pm	Optimising results with pre-emergents plus wild oat control update <i>Chris Preston, University of Adelaide & Peter Hooper, Hooper Consulting</i>	Sorting out problem weeds – flaxleaf fleabane <i>Hanwen Wu, DPI NSW</i>	Nutrient use efficiency – Are we over fertilising P and under fertilising N? <i>Therese McBeath, CSIRO</i>	Weed management in herbicide tolerant crops – A Canadian perspective <i>Linda Hall, University of Alberta</i>
2.40pm	Soil moisture probes – The impact on crop management (R) <i>Kym I'Anson, farmer</i>	My client has a disc seeder – What does this mean for my advice? (R) <i>Craig Davis, AW Vater & Ben Marshman, farmer</i>	Emerging pests in new farming systems (R) <i>Kym Perry, SARDI</i>	Industry Innovation Forum – Update on latest commercial products & services Industry panel
3.20pm	Soil moisture probes – The impact on crop management <i>Kym I'Anson, farmer</i>	My client has a disc seeder – What does this mean for my advice? <i>Craig Davis, AW Vater & Ben Marshman, farmer</i>	Emerging pests in new farming systems <i>Kym Perry, SARDI</i>	TBC

Day 1 continued . . .

4.00pm **Afternoon tea**

4.30pm **New NVT website** – Better, faster and wiser

4.40pm **Launch of the GRDC Weeds App**

4.50pm **New and novel solutions for the grain industries**

5.25pm **Close and evaluation**

5.30pm **Drinks (compliments of AGT)**

Thursday 23rd February – Day 2

8.50am **End point royalty update**

9.00am **Buffer zones and other spray regulations** – The UK experience

9.40am **Sustaining herbicide effectiveness in the WA cropping belt**

10.15am **Students at work**

Managing glyphosate resistant ryegrass on fence lines

The value of phosphorus in crop stubble

10.35am **Biosecurity update**

10.40am **Morning tea**

CONCURRENT SESSIONS (40 minutes pre-lunch & 45 minutes post-lunch including time for room change) (R = session to be repeated)

Hall B

Meeting Room 1 & 2

Meeting Room 10 & 11

11.10am	Barley variety review and frost tolerance research update (R) <i>Jason Eglinton & Tim March, University of Adelaide</i>	Back chat with <i>Jim Orson, Nat. Institute of Agricultural Botany & TBC, Dept of Ag & Food – WA</i>	Pulses – New generation – New confidence (R) <i>Larn McMurray, SARDI</i>
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11.50am	Barley variety review and frost tolerance research update <i>Jason Eglinton & Tim March, University of Adelaide</i>	Best practise rotations versus opportunistic croppers (R) <i>Mike Krause, Applied Economic Solutions</i>	Canola variety and disease update (R) <i>Trent Potter, SARDI & Steve Marcroft, Marcroft Grains Pathology</i>
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12.30pm	Rhizoctonia in cereals – New weapons against an old enemy (R) <i>Alan McKay, SARDI</i>	Better fertiliser decisions – New data to back up recommendations (R) <i>Simon Speirs, NSW DPI</i>	Canola variety and disease update <i>Trent Potter, SARDI & Steve Marcroft, Marcroft Grains Pathology</i>
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1.10pm **Lunch (compliments of Viterra)**

2.00pm	Pulses – New generation – New confidence <i>Larn McMurray, SARDI</i>	Wheat variety review – The best and fairest (R) <i>Rob Wheeler, SARDI</i>	Rhizoctonia in cereals – New weapons against an old enemy <i>Alan McKay, SARDI</i>
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3.30pm **Achieving adoption with your clients** – Persuasive skills to drive change from sound evidence

Bruce Howie,
C-quality agritelligence

4.10pm **Close and evaluation**

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