



### Winter Crop and Pasture Production

AGpack was formed in 2008 and successfully provides bespoke transparent agronomic advice tailored for your farming business. Agpack is delivered on over 350,000 hectares in Victoria and NSW through over 35 AGpack agronomists.

Our advisors are trained to the highest standards in all aspects of broadacre agronomy with specialist expertise within our group in pasture management, dryland/irrigation cropping and summer cropping.

Our agronomy team are supported by in-house technical and IT teams to ensure that services exceed client expectations and deliver unrivalled value for money.

AGpack sets new standards within the industry and are dedicated to providing growers with professional advice on all aspects of broadacre & pasture crop production, using service systems which are specifically designed to meet the needs of the grower, the industry and the consumer.

Please do not hesitate to contact your IK Caldwell Agronomist for more information. Alternatively contact the IK Caldwell branch nearest you. Information on AGpack and other IK Caldwell products and services can also be found at [www.ikcaldwell.com.au](http://www.ikcaldwell.com.au)



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Below is a schedule of possible activities that may be carried out in the AGpack winter crop program. This is a guide only and the timing and completion of activities will vary depending on seasonal conditions and individual client needs.

### January - March

- Surface soil tests taken (optional)
- Predicta B soil sample taken (optional)
- Stored seed quality testing (optional)

### December - March

#### Planning stage:

- Agworld paddock plans
- On line labeled & geo-referenced farm map completed
- Crop rotations & seed varietal selection
- Nutrient audit & fertiliser programs (set target yields)
- Seed treatment options
- Seed germ, vigour and TSW tests (optional)

### December - March

- Paddock inspections - summer weed control

### February - March

- Pre season meetings

### April - May

- Seed placement & depth at sowing & emergence

### April - July

- Early weed, pest & disease inspection

### May - July

- Plant establishment assessments

### May

- Deep N soil tests (optional)

### July - August

- In crop leaf tissue tests (optional)
- In field crop walks
- Topdressing recommendations (based on deep N test results)

### August - September

- Late insect & weed inspection.
- Disease management inspections

### September

- Trial Site field day

### October

- Windrow timing in canola

### November

- General discussion re assessment of target yields
- Weed checks

### November - January

- Harvest yield data collection
- Processing & on line delivery of yield maps (optional)





### Service Level 1

- Technical Planning Visit
- Rotation Planning/Crop Paddock Summary
- Recommendations provided by Agworld farm management software – PDF format.
- Access to AG pack Agronomist via Phone
- Access to AG pack Newsletter
- On farm paddock inspections (up to 6 visits)
- Access to Demonstration and Trials Sites
- Access to Trials Results



### Service Level 2

- Technical Planning Visit (1-2 Visits)
- Rotation Planning/Crop Paddock Summary
- Agworld Cropping Booklet with Cropping Budget
- Recommendations provided by Agworld farm management software – PDF format.
- Access to AG pack Agronomist via Phone
- Access to AG pack Newsletter
- On farm paddock inspections (up to 15 visits)
- Access to Demonstration and Trials Sites
- Access to Trials Results



### Service level 3

- Technical Planning Visits (1-2 Visits)
- Rotation Planning/Crop Paddock Summary
- Agworld Cropping Plan Booklet with Cropping Budget
- Recommendations provided by Agworld farm management software – PDF format.
- Access to AG pack Agronomist via Phone
- Access to AG pack Newsletter
- On farm paddock inspections (up to 25 visits)
- Access to Demonstration and Trials Sites
- Access to Trials Results



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