



ENSURE YOUR GRAIN IS ACCEPTED BY DELIVERING FOOD SAFE GRAIN

Australian grain is a food product with a reputation that we are all proud of and as such requires your care to ensure it is not contaminated with harmful substances. Residues and contaminants have the potential to jeopardise both domestic and export market access and affect Australia's reputation as a clean green grain supplier.

Here are a few precautions you should take prior to and during harvest to minimise the chance of any grain contamination and ensure your grain is accepted.

PRIOR TO HARVEST

- Review your late season use of herbicides to ensure it meets minimum withholding periods to harvest. This includes herbicides used just prior to harvest to promote the maturation phase or 'turning of crops'.
- Make sure you inspect all augers, field bins and trucks for the presence of insects, fertiliser and other contaminants prior to the commencement of harvest.

DURING HARVEST

- Carriers often 'backload' fertiliser and other material that can pose a significant risk to food safety. Ensure you inspect trucks prior to loading as well as tarps to ensure they do not contain fertilisers, insects or other contaminants.

Growers and GrainFlow have a shared responsibility to provide clean food safe grain throughout the entire grain production supply chain. Avoiding contamination ensures your loads are accepted and you get paid the maximum price possible, as well as preserving the reputation of Australian grain in the world market.

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