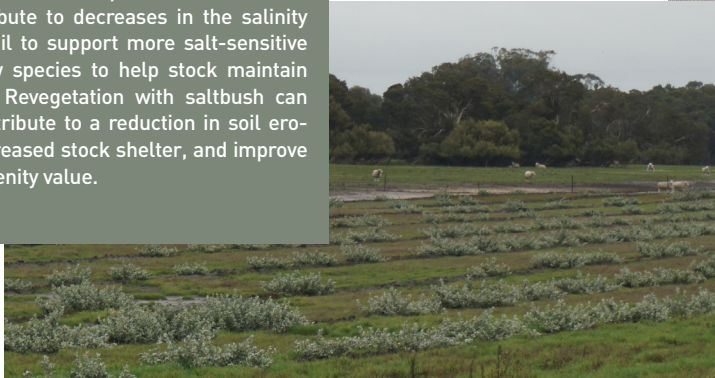




EYRES GREEN

• S A L T B U S H •

Benefits farmers are seeing from strategic grazing of Eyres Green Saltbush include potential increases in productivity on local salt-affected soils... Wimmera CMA and the many farming groups they support are interested in the potential for saltbush to contribute to decreases in the salinity of top soil to support more salt-sensitive inter-row species to help stock maintain weight. Revegetation with saltbush can also contribute to a reduction in soil erosion, increased stock shelter, and improve farm amenity value.



Plants are supplied ready for planting with strong full foliage and complex root systems established.

Without fail **Eyres Green cultivar** provides a range of benefits rarely talked about nor considered. And that's the shame. **Its one of nature's star performers.**

Certainly the folk of the Wimmera Catchment Management Authority and the land-owners support this '**outstanding**' **faster growing and faster to recover Australian native bush.**

Yes certainly its known for the amazing **salt tolerance, brilliant.** To provide good **feed for stock - recovering quickly. And it is known to assist to lower the water table!**

However the little discussed attribute, perhaps little known, is the amazing '**Biodiversity**' of **Eyres Green**, and as a result the applications of where it can be planted become a **major force in the rehabilitation** of damaged lands. And critically, being a native cultivar, the ability to do this in an **ecologically sustainable way is so very, very important.**

In Wimmera they have used **Eyres Green for soil stabilisation for 10 years** where the wind blown ravages denude the landscape almost beyond recognition. However after introducing the Eyres Green the cycle of a **profound transformation** begins, native grasses once again return, in strength through-out the areas where Eyres Green is planted. A **biodiverse, biodynamic ecological sound environment** becomes possible, the rehabilitation and sustainability of the land may be pursued through use of this unsung hero of the native Australian plant world.

The benefits of the Eyres Green cultivar are being realised in the very best of ways as our **understanding of the balance** and interdependency in nature is **shared through-out by you, the custodians of our wonderful land.**

- **Lowers the Water Table increasing land productivity**
- **Highly salt tolerant , drought tolerant**
- **First to recover + Faster growing compared to standard saltbush**
- **Good palatable stock feed - sheep, cattle, horses, camels, emus**
- **large bushy plant 4 metres across, less woody at the base, grows wider rather than high like ordinary saltbush meaning the stock can reach it**
- **Plant 4 m spacings so less plants required compared to oldman saltbush [2.5m]**
- **Soil stabilisation for wind blown zones**
- **Biodiverse ,natural, sustainable, supporting ecological rehabilitation**

*The Eyres Green is named after the Eyre Peninsular where it was found on a farmers property and cultivated from this 'wild freak' over a period of 10 years to become the star performer in sustainable land rehabilitation and management in Australia. **PBR2002/018***



We look forward to discussing and assisting you with your queries :
Sam's Mobile 0417 812 440 Dom's Mobile: 0427 444 757



Realizing the dream...

Sam and Dom's story is typical of so many families that sought to build their life in Australia, a land of sunshine and opportunity.

The Virgara brothers passion for the soil, their discipline, diligence and hard working ethic was born of family pride. Antonio their father migrated to South Australia where he worked the land for the Tamlin family in the Adelaide Hills.

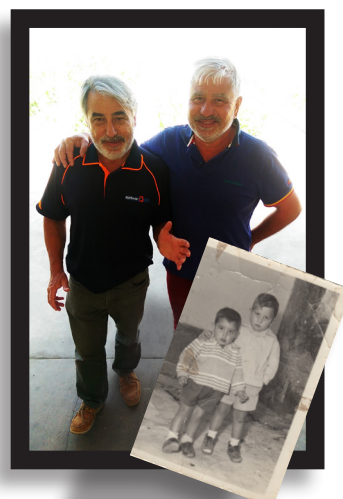
A big strong man he worked hard, long hours, scrimping and saving to bring his family out from Italy. The small gentle matriarch Rachele nurtured the family making that tiny cottage a home where dreams were possible. That cottage sat on the brink of a hill overlooking the very land Sam and Dom dreamed of owning. So the brothers applied themselves to their studies and tendered the land morning and night.

The Dream was formed - the promise was made.

Their dream, having worked those fields through their youth was to own this very property building on the tradition and passion of working the land.

Now some 40 years on they bought it.

And the journey has come full cycle as they build their vision and realise their dream. To this end, Eyres Green Saltbush, Rachele's Premium Raspberries and Antonio's Premium Strawberries are those products that ensure the dream lives on.





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Mining company reports outstanding results



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Thanks *Dom, Sam* I look forward to receiving my Order for the Eyres Green Saltbush:

Number of Plants in Total:

5,000 • 10,000 • 15,000 • 20,000 • 25,000 • 30,000 • 35,000 • 40,000 • 45,000 • 50,000 • 55,000 • OTHER

Number of Plants delivered in batches if preferred:

5,000 • 10,000 • 15,000 • 20,000 • 25,000 • 30,000 • 35,000 • 40,000 • 45,000 • 50,000 • 55,000 • OTHER

Plants delivered to:

ATTN:

Sam and I want to say thanks for placing your order of Eyres Green. We know the years of work that have gone in to making this nature's 'freak' an outstanding partner in the rehabilitation and sustaining of biodiversity in our fragile landscape. Our appointment of one of the longest running accredited family nursery's of South Australia will ensure you will always receive quality plants, ready to go.

Ensuring you receive the genuine Eyres Green Saltbush, we carry the only PLANT BREEDER RIGHTS 2002/018

CONFIRMATION of ORDER: we will phone you to confirm your Order and provide a delivery time frame according to your requirements.

DEPOSIT: a 25% Deposit will ensure your Order, our Bank details for EFT are as follows:

We look forward to talking with you and to assist with any queries you may have, our mobile numbers are :

• Sam: 0417 812 440 • Dom: 0427 444 757 & hello@eyresgreensaltbush.com.au

EFT BANKING DETAILS:

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BSB No: 105079
ACC No: 052824640
Acc Name: Eyres Green Saltbush

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