



BOUNDARY BEND LIMITED

Australia's premier olive company

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About Us

Boundary Bend Limited (BBL), established in 1998 by visionary horticulturalists Rob McGavin and Paul Riordan, is a leading player in the global 'modern' olive industry. What began as an initial planting of 200 hectares of olives at Boundary Bend Estate has grown to become Australia's largest fully integrated modern olive business, located on 7 sites across Victoria and employing over 100 full time staff.

BBL is the largest manager of olive groves in Australia, with 2.5 million trees under BBL management on 3 sites. Our own grove, located at Boundary Bend in north-west Victoria, is a flagship grove of the Australian industry and was awarded 'Olive Grower of the Year' by the Australian Olive Association in 2005. Recently the BBL managed olive grove at Boort was named Australia's 2008 Grove of the Year. This follows BBL being awarded the Australian Agribusiness Exporter of the year in 2007, 'Olive Grower of the Year' in 2005 and was the most awarded producer in the 2008 Australian extra virgin olive oil awards.

BBL is the pre-eminent marketer of premium Australian extra virgin olive oil through our subsidiary's Boundary Bend Marketing and Cobram Estate. We are also a manufacturer of olive harvesters, owners of Australia's largest olive tree nursery and olive oil bottling, storage and laboratory facility, and innovators in all aspects of the "new world" olive industry.

Critical to the company's success has been our ability to consistently produce premium quality extra virgin olive oil in large and growing quantities. This has been achieved through our attention to research and development covering all areas of olive production from site and varietal selection, irrigation and grove management techniques.

The result is a business that is unsurpassed in the Australian olive industry and is gaining recognition as a significant player in the international industry.

Our current industry position can be summarised as follows:

- ➔ Australia's largest manager of olive groves with 2.5 million trees (6,636 hectares) under management.
- ➔ Australia's largest supplier of olive trees from our nursery operations in Lara and Corio, Victoria.
- ➔ Australia's largest manager of processing plants with processing capacity of 50 tonnes of olive fruit per hour.
- ➔ Australia's leading provider of olive consultancy services.
- ➔ Australia's largest supplier of Australian olive oil.
- ➔ Australia's largest exporter of olive oil, with customers in 15 countries.
- ➔ Owner of a show-piece grove and processing plant at Boundary Bend, Victoria.
- ➔ Owner of one of Australia's leading olive oil brands – Cobram Estate.
- ➔ Owner of Australia's only specialist olive oil Laboratory (NATA accredited).
- ➔ Manufacturer of Australia's leading olive harvesters – "The Colossus XL"
- ➔ Owner of Australia's largest integrated olive oil facility at Lara for oil storage, blending, bottling, and testing.

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