

FARM SALARY BENCHMARKING

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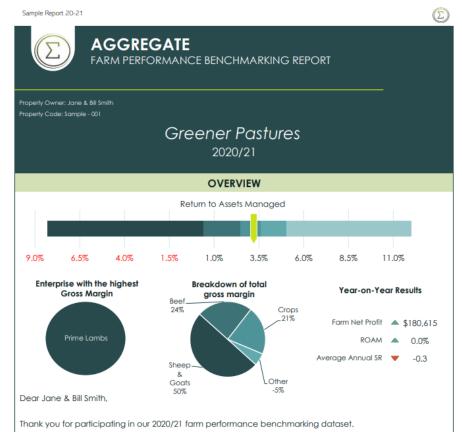


• We benchmark nearly 200 farms in south eastern Australia.

What is Benchmarking?

Benchmarking is method of identifying opportunities to improve management and increase farm profitability.

We do this by gathering farm financial data. Including salaries which leads us to...

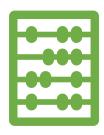


What we will cover









Positions in the Agricultural Sector

Earnings by position

Package values

Why work in Agriculture?



- Work Environment
- Variety
- Challenges
- Lifestyle
- Tangible Results







Managerial

- Manager
- Assistant Manager
- Overseer

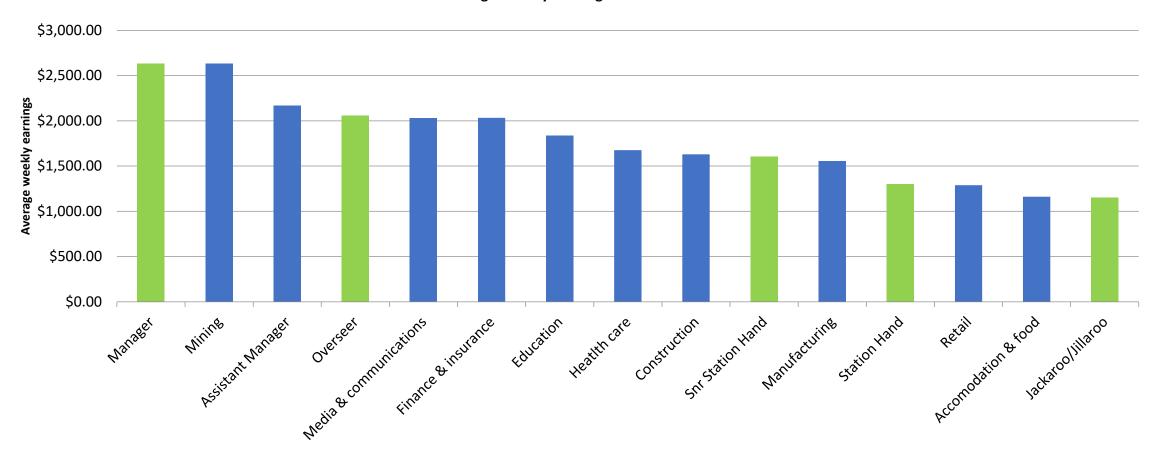
Operational

- Senior Station Hand
- Station Hand
- Jackaroo/Jillaroo
- Other
 - Farm secretary
 - Cooks
 - Gardeners
 - Governess/nanny
 - Maintenance staff,
 - Mechanics



Average Weekly Earnings by Industry

HS farm salary data compared to ABARES Average Weekly Earnings





Total package value is important



Key Messages









FARMING POSITIONS HAVE
COMPETITIVE SALARIES WITH OTHER
INDUSTRIES

TOTAL PACKAGE VALUE IS IMPORTANT

CONSIDER THE WORKPLACE & WHAT IT CAN OFFER YOU BEYOND THE SALARY





