



ORGANIC MANAGEMENT PLAN (OMP)

OGA small producer scheme

All certified members need to prepare an Organic Management Plan (OMP) to achieve ongoing conformance with the BFA Australian Organic Standard. This may include identification of: key management personnel, pest, disease and weed management plans, documented recording systems and future plans.

1 Business Details

Trading Name: _____	Certification No: _____
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1a) Documents and Records (section 3.4 of the BFA Australian Organic Standard)

Please provide details of how farming practices (composting, cultivation, weed, pest and disease control measures), inputs, harvest and sales are recorded.

	YES	NO
Updated farm map enclosed.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Are transport declarations used for all bulk shipments?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Are Livestock transport declarations used for all transfers of livestock?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

1b) Audit trail (section 3.4 of the BFA Australian Organic Standard)

Please provide details of how produce is traceable from the farm paddock to point of sale i.e., paddock records, harvest records to silo, storage records, delivery docket, waybills, etc.

1c) Parallel Production between certified and non-certified area and In Conversion and Full Organic areas (Section 3.6 of the BFA Australian Organic Standard)

How are issues of parallel production addressed within the same production season and production unit?

Tick this box if N/A

1d) Where relevant, provide details and approximate timeframes for whole farm to be converted to organic certification.



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1e) **Where relevant, are there any management issues that would restrict certification of the whole property?**

1f) **Do you currently have any land degradation issues?** i.e. erosion, salinity, water quality etc
Please list any issues and current methods used to manage or address these issues.

2b) **Soil and fertility management (section 4.1 of the BFA Australian Organic Standard)**
How do you intend to address soil fertility? ie compost, green manure crops, foliar sprays etc,

2c) **Brought in materials (section 4.2 of the BFA Australian Organic Standard)**
The onus is on the operator to ensure that all brought-in materials or contracted equipment are free from potential contaminants.

	YES	NO	N/A
Are Contract Harvesting Declarations completed if required?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Has written approval been obtained from the OGA for brought in materials that are not listed in the BFA Australian Organic Standard or certified as an allowed input?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Are manures composted prior to use?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Are treated seeds used and was written approval obtained from the OGA office?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Were seeds/ vegetative materials verified as GMO free where there is a known GMO risk?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

2d) **Farm Water Supply (section 4.4 of the BFA Australian Organic Standard)**

Please state water source/s



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What are the potential risks associated with the use of this water source?

How are these risks monitored and/or reduced?

Have there been any changes in water supply since your last inspection?

YES **NO**

If yes, please give details

What is your method of irrigation and how is water use efficiency maintained?

2e) **Pest Disease and Weed management (section 4.5 of the BFA Australian Organic Standard)**

What are the main pest problems that you anticipate to occur?

How do you intend to manage the above pests?



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What are the main disease problems that you anticipate to occur?

How do you intend to manage the above disease problems?

What are the main weed problems that you anticipate to occur?

How do you intend to manage the above weed problems?

LIVESTOCK MANAGEMENT (if applicable)

3b) How are pasture areas managed?

3c) Anticipated pasture improvements, ie fertility, legumes etc.

3d) How do you anticipate management of internal parasites?



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3e) How do you intend to manage external parasites?

11d) **Quarantine Land** (A Certified Organic Farm must have a designated area for quarantine of any conventionally treated livestock or for brought in livestock)

Please give a brief description of your quarantine land, ie paddock name, size, etc.

3d) How are conventional and organic stock differentiated and identified?

3e) Please outline how animal welfare aspects are complied with: i.e. pens, transport, mutilations and, for poultry and pigs, size of shed, numbers per shed, access to pasture etc.

4a) **Biodiversity**

What is the estimated percentage of your whole farm area that is under bushland/ native grassland/ buffer zones/ wetlands/ remnant vegetation etc

___ %

4b) Please outline how you intend to maintain and/or enhance biodiversity on you farm?

5) **HACCP /On-farm food safety**

What are the potential hazards to your production system in terms of maintaining organic certification? ie. GMO crops and seeds, genetic drift, over spray risks, brought in products and livestock etc.



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How do you currently address these risks or, intend to address these risks? i.e. Buffer zones etc.

IMPORTANT NOTES:

- RETAIN A COPY OF YOUR OMP.
- THIS DOCUMENT SHOULD BE REVIEWED AND UPDATED ON A REGULAR BASIS OR WHEN YOU CHANGE YOUR PRODUCTION SYSTEM

PLEASE SIGN AND DATE

PRINT FULL NAME CLEARLY

SIGNATURE

DATE