

**TRI-SOLFEN®**

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# Case Study

**Farmer:** Greg Mathews

**Location:** Contractor to numerous  
Victorian and South Australian

**Operation:** Lamb marking



## A win – win that's 'worth its weight in gold'

**Greg Mathews won't touch a mulesing contract job without Tri-Solfen.**

For most farmers, mulesing is a once-a-year exercise. But not for Greg Mathews, a lamb marking contractor who travels around Victoria and over the border into South Australia offering marking, mulesing and sheep husbandry to around 35 busy corporate and family-run farms.

At GM Lamb Marking, there's no such thing as an easy day at the office. Greg routinely takes on projects around the 5,000-head mark, seeing him working from sun up until sun down for a few days at a time.

"Just recently with three others, we completed 2,150 procedures in one day."

It's a job he simply couldn't conquer today without Tri-Solfen, a product he discovered two years ago after being dissatisfied with other pain relief options on the market.

"I can say that in the past when I've seen these procedures done, they might use other forms of pain relief but I just don't think they are as effective."

"I just don't think the others address wound healing so it means the lambs bleed a lot more and the wound doesn't heal up anywhere near as quick."

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As well as risking distress and discomfort, and in turn impacting lambs' growth prospects, this omission leaves the animals vulnerable to disease – the prevention of which is the entire intention behind mulesing.

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## **A game changer in a bottle.**

The discovery of Tri-Solfen changed the game for Greg. For him, easy application and keeping the lambs calm is key so he can keep productivity levels high.

“The application is really quick and easy. It doesn't slow us down and that's a good thing particularly during the spring/summer months.”

“It has a great effect on them. You can certainly see the difference when using it – they're not in pain. Straight after, they're up and about, not lying around.

They return to being a normal, happy lamb much quicker and the bleeding stops. It's magic stuff.”

“The farmers supply all the product for me, and now I refuse to do a job without it. I most often use the 5L but if it's a big farm the 20L is the best choice. It really goes the distance and is worth the investment – it'll cover 15,000 sheep.”

“It's truly worth its weight in gold.”



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