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# Case Study

<b>Farmer:</b>	<b>Jack Nelson</b>
<b>Farm:</b>	<b>Mt Rebecca</b>
<b>Location:</b>	<b>Cressy, VIC</b>
<b>Operation:</b>	<b>Merino Sheep</b>



## 'Almost oblivious to the pain'.

**Jack Nelson uses Tri-Solfen when mulesing his Merinos for its instantaneous pain relief effects.**

Jack Nelson has been on the farm his entire life. That farm is Mt Rebecca Agri Co in Cressy, Victoria, a sixth-generation property that spans 3,500 acres.

Amongst a community of sheep grazers, the Nelsons run just over 3,000 pure-bred Merinos, selling stock and wool via Nutrien Ag. They also produce hay, straw and grain, auctioning their harvests to the highest bidder.

### Championing animal welfare.

Animal welfare has always been high on the priority list for Jack and his family, a focus that has been steadily spreading throughout the industry over the past few years.

"I knew (pain relief) needed to be a process going forward, otherwise there was no chance that the mulesing practice would be able to continue. To sustainably produce anything, it needs to be animal friendly and animal husbandry practices all come into it."

The Nelsons first discovered Tri-Solfen three years ago, and after seeing obvious improvement, they have been using it religiously every mulesing season since.

"We have found that the animals are less stressed and this directly correlates with their recovery. No animal really enjoys the handling process, so we found that Tri-Solfen helps to mitigate the stress on the animals."

"They were back into the paddocks grazing happily immediately after the process. The mulesed animals are the ones that experience the most discomfort, however Tri-Solfen on the wound means they are almost oblivious to the pain."

For anyone not convinced, Jack encourages them to try it for themselves.

"Tri-Solfen actually really works. It's not one of those band-aid fixes."

"It really is a fantastic product."

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**“Any happy animal is actually producing you more. At the end of the day, it’s in the best interest of the producers to do what’s best for the animal.”**

## A smart choice for seasoned farmers.

A successful farm is a well-oiled machine, and each new technique, product or procedure requires some scrutiny before it is adopted - particularly when it comes to keeping costs manageable.

Jack notes this hesitance, but highlights the reasons why Tri-Solfen is a sound investment for both ethical and financial reasons.

“There are plenty of things that you as a producer might have to do that don’t make you an immediate return but it’s just the right thing to do for the industry. This isn’t one of them - using Tri-Solfen is a win on both sides.”



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