

Growing a Saline Bush Foods Industry: Piecing the Jigsaw Together to Get Degraded Paddocks Back On Your Plate

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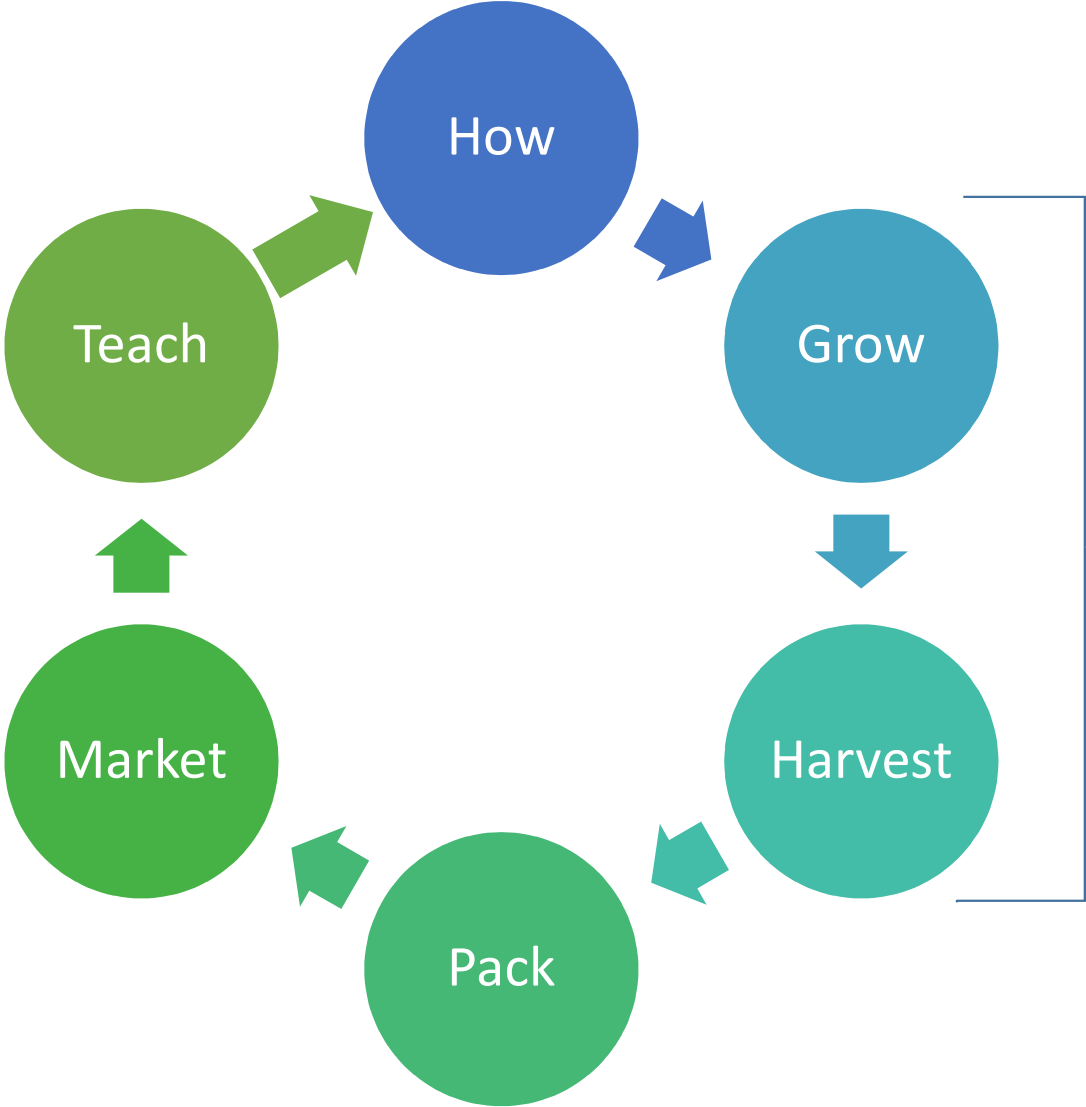
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Complete Supply Chain



Research:
Environmental
Impacts





Slender Ice-plant



Karkalla
(baby pigface)



Sea Purslane



Samphire



Seakiss
Saltbush



Grow

Wild Harvest



Plantation crops



Horticultural shadehouse system



How

Site Selection



Plant physiology and growth trials



Irrigation with saline groundwater



On-going systems refinement



Harvest

2 new machines –
Former & Harvester



Shadehouse harvesting



By hand...!



Pack



Packing shed on it's way!



Market

Food Expos

Working in partnership growing saline foods to restore degraded land

OUR PRODUCE

- SAMPHIRE
- SALTBUSH
- KARKALLA
- RED KARKALLA

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delicious. PRODUCE AWARDS 2018

STATE WINNER

Gourmet food awards

delicious. Harvey Norman PRODUCE AWARDS 2018

STATE WINNER

Insta-worthy dishes!



Teach

Horticulture Courses with TAFE



Field Day 2020



Farmer Training Course March 2022

- 2 – 3 day course for growers wishing to produce.
- Initially supply chain will be through Moojepin Foods, but opportunities for others in the future.
- Some items protected under Non-Disclosure Agreement until March.
- Manual being written currently.



Research





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