

# Webinar – Assessing drench resistance in sheep

## Overview of recent testing in East Gippsland

 **Monday 17 March 2025 | 7pm**

 **Webinar**

### Project background

This three-year project with the Bairnsdale BestWool/BestLamb group demonstrates best practice sheep worm management in East Gippsland.

As part of this project, several East Gippsland producers have undertaken Worm Egg Count Reduction Testing (WECRT), more commonly known as drench resistance testing, to identify the level of drench efficacy in their flocks.

This webinar will give an overview of the results and outline why knowing the drench resistance status of your flock is important management tool.

### Presenter

Ben Blomfield, Bairnsdale BestWool/BestLamb group coordinator and veterinary consultant from Melbourne University's MacKinnon Project

### Topics

This webinar will cover the following;

- Common worm species and their lifecycle
- Contributing factors to drench resistance
- Results of the resistance testing as part of this project
- Options to manage resistance
- Question and answer time.



This event is a part of an Enhanced Producer Demonstration Site (EPDS) project, cofunded by Meat & Livestock Australia and Agriculture Victoria, and run in conjunction with the Bairnsdale BestWool BestLamb Group.

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