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Connecting Catchments and Communities
Constraints
July 2019

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Ruralco Water – A Brief Introduction

Reporting of information

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Education/Understanding



Rural Supplies/Services



Water



Livestock Agency



Live Export



Wool Agency



Financial Services

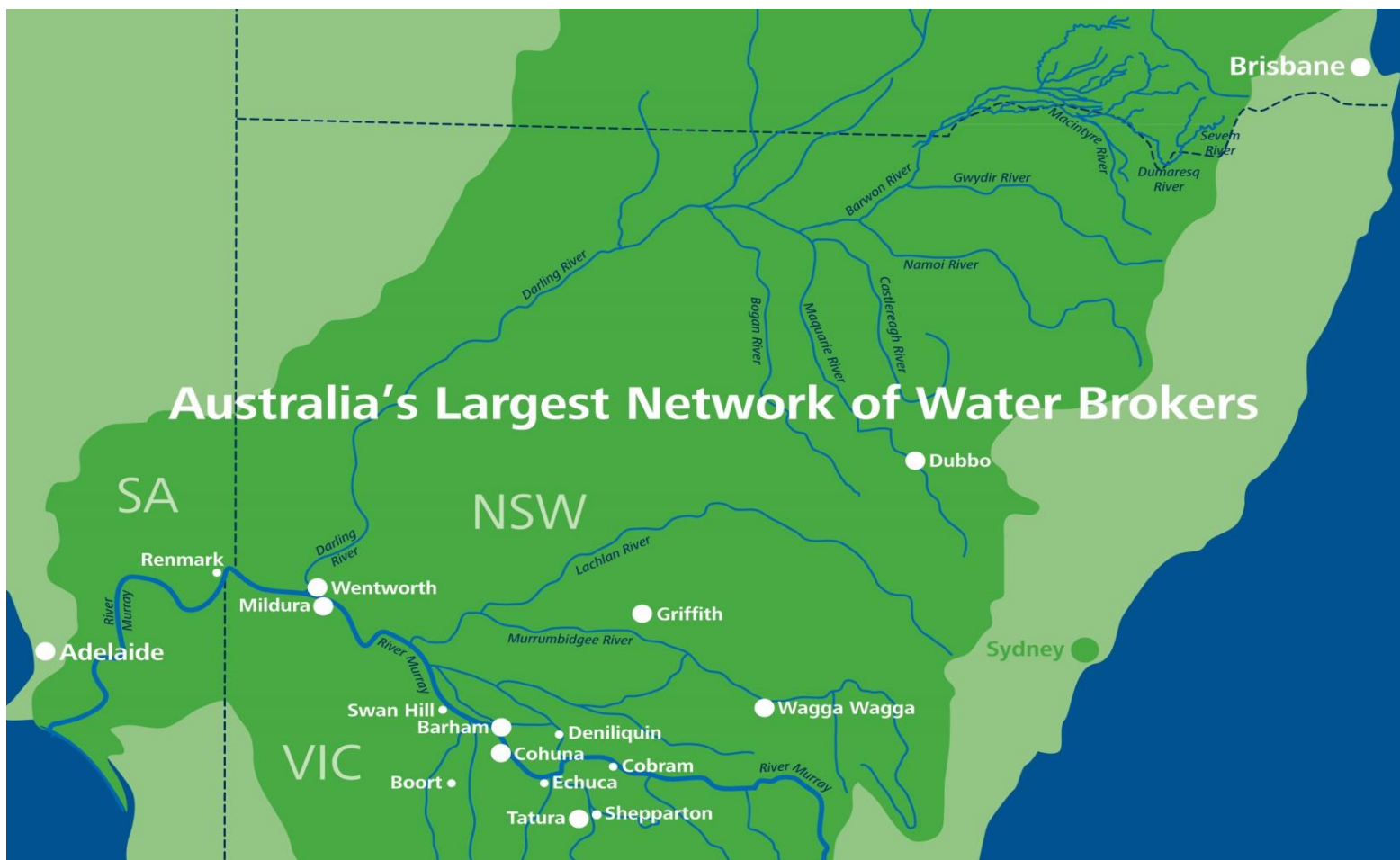


Real Estate Agency



Market Analysis

RURALCO WATER LOCATIONS



- 16 Conveniently Located Branches
- Full Range of Water Services
- 24 Hour Online Market Access
- Backed by Ruralco Holdings (ASX:RHL)

RURALCO WATER SERVICES



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A photograph of a concrete bridge over a body of water. In the foreground, a tree with light-colored bark stands on the grassy bank. The bridge has a metal railing and a concrete support pillar. The water is calm, reflecting the sky and the bridge. A thick blue diagonal line runs from the bottom left towards the top right, partially obscuring the image.

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Lack of transparency

Inconsistent and incompatible information

Terminology and Language

Victoria Murray Carryover

17-18 season – total carryover 533.8GL – 318GL Private – 185.1GL Environment.

18-19 season – total carryover 484.4G – 171.7GL Private – 281.2GL Environment.

19-20 season – total carryover 579.2GL – 189.6GL Private – 349.6GL Environment.

Australian Government response to the Productivity Commission inquiry on national water reform.
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- Processing/Approval times between states and water authorities.
- Inconsistent costs.
- Inconsistent rules

- Inter-Valley Trade accounts
- Barmah Choke
- Interstate restrictions.

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Education and Understanding the market

Further education is needed around stakeholders understanding of how the market/s operate and interact with each other.

A lack of understanding, of stakeholder's own entitlements.

Poor reporting in the media.

On the 25th of July we held a breakfast event in Griffith.

In August we will be presenting at the Sunraysia ag conference

In September we will be holding a webinar to further educate stakeholders across the basin



1915 **1915 - 1970** **1970 - 1980** **1980 - 1994** **2000 - 2009** **2007 - 2019**

Murray Darling Agreement

Irrigation expansion: Dams built and permits issued

Caps on diversions, conversion to volumetric licences

Allocation and entitlement trading commences, COAG interstate allocation trade

Unbundling entitlements from land

Basin Plan

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