

PARABOSS CERTIFICATE IN SHEEP PARASITE MANAGEMENT



UNEPB21 Agricultural Short Course

This course is designed for rural merchandise staff, consultants, veterinarians, extension officers, and other industry advisors.

It contains three units that encompass the core information from WormBoss, FlyBoss and LiceBoss, which are essential for students to obtain the skills and knowledge to apply, or provide expert advice about, effective integrated parasite management of sheep.

The industry-endorsed 'ParaBoss Certificate in Sheep Parasite Management', from the University of New England and ParaBoss, is achieved on completion of the three units. This qualification is indispensable for first-rate sheep health advisors to gain industry and employer recognition.

ParaBoss will list the graduates (with their permission) on the ParaBoss website, and will promote their value to sheep producers.

ParaBoss is the national, industry-endorsed program that provides parasite management information to the Australian sheep industry.

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Learn the principles and practices of effective integrated parasite management of sheep in Australia, covering worms, flies and lice:

- the key parasites of sheep and how to exploit their weaknesses
- methods to limit parasite build up and exposure to stock
- parasite monitoring and testing, and decisions on when treatments should occur
- treatment chemicals, including their types, application methods, timing, and how to reduce the rate at which chemical resistance develops
- breeding sheep for resistance to worms and flystrike
- use of ParaBoss online tools to assist parasite management decision-making

Course Information

Duration	Up to 3 months
Delivery	Individual (online)
Full course fee*	\$440 + GST
Individual unit fee*	\$180 + GST

*Bulk discounts available for employers

5-10	students	5%	discount
11-20	students	7.5%	discount
21-50	students	10%	discount
51+	students	12.5%	discount

