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Nut Consolidation



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CONSOLIDATION DEPOTS AND NUT DELIVERY

Stahmann Farms provides a selection of Consolidation Depots throughout the macadamia growing regions to assist growers in delivering NIH and NIS to Stahmann Farms. These depots are Nambucca Macnuts (Macksville), Summerland HWNS (Alstonville), Southridge Farm (Clunes), Idlewood (Gympie), and Bundysort (Bundaberg).

Delivering Your Nut

It is **ESSENTIAL** that all deliveries are booked into the Consolidation Depots prior to delivery. Booking times and delivery details must be adhered to. Unfortunately deliveries made without bookings may remain unprocessed until a vacant booking slot becomes available. In this instance, any loss of integrity to your nut quality is at your risk when deliveries are made without bookings.

Consolidation Depot Charges

Stahmann Farms offers all growers an \$0.08/kg (10% MC) contribution on NIS weight towards consolidation/dehusking services. This greatly reduces the cost of these services to growers.

CONSOLIDATION DEPOT	LEVEL OF SERVICE & COST TO GROWER (BEFORE CONTRIBUTION) *				
	NIS Consolidation	NIS Colour Sort	NIS Dehusk	NIH/NIS Full Sort	NIH Stick Chain Clean, Dehusk, Sort
	<i>Receival of NIS dehusked on-farm</i>	<i>Receival & colour sorting of NIS dehusked on-farm</i>	<i>Receival of NIH, dehusking & basic table sorting</i>	<i>Receival of NIH, dehusking, basic table & colour sorting</i>	<i>Receival of NIH, stick chain cleaning, dehusking & basic table sorting</i>
<i>Price/kg on received weight</i>	\$0.08/kg	\$0.09/kg	\$0.11/kg	\$0.18/kg	\$0.25/kg
Nambucca Macnuts	√	√			
Summerland HWNS	√	√	√	√	
Southridge	√		√		√
Still Water/Idlewood	√		√		
Bundaberg	√				

* all levels of service include receival, sampling, silo storage and dispatch to factory

Quality and Food Safety

Consignments delivered to our Consolidation Depots must conform with the **Standard Load** requirements detailed below.

At the discretion of each Consolidation Depot if the load (bins, skip, truck or ute) does not meet the Standard Load quality requirements, or is deemed to have excess stick branch, dirt, rock, leaf or other contaminates



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that will breach HACCP or Foods Standards, or significantly reduce the dehusk throughput rates, the Depot can reject the load and refuse to dehusk until the load is corrected or removed. The grower and Stahmann Farms will be informed within one business day of the load arriving at the Depot.

The cost of removing a rejected skip or bin will be at the grower's expense.

Standard Load

In addition to the quality and food safety requirements specified above, the following constitutes a standard load:

Category	Definition	Cut-off
Foreign Materials	Materials that do not grow on the macadamia tree or are not naturally found on the orchard floor: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Significant food safety hazards (e.g. rat baits) 	Significant food safety hazards – nil allowed
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Other foreign materials (e.g. irrigation fittings, finger wheels) 	No more than 1 piece/tonne
Trash	Leaf	A maximum of 20% by area
	Stick less than 100mm in length	Less than 45 pieces/tonne
	Stick greater than 100mm long	No more than 5 pieces/tonne
	Rock	Less than 20 pieces/tonne
	Dirt/soil	A maximum of 5% by area
Nut in Husk	Nut in shell that is encased in husk	Up to 100%
Booked Quantity	This is the quantity of material that is booked for dehusking and/or other services. This may be in the form of weight (kg or tonne), number of field bins or skip size.	110%

CONSOLIDATION DEPOT CONTACT DETAILS

House With No Steps

253 Wardell Road, Alstonville NSW 2477
 Dehusking Shed Administrator
 P: 02 8062 5220
 E: dehusk.admin@hwns.com.au

Southridge Farms

941 Lismore-Bangalow Road, via Clunes NSW 2480
 M: 0484 984 898
 E: southridge_macas@live.com

Nambucca Macnuts

48 Yarrawonga Drive, Macksville NSW 2447
 P: 02 6568 4210 M: 0419 735 260 (Vince)
 E: nambucca@macnuts.com.au

Idlewood (Still Waters Farm)

309 Neusavale Road, Wolvi Qld 4570
 P: 0437 454 182 (Nic or Katherine)
 E: emerykn@bigpond.com

Bundysort Pty Ltd

Gin Gin Road, South Kolan Qld 4670
 P: 07 4159 8331
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Please note loads are not considered booked until you have received confirmation from the Depot.

Loads less than 1000kg that are delivered to any depot **may** incur an \$110 plus gst handling fee.