

Our Commitment to Native Forests

OUR AIM

To sustainably manage our business.

WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?

It means we strive to manage our business in a manner that guarantees long term supply while protecting and managing all aspects of the environment in which we operate.

WHY IS THIS IMPORTANT?

It's important because we at Gunns are here for the long haul.

ARE OUR SKILLS CHECKED?

Yes, every six months. World acclaimed independent auditors check us against the highest international standards of management. This relates to management in the broadest sense and includes environmental care and social responsibility.

WHERE TO NOW?

Our aim is to continually seek productivity improvement while working in harmony with the environment and delivering social benefit to the communities in which we do business. That's why we make sustainability our business.

Looking after Tasmania's forests is central to our business.

Listening to stakeholders has led us to appreciate the importance of conserving native forest.

That's why we at Gunns are only establishing plantations on cleared or existing plantation lands.

In this way, plantations and native forests will co-exist for a sustainable future.



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"I am a conservationist who is a realist. Our society relies on wood products and hence forest management, and I want to make sure it is done in a sustainable way. I am going to have more impact working for a forest management company than against one!"



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