

Approved Greenhouse Gas Abatement Provider





## auscarbon group

AusCarbon Pty Ltd (AusCarbon) is a wholly Australian owned Company dedicated to developing high quality forests for carbon sequestration.

The AusCarbon team includes highly experienced business, professional, environmental, and horticultural specialists who are committed and have already demonstrated capability to establishing large scale forest carbon sinks.

AusCarbon's objective is to develop biodiverse forests that maximise carbon sequestration at the lowest cost to optimise returns for investors and deliver lowest cost abatement for emitters.

AusCarbon is one of the largest owners and developers of forest carbon sinks in Australia.





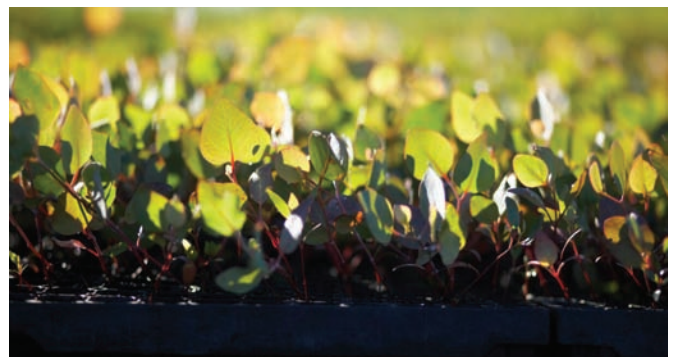
## accreditation

AusCarbon signed the Greenhouse Friendly Accreditation Deed in July 2008, making it one of the first companies in Australia to receive accreditation as a forest sink abatement provider.

This accreditation will enable AusCarbon to sell Approved Abatement Certificates under the Australian Government's Carbon Pollution Reduction Scheme (CPRS).

AusCarbon's current supply of certificates is available to the non-mandatory market.

AusCarbon certificates are independently verified to meet permanence and additionally requirements of the CPRS and international Kyoto Protocols.





## biodiversity model

The AusCarbon biodiversity model includes planting of up to thirty native and endemic species, replicating the vegetation that existed prior to land clearing.

Provenance seeds are collected specifically for each project. AusCarbon's model creates a resilient forest that maximises growth and therefore carbon sequestration.

AusCarbon model provides the following characteristics and advantages:

- Large self sustaining forests
- Land ownership by AusCarbon (returning prime land to farmers)
- Compatibility planning to match vegetation to land and soil
- Large scale project capacity
- Direct benefit to regional environment and local farming community





## project experience

AusCarbon's Canna Project is a 3,000 hectare forest sink located in marginal wheat cropping land in the mid-west region of Western Australia.

The land for this project was acquired in February 2008 and planting was completed by October 2008.

This project is one of the largest forest carbon sinks in Australia.

During 2009, AusCarbon will establish a second 2,500 hectare project and has access to land and capacity to develop more than 10,000 hectares of forest sink thereafter.





## opportunities for emitters

AusCarbon has the ability to quickly scale-up nursery supply and is planning to increase annual forestation capacity to between 10,000 and 20,000 hectares from 2011.

Opportunity exists for large emitters to:

1. Purchase carbon permits to meet non-mandatory requirements or for the CPRS upon commencement of that scheme; or
2. Co-develop large scale forest carbon sink projects with AusCarbon.





auscarbon™group

AusCarbon Pty Ltd

61 Carrington Street, Nedlands Western Australia 6009  
Post Office Box 395, Nedlands Western Australia 6909

Telephone +61 8 6389 0172 Facsimile +61 8 6389 0999  
Email [info@auscarbongroup.com.au](mailto:info@auscarbongroup.com.au)