

# Super High Oleic Safflower

## AUGUST/SEPTEMBER SOWN CROP OPPORTUNITY

### MISSED SOWING SOME WINTER CROP?

### SAFFLOWERS ARE A SOUND AUG-SEPT SOWN OPPORTUNITY.

Super High Oleic (SHO) safflowers are an alternative break crop available for **August/September planting** in areas which may have missed winter crop planting due to high rainfall and paddocks being too wet. SHO safflowers are a deep tap rooted plant, with tolerance to sodic and saline soils.

SHO safflowers are grown under a closed loop contract with a fixed grain price of \$700/t ex farm.

#### Sowing time

August - September

#### Sowing rate

18-20kg/ha

#### Sowing depth

2-5cm

#### Seed cost

\$4/kg

(Seed may be kept from this year's crop for planting in 2022)

#### Harvest

Direct head

#### Harvest timing

Jan/Feb

#### Yield

1.0-1.5t/ha dryland

1.5-2.0t/ha irrigation



Early Development



Flowering



Harvest



For further information or to order seed, please contact your nearest Delta Ag branch or Elissa Mitchell.

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