



Innovating Energy for Food

Tuesday 23 July, Workshops Rail Museum, Ipswich Reduce costs, increase profits, support sustainability

A one-day briefing for growers and processors presented by Food Innovation Australia Limited and the Australian Alliance for Energy Productivity

FIAL and A2EP invite you to a must-know briefing in the context of rising prices, emerging technologies and developing opportunities. This briefing showcases technologies and enterprises that are transforming energy supply and use, with a focus on farmers, processors and their relationships. The content, including case studies, is specific to Queensland.

At the briefing you'll meet experts in transformation and have plenty of opportunity to build your networks. We'll explore areas of innovation including demand and tariff management, metering and automation, the internet of energy, electrification and digitalisation, innovation in the food value chain, financing options. Sessions include:

- Everything you wanted to know about energy, but were afraid to ask
- Practical ways to reduce waste and improve value
- Real world examples of serious savings
- Innovation for profit: Moving boundaries
- Innovation for agribusiness, Innovation for processors

The briefing will be presented at the Workshops Rail Museum in Ipswich. There's plenty of parking nearby. Start at 8:45 am and finish at 4:45 pm.

Register online <u>here</u>.

Please direct enquiries about the program and registration to a2ep@a2ep.org.au

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A2EP is leading a drive to double energy productivity in Australia by 2030. Our innovation program aims to accelerate the uptake of technology focused on energy transformation. Australian Alliance for Energy Productivity | a2ep.org.au email: a2ep@a2ep.org.au phone: 02 94514 4948

A2EP in agriculture

We've been working on productivity in the agriculture sector over the last couple of years, with some success. We produced a <u>roadmap</u> for energy productivity in the agriculture sector. We've <u>researched</u> the food value chain. We've looked at the <u>potential</u> for heat pumps in food processing, leading to an ARENA-funded project for feasibility studies and site pilots. Our recent scoping <u>work</u> with NSW DPI has led to a well-funded project that will also support studies and pilots. We've worked with FIAL and a major retailer to explore the <u>benefits</u> of cold-chain optimisation.