

Library and information services for the Australian grape and wine industry



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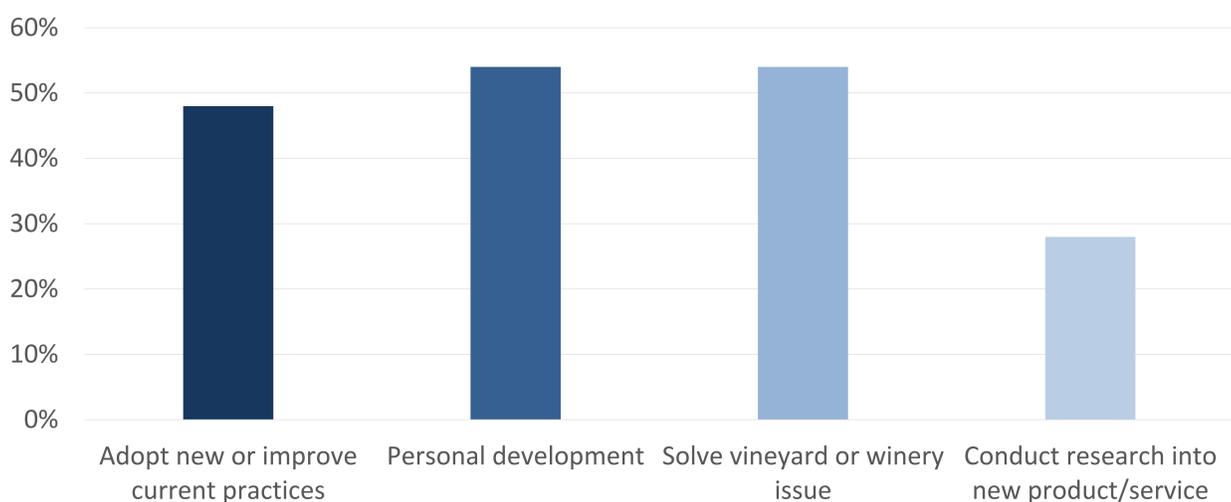
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Background

Access to the latest published research and technical information is often central in assisting the grape and wine sector with building capabilities and understanding and adopting new technologies, innovations and processes.

Since 1969, the John Fornachon Memorial Library has supported the Australian grape and wine community through strategic sourcing and dissemination of key information. It houses one of the largest collections of grape and wine resources in the world.

Why contact AWRI information services?



Source: AWRI 2019 Extension Survey

Platforms and tools

The AWRI offers a variety of tools, services and curated collections including:

- **A new online library catalogue** – delivering improved search and discovery capabilities within the Library's collection of over 100,000 grape and wine related resources
- **Information packs** – packaged resource lists relating to specific oenology or viticulture topics
- **Technical Review** – an online and print publication featuring the latest grape and wine technical literature
- **AWRI publications database** – a collection of more than 2,000 AWRI-authored papers
- **eBooks** – a repository of hand-picked wine and viticulture eBook titles
- **Fact sheets** – tailored resources to assist growers and winemakers address specific issues
- **YouTube channel** – on-demand video content, containing primarily webinar recordings

Impacts and outcomes

A 2019 AWRI Extension Survey found that industry members reported positive results following interaction with AWRI information services. Nearly all respondents (96%) reported receiving the exact information they required and an overwhelming majority (96%) indicated that contact with the AWRI library led to constructive outcomes.

AWRI information tools and resources

101,186 searchable items



85,981 articles



4,945 books



645 reports



463 standards



269 theses



164 eBooks



114 fact sheets



98 online videos



19 information packs



1 new online library catalogue



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