

# New Oilseeds for the Mallee & Wimmera



## New opportunities

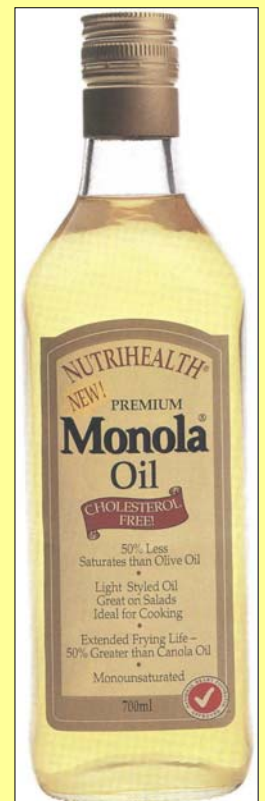
- ✓ Canola
- ✓ Monola
- ✓ Mustard

### Canola (*Brassica napus*)

- Well established in the Mallee and Wimmera
- Best suited to wetter areas or on fallow in Mallee
- New shorter season varieties suited to drier areas

### Monola (*Brassica napus*) High Oleic/Low Linolenic (HOLL)

- Specialty type of canola developed by Nutrihealth (Horsham)
- Higher levels of oleic acid and lower level of linolenic acid compared to canola - excellent cooking quality oil
- Blackleg rating 7.5 for variety MC202 (rating depends on variety)
- Yield similar to mid season canola
- Probably best suited to Wimmera and northern Wimmera
- Grown under contract to Nutrihealth - premium paid



### Mustard (*Brassica juncea*)

- Shorter season compared to canola - better suited to the Mallee
- More vigorous seedling growth and rapid ground cover
- Greater tolerance to heat and drought
- Canola quality (delivery into same bin)
- Greater shattering resistance - no need to windrow
- Enhanced blackleg resistance

