Top tips for effluent irrigators

**At the farm dairy**

1. Minimise water use
2. Pick up rubbish
3. Clean sand trap regularly
4. Do not let pond overflow

**Irrigator set up**

- Do not irrigate within 20m of a waterway
- A 3 m loop makes the irrigator easier to pull, and less likely to over-apply effluent or break the wire rope

**Irrigator use**

1. Keep an eye on the irrigator
2. Avoid ponding of effluent on the ground or runoff to waterways
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**Waterways**

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