

J. G. Boswell Company

Founded in 1927, the J.G. Boswell Company is a privately held corporation that is engaged in agriculture and real estate. While the firm is headquartered in Pasadena, California, the center of agricultural operations is located in Corcoran, California. The following briefly describes the "California Operations" of The J. G. Boswell Company.

California Operations

Growing Facilities

The J.G. Boswell Company has two growing facilities in the San Joaquin Valley. The ranches are located near Corcoran and Bakersfield, California. While the primary crops are cotton and tomatoes, and alfalfa hay, the ranches grow rotation crops of wheat, seed alfalfa, and safflower. Each ranch is equipped with its own equipment repair facility. Each location has an administrative and management team.

Processing Facilities

The Boswell Company, in addition to growing, processes many of its commodities.

In addition to ginning its own Pima cotton, the company crushes its cottonseed and safflower into by-products of oil, meal and hulls, which are feed and food ingredients. The Boswell Company produces seed that has been cleaned and treated for planting.

The Company owns two tomato processing plants located in Buttonwillow, CA, and Corcoran, CA, that process field-run tomatoes into tomato paste.

Livestock Facilities

The company owns a "cow/calf" operation in Exeter, California. This operation is located in a scenic mountain rangeland setting. Calves are sold from this facility to various feedlots around the state.

Australian Operations

Auscott, a wholly owned subsidiary of the J.G. Boswell Company, is headquartered in Sydney, Australia. Auscott is a major grower, ginner and marketer of Australian Cotton.

Real Estate Operations

The J.G. Boswell Company is the owner of EastLake Development Company near San Diego, California. EastLake is a planned residential community. EastLake creates the infrastructure and sells the lots to home construction companies.

Boswell has also been involved in the development of Interlocken, a planned industrial park located near Denver, Colorado, and Sun City, Arizona, and is currently considering Yokohl Valley, east of Visalia, for development.