

Australian series Bush Mechanics and Black As

Format – 10 x 30mins, Genre - Automotive/ factual series, Available worldwide 2019.



## The Premise

Lance lives and breathes trucks. The rustier the better. A back-yard mechanic since his teens, what Lance doesn't know about these vehicles just isn't worth knowing. He has cut up, built, lowered, modified and fixed everything from his beloved Diamond T to his 37 Chevy and everything in between.

With his car crazy buddy Pete, Lance hunts down mechanical wrecks and rusty gems across the backroads and highways of eastern Australia. Along the way we met a cast of unforgettable Australian characters, visit some classic country towns and learn just what it takes – and what it costs - to turn a rusty pile of metal into a fully functional on-road vehicle.

But this is not another bells and whistles high-tech makeover show. Truck Hunters epitomizes old school cool. It's low-fi and high cred and taps into a growing movement that yearns for the days when things were built to last. When craftsmanship and practicality went hand-in-hand.

## The elements.

- A road trip treasure hunt
- Great Characters
- Off the beaten track locations
- Mechanical tips
- Fascinating facts
- Action, jeopardy and above all FUN

## **Our Talent**

Laid back and understated, Lance has a knack of getting exactly what he wants without being pushy. Guys happily part with their vehicles knowing that if it goes with Lance, it's going to a good home. With his dry sense of humor and a fabulous turn of phrase, Lance evokes the qualities of a by-gone era.

Honesty and integrity are his calling card. As his co-star Pete observes "Lance should have been born forty years earlier".





Co-star Pete travels with Lance to lend a bit of muscle and share the long hours behind the wheel. He'll tell anyone who'll listen that he prefers shiny cars to Lance's rusty beasts.

Pete's a self-confessed car nut and after traveling the world as a construction worker, he now spends his time restoring an eclectic collection of retro vehicles. Endlessly curious and equally obsessive, he's like a kid in a candy store riding shotgun with Lance.

## **Production Company**

In a world of manufactured reality programs Rebel Films cuts through the pack. For the past twenty years, Rebel has delivered a unique slate of factual programs to Australian broadcasters. They produce entertaining and quirky content that audiences simply love to watch. Their most recent series Black As was a hit for the Australian Broadcasting Corporation's on-line platform. It has garnered over 120 million views on social media and has a dedicated and engaged fan base. Their success with attracting audience through social media also extends to Truck Hunters. In just over a month they've attracted 100k views and have an audience ready and waiting to consume more content.



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