

Allocating Livestock Resources at MSU Research Stations



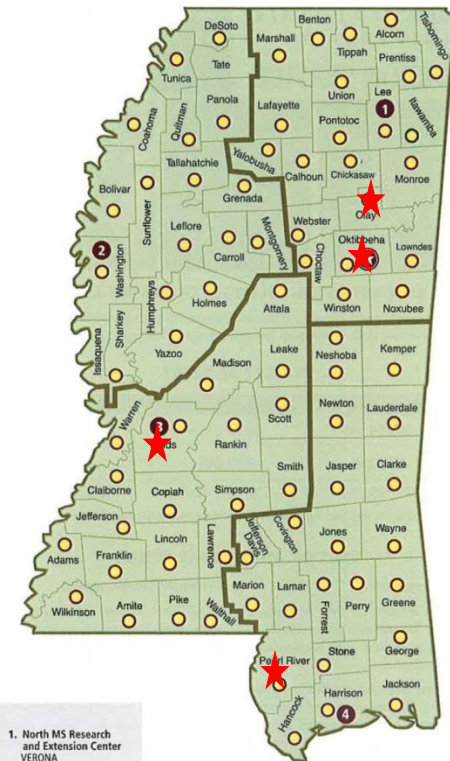
MSU Experiment Stations dedicated to livestock research:

Brown Loam Experiment Station

White Sands Research Unit

Prairie Research Unit

South Farm Research Center (Starkville)



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MSU Experiment Stations dedicated to livestock research:

Brown Loam Experiment Station:

2 Faculty

1,700 Acres

1100 Head of cattle

450 Cows

Spring and fall breeding herd

400 Stockers grazed each year



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MSU Experiment Stations dedicated to livestock research:

Prairie Research Unit:

1 Faculty

2,400 Acres

350 Commercial cows with fall & spring calving



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MSU Experiment Stations dedicated to livestock research:

White Sands Research Unit:

1 Faculty

440 Acres

150 Head of cattle



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MSU Experiment Stations dedicated to livestock research:

South Farm Research Center (Starkville):

Numerous Faculty from ADS and PSS Dept.

1,100 Acres

300 Head of Cattle

100 Horses



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Standard protocol for allocating livestock resources:

Internal Review Committee

- Consists of Faculty and Department Head from the Department of Animal and Dairy Sciences
- Proposed research projects are submitted to the committee which then determines how livestock are allocated
- Externally funded projects receive priority for livestock use
- If committee members are divided in determining which projects should, or should not be supported, the ADS Department Head makes the final determination
- Faculty are not required to pay a per head fee to use livestock in projects.

Livestock Purchase Request Form

Print Form



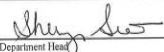
Livestock Purchase Request
MAFES Livestock Revolving Account
Fund 263401

Department Brown Loam Experiment Station Mail Stop 9991
Requested by Rhonda Vann Mail Stop 9991
Funding Requested \$5000 Amount Approved _____
Expected Date of Purchase October 5, 2013
Vendor Calyx Star Ranch, Shuqualak, MS

CRIS Project Number 331330
CRIS Project Name _____
Description of Project and use of animals This bull is to replace a brangus bull that died and to breed to black white face heifers

Number of: Bulls 1
Heifers _____
Steers _____
Breed Brangus R10217602 C Star Blanda 57212

Anticipated Date of Sale _____
(Please note multiple dates, if known or anticipated)

Approved:  Date: 10/4/13
Department Head

Approved: _____ Date: _____
Reuben Moore, Associate Director

FOR ADMINISTRATIVE USE ONLY

Bull Registration # _____
Banner Date of Purchase _____ Invoice # _____ Amount _____


After Approval Send Copies to: Department Head, Requestor, and MAFES Administrative Officer

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Animal, Land and Facilities Use Form

[Print Form](#)



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Animal, Land and Facilities Use Form

Location of Research:			
Today's Date:	Trial Start Date:	Ending Date:	
Trial title or subject name:			
Investigator:		Telephone Number:	
Graduate Student:		Telephone Number:	
CRIS Number:	Funding Area:	Course Number:	
Extension Activity:			
DESCRIPTION OF ANIMALS REQUESTED			
Type:	Breed:	Sex:	Age:
Weight:	Number Needed:	Male:	Female:
Health of animals needed:			
If specific animals are not designated, please explain a source of animals:			
Livestock Revolving Fund Requested:			
ANIMAL CARE			
Animal should be checked:			Livestock Revolving Fund Requested:
Water Ad lib:	Yes	No	Special
How sick animals should be handled:			
How death losses should be handled:			
Contact telephone numbers, if this should occur:			
Feed needed:			
Feed suppliers if applies:			
ANIMAL NUMBER ALLOTTED FOR THIS TRIAL			

