



# CONSULTATION QUESTIONNAIRE

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RANCH:

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What breed of cattle?

How many head of cattle are you feeding?

What class of cattle?

Are your cattle on pasture or in lots?

Pasture       Dry Lot

What is the quality and quantity of pasture?

Are you feeding supplemental feed?

Yes       No

What kind of feed?

How much feed?

What is your current nutrition program?

*Mineral*

Yes       No

What kind?

How much?

*Forage*

Yes       No

What kind?

How much?

*Hay*

Yes       No

What kind?

How much?

*Other*



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## What is your current feeding routine?

*How many times per day? What time? Do you feed differently for calving group? Do you feed differently for weaned calves? What is your routine in the winter? Self fed or hand fed?*

## Do you do regular forage testing and/or soil testing?

- Yes       No

## How are your cattle affected by seasonal changes?

*Do you stop feeding mineral in the summer? Do you feed more when they are gestating? Do your cows lose condition in the winter?*

## What do you want to improve about your cattle program?

## What drives you?

*Profit/Loss (Low Input/Low Cost), Carbon Sequestration, Heritage (Succession/Generation), Animals, Rangeland Conditions*



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STOCKER/CALF SPECIFIC:

What is the history of your calves?

- Home Raised    Bought from another Ranch    Purchased at a sale barn

Are they under high stress?

- Yes    No

Have the calves been creep fed?

- Yes    No

How long do you plan to keep the calves?

Are they replacement heifers?

- Yes    No

Are they going to a feed yard or out to grass?

Do you want to hand feed or use a self feeder?

BULL SPECIFIC:

When will you put your bulls out?

When do you do Bull Soundness Exams?

What is the number of cows you expect each bull to cover?

COW SPECIFIC:

At what age are heifers expected to be bred?

What is your culling procedure?

How long do you keep cows?

When do you breed?

When do you calve?

Do you experience any calf mortality or morbidity outside of your projected death loss?